



AGRO-METEOROLOGY ADVISORY BULLETIN

ISSUED FOR SOUTHERN DZONGKHAGS

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FORECAST

Heavy to very heavy rainfall during the next 72 hours (3 days)



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Due to the continuous rainfall over the past few days and anticipated heavy rainfall during next 3 days, farmers are advised:

1. Provide adequate drainage in the fields and nurseries to avoid water stagnation due to heavy rainfall
2. Avoid irrigation, intercultural operations and application of plant protection measures to the standing crops
3. Monitor the viviparous germination in the maize field since the rain coincides with maize maturity stage. Timely harvest, proper drying and cleaning before storage is recommended.
4. Harvesting of chilli if any in the field may be postponed.
5. Avoid establishing open nursery. Raise seedlings in protected structures like greenhouses.
6. Given the high humidity and hot weather conditions, farmers are advised to monitor the pest and disease incidences in their field. If severe, consult with extensions and ARDCs.
7. Safeguard animals from heavy rainfall, lightning and thunderstorm including the diseases

WARNING:

Flash floods and landslides are likely over isolated places of the country especially in the south during the next 3 days