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MONTHLY REPORT FORWARDED IN THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2025

DETAILS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2025

- 1 Planting District : Nilgiri - Wynaad
- 2 Production in the month of **SEPTEMBER 2025** : 0.672 M. Kg
- 3 Production compared to the same month last year : **High/Same/Low**
- 4 Reasons for increase or decrease in production : Favourable weather
- 5 Likely Output
 October 2025 : 0.690
 November 2025 : 0.650
 December 2025 : 0.60
- 6 Rainfall for the Month of **SEPTEMBER 2025** :

Date	Mm	Date	Mm	Date	Mm
01	0.0	12	3.0	23	1.6
02	20.0	13	0.0	24	0.0
03	1.0	14	5.8	25	0.0
04	10.2	15		26	6.8
05	42.2	16	15.0	27	15.0
06		17	7.0	28	21.2
07	25.8	18	9.8	29	
08		19	8.2	30	1.6
09	0.0	20	14.8		
10	0.0	21	20.0		
11	0.0	22	0.0		
TOTAL FOR THE MONTH:					229.0
B/F FROM JANUARY:					1936.4
TOTAL TO DATE:					2165.4

7. Weather (Any special climatic features : like, temperature, relative humidity, sunshine hours)

The rainfall was mild to moderate during the month but the cloudy weather has turned weather nippy in the hills of Nilgiri-Wayanad region. The minimum temperature oscillated between 16 °C to 18

⁰C and the maximum temperature fluctuated between 22 ⁰C to 28 ⁰C. The lowest relative humidity was 70 per cent (2.30 pm) and the highest registered was 100 per cent (8.30 am) during the month

METEOROLOGICAL DATA										
September 2025	Temperature ⁰ C				Relative Humidity (%)				Rainfall	
	2025		2024		2025		2024		2025	2024
	Min	Max	Min	Max	0830h	1430 h	0830 h	1430 h	Mm	Mm
1-10	16.5	24.5	16.8	24.9	98	85	99	84	99.2	69.4
11-20	16.8	25.1	15.4	25.7	95	83	100	92	63.6	39.0
21-30	16.9	24.0	16.3	25.5	97	84	97	92	66.2	22.0

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| 8 | Incidence of pests and diseases | : | Moderate to severe infection of blister blight & Grey blight disease noticed in all the three locations during the month of September. Incidence of red spider mites was found to be above ETL level, except Pandalur region. |
| 9 | Power supply | : | In adequate |
| 10 | Labour situation like go-slow, strike, closure etc | : | Shortage of workers |
| 11 | Input availability | : | Adequate |
| 12 | Meetings | : | <p>1. The Sr. Advisory Officer attended India International Tea Convention (IITC 2025) at Grand Hyatt Kochi Bolgatty, Kerala on 18th to 20th September 2025</p> <p>2. Executive committee meeting of NWPA was held on 30th September 2025 and the Sr. Advisory Officer was also invited to attend the meeting for finalizing the Agenda for the 30th ASC of UPASI - NWPA & AGM.</p> |
| 13 | Major issues (Give details of major and significant issues) | : | Nil |
| 14 | Major events (Give details of sports / visitors etc.) | : | Nil |
| 15 | Information on other plantation crops, if any | : | Small tea growers uprooting tea and planting coffee due to labour scarcity and price of green leaf are being low. |

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