

Status of Rainfall and Agriculture Activity in Andhra Pradesh As on 22/02/2019**Rainfall Status:**

- State average rainfall, as on 22nd FEBRUARY 2019 is 590.0 mm against a normal rainfall of 866.0 mm i.e., with a deviation of -31.9 % **Deficient**.
- Rainfall deviation with reference to normal in the state (Out of 670Mandals).

No.Mandals	Status	Range
16	Excess	(>19%)
173	Normal	(-19% to+19%)
390	Deficient	(-19% to-59%)
91	Scanty	(<-59%)

Srikakulam, East Godavari, West Godavari and Krishna districts are in **Normal** category, **Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, Guntur, Prakasam, Nellore, Chittoor, YSR Kadapa, Anantapuram** and **Kurnool districts** are in **Deficient** category.

Agriculture Situation (As per Agriculture Dept):

- Agriculture Condition for Rabi 2018-19 as on 20th February 2019.
 - Actual sown area 21.27 lakh Ha.
 - Normal Sown area as on date 22.25 lakh Ha 96% of normal sowing as on 20th February 2019.
- Crop-wise Sowing for Rabi 2018-19 compared to normal as on 20th February 2019.
 - Coarse grains (Paddy, Jowar, Bajra, Maize, Ragi etc) 100% of Normal
 - Pulses (Red gram, Green Gram, Black Gram etc) 106% of Normal
 - Oil Seeds (Ground nut, Sesamum, Castor, Sunflower etc) 74% of Normal
 - Other Crops
 - Cotton 93 % of Normal
 - Onion 106 % of Normal
- **Integrated Analysis using Satellite data, AWS and other Gauges data analysed on fortnightly basis:**

Fortnightly analysis ending 30th September, 2018

- Out of 670 mandals
 - 207 are under Normal
 - 182 are under Mild
 - 45 are under Moderate
 - 236 are under Severe.