

Public Weather Bulletin

Thursday, 19th March, 2020 Time of Issue: 1400 hrs IST

Realised Weather (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today)

- ❖ Light to moderate Rain/Thundershowers observed: at a few places over Telangana, North Interior Karnataka and Vidarbha; at isolated places over Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttrakhand, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Odisha, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, South Interior Karnataka, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathawada and Chhattisgarh.
- ❖ Rainfall recorded (1 cm or more): Coastal Andhra Pradesh (Pusapatirega-5, Bheenunipatnam-4, Mentada-3), Birkoor (Telangana)-3, Khandwa, Adilabad, Koraput and Belgaum-2 each; Seoni, Gulbarga, Dharwad and Vishakhapatnam-1 each.
- + Hailstorm observed: Hailstorm observed at isolated places over East Madhya Pradesh, Madhya Maharashtra and Marathawada. Thunderstorm observed at isolated places over Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Odisha, Chhattisgarh, Telangana, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalseema, Interior Karnataka and East Madhya Pradesh.

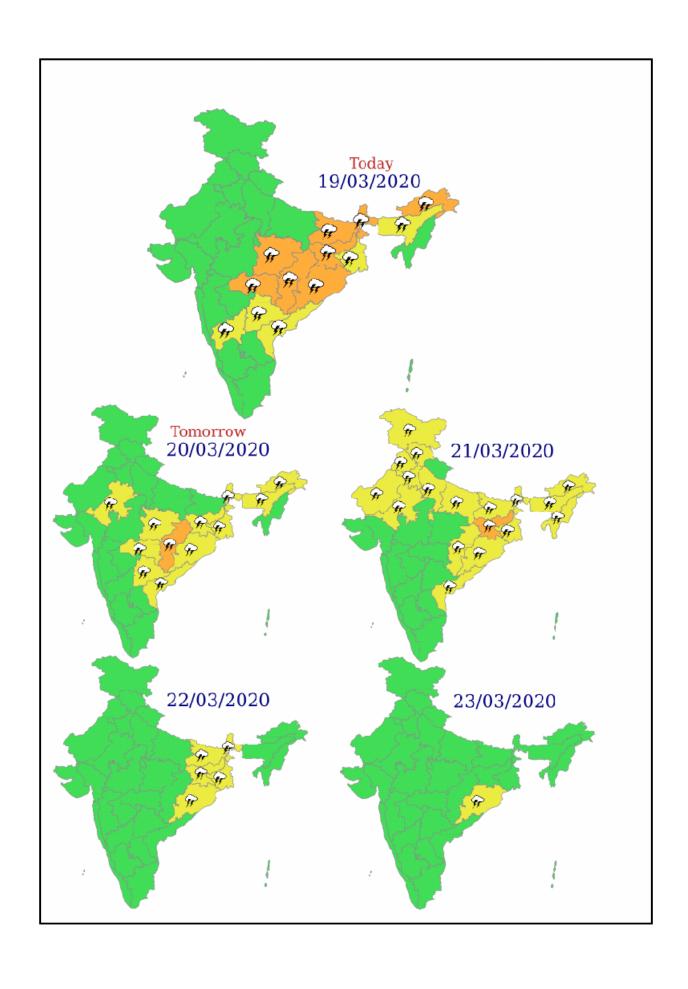
Weather System & Forecast

- ❖ Due to strengthening of anti-cyclone over Bay of Bengal and consequent moisture feeding over East & adjoining Central India:
 - ➤ **Scattered to fairly widespread** light to moderate rainfall activity is very likely over Odisha, Jharkhand and West Bengal & Sikkim during 19th-22nd March with maximum intensity on 21st March.
 - ➤ **Isolated to scattered** light to moderate rainfall activity is very likely over East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha and Chhattisgarh during 19th-21st March with maximum intensity on 20th March.
 - Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning/hail/gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph) is likely over
 - Odisha, Jharkhand and West Bengal & Sikkim during 19th-22nd March with maximum intensity on 19th March.
 - Chhattisgarh, Vidarbha and East Madhya Pradesh during 19th-20th March.
 - Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph) likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Telangana during 19th-21st March.
- ❖ Under the influence of a fresh Western Disturbance which is likely to affect Northwest India from the night of 20th March, **light to moderate scattered rainfall/snowfall** very likely over Western Himalayan Region on 21st March.

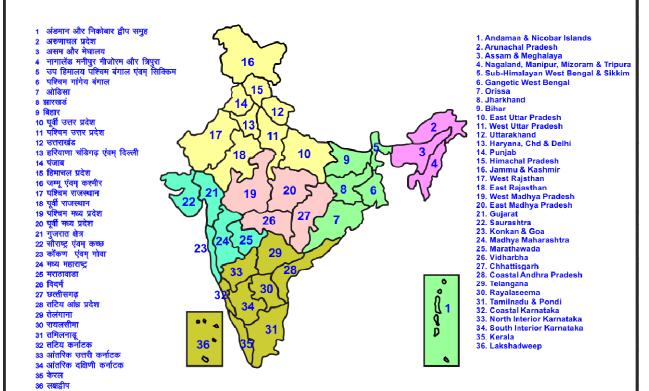
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LEGENDS



SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION (% of Stations reporting)

% Stations	Category	% Stations	Category
76-100	Widespread (WS/Most Places)	26-50	Scattered (SCT/ A Few Places)
51-75	Fairly Widespred (FWS/ Many Places)	1-25	Isolated (ISOL)
	Dry (No station reported Rainfall)		

WARNING

WARNING (TAKE ACTION)

ALERT (BE PREPARED)

WATCH (BE UPDATED)

NO WARNING (NO ACTION)

Probabilistic Forecast

Terms	Probability of Occurrence (%)		
Unlikely	< 25		
Likely	25 - 50		
Very Likely	50 - 75		
Most Likely	> 75		



Heavy Rain



Heavy Snow



****** Thunderstorm



Dust Storm



Strong Winds



Visibility



Cyclone



Heat Wave



Squall/ Hail



Frost



Cold Wave





Sea State