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Subject: i) Enhanced rainfall activity very likely to continue over Gujarat & north Konkan during next 24 hours and gradual reduction thereafter.

ii) Rainfall activity over northwest India is very likely to decrease from tomorrow, the 02nd September, 2021.

iii) Increase in rainfall activity over south Peninsular India from tomorrow, the 04th September, 2021.

Rainfall amount recorded (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today) (7 cm or more):

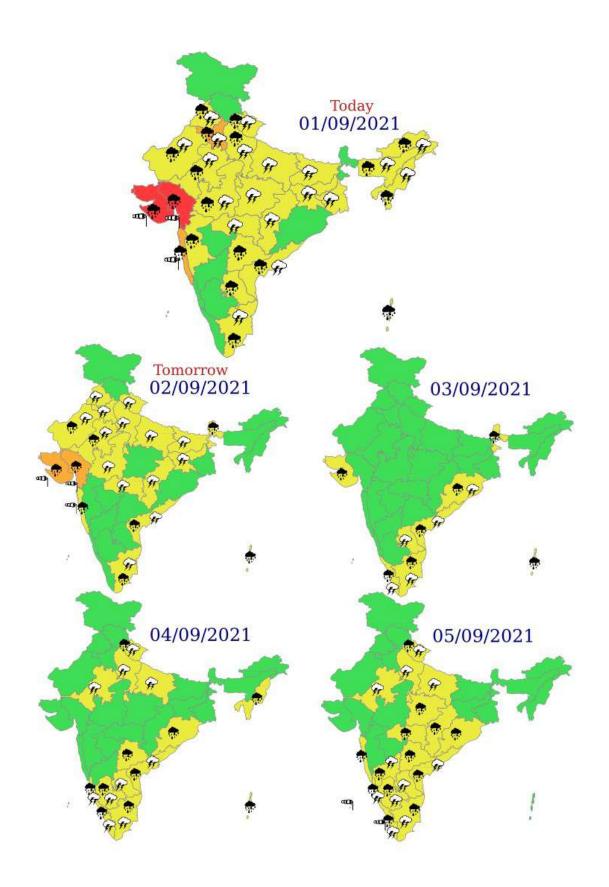
- **Gujarat Region:** Valsad-40; Daman-33. dadra & Nagar Haaveli-16; Dangs, Narmada, Ahemdabad-9 each; Kheda, Banakantha, Surat, Gandhinagar-8 each
- **Haryana**: Pataudi-21; Jhajjar-14; Dadri-11; Bhiwani, Faridabad, Nuh, Rewari, Mahendragarh-9 each
- **Delhi**: Lodi Road-12; Pusa-10; Safdarganj-11; Delhi Ridge-8; Dhansa-10; Ayanagar, Palam-7 each
- West Madhya Pradesh: Neemuch-12
- West Uttar Pradesh: Mathura-9
- Konkan & Goa: Dhanau-20; Panvel-18; Uran & Thane-15 each; Alibag-13; Santacruz-11; Karjat-10
- Madhya Maharashtra: Dhule-9; Lonavala & Jalgaon-8 each
- Marathwada: Jalna-12
- Saurashtra & Kutch: Junagarh-13; Amreli & Bhavnagar-7 each
- Rayalaseema: Kurnool-13
- East Rajasthan: Alwar-11; Sikar-10; Bharatpur-9; Chittorgarh & Jaipur-7 each
- West Rajasthan: Churu-9
- Arunachal Pradesh: Bhalukpong:11; Itanagar-10
- Tripura: Kolasib-13; Dhalai-11; Mamit-9; Aizwal-8; Khowai-7
- Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam: Srikakulam-9; Vizianagram-8
- **Telangana**: Jagtial-10; Nizamabad-8; Adilabad & Suryapet-7 each.

Weather Systems and Forecast and Warnings:

• The monsoon trough at mean sea level now passes to the south of its normal position. The eastern end of the monsoon trough is very likely to shift gradually northwards from tomorrow, the 2nd September and the western end is very likely to shift northwards from 3rd September onwards.

- A cyclonic circulation lies over south Gujarat Region & neighbourhood at extends upto middle tropospheric levels. It is likely to move west-northwestwards during next 3 days and become less marked thereafter.
- A trough runs from cyclonic circulation over south Gujarat Region & neighbourhood to northwest Uttar Pradesh across East Rajasthan at lower tropospheric levels. It is likely to become less marked during next 2 days.
- A shear zone in middle tropospheric levels likely to develop over south Peninsular India from 04th September.
- Due to above meteorological conditions:
 - ✓ Fairly widespread to widespread rainfall activity with a) isolated extremely heavy falls very likely over south Gujarat region and Saurashtra & Kutch during next 24 hours; b) isolated very heavy falls very likely over north Konkan and Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi on 01st and over Gujarat State on 2nd September; c) Isolated heavy falls are likely over north Madhya Maharashtra during next 24 hours; south Rajasthan on 01st & 02nd and Saurashtra & Kutch on 03rd September.
 - Rainfall activity over south peninsular and West India is very likely to increase from 03rd September when Fairly widespread to widespread rainfall activity with **isolated** heavy falls very likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Kerala and Karnataka during 04th-05th September.
 - ✓ Rainfall activity over Northeast India (Assam & Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura) is very likely to remain subdued over the region from 02nd September onwards.

<u>For detailed forecast and warning refer:</u> https://mausam.imd.gov.in/imd_latest/contents/all_india_forcast_bulletin.php



EXPECTED IMPACT & ACTION SUGGESTED due to **Extremely Heavy/Very heavy rainfall** at isolated places over Gujarat state during 01st-02nd September; over north Konkan & Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi on 01st September, 2021.

A. Impact Expected

- Localized Flooding of roads, inundation and water logging in low lying areas and closure of underpasses mainly in urban areas of the above region.
- Occasional reduction in visibility due to heavy rainfall.
- Disruption of traffic in major cities due to water logging in roads leading to increased travel time.
- Minor damage to kutcha roads.
- Possibilities of damage to vulnerable structure.
- Localized Landslides/Mudslides
- Damage to horticulture and standing crops in some areas due to inundation.
- It may lead to riverine flooding in some river catchments (for riverine flooding please visit Web page of CWC)

B. Action Suggested

- Check for traffic congestion on your route before leaving for your destination.
- Follow any traffic advisories that are issued in this regard.
- Avoid going to areas that face the water logging problems often.
- Avoid staying in vulnerable structure.

Legends:

Heavy Rain: 64.5 to 115.5 mm; **Very Heavy Rain:** 115.6 to 204.4 mm; **Extremely Heavy Rain** > 204.4 mm.

Region wise classification of meteorological Sub-Divisions:

1) **Northwest India:** Jammu, Kashmir, Ladakh, Gilgit, Baltistan & Muzaffarabad; Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi; West Uttar Pradesh, East Uttar Pradesh, West Rajasthan and East Rajasthan.

2) Central India: West Madhya Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha and Chhattisgarh.

3) **East India:** Bihar, Jharkhand, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim; Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

4) **Northeast India:** Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.

5) **West India:** Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra and Marathwada.

6) **South India:** Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka, Kerala & Mahe, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Lakshadweep.

% Stations	Category Widespread (WS/Most Places)		% Stations		Category Scattered (SCT/ A Few Places) Isolated (ISOL)	
76-100			26-50	Sca		
51-75	Fairly Widespre	Widespred (FWS/ Many Places)				
	WARNING			Probabilistic Forecast		
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	Heavy Rain	WARNING WARNING (TAKE ACTIO	ON)	Terms	Probability of Occurrence (%)	
	Heavy Rain			101.00 2000.00	Probability of Occurrence (%) < 25	
-	Heavy Rain Strong Winds	WARNING (TAKE ACTIO))	Terms Unlikely	Probability of Occurrence (%)	

💔 Thunderstorm with Lightning