

Press Release Date: 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2022 Time of Issue: 1225 hrs IST

Subject: Increase in rainfall activity over North India from 27<sup>th</sup> July onwards due to northward shift of Monsoon Trough.

## Weather observed during past 24 hours ending at 0830 hrs IST of today:

➤ Heavy to very heavy rainfall occurred at isolated places over East Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat Region and heavy rainfall at isolated places over West Madhya Pradesh, East Rajasthan, Odisha, Konkan, Madhya Maharashtra, West Bengal & Sikkim and Assam & Meghalaya.(Annexure I).

## Rainfall/thunderstorm Forecast & Warnings: (Multi-hazard warning is given in Annexure II)

- ➤ The Low Pressure Area lies over south Pakistan & adjoining Kutch and the associated cyclonic circulation extends upto mid-tropospheric levels tilting southwards with height. It is likely to become less marked during next 24 hours.
- ➤ The monsoon trough at mean sea level runs south of its normal position. It is very likely to shift gradually northward from tomorrow, the 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2022 onwards.
- Under the influence of above systems:
  - Fairly widespread/ widespread light to moderate rainfall with thunderstorm & lightning very likely over Gujarat State, Konkan, Vidarbha, East Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Coastal Karnataka & Telangana and scattered to fairly widespread rainfall activity over Odisha, Jharkhand, West Madhya Pradesh, ghat areas of Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Coastal Andhra Pradesh, Interior Karnataka and Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 25<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.
    - ✓ **Isolated heavy falls** very likely over Saurashtra-Kutch, Chhattisgarh & East Madhya Pradesh on 25<sup>th</sup>; Odisha & Gujarat Region on 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>; Jharkhand on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>; Telangana during 25<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>; South Interior Karnataka during 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> and over Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.
    - ✓ Isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall also likely over West Madhya Pradesh on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.
  - Fairly widespread to widespread rainfall with isolated heavy falls and thunderstorm/lightning very likely over Jammu & Kashmir on 25<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>; Himachal Pradesh during 25<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> & over Uttarakhand on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.
    - ✓ Isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall very likely over Himachal Pradesh & Uttarakhand on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.

- Scattered to fairly widespread light to moderate rainfall with **isolated heavy falls** and **thunderstorm/lightning** over West Rajasthan on 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>; East Rajasthan during 25<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> & Bihar during 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> and over Punjab & Haryana during 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> & over Uttar Pradesh on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> and increase thereafter with widespread rainfall activity.
  - ✓ Isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall very likely over East Rajasthan on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.
- Fairly widespread light/moderate rainfall with isolated heavy falls very likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.
  - ✓ **Isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall** very likely over Assam & Meghalaya on 25<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> and over Arunachal Pradesh on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.

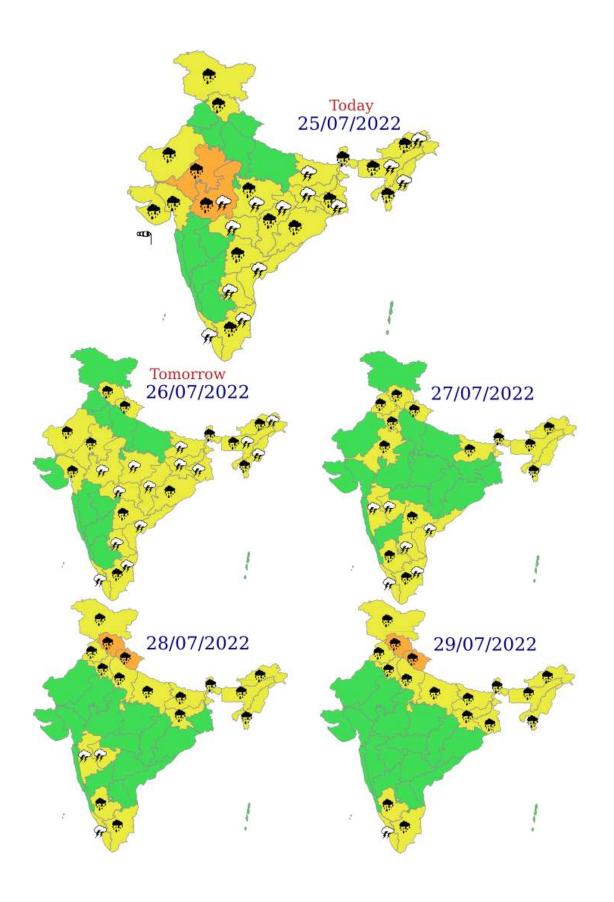
For more details kindly refer: <a href="https://mausam.imd.gov.in/imd">https://mausam.imd.gov.in/imd</a> latest/contents/all india forcast bulletin.php

#### **Annexure I**

## Rainfall (in cm):

- East Madhya Pradesh: Mohkheda (dist Chindwara) 19, Bijadandi (dist Mandla) 18, Baldevgarh (dist Tikamgarh) 9, Kesli (dist Sagar) 8, Jaisinagar (dist Sagar) 7, Churhat (dist Sidhi) 7, Malthone (dist Sagar) 7, Kumdam (dist Jabalpur) 7, Panna-aws (dist Panna) 7;
- Gujarat Region: Tharad (dist Banaskantha) 15, Lakhani (dist Banaskantha) 10, Kathalal (dist Kheda) 9, Suigam (dist Banaskantha) 8, Vadgam (dist Banaskantha) 8, Palanpur (dist Banaskantha) 7, Mahemdavad (dist Kheda) 7;
- Assam & Meghalaya: East Khasi Hills: Sohra-12, West Jainitia hIlls: KHLIEHRIAT-9, Jowai-7, Dibrugargh: KHOWANG-10;
- Odisha: Deogarh: Barkote-10, Balasore: Jaleswar & Rajghat -9 each, Kendrapada-9;
- East Rajasthan: Ajmer: Ajmer-9, Tonk: Aligarh-8;
- Konkan & Goa: Matheran (dist Raigad) 9, Jawhar (dist Palghar) 8, Chiplun (dist Ratnagiri) 7, Vikramgad (dist Palghar) 7;
- Madhya Maharashtra: Igatpuri (dist Nashik) 9, Surgana (dist Nashik) 6;
- Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim: Alipurduar: Buxaduar-9: Darjeeling-9, Jalpaiguri: Nagarkata-9, Kalimpong: Kalimpong-9;
- West Madhya Pradesh: Bhopal Arera Hills (dist Bhopal) 9, Moman Badodiya (dist Shajapur) 9, Aron (dist Guna) 8, Navibagh Aet (dist Bhopal) 8, Vijaypur (adp) (dist Sheopur) 8, Bairagarh Airport (dist Bhopal) 7;
- Gangetic West Bengal: West Midnapore-7;

## **Annexure II**



#### **EXPECTED IMPACT & ACTION SUGGESTED DUE TO-**

Isolated very heavy rainfall over West Madhya Pradesh & East Rajasthan on 25<sup>th</sup> and over Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Arunachal Pradesh and Assam & Meghalaya on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.

## A. Impact Expected

- Localized Flooding of roads, 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.

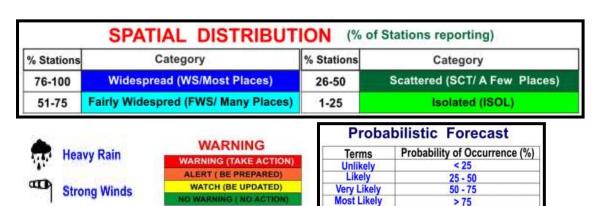
# Legends:

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: Western Himalayan Region (Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh and 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.

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