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Subject: Increase in rainfall activity over East India from 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2022.

Weather observed during past 24 hours ending at 0830 hrs IST of today: (Refer Annex. I)

## Withdrawal of Southwest Monsoon (Annex II)

The withdrawal line of Southwest Monsoon continues to pass through Jammu, Una, Chandigarh, Karnal, Baghpat, Delhi, Alwar, Jodhpur and Nalia.

## Weather systems, rainfall/thunderstorm Forecast & Warnings: (Warning Graphics in Annexure III)

- > A cyclonic circulation lies over Westcentral Bay of Bengal off Andhra Pradesh coast in lower & middle tropospheric levels.
- ➤ A cyclonic circulation is likely to emerge into northeast & adjoining eastcentral Bay of Bengal during next 24 hours.
- > Under the influence of above systems
  - Scattered to widespread light/moderate rainfall with isolated heavy falls very likely over Odisha during 01<sup>st</sup>-05<sup>th</sup>; over Gangetic West Bengal during 02<sup>nd</sup> -05<sup>th</sup>; over Jharkhand on 03<sup>rd</sup> & 04<sup>th</sup>; over East Madhya Pradesh, Bihar & Chhattisgarh on 04<sup>th</sup> & 05<sup>th</sup>; over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 04<sup>th</sup> and over Vidarbha on 05<sup>th</sup> October, 2022. Isolated very heavy rainfall also very likely over Odisha on 04<sup>th</sup> October, 2022.
  - o Fairly widespread/widespread light/moderate rainfall with **isolated heavy falls** & **thunderstorm/lightning** very likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 01<sup>st</sup>-05<sup>th</sup>; over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal on 01<sup>st</sup> & 02<sup>nd</sup>; over North Interior Karnataka on 01<sup>st</sup>; South Interior Karnataka on 02<sup>nd</sup> on October 2022.
  - Fairly widespread/widespread light/moderate rainfall with isolated heavy falls & thunderstorm/lightning very likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands on 01<sup>st</sup> & 04<sup>th</sup>; over Assam & Meghalaya on 02<sup>nd</sup>-04<sup>th</sup> and over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura on 01<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2022.

For more details kindly refer:

https://mausam.imd.gov.in/imd\_latest/contents/all\_india\_forcast\_bulletin.php

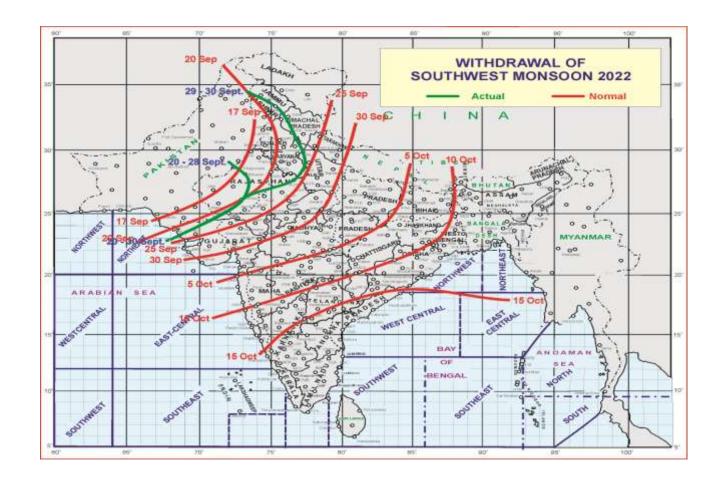
#### Annexure I

**Isolated very heavy rainfall occurred** over Coastal Andhra Pradesh and **Heavy rainfall** occurred at isolated places over North Interior Karnataka, Telangana, Madhya Maharashtra & Tripura.

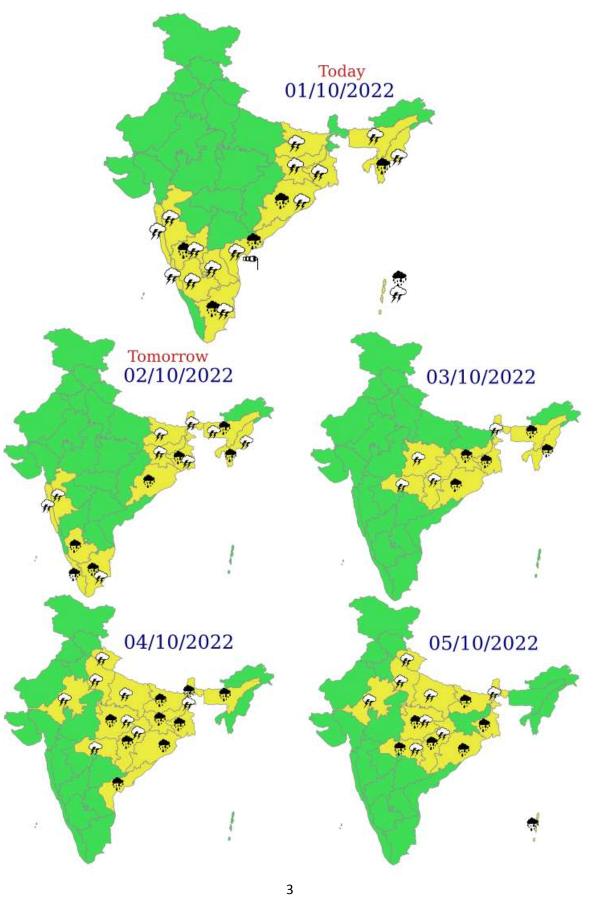
# Rainfall (in cm):

- Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam: Addanki (dist Prakasam) 18, Masulipatnam Cdr (dist Krishna) 11, Karamchedu (distPrakasam) 8, Markapur (dist Prakasam) 8, Macherla (dist Guntur) 7.
- North Interior Karnataka: Shirahatti (dist Gadag) 10;
- Telangana: Vangoor (dist Nagarkurnool) 9;

#### **Annexure II**



# **Annexure III**



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

Isolated very heavy rainfall also very likely over Odisha on 04th October, 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.





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

F Thunderstorm with Lightning