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Subject: (i) Heavy rainfall spell likely to continue over Tamilnadu during next 5 days and over Interior Karnataka & Rayalaseema during next 2 days.

(ii) Conditions are very likely to become favourable for withdrawal of southwest monsoon from some more parts of northwest & central India during next 3-4 days.

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

Withdrawal of Southwest Monsoon: (Withdrawal Map in Annexure II)

- The withdrawal line of Southwest Monsoon continues to pass through Long. 79.0°E/ Lat. 31.7° N, Uttarkashi, Nazibabad, Agra, Gwalior, Ratlam, Bharuch and Long. 71.0°E / Lat. 20.3° N.
- Conditions are very likely to become favourable for withdrawal of southwest monsoon from some more parts of northwest & central India during next 3-4 days.

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

- > A cyclonic circulation lies over Comorin area & neighbourhood in lower tropospheric levels.
- A cyclonic circulation lies over north Andaman Sea in lower tropospheric levels and is very likely to move nearly westwards during next 2-3 days.
- > Under the influence of above systems;
 - Fairly widespread/widespread light/moderate rainfall with isolated heavy falls & thunderstorm/lightning very likely over Madhya Maharashtra & Konkan & Goa on 12th; Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 12th-16th; Rayalaseema and North Interior Karnataka on 12th & 13th; south interior Karnataka during 12th-14th and Kerala & Mahe on 15th & 16th October, 2022.
 - Fairly widespread/widespread light/moderate rainfall with isolated heavy falls very likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim and Bihar on 12th October, 2022. Isolated very heavy rainfall very likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 12th October, 2022.
 - Fairly widespread/widespread light/moderate rainfall with isolated heavy falls & thunderstorm/lightning very likely over Arunachal Pradesh and Assam & Meghalaya on 12th & 13th and over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura on 12th October, 2022.
 - Mainly dry weather very likely to prevail over most parts of Northwest India from 14th October onwards.
 - Shallow to moderate fog is likely to prevail at isolated pockets over East Uttar Pradesh tomorrow morning.

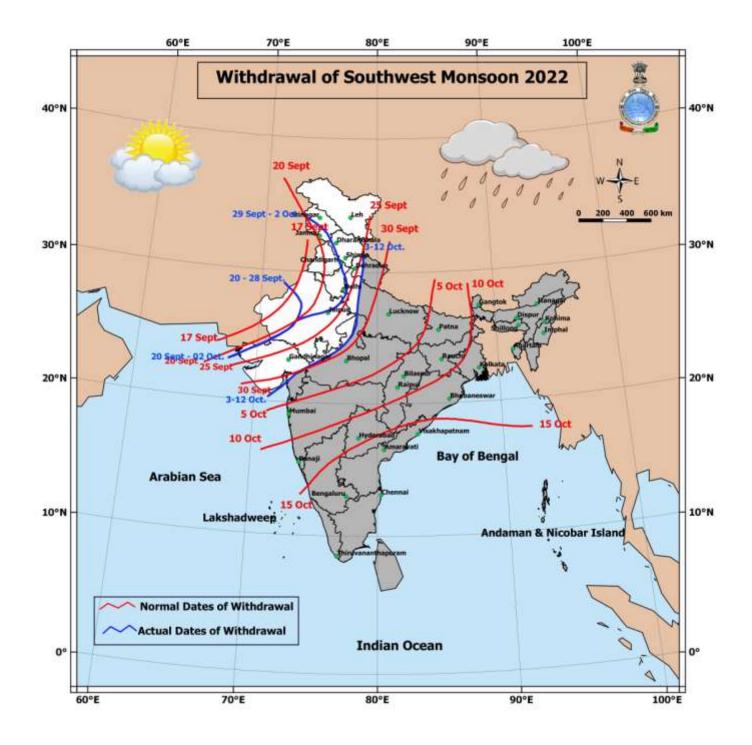
For more details kindly refer: <u>https://mausam.imd.gov.in/imd_latest/contents/all_india_forcast_bulletin.php</u>

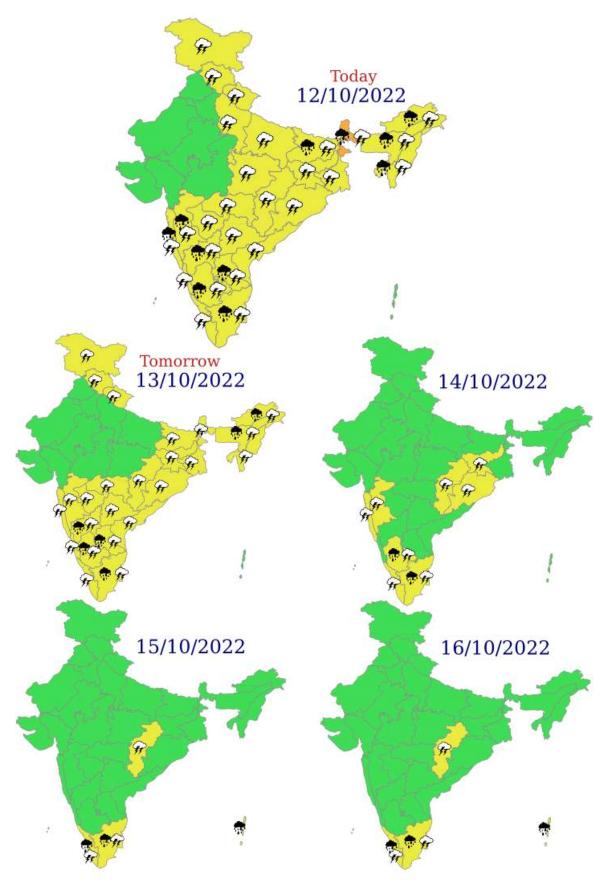
- Shallow to moderate fog prevailed at isolated pockets over Delhi-NCR and East Uttar Pradesh in the morning hours of today.
- Isolated very heavy rainfall occurred over Vidarbha, Assam, West Bengal & Sikkim and Tamil Nadu and heavy rainfall over Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, East Uttar Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Bihar, Jharkhand, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, North Interior Karnataka and Kerala.

Rainfall (in cm):

- Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim: Chengmari Tea Garden ARG 17, Samsing 17, Ramsai KVK AWS 12, Bagrakote 10, Rongo 10, Mangan (PTO) 10, Singhik 9, Jayanti ARG 9, Neora 9, Jhallong 9, Buxaduar 8, Bhutanghat 7;
- Gangetic West Bengal: Nalhati 14, Debagram 13, Jhalda ARG 11, Sriniketan 11, Salar 11, Gheropara 9, Kandi 8, Rampurhat 8, Durgapur DVC 7, Rajnagar 7, Monteswar 7;
- Tamil Nadu: Kodaikanal Boat Club (dist Dindigul) 13, Chinnakalar (dist Coimbatore) 10, Kumarapalayam (dist Namakkal), Pennagaram (dist Dharmapuri), Thenparanadu (dist Trichy) 7 each;
- Assam & Meghalaya: Karimganj (dist Karimganj) 12, Tura (AWS) (dist West Garo Hills) 11, Tura KVK (AWS) (dist West Garo Hills) 9, Cachar KVK (AWS) (dist Cachar) 7;
- North Interior Karnataka: Kawadimatti Arg (dist Yadgir) 11, Haveri Apmc (dist Haveri) 7, Jalahalli (dist Raichur) 7;
- Arunachal Pradesh: Passighat (dist East Siang) 10, Roing (dist Lower Dibang Valley) 8, Basar (dist Lepa Rada) 7;
- East Madhya Pradesh: Kirnapur (dist Balaghat) 10, Majholi (dist Jabalpur) 9, Baihar (dist Balaghat) 9, Malanjkhand (dist Balaghat) 9, Paraswada (dist Balaghat) 7;
- Bihar: Birpur (dist Supaul) 10, Purnea (dist Purnea) 7, Chargharia (dist Kishanganj) 7, Gogri (dist Khagaria) 7;
- Himachal Pradesh: Pachhad (dist Sirmaur) 10;
- Madhya Maharashtra: Gaganbawada (dist Kolhapur) 9, Akole (dist Ahmednagar) 7;
- Jharkhand: Jamshedpur (dist East Singbhum) 9, Messenjor (dist Dumka) 8, Gobindpur (dist Dhanbad)
 7, Godda (Godda) 7;
- East Uttar Pradesh: Kaiserganj (dist Bahraich) 8, Karwi (dist Chitrakoot) 7;
- Kerala: Seethathode AWS (Pathanamthitta district) 8;
- Haryana: Dadupur (dist Yamuna Nagar) 7.

Annexure II





IMPACT EXPECTED & ACTION SUGGESTED DUE TO-

Isolated very heavy rainfall very likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 12th 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.

% 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)

*	Heavy Rain	WARNING WARNING (TAKE ACTION)	Probabilistic Forecast		
			Terms Unlikely	Probability of Occurrence (%) < 25	
	Strong Winds	WATCH (BE UPDATED)	Very Likely	50 - 75	
		NO WARNING (NO ACTION)	Most Likely	> 75	

F Thunderstorm with Lightning