

Government of India Ministry of Earth Sciences India Meteorological Department

Press Release Date: 28th October, 2022 Time of Issue: 1200 hrs IST

Subject: Northeast Monsoon rains are likely to commence over Southeast Peninsular India around 29th October, 2022.

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

Light to moderate rainfall occurred at isolated places over Tamilnadu and Kerala. Light rainfall occurred at few places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands and at isolated places over Coastal Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim.

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

➤ With likely setting in of northeasterly winds in the lower tropospheric levels over Bay of Bengal and South Peninsular India; the Northeast Monsoon rains are likely to commence over Southeast Peninsular India from around 29th October, 2022.

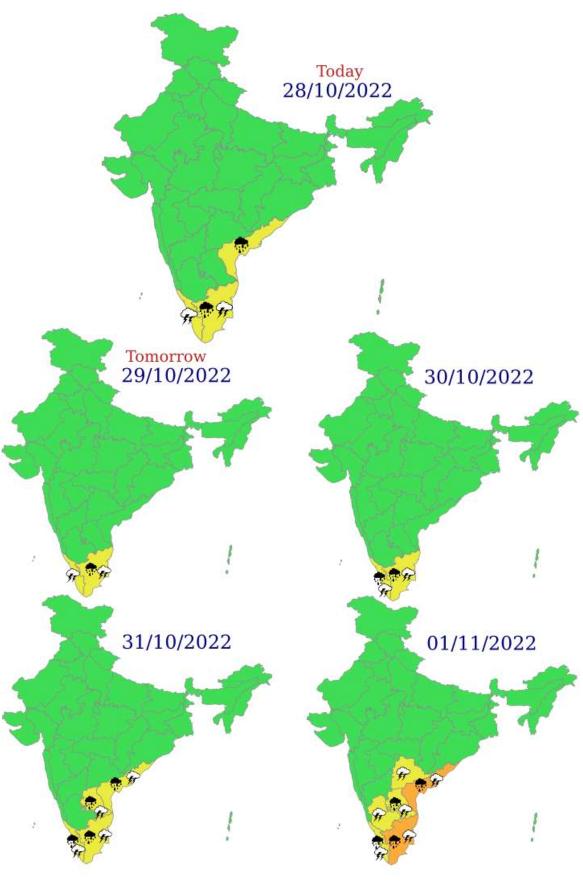
Under the influence of above systems;

❖ Scattered/Fairly widespread light/moderate rainfall with isolated heavy falls & thunderstorm/lightning very likely over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 28th October – 01 November; Kerala & Mahe during 30th October – 01 November; over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema on 31st October – 01st November. Isolated very heavy rainfall with thunderstorm/lightning also very likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 01st November and over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal on 31th October & 01st November, 2022.

- Under the influence of a fresh Western Disturbance light/moderate rainfall at isolated places likely over Jammu, Kashmir, Ladakh, Gilgit, Baltistan & Muzaffarabad and Himachal Pradesh on 31th October & 01st November, 2022.
- > Dry weather very likely to prevail over rest parts of the country during next 5 days.

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

Annexure I



EXPECTED IMPACT & ACTION SUGGESTED DUE TO: Isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and north Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal on 01st November, 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.

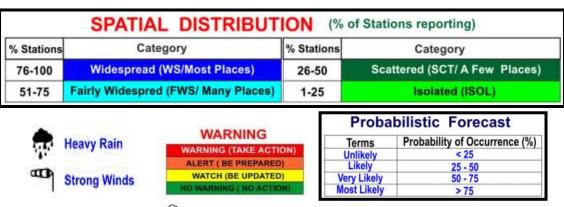
Legends:

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.



F Thunderstorm with Lightning