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Subject: Light to moderate rainfall with thunderstorm & lightening over Interior Maharashtra, Telangana & Odisha on 07th April and no significant weather over Northwest and Central India during next 5 days.

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

Weather Forecast and Warnings (Graphics in Annexure II):

- ❖ A Western Disturbance as a trough in middle tropospheric westerlies runs roughly along Long. 64°E to the north of Lat. 30°N.
- The trough/wind discontinuity runs from central parts of Chhattisgarh to south Tamil Nadu in lower tropospheric levels.
- A cyclonic circulation lies over northeast Bangladesh and another over southwest Rajasthan & adjoining Pakistan in lower tropospheric levels.

Under the influence of above synoptic features, following weather is expected:

Northwest & Central India:

• No significant weather over the region during next 5 days.

East India:

• Light isolated rainfall with thunderstorm/lightning/gusty winds over Odisha during next 4 days and over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 05th April. Isolated **hailstorm** also likely over Odisha on 07th April.

Northeast India:

- Light to moderate scattered/fairly widespread rainfall with thunderstorm/lightning/gusty winds over the region on 05th April and reduction thereafter.
- Isolated heavy rainfall over south Assam & Meghalaya and Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura on 05th April.

West India:

Light/moderate isolated/scattered rainfall with isolated thunderstorm/lightning over the region during next 5 days. Isolated hailstorm also likely over Madhya Maharashtra & Marathwada on 07th April.

South India:

Light/moderate isolated to scattered rainfall with isolated thunderstorm/lightning over Telangana and Kerala during next 4 days. Isolated hailstorm also likely over Telangana on 07th April.

Maximum Temperatures Forecast during next 5 days:

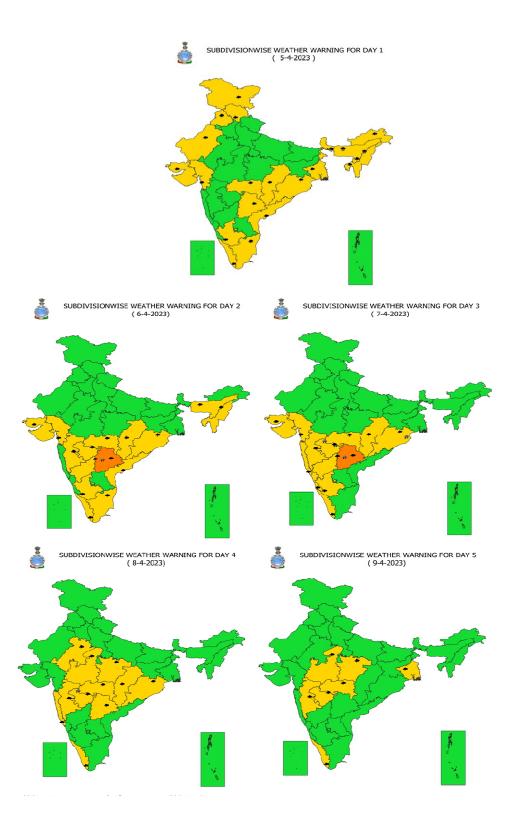
- ❖ Maximum temperatures are below normal by 2-4°C over many parts of northwest India, Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh slightly below normal to normal over remaining parts of the country. It is likely to gradual rise by 2-4°C over many parts of Northwest & Central India becoming near normal during next 5 days.
- No heat wave conditions likely over any part of country during next 5 days.

For more details kindly refer:

https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/all_india_forcast_bulletin.php https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseNowcast.php

- ❖ Light/moderate rainfall/thundershowers: at most places Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura; at many places over Arunachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir; at a few places over Odisha, Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh; at isolated places over West Bengal & Sikkim, Jharkhand, Uttar Pradesh, East Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Saurashtra & Kutch, Madhya Maharashtra, Chhattisgarh, Coastal Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Tamil Nadu, South Interior Karnataka and Kerala & Mahe.
- ❖ Hailstorm: at isolated places over Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, East Rajasthan and Odisha.
- ❖ Thunder squall: at isolated places over Gangetic West Bengal
- ❖ Heavy rainfall: occurred at isolated over Kerala and Assam & Meghalaya
- ❖ Significant amount of rainfall (in cm):
 - **KERALA**: Kurudamannil (Pathanamthitta district) 8;
 - TAMILNADU: Ayikudi (dist Tenkasi), Tirupoondi (dist Nagapattinam) 5 each, Manamadurai (dist Sivaganga) 4, Neivasal Thenpathi (dist Thanjavur), Shanthi Vijaya School (dist Nilgiris), Ponnaniyar Dam (dist Trichy), Thekkadi (dist Theni), Sattur (dist Virudhunagar), Thirukuvalai (dist Nagapattinam), Yercaud (dist Salem) 3 each;
 - RAYALASEEMA: Palamaner (dist Chittoor) 3, Sambepalle (dist Annamayya District) 3; Arunachal Pradesh: Mukto_arg (dist Tawang) 5, Deomali (dist Tirap) 4, Tawang_ Aws (dist Tawang) 4, Deomali_aws (dist Tirap) 4,
 - Assam & Meghalaya: Cherrapunji (dist East Khasi Hills) 7, Karimganj_aws (dist Karimganj) 7, B P Ghat (dist Karimganj) 6, Dholai (dist Cachar) 6;
 - NMMT: Mon Sadar Nsdma_aws (dist Mon) 5, Chottabekra (dist Imphal West) 5.

Annexure II



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:**
 - 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.
 - Central India: West Madhya Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha and Chhattisgarh.
 - East India: Bihar, Jharkhand, Sub-Himalaya West Bengal & Sikkim; Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
 - Northeast India: Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
 - West India: Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra and Marathwada.
 - **South India:** Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka, Kerala & Mahe, Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Lakshadweep.

% Stations	00 Widespread (WS/Most Places)		% Stations 26-50 1-25	Category Scattered (SCT/ A Few Places) Isolated (ISOL)
76-100				
51-75				
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Probabilistic Forecast			
Terms	Probability of Occurrence (%)		
Unlikely	< 25		
Likely	25 - 50		
Very Likely	50 - 75		
Most Likely	> 75		