



Special Message (No. 1)

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**Subject: An Active Western disturbance is likely to affect Western Himalayan Region till 06<sup>th</sup> and adjoining plains on 04<sup>th</sup> & 05<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.**

A **Western disturbance** lies as a cyclonic circulation over west Afghanistan & neighbourhood in lower to upper tropospheric levels. It is very likely to cause

- ✓ Light to moderate fairly widespread to widespread rainfall/snowfall likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad from 04<sup>th</sup> to 06<sup>th</sup> and over Himachal Pradesh on 05<sup>th</sup> & 06<sup>th</sup> January. **Isolated heavy rainfall ( $\geq 6.5$  cm)/snowfall ( $\geq 65$  cm) very likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad on 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> and over Himachal Pradesh on 05<sup>th</sup> & 06<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.**
- ✓ Isolated to scattered light to moderate rainfall accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning likely over Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh & Uttarakhand on 5<sup>th</sup>- 6<sup>th</sup> January.
- ✓ Detail of rainfall distribution over northwest India is given below:

7 Days Rainfall Forecast									
S. No.	Subdivision	03-Jan	04-Jan	05-Jan	06-Jan	07-Jan	08-Jan	09-Jan	
		Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	
1	JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH	ISOL	FWS	WS	WS	ISOL	DRY	DRY	
2	HIMACHAL PRADESH	ISOL	ISOL	FWS	WS	ISOL	DRY	DRY	
3	PUNJAB	DRY	ISOL	SCT	SCT	DRY	DRY	DRY	
4	UTTARAKHAND	DRY	DRY	ISOL	SCT	ISOL	DRY	DRY	
5	HARYANA CHANDIGARH & DELHI	DRY	DRY	SCT	SCT	DRY	DRY	DRY	
6	WEST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	
7	EAST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY							
8	WEST RAJASTHAN	DRY	DRY	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	
9	EAST RAJASTHAN	DRY							

**SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION (% of Stations reporting)**

% Stations	Category	% Stations	Category
76-100	Widespread (WS/Most Places)	26-50	Scattered (SCT/A Few Places)
51-75	Fairly Widespread (FWS/Many Places)	1-25	Isolated (ISOL)

**For weather summary and forecast, kindly refer National Weather Bulletin:**

[https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/all\\_india\\_forecast\\_bulletin.php](https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/all_india_forecast_bulletin.php)

**For District wise warnings refer:** <https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php>

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