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Subject: Heavy to very heavy rainfall likely over Telangana, Coastal Andhra Pradesh, Odisha, Kerala on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>; Marathawada, Madhya Maharashtra, Konkan & Goa during 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>; extremely heavy rainfall also likely over Odisha, Telangana on 26<sup>th</sup>, Konkan & Goa and Ghat areas of Madhya Maharashtra on 28<sup>th</sup> September.

## Realised weather during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today, the 26th September, 2025:

- **Heavy to very heavy rainfall (7-20 cm)** has been recorded at isolated places over Tamil Nadu and Kerala.
- Heavy rainfall (7-11 cm) has been recorded at isolated places over Andaman Islands, East Madhya Pradesh, Telangana and Vidarbha.

For more details of realised weather, kindly refer Annexure I.

#### Withdrawal of southwest Monsoon:

- The southwest Monsoon has further withdrawn from some more parts of Gujarat, entire Rajasthan, some more parts of Madhya Pradesh & Uttar Pradesh and entire Western Himalayan Region (Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand) on today 26th September 2025.
- The **line of withdrawal of southwest monsoon** now passes through 20°N/69°E, Veraval, Bharuch, Ujjain, Jhansi, Shahjahanpur and 30°N/81°E. (Annexure II)

## i. Weather Systems, Forecast and Warnings (refer to Annexure III & IV):

- Under the influence **of upper air cyclonic circulation** over coastal areas of central Myanmar & adjoining eastcentral Bay of Bengal, a **low-pressure area** has formed over central parts of north & adjoining central Bay of Bengal at 1730 hrs IST of 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2025. It concentrated into a **Well marked low Pressure** area over northwest & adjoining central Bay of Bengal at 0530 hrs IST of today and persisted over the same region at 0830 hrs IST of today, the 26<sup>th</sup> September. It is very likely to move westwards and concentrate into a **Depression** over northwest & adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal off South Odisha- North Andhra Pradesh coasts during next 24 hours. It is very likely to cross South Odisha-North Andhra Pradesh coasts around 27<sup>th</sup> September morning.
- ❖ A trough runs from the **well marked low pressure area** over northwest & adjoining central Bay of Bengal to south Maharashtra Coast across Telangana, North Interior Karnataka in lower & middle tropospheric levels.

## Under the influence of these systems, the following weather is likely:

#### East & Central India:

❖ Light to moderate rain/thunderstorm at most/many places with isolated heavy rainfall likely Vidarbha, Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha on 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> Sep & 02<sup>nd</sup> October; Jharkhand on 26<sup>th</sup>; Chhattisgarh on 26<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> Sep & 01<sup>st</sup> October; East Madhya Pradesh on 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> & during 30<sup>th</sup> September -02<sup>nd</sup> October; West Madhya Pradesh during 27<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup>; Andaman & Nicobar Islands on 26<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> September; Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 27<sup>th</sup> September & 02<sup>nd</sup> October with very heavy rainfall over Odisha on 27<sup>th</sup> and isolated extremely heavy rainfall on 26<sup>th</sup> September.

❖ Thunderstorm & gusty winds (speed reaching 30-50 kmph) very likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Bihar, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim during next 5 days; Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha during 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> September.

#### West India:

♣ Light to moderate rain/thunderstorm at many/some places with isolated heavy rainfall likely over Madhya Maharashtra, Konkan & Goa during 26<sup>th</sup> September-02<sup>nd</sup> October; Marathawada during 26<sup>th</sup> -29<sup>th</sup>; Gujarat Region during 27<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>; Saurashtra & Kutch during 28<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> September with very heavy rainfall over Marathawada on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> and Madhya Maharashtra, Konkan & Goa on 27<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> September with isolated Extremely heavy rainfall over Konkan & Goa and Ghat areas of Madhya Maharashtra on 28<sup>th</sup> September.

## **Northeast India:**

Light/moderate rain/thunderstorm at some/isolated places with isolated heavy rainfall likely over Assam & Meghalaya during 30<sup>th</sup> September-02<sup>nd</sup> October; Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 29<sup>th</sup> September-02<sup>nd</sup> October and Arunachal Pradesh on 01<sup>st</sup> & 02<sup>nd</sup> October with very heavy rainfall over Assam & Meghalaya and Mizoram on 02<sup>nd</sup> October.

#### **South Peninsular India:**

- ❖ Light to moderate rain/thunderstorm at many/some places with isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>; Kerala & Mahe, Telangana during 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>; Lakshadweep on 26<sup>th</sup>; Interior Karnataka during 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>; Coastal Karnataka on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> September with **very heavy rainfall** over Kerala, Telangana, North Interior Karnataka on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>; Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 26<sup>th</sup> September with Extremely heavy rainfall also likely at isolated places over Telangana on 26<sup>th</sup> September.
- Strong surface winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph) very likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Tamil Nadu during next 5 days.
- ❖ Strong surface winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph) very likely over Rayalaseema during next 5 days; Interior Karnataka during 26<sup>th</sup> -27<sup>th</sup> September.

## Fishermen warnings:

Fishermen are advised not to venture into the following areas during 26th September to 01st October:

## Arabian Sea:

- Along and off south Konkan on 26<sup>th</sup> September and entire Konkan & Goa and adjoining sea areas during 27<sup>th</sup> September to 01<sup>st</sup> October, Karnataka, Kerala, Lakshadweep area during 26<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> September and south Gujarat during 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> September and entire Gujarat coasts on 29<sup>th</sup> September.
- ➤ Some parts of southwest adjoining westcentral Arabian Sea, along and off Somalia coast during 26<sup>th</sup> September to 01<sup>st</sup> October, few parts of eastcentral adjoining northeast Arabian Sea during 27<sup>th</sup> September to 01<sup>st</sup> October.

## **Bay of Bengal:**

- Along and off West Bengal Odisha, Bangladesh, Myanmar during 26th to 29th September.
- Andaman Sea, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Sri Lanka coasts, Gulf of Mannar & adjoining Comorin area during 26th September to 01st October except off Tamil Nadu on 29th September.

Entire Bay of Bengal during 26<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> September, over South & Central Bay of Bengal during 29<sup>th</sup> September to 01<sup>st</sup> October.

ii. Weather conditions and forecast over Delhi/NCR during 26th September to 29th September, 2025 (Annexure V)

For more details, kindly refer National Weather Bulletin:

https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/all india forcast bulletin.php

For District wise warnings refer: <a href="https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php">https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php</a>

For Fishermen warning refer <a href="https://rsmcnewdelhi.imd.gov.in/fishermen-warning.php">https://rsmcnewdelhi.imd.gov.in/fishermen-warning.php</a>

## Rainfall recorded (in cm) during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today, the 26th September (≥ 7cm):

Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal: Thirparappu (dist Kanyakumari), Oothu (dist Tirunelveli) 18 Each; Sethiathope (dist Cuddalore), Nalumukku (dist Tirunelveli) 17 Each; Suralacode (dist Kanyakumari) 16; Chittar (dist Kanyakumari) 15; Kuzhithurai (dist Kanyakumari), Lower Kothaiyar ARG (dist Kanyakumari), Adayamadai (dist Kanyakumari) 14 Each; Perunchani Dam (dist Kanyakumari), Kakkachi (dist Tirunelveli) 13 Each; Puthan Dam (dist Kanyakumari) 12; Pechiparai (dist Kanyakumari) 11; Manjolai (dist Tirunelveli) 10; Kozhiporvilai (dist Kanyakumari), Mambzhathuraiyaru (dist Kanyakumari), Mullanginavillai (dist Kanyakumari) 9 Each; Thirupathisaram AWS (dist Kanyakumari), Sivalogam(chittar Ii) (dist Kanyakumari), Anaikedanku (dist Kanyakumari) 8 Each; Eraniel (dist Kanyakumari), Nagercoil (dist Kanyakumari), Bhuvanagiri (dist Cuddalore), Kalial (dist Kanyakumari), Mukkadal Dam (dist Kanyakumari) 7 Each;

Kerala & Mahe: Neyyattinkara (dist Thiruvananthapuram) 17; Trivandrum AP (dist Thiruvananthapuram) 15; Peermade To (dist Idukki), Lower Sholayar AWS (dist Thrissur) 14 Each; Thiruvananthapuram (dist Thiruvananthapuram) 13; Airport Chakka ARG (dist Thiruvananthapuram), Karumadi AWS (dist Alapuzha), Pirappancode AWS (dist Thiruvananthapuram) 11 Each; Kanjirappally (dist Kottayam) 10; Neryamangalam ARG (dist Ernakulam) 9; Myladumpara ARG (dist Idukki), Idukki (dist Idukki), Sengulam Dam AWS (dist Idukki), Udumbannoor AWS (dist Idukki), Vellathooval AWS (dist Idukki), Vadavathur AWS (dist Kottayam), Vaikkom AWS (dist Kottayam), Venkurinji AWS (dist Pathanamthitta), Ranni AWS (dist Pathanamthitta) 8 Each; Haripad (dist Alapuzha), Konni (dist Pathanamthitta), Kottayam (dist Kottayam), Nooranad AWS (dist Alapuzha), Pampadumpara AWS (dist Idukki), Ulanad AWS (dist Pathanamthitta), Thattathumala AWS (dist Thiruvananthapuram) 7 Each;

Telangana: Zaffergadh (dist Jangaon) 11; Nagarjunsagar (dist Nalgonda) 10; Vicarabad (dist Vikarabad), Hathanoora (dist Sangareddy), Kondapur (dist Sangareddy) 9 Each; Pargi (dist Vikarabad), Mominpet (dist Vikarabad), Nawabpet (dist Vikarabad), Tadwai Mlg (dist Mulugu), Miryalaguda (dist Nalgonda) 8 Each; Kaleswaram (dist J. Bhupalpally), Medak (dist Medak), Sangareddy (dist Sangareddy), Huzurabad (dist Karimnagar), Narsapur (dist Medak), Medak(ARG) (dist Medak), Atmakur M (dist Y. Bhuvanagiri), Devaruppal (dist Jangaon), Jammikunta (dist Karimnagar), Kandi AP (dist Sangareddy), Palakurthi (dist Jangaon) 7 Each;

East Madhya Pradesh: Bichhia (dist Mandla) 7;

Vidarbha: Joiti (dist Chandrapur) 7,

Andaman & Nicobar Islands: Port Blair (dist South Andaman) 7.

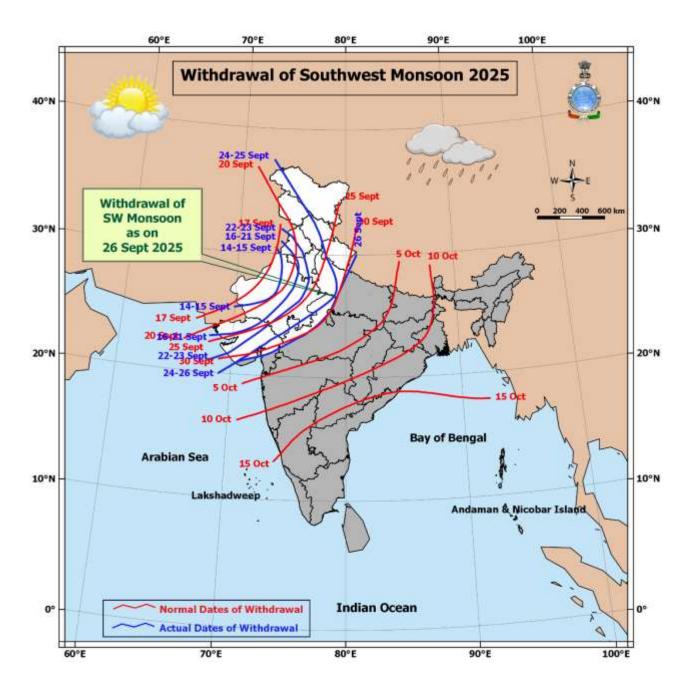
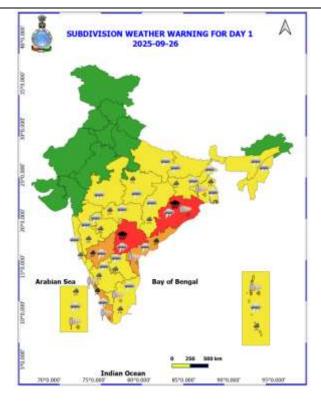
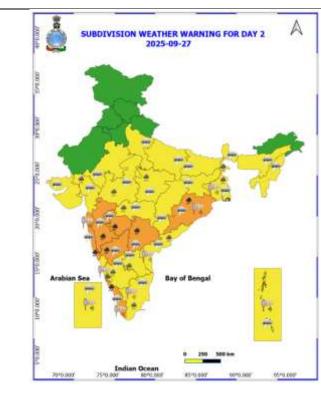
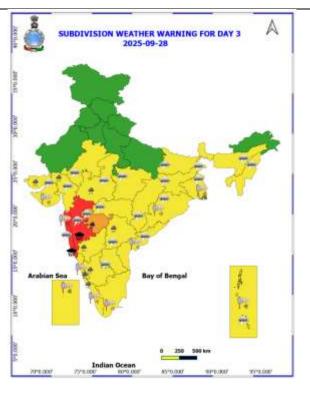


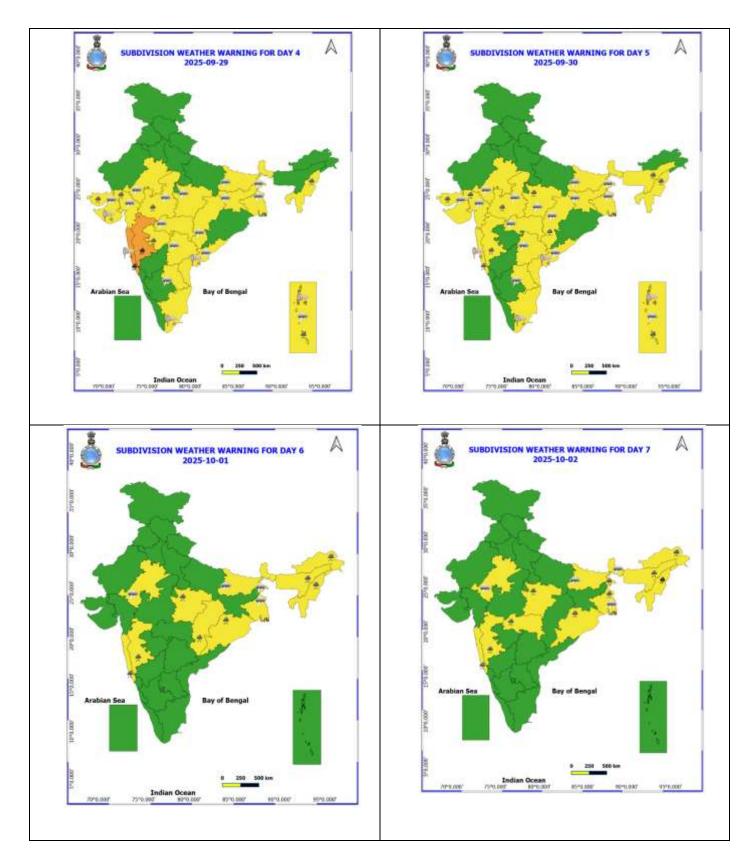
Table-1  7 Days Rainfall Forecast  26- Sep 27- Sep 28- Sep 29- Sep 30- Sep 1- Oct 2- Oct											
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27	CHHATTISGARH	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	FWS	FWS	FW			
28	COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH	WE	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SC			
29	TELANGANA	71/5	We	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SC			
30	RAYALASEEMA	With	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISC			
31	TAMILNADU & PUDUCHERRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISC			
32	COSTAL KARNATAKA	4/2	We	WS	WE	W.	WS	W			
33	NORTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	Wh	WS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SC			
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• As the lead period increases forecast accuracy decrease.









- Action may be taken based on ORANGE AND REDCOLOUR warnings.
- Vulnerable regions likely urban and hilly areas action may be initiated for heavy rainfall warning.
- As the lead period increases forecast accuracy decreases.

#### Weather forecast over Delhi/NCR during 26th to 29th September 2025

#### **Past Weather:**

There has been no large change in the minimum and maximum temperatures over Delhi/NCR during the past 24 hours. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi were around 34 to 36°C and 23 to 25°C respectively. The minimum and maximum temperatures were near normal. Mainly clear sky conditions with predominant surface wind from the northwest/west direction with wind speeds up to 18 kmph with gusty wind up to 30 kmph prevailed during the past 24 hours. Mainly clear sky conditions with a wind speed of less than 12 kmph from the west direction prevailed over the region in the forenoon today.

#### Weather Forecast:

**26.09.2025:** Mainly clear sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 34 to 36°C. The maximum temperature will be near normal. The predominant surface wind will likely to be from the northwest direction with a wind speed of up to 20-25 kmph during afternoon hours. The wind speed will decrease becoming less than 15 kmph from the northwest direction during the evening and night.

**27.09.2025:** Partly cloudy sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 34 to 36°C and 24 to 26°C respectively. The minimum temperature will be near normal and the maximum temperature will be near normal. The predominant surface wind will likely to be from the northeast direction with a wind speed of up to 08-12 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming less than 15 kmph from the northeast direction in the afternoon. The wind speed will decrease becoming less than 10 kmph from the northeast direction during the evening and night.

**28.09.2025:** Partly cloudy sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 35 to  $37^{\circ}$ C and 25 to  $27^{\circ}$ C respectively. The minimum temperature will be above normal up to  $1-2^{\circ}$ C and the maximum temperature will be above normal up to  $1-2^{\circ}$ C. The predominant surface wind will likely to be from the northeast direction with a wind speed of up to 05-10 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming less than 12 kmph from the northeast direction in the afternoon. The wind speed will increase becoming less than 15 kmph from the northeast direction during the evening and night.

**29.09.2025:** Partly cloudy sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 33 to  $35^{\circ}$ C and 25 to  $27^{\circ}$ C respectively. The minimum temperature will be above normal up to  $1-2^{\circ}$ C and the maximum temperature will be near normal. The predominant surface wind will likely to be from the southeast direction with a wind speed of up to 10-15 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming less than 18 kmph from the southeast direction in the afternoon. The wind speed will decrease becoming less than 12 kmph from the southeast direction during the evening and night.

#### **Impact & Action Suggested due to**

- **Extremely heavy rainfall (≥21 cm)** also likely at isolated places over Odisha and Telangana on 26<sup>th</sup>; Konkan & Goa and ghat areas of Madhya Maharashtra on 28<sup>th</sup> September.
- Very heavy rainfall (12-20 cm) at isolated places over Marathawada on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>; Madhya Maharashtra, Konkan & Goa on 27<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>; Kerala, Telangana, North Interior Karnataka on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>; Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 26<sup>th</sup> September; Assam & Meghalaya and Mizoram on 02<sup>nd</sup> October.

## **Impact Expected**

- Water logging/ flooding in many parts of low lying area and river banks
- Localized and short term disruption to municipal services (water, electricity, etc.)
- ➤ Major disruption of traffic flow. Major roads/local trains affected.
- Possibility of danger to very old buildings and unmaintained structures, falling of trees etc
- Closure of roads crossing low water bridges.

## **Action Suggested**

- Traffic may be regulated effectively
- People in the affected area may restrict their movement

#### Agromet advisories for likely impact of Heavy Rainfall

- ➤ In Odisha, make provision for draining out excess rain water from fields of rice, maize, finger millet, vegetables, ginger and turmeric in Eastern Ghat High Land Zone and South Eastern Ghat Zone; pulses, maize, groundnut, cotton and vegetables in Western Undulating Zone; rice, groundnut and vegetables in North Eastern Ghat Zone and pulses, maize, groundnut, vegetables and fruit orchards in East and South Eastern Coastal Plain Zone.
- In Maharashtra, keep the harvested produce of green gram and black gram at safer places and make provision to drain out excess rain water from fields of cotton, pigeon pea, soybean, maize, vegetables and fruit in Madhya Maharashtra. Make arrangements to drain out excess water from vegetable fields and fruit orchards in Konkan and pigeon pea, cotton, soybean, sorghum, maize and vegetable fields in Vidarbha. In Marathwada, undertake harvesting of sapota and custard apple and store in safe place. Provide adequate drainage facilities in fields of soybean, cotton, pigeon pea, vegetables and fruit orchards and keep the harvested produce of black gram at safer places.
- ➤ In **Telangana**, make provision to drain out excess rain water from fields of rice, maize, cotton, soybean, pigeon pea and turmeric in **Northern Telangana Zone** and rice, cotton, soybean, maize and pigeon pea in **Southern Telangana Zone**.
- > In **Andhra Pradesh**, make arrangements to drain out excess water from fields of rice, maize, pigeon pea and cotton in **Krishna Godavari Zone**; rice, maize, cotton, pigeon pea, green gram, groundnut, sugarcane and vegetables in **North Coastal Zone** and rice, sugarcane, maize, finger millet, groundnut, ginger, turmeric, vegetables and fruit orchards in **High Altitude Tribal Zone**.
- ➤ In **North Interior Karnataka**, ensure proper drainage facilities in fields of sugarcane, pigeon pea, soybean, maize, vegetables and fruit orchards in **North Dry Zone** and cotton, pigeon pea, groundnut and vegetables in **North East Dry Zone**.

## **Livestock / Fishery**

- > Keep the animals inside the shed during heavy rainfall and provide them balanced feed.
- > Store feed and fodder in a safe place to prevent spoilage.
- > Construct an outlet with proper netting around the ponds to drain out excess water, thereby preventing fish from escaping in case of overflow.

## Agromet advisories for likely impact of Thunderstorm / Gusty Winds / Squally Winds

➤ Provide mechanical support to horticultural crops and staking or support to vegetables and young fruit plants / fruit-bearing plants to avoid lodging due to strong winds.

#### **Legends & abbreviations:**

- **♦ Heavy Rain:**64.5-115.5mm; **Very Heavy Rain:**115.6-204.4mm; **Extremely Heavy Rain:** >204.4mm.
- Obsy: Observatory; Automatic Weather Station; ARG: Automatic Rain Gauge; dist: District: NH: National Highway; KVK: Krishi Vigyan Kendra; DVC: Damodar Valley Corporation; PTO: Part Time Office, Aero: Aerodrome, IAF: Indian Air Force.
- **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-Himalayan 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 Marathawada.
  - **South India:** Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka, Kerala & Mahe, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Lakshadweep.



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# **LEGENDS**



## SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION (% of Stations reporting)

% Stations Category		% Stations	Cate	gory			
76-100	6-100 Widespread (WS/Most Places)		26-50	Scattered (SCT/A Few Places)			
51-75	Fairly Widesp	read (FWS/Many Places)	1-25	isolated (ISOL)			
Fog		Heavy Snow	Cold Wave	COLOUR CO	DED WARNING		
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Heavy Ra	in	Dust Storm	Cold Day	Watch (B	Watch (Be Aware)  Alert (Be Prepared To Take Action)		
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Extremely	Heavy Rain	+ Warm Night		Warning (Take Action)			
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<b>▶</b> Hailstorm	1	Hot & Humid		Unlikely Likely Very Likely	< 25 25 - 50 50 - 75		
Dust Raisi	ng Winds	Strong Surface Win	ds	Most Likely	> 75		





#### DEFINITION/CRITERIA Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm \* Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm Rain/ Snow \* Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm When maximum temperature of a station reaches ≥40° C for plains and ≥30° C for hilly regions (a) Based on Departure from normal Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal 4.5° C to 6.4° C Severe Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal ≥6.5° C **Heat Wave** (b). Based on Actual maximum temperature Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥45°C Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥47°C ( c). Criteria for heat wave for coastal stations When maximum temperature departure is >4.5°C from normal. Heat Wave may be described provided maximum temperature ≥37°C When maximum temperature remains 40°C nimum temperature departure 4.5 °C to 6.4 °C Warm Night: Whe Warm Night Severe Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure >6.4 °C When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°C for hilly regions. (a). Based on departure Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -6.4 °C Severe Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal ≤ -6.5 °C **Cold Wave** (b) Based on actual Minimum Temperature (for Plains only) Cold Wave : When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 4.0 °C Severe Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 2.0 °C (c) For Coastal Stations When Minimum Temperature departure is ≤-4.5 °C & actual Minimum Temperature is ≤ 15 °C When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°C for hilly regions Based on departure Cold Day Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -5.4 °C. Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal ≤ -6.5 °C Phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air and the horizontal visibility < 1km Moderate Fog: When the visibility between 500-200 metres Dense Fog: when the visibility between 50-200 metres Fog Very Dense Fog: when the visibility < 50 metres Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder) Thunderstorm An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and **Dust/Sand** turbulent wind. Ice deposits on ground Frost Air temperature s4°C (over Plains) A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute. Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph Squall Severe: Wind speed 62-87 kmph Very Severe: Wind speed >87 kmph Effect of various waves in the sea over specific area Rough to very rough: Wind speed 41-62 kmph (22-33 knots) & Wave height 2,5-6 metre High to very high: Wind speed 63-117 kmph ( 34-63 knots) & Wave height 6-14 metre Phenomenal: Wind speed >117 kmph (>63 knots) & Wave height >14 metre Sea State Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 62-87 kmph (34-47 knots) Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 88-117 kmph (48-63 knots) Very Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 118-165 kmph (64 - 89 knots) Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 166-220 kmph (90 -119 knots) Cyclone Super Cyclone Strom: Wind speed >220 kmph (>119 knots)

\* Red colour warning does not mean "Red Alert", Red colour warning means "Take Action". Forecast and Warning for any day is valid from 0830 hours IST of day till 0830 hours IST of next day. For more details, kindly visit https://mausam.imd.gov.in or contact: 011-2434-4599 (Service to the Nation since 1875)

**Hot and Humid:** When maximum temperatures remain 3°C above normal along with the above normal relative humidity.