

National Weather Forecasting Centre India Meteorological Department Ministry of Earth Sciences

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ALL INDIA WEATHER SUMMARY AND FORECAST BULLETIN

Significant Weather Features:

• **Minimum temperatures** in the range of 6-10°C prevailing over most parts of Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi & West Uttar Pradesh and 11-12°C over most parts of Rajasthan, East Uttar Pradesh, north Madhya Pradesh and some parts of Chhattisgarh & Jharkhand. These are 2-3°C above normal over some parts of Punjab, West Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, North Odisha and Madhya Pradesh; over many parts of Bihar, Jharkhand, Gangetic West Bengal, Gujarat and northeast India.

Weather Systems and Forecast & Warnings during next 5 days:

Dense fog warning:

- Dense to very dense fog conditions very likely to continue in early hours/morning hours in some pockets of Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh, Delhi and Uttar Pradesh during 26th-28th and over Rajasthan & north Madhya Pradesh on 26th & 27th and over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad on 26th December.
- **Dense Fog** conditions very likely to continue in early hours/morning hours in isolated pockets over Odisha on 26th & 27th; Uttarakhand during 26th -28th; Jammu-Kashmir on 27th & 28th; Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh, Delhi and Uttar Pradesh on 29th & 30th and over Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 26th-30th December.

Rainfall Forecast:

- Under the influence of strong Northeasterly winds, a fresh spell of light to moderate rainfall likely over Coastal Tamil Nadu from 30th December 2023 to 01st January 2024.
- A fresh Western Disturbance is likely to affect Northwest India from 29th December. Under the influence of its interaction with lower level easterly winds, it is likely to cause a Wet Spell over Northwest & adjoining Central India during 30th December-02nd January 2024.
- Light to moderate rainfall at isolated places very likely over Kerala & Mahe, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Lakshadweep during next 5 days with isolated heavy rainfall over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal on 30th December.

Minimum Temperatures Forecast:

• No significant change in Minimum Temperatures likely over most parts of the country during next 2-3 days.



Main Weather Observations:

- Rainfall distribution (from 0830 hours IST to 1730 hours IST of yesterday): at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Assam & Meghalaya.
- Significant rainfall recorded (from 0830 hours IST to 1730 hours IST of yesterday): (in cm): NIL
- Fog Observed (at 0530 hours IST of today): Very dense fog in isolated pockets of Punjab, Haryana, Delhi, East Uttar Pradesh, West Madhya Pradesh and Odisha; moderate fog in isolated pockets of West Uttar Pradesh and Shallow fog in isolated pockets of Chandigarh, Bihar, Coastal Andhra Pradesh and Tripura.
- Visibility Recorded (at 0530 hours IST of today) (500 meters or less): Punjab: Amritsar & Patiala -0 each; Haryana: Ambala-0; Chandigarh-500; Delhi: Palam-0, Safdarjung-200; West Uttar Pradesh: Jhansi-200; East Uttar Pradesh: Varanasi & Prayagraj-0 each, Lucknow-200; West Madhya Pradesh: Guna-0, Gwalior-500; Odisha: Paradip-0, Bhubaneshwar-500; Bihar: Purnea-500; Coastal Andhra Pradesh: Vijaywada-500; Tripura: Agartala & Kailashahar-500 each.
- Minimum Temperature Departures (as on 25-12-2023): Minimum temperatures were $\dot{\mathbf{v}}$ markedly above normal (5.1°C or more) at a few places over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura; appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C) at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya; **above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C)** at many places over Jharkhand, Bihar, Arunachal Pradesh, Gangetic West Bengal, Gujarat Region, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, East Uttar Pradesh, Punjab, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Kerala & Mahe; at a few places Himachal over Uttarakhand, Pradesh, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, West Rajasthan, Saurashtra & Kutch, Madhya Pradesh; at isolated places over Odisha, Madhya Maharashtra, Konkan & Goa, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi. They were below **normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C)** at a few places over Interior Karnataka and **near normal** over rest parts of the country. Yesterday, the lowest minimum temperature of 5.8°C was reported at Sikar & Alwar (East Rajasthan) over the plains of the country.
- Maximum Temperature Departures (as on 25-12-2023): Maximum temperatures were markedly above normal (5.1°C or more) at a few places over Bihar; appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C) at most places over Himachal Pradesh; at many places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad; at a few places over Uttarakhand, East Uttar Pradesh and Bihar; above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) at most places over Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Rajasthan, , Saurashtra & Kutch, Konkan & Goa, Jharkhand, Arunachal Pradesh and West Uttar Pradesh; at many places over Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim; at a few places over Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe and at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra, Vidarbha, Odisha, Gangetic West Bengal, Coastal Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka, Rayalaseema and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and near normal over rest parts of the country. Yesterday, the highest maximum temperature of 36.5°C was reported at Honavar (Coastal Karnataka).



Meteorological Analysis (Based on 0530 hours IST)

- The Cyclonic Circulation over east Bangladesh & neighbourhood extending upto 3.1 km above mean sea level persists.
- The Western Disturbance in middle tropospheric westerlies with its axis at 5.8 km above mean sea level now runs roughly along Long. 58°E to the north of Lat. 30°N.

Weather Forecast for next 7 days (Upto 0830 hours IST of 02nd January, 2024)

- Meteorological sub-division wise detailed 7 days rainfall forecast is given in Table-1.
- Shallow to Moderate fog very likely in isolated pockets over Bihar and Gangetic West Bengal during next 2 days in the morning hours.
- No significant change in Minimum Temperatures likely over most parts of the country during next 2-3 days.

Weather Outlook for subsequent 2 days

- Scattered to fairly widespread rainfall light to moderate rainfall likely over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe and Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Isolated to scattered light rainfall likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, West Uttar Pradesh, East Rajasthan, West Madhya Pradesh, Rayalaseema and Karnataka.
- Mainly dry weather likely to prevail over rest parts of the country.



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Table-1

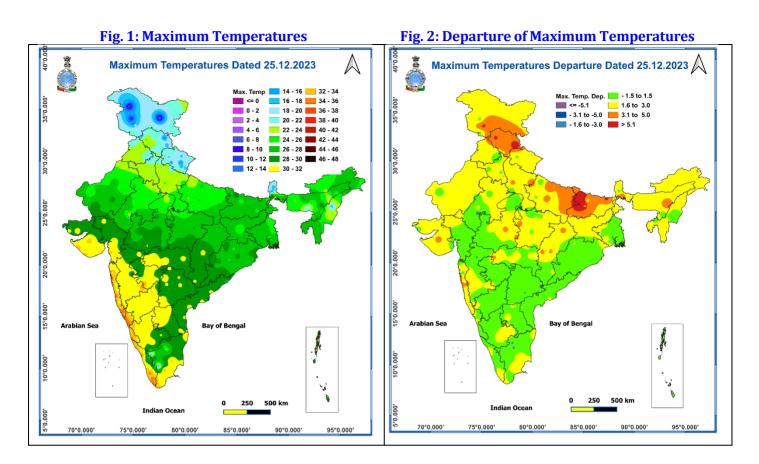
	7 Days R	ainfall F	orecast	t				
S. No.	Subdivision	26- Dec	27- Dec	28- Dec	29- Dec	30- Dec	31- Dec	01- Jan
NO.		Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	DRY						
3	ASSAM & MEGHALAYA	DRY						
4	NAGALAND, MANIPUR, MIZORAM & TRIPURA	DRY						
5	SUB-HIMALAYAN WEST BENGAL & SIKKIM	DRY	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY
6	GANGETIC WEST BENGAL	DRY						
7	ODISHA	DRY						
8	JHARKHAND	DRY						
9	BIHAR	DRY						
10	EAST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
11	WEST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
12	UTTARAKHAND	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
13	HARYANA CHANDIGARH & DELHI	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
14	PUNJAB	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
15	HIMACHAL PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
16	JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
17	WEST RAJASTHAN	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
18	EAST RAJASTHAN	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
19	WEST MADHYA PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
20	EAST MADHYA PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL
21	GUJARAT REGION	DRY						
22	SAURASHTRA & KUTCH	DRY						
23	KONKAN & GOA	DRY						
24	MADHYA MAHARASHTRA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
25	MARATHAWADA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
26	VIDARBHA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
27	CHHATTISGARH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
28	COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH & YANAM	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
29	TELANGANA	DRY						
30	RAYALASEEMA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL
31	TAMILNADU PUDUCHERRY & KARAIKAL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
32	COASTAL KARNATAKA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
33	NORTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
34	SOUTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
35	KERALA & MAHE	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT
36	LAKSHADWEEP	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	FWS	FWS	SCT

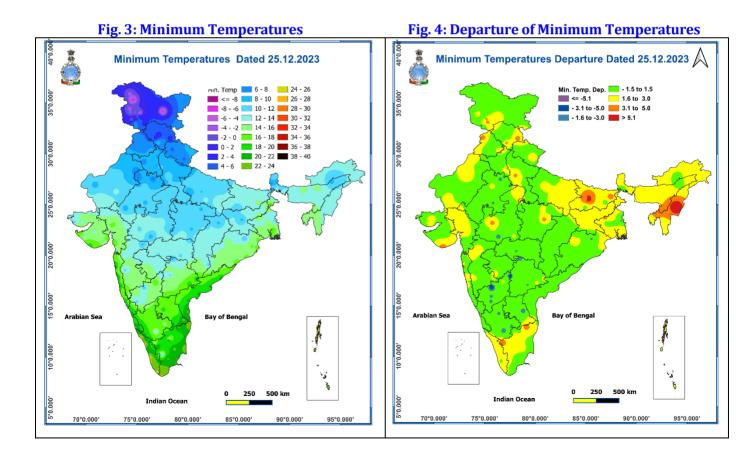
Legend	Category	% Stations
WS	Widespread/Most Places	76-100
FWS	Fairly Widespread/Many Places	51-75
SCT	Scattered/ A Few Places	26-50
ISOL	Isolated Places	1-25
DRY	No Rain	0

* 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)



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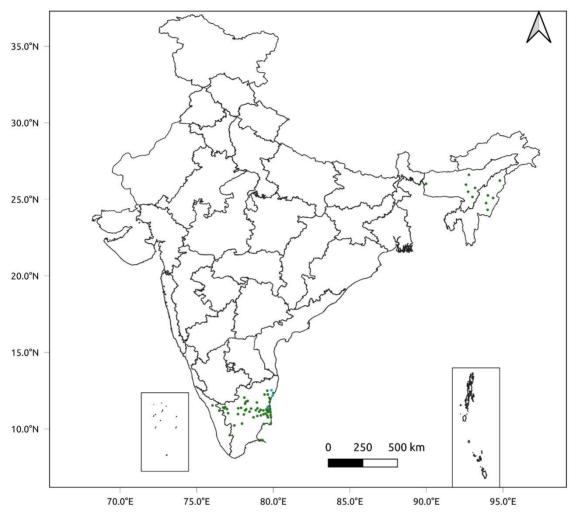


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Fig. 5: Accumulated Rainfall (mm) during past 24 hours

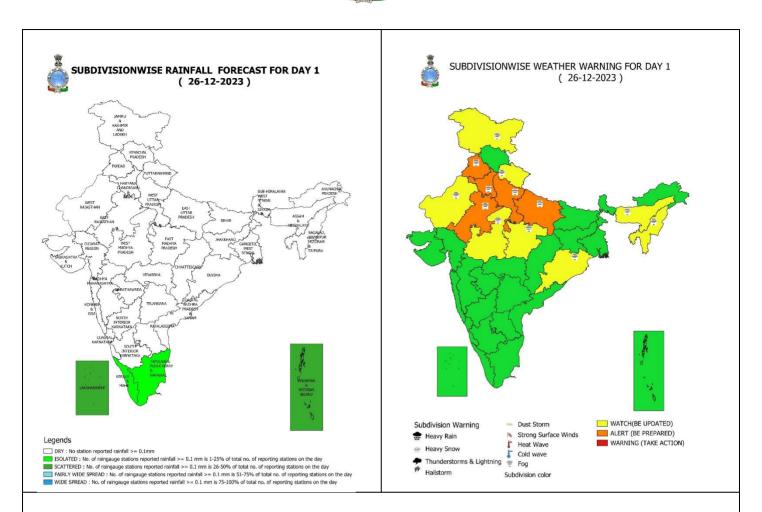
24 Hr cumulative rainfall recorded over different stations during 0830 IST of 24-12-2023 to 0830 IST of 25-12-2023



Legends

- Very Light to Light Rainfall (0.1 15.5 mm)
- Moderate Rainfall (15.6 64.4 mm)
- Heavy Rainfall (64.5 115.5 mm)
- Very Heavy Rainfall (115.6 204.4 mm)
- Extremely Heavy Rainfall (>=204.5 mm)

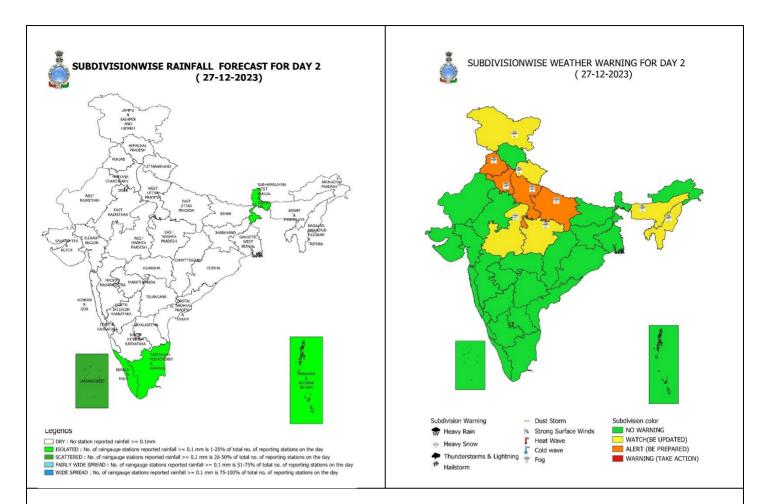




26 December (Day 1):

- Dense to very dense fog very likely in some pockets over Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi; Dense to very dense fog in isolated pockets over Uttar Pradesh, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh; Dense fog in isolated pockets over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Odisha, Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
- Strong Wind with wind speed 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph very likely to prevail over Comorin area. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.

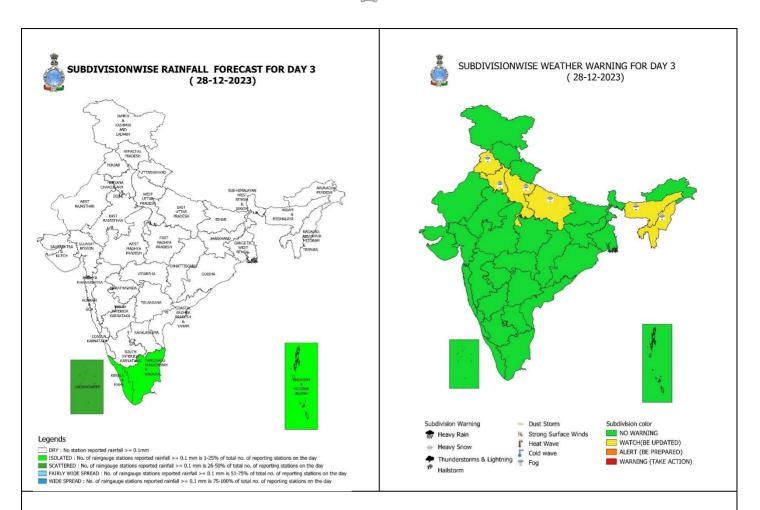




27 December (Day 2):

- Dense to very dense fog very likely in isolated pockets over Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, West Uttar Pradesh and Dense fog in isolated pockets over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Uttarakhand, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
- Squally Weather with wind speed 40-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph likely to prevail over Comorin area. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.

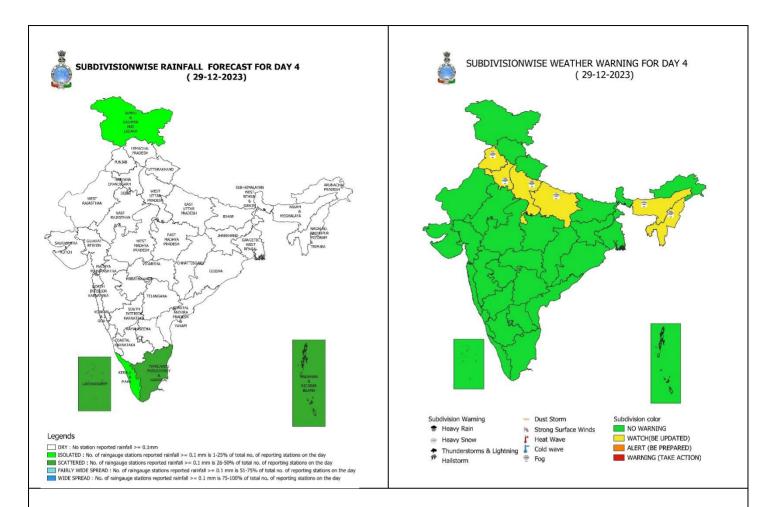




28 December (Day 3):

- Dense fog very likely in isolated pockets over Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Assam & Meghalaya.
- Squally Weather with wind speed 40-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph likely to prevail over Comorin area and central part of South Bay of Bengal. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.

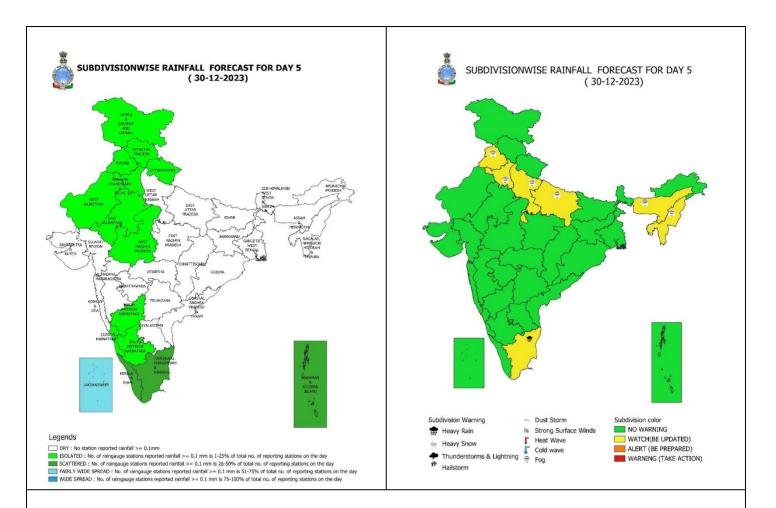




29 December (Day 4):

- Dense fog likely in isolated pockets over Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Assam & Meghalaya.
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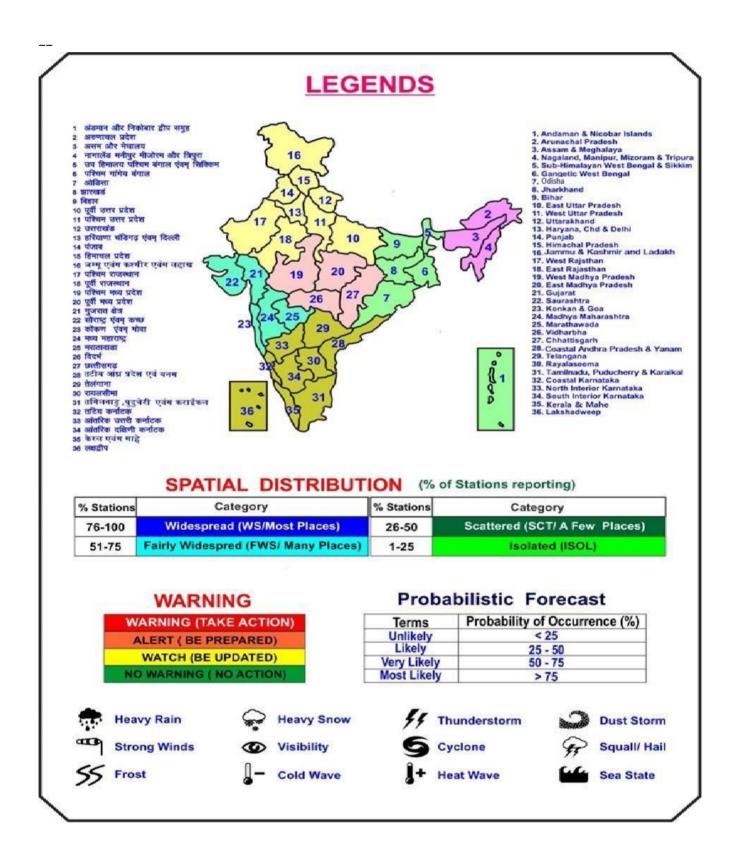




30 December (Day 5):

- Dense fog likely in isolated pockets over Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Assam & Meghalaya.
- Heavy rainfall likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- Squally Weather with wind speed 40-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph likely to prevail over Comorin area. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.





		GENDS						
	WARNING Probabilistic Forecast							
	WARNING (TAKE ACTION)	Terms	Probability of Occurrence (%)					
	ALERT (BE PREPARED)	Unlikely Likely	< 25 25 - 50					
	WATCH (BE UPDATED)	Very Likely	50 - 75					
• 10	NO WARNING (NO ACTION)	Most Likely	> 75					
Rain/ Snow	Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm * Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm * Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm *							
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	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							
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	Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum	•						
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4-	(b) Based on actual Minimum Tempe							
Cold Wave	Cold Wave : When Minimum Temperature is $\leq 4.0 ^{\circ}\text{C}$							
	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							
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and the second	Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -6.4 °C.							
Cold Day	Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature	Departure from norm	al ≤ -6.5 °C					
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<<	Ice deposits on ground							
>> Frost	Air temperature ≤4°C (over Plains)							
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