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ALL INDIA WEATHER SUMMARY AND FORECAST BULLETIN

Significant Weather Features

Weather forecast and Warnings

Northwest India:

Fairly Widespread to Widespread rainfall likely over Himachal Pradesh, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad and Uttarakhand during 17th-23rd August.

Fairly Widespread to Widespread rainfall likely over Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi and Punjab on 18th August; West Uttar Pradesh on 17th August; East Uttar Pradesh during 17th-23rd August; East Rajasthan during 20th-21st August.

Isolated to Scattered rainfall likely over rest parts of northwest India.

Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Uttarakhand during 17th-23rd August; West Uttar Pradesh on 17th August; East Uttar Pradesh during 17th-18th August.

Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Himachal Pradesh during 19th-23rd August; Uttarakhand during 18th-23rd August; Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi and Punjab during 17th-18th August; West Uttar Pradesh on 18th August; East Uttar Pradesh on 19th August; East Rajasthan during 19th-21st August with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad during 17th-19th August; Himachal Pradesh during 17th-18th August; Uttarakhand and West Uttar Pradesh on 17th August; East Uttar Pradesh during 17th-18th August.

Central India:

Fairly Widespread to Widespread rainfall likely over West Madhya Pradesh during 19th-21st August; Chhattisgarh and East Madhya Pradesh during 17th-23rd August; Vidarbha during 17th-18th August.

Isolated to Scattered rainfall likely over central India.

Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Vidarbha on 17th August; Chhattisgarh during 17th-20th August.

Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over West Madhya Pradesh on 19th August; East Madhya Pradesh during 18th-19th August and during 21st-23rd August; Chhattisgarh on 18th August with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over West Madhya Pradesh during 20th-21st August; Chhattisgarh and East Madhya Pradesh on 17th August.

East India:

Fairly Widespread to Widespread rainfall likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Gangetic West Bengal and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim during 17th-23rd August; Bihar and Jharkhand during 17th-19th August; Odisha during 17th-20th August.

Isolated to Scattered rainfall likely over East India.

Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 17th August; Gangetic West Bengal during 17th-18th August; Bihar during 17th-20th August; Odisha on 17th August with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 18th August; Jharkhand during 17th-18th August.

Isolated extremely heavy rainfall likely over Odisha and Gangetic West Bengal on 17th August.

Northeast India:

Fairly Widespread to Widespread rainfall likely over Arunachal Pradesh during 17th-21st August; Assam &

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Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 17th-23rd August.

Isolated to Scattered rainfall likely over Arunachal Pradesh on 23rd August.

Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 17th-20th August.

Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 17th-23rd August with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over Arunachal Pradesh during 17th-18th August.

West India:

Fairly Widespread to Widespread rainfall likely over Konkan & Goa during 17th-23rd August.

Isolated to Scattered rainfall likely over Madhya Maharashtra, Marathawada and Saurashtra & Kutch during 17th-23rd August; Gujarat Region during 17th-23rd August.

Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Konkan & Goa and Madhya Maharashtra on 17th August.

South Peninsular India:

Isolated to Scattered rainfall likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, North Interior Karnataka, Rayalaseema, South Interior Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Telangana during 17th-23rd August; Kerala & Mahe and Lakshadweep during 21st-23rd August.

Fairly Widespread to Widespread rainfall likely over Kerala & Mahe and Lakshadweep during 17th-20th August; Coastal Karnataka during 17th-23rd August.

Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 17th-20th August; **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over Telangana during 17th-18th August.

Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 18th-19th August.

Strong Surface Winds likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema during 17th-20th August; Telangana during 17th-18th August.

Fishermen Warning:

Arabian Sea: Arabian Sea: Along and off Somalia and Oman coast, most parts of westcentral Arabian Sea and some parts of southwest Arabian sea adjoining few parts of north & eastcentral Arabian Sea till 21st August, along and off Gujarat coast adjoining some parts of northeast and eastcentral Arabian Sea during 17th to 18th August.

Bay of Bengal: Over few parts Comorin area and southwest Bay of Bengal adjoining south Sri Lanka Coast till 21st August. Along and off West Bengal, Odisha and Bangladesh coast adjoining northwest and some parts of northeast & central Bay of Bengal during 17th to 19th August, Along and off north Andhra Pradesh coast adjoining central Bay of Bengal during 17th to 18th August, Along and off north Andhra Pradesh adjoining south Andhra Pradesh coasts & adjoining central Bay of Bengal on 18th August, Over Andaman Sea during 17th to 18th August.

Main Weather Observations:

❖ **Rainfall distribution** (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0530 hours IST of today): **at most places** over Gangetic West Bengal, Arunachal Pradesh, Punjab, Uttarakhand, West Madhya Pradesh, West Uttar Pradesh, Sub-himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Assam & Meghalaya, East Madhya Pradesh, Odisha, Chhattisgarh, East Uttar Pradesh, Telangana, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Kerala & Mahe, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka and Lakshadweep; **at many places** over Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh, Vidarbha, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Gujarat Region and Tamilnadu Puducherry & Karaikal; **Dry** over rest of the country.

❖ **Significant rainfall recorded(in cm)** (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0530 hours IST of today): **Gangetic West Bengal**: Haldia (dist Purba Medinipur) 11, Digha (dist North 24 Parganas) 10, Diamond Harbour (dist South 24 Parganas) 8; **Odisha**: Balasore (dist Balasore) 9; **East Uttar Pradesh**: Allahabad (dist Prayagraj) 7.

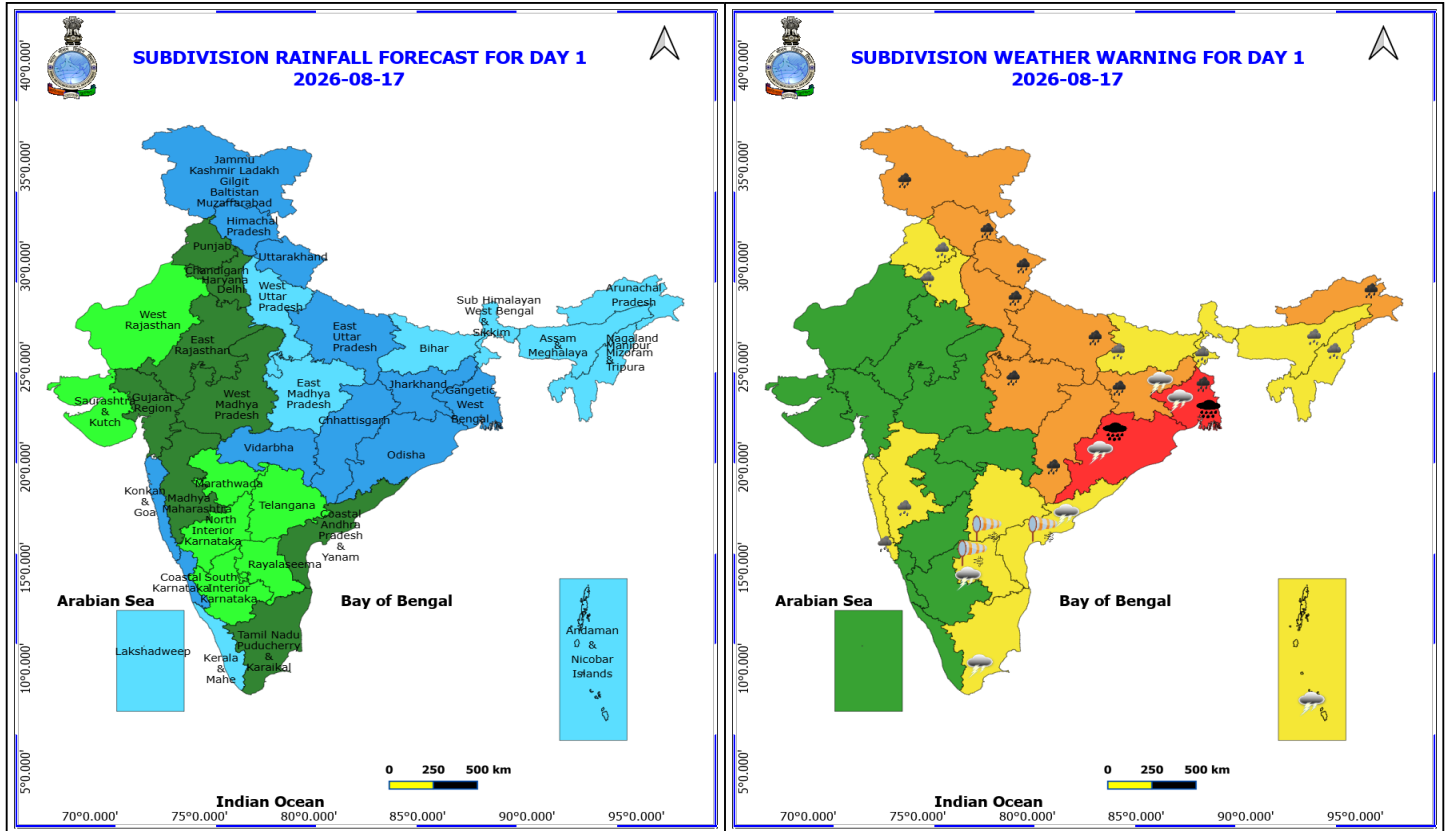
❖ **Heavy Rainfall observed** (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0530 hours IST of today): **Heavy rain** at many places over Gangetic West Bengal, at isolated places over Odisha, East Uttar Pradesh and Chhattisgarh

❖ **Minimum Temperature Departures (as on 16-08-2026): markedly above normal(> 5.1°C)** at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, East Uttar Pradesh, West Uttar Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh and West Madhya Pradesh. **appreciably above normal(3.1°C to 5.0°C)** at few places over East Madhya Pradesh; at isolated places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Odisha, East Uttar Pradesh, West Uttar Pradesh, Jammu-KashmirLadakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, West Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, Madhya Maharashtra, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal. **above normal(1.6°C to 3.0°C)** at many places over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam; at most places over Bihar; at few places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Gangetic West Bengal, Uttarakhand, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Himachal Pradesh, East Rajasthan, East Madhya Pradesh and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal; at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Odisha, Jharkhand, East Uttar Pradesh, West Uttar Pradesh, Jammu-KashmirLadakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, West Rajasthan, West Madhya Pradesh, Saurashtra & Kutch, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Rayalaseema and Kerala & Mahe. **near normal(-1.5°C to 1.5°C)** at many places over Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha, East Uttar Pradesh, West Uttar Pradesh, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Punjab, Jammu-KashmirLadakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, East Rajasthan, West Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Rayalaseema, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Kerala & Mahe; at most places over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Jharkhand, West Rajasthan, Konkan & Goa, Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh, Telangana, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka and Lakshadweep; at few places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam; at isolated places over Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim and Bihar. **The lowest minimum temperature** of 18.8°C was reported at BOUDH (ORISSA) over the Plains of India.

❖ **Maximum Temperature Departures (as on 16-08-2026): markedly above normal(> 5.1°C)** at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and North Interior Karnataka. **appreciably above normal(3.1°C to 5.0°C)** at few places over Bihar, Punjab and Chhattisgarh; at isolated places over Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Himachal Pradesh, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana, Rayalaseema and Kerala & Mahe. **above normal(1.6°C to 3.0°C)** at many places over Jharkhand, Konkan & Goa and South Interior Karnataka; at few places over Arunachal Pradesh, Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Jammu-KashmirLadakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Madhya Maharashtra and Coastal Karnataka; at isolated places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Gangetic West Bengal, East Uttar Pradesh, West Uttar Pradesh, West Rajasthan and West Madhya Pradesh. **near normal(-1.5°C to 1.5°C)** at many places over Uttarakhand, Gujarat Region and Lakshadweep; at most places over East Rajasthan, Saurashtra & Kutch, Marathwada and Vidarbha; at few places over Odisha; at isolated places over East Madhya Pradesh. **The highest maximum temperature** of 39.9°C was reported at SRIGANGANAGAR (RAJASTHAN).

Meteorological Analysis (Based on 0530 hours IST)

- Yesterday's **well marked low pressure area** over northwest Bay of Bengal & adjoining West Bengal-north Odisha coasts moved nearly northwestwards, concentrated into a **Depression** and lay centred at 0530 hrs IST of today, the 17th August, 2026, over coastal West Bengal and adjoining areas of Bangladesh & northwest Bay of Bengal near latitude 22.5°N and longitude 88.3°E close to Kolkata, about 80km west-southwest of Satkhira (Bangladesh), 160km southeast of Bankura (West Bengal), and 180 km northeast of Baleshwar (Odisha). It is very likely to move northwestwards towards Jharkhand across Gangetic West Bengal during next 24 hours.
- The **Monsoon trough** at mean sea level now passes through Firozpur, Dehradun, Bareilly, Sultanpur, Daltonganj, Jamshedpur, centre of **Depression** over coastal West Bengal and adjoining areas of Bangladesh & northwest Bay of Bengal & thence southeastwards to Northeast Bay of Bengal.
- The **Shear Zone** now runs roughly along Lat. 21°N across central & adjoining north Peninsular India between 5.8 & 7.6 km above mean sea level.
- The **upper air cyclonic circulation** over Northwest Uttar Pradesh at 0.9 km above mean sea level persists.
- The **upper air cyclonic circulation** over Gujarat state now lies over Southeast Rajasthan & neighbourhood at 3.1 km above mean sea level.
- The **upper air cyclonic circulation** over Jammu Division & neighbourhood at 5.8 km above mean sea level with a trough aloft at its axis at 7.6 km above mean sea level runs roughly along Long. 70°E to the north of Lat. 30°N.
- The **upper air cyclonic circulation** over Southeast Uttar Pradesh & neighbourhood at 3.1 km above mean sea level has become less marked.



17 August (Day 1)

- ❖ **Heavy to Very Heavy Rainfall with isolated Extremely Heavy Rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Gangetic West Bengal and Odisha.
- ❖ **Heavy to Very Heavy Rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, East Madhya Pradesh, Gangetic West Bengal, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Jharkhand, Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand.
- ❖ **Heavy Rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Bihar, Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura, Punjab and Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds(40-50kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Andhra Pradesh, Gangetic West Bengal, Jharkhand, Odisha and Tamil Nadu Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds(30-40kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Bihar, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Madhya Pradesh, Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim and Telangana.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with Lightning** very likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Chhattisgarh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand and Vidarbha.
- ❖ **Strong Surface Winds** very likely at isolated places over Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.
- ❖ **Arabian Sea:** Squally wind with speed 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely to prevail along and off Gujarat, Somalia and Oman coasts, most parts of westcentral adjoining some parts of southwest, north and eastcentral

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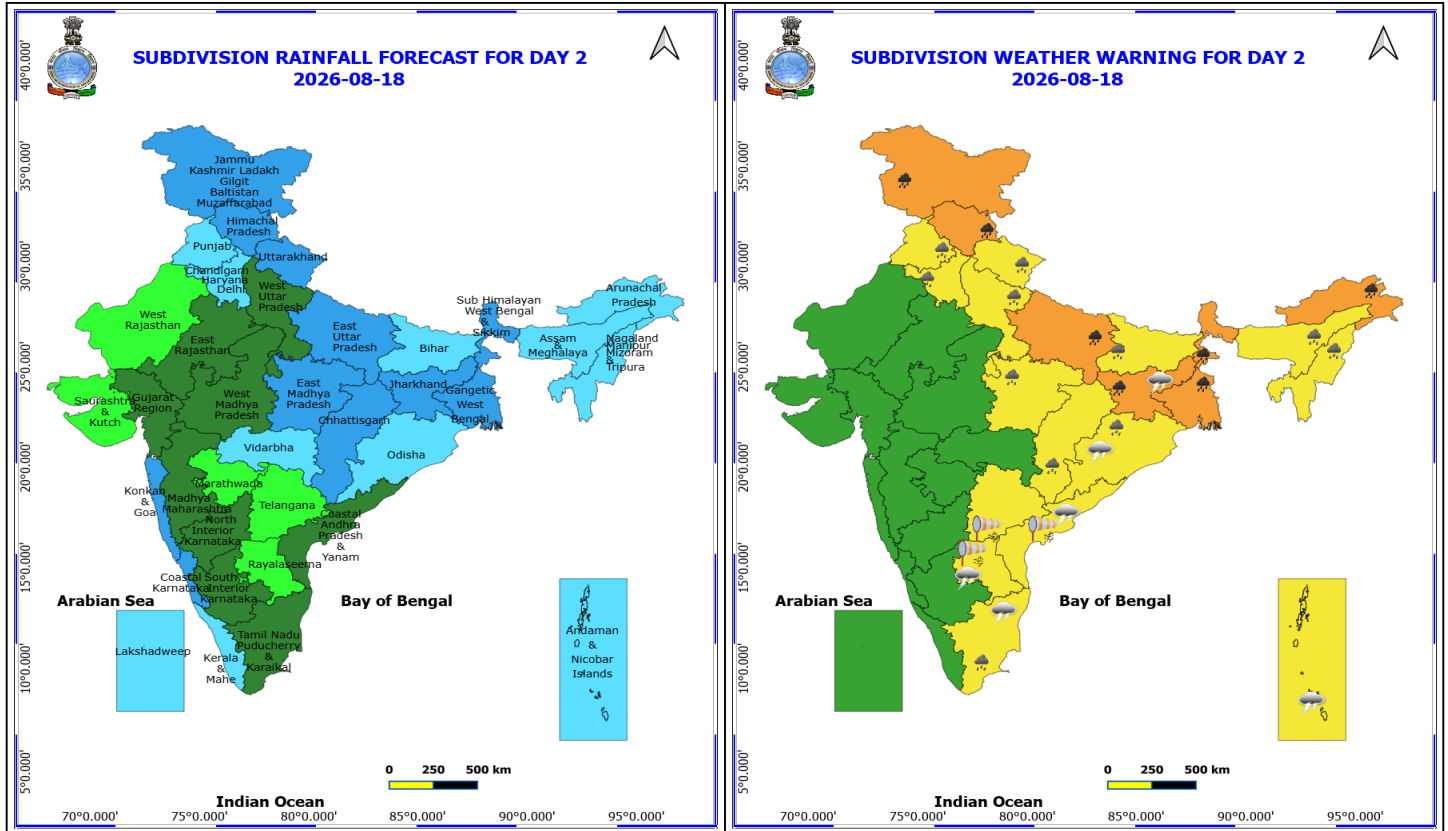
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18 August (Day 2)

- ❖ **Heavy to Very Heavy Rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, East Uttar Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Jharkhand and West Bengal & Sikkim.
- ❖ **Heavy Rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, East Madhya Pradesh, Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura, Odisha, Punjab, Tamil Nadu Puducherry & Karaikal, Uttarakhand and West Uttar Pradesh.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds(40-50kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Andhra Pradesh, Jharkhand, Odisha and Tamil Nadu Puducherry & Karaikal.
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- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with Lightning** very likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Chhattisgarh, East Uttar Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura and Uttarakhand.
- ❖ **Strong Surface Winds** very likely at isolated places over Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.
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- ❖ **Bay of Bengal:** Squally wind with speed 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely to prevail over few parts of southwest Bay of Bengal adjoining south Sri Lanka coast, few parts of Comorin area.
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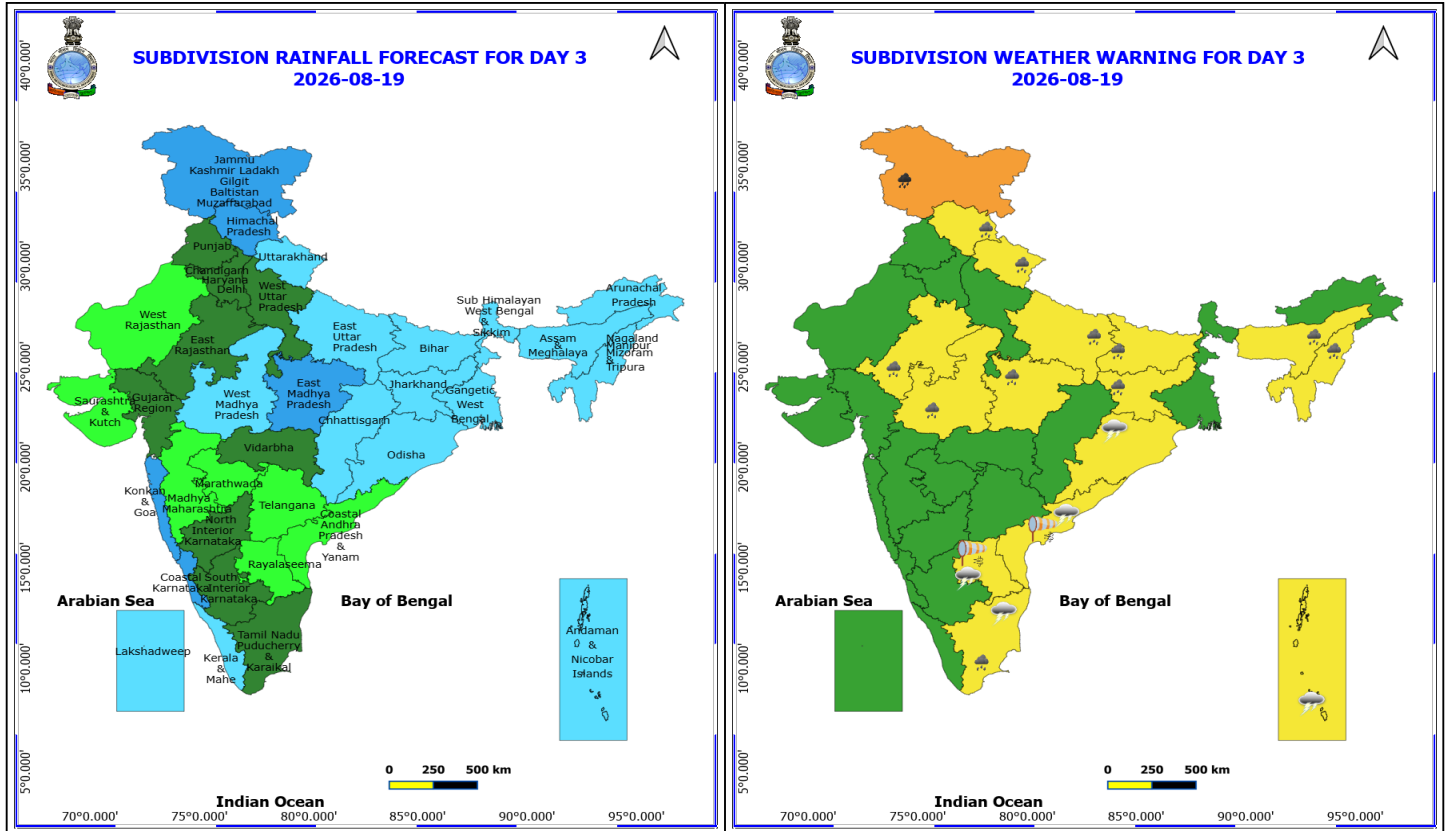
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Odisha, and Bangladesh coasts and off North Andhra Pradesh coast, over northwest adjoining some parts of northeast, and few parts of central, Bay of Bengal and over Andaman Sea.



19 August (Day 3)

- ❖ **Heavy to Very Heavy Rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad.
- ❖ **Heavy Rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Bihar, East Rajasthan, East Uttar Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura, Tamil Nadu Puducherry & Karaikal and Uttarakhand.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds(40-50kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Andhra Pradesh, Odisha and Tamil Nadu Puducherry & Karaikal.
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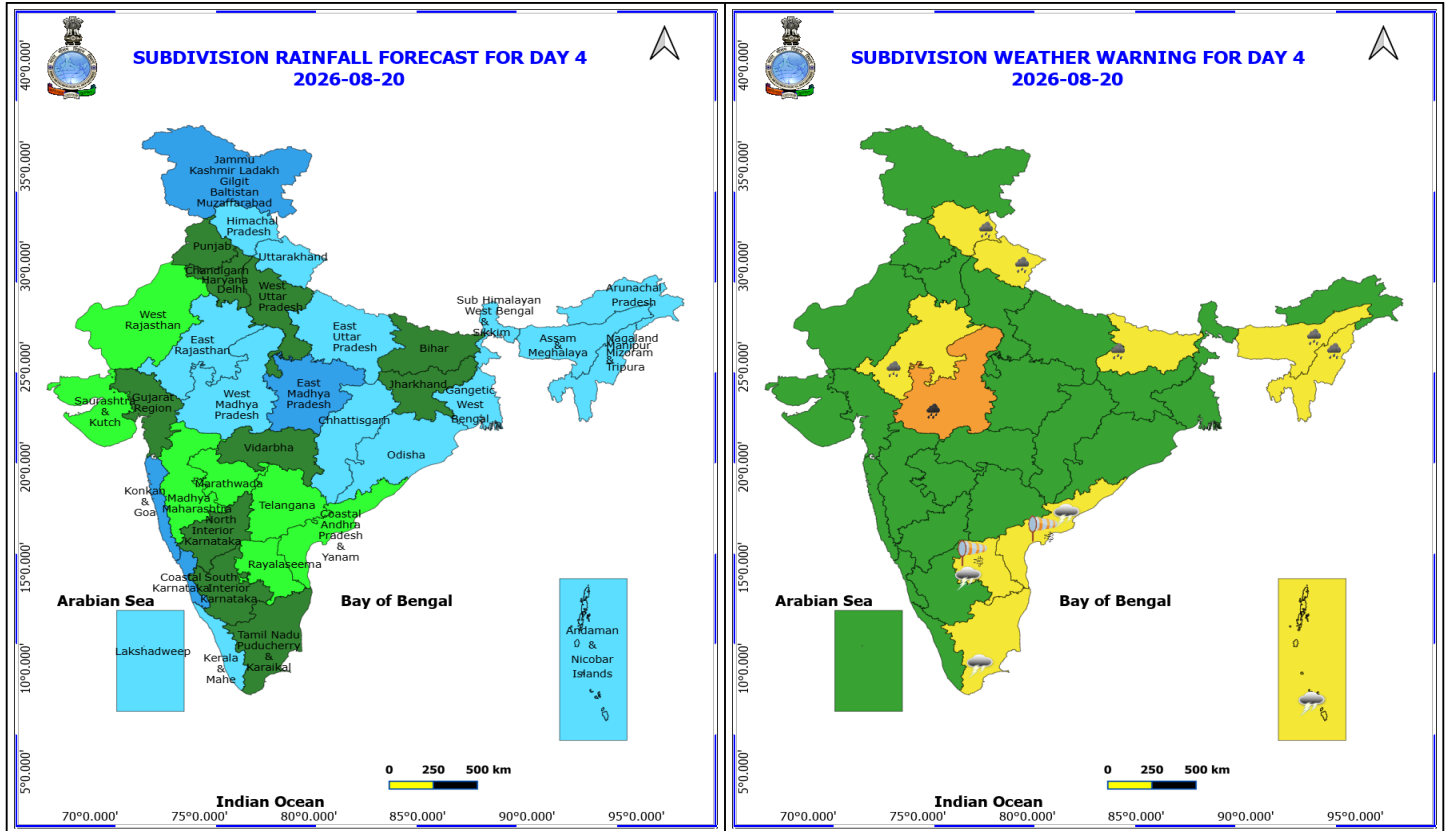
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Odisha, and Bangladesh coasts, over northwest adjoining some parts of northeast Bay of Bengal.



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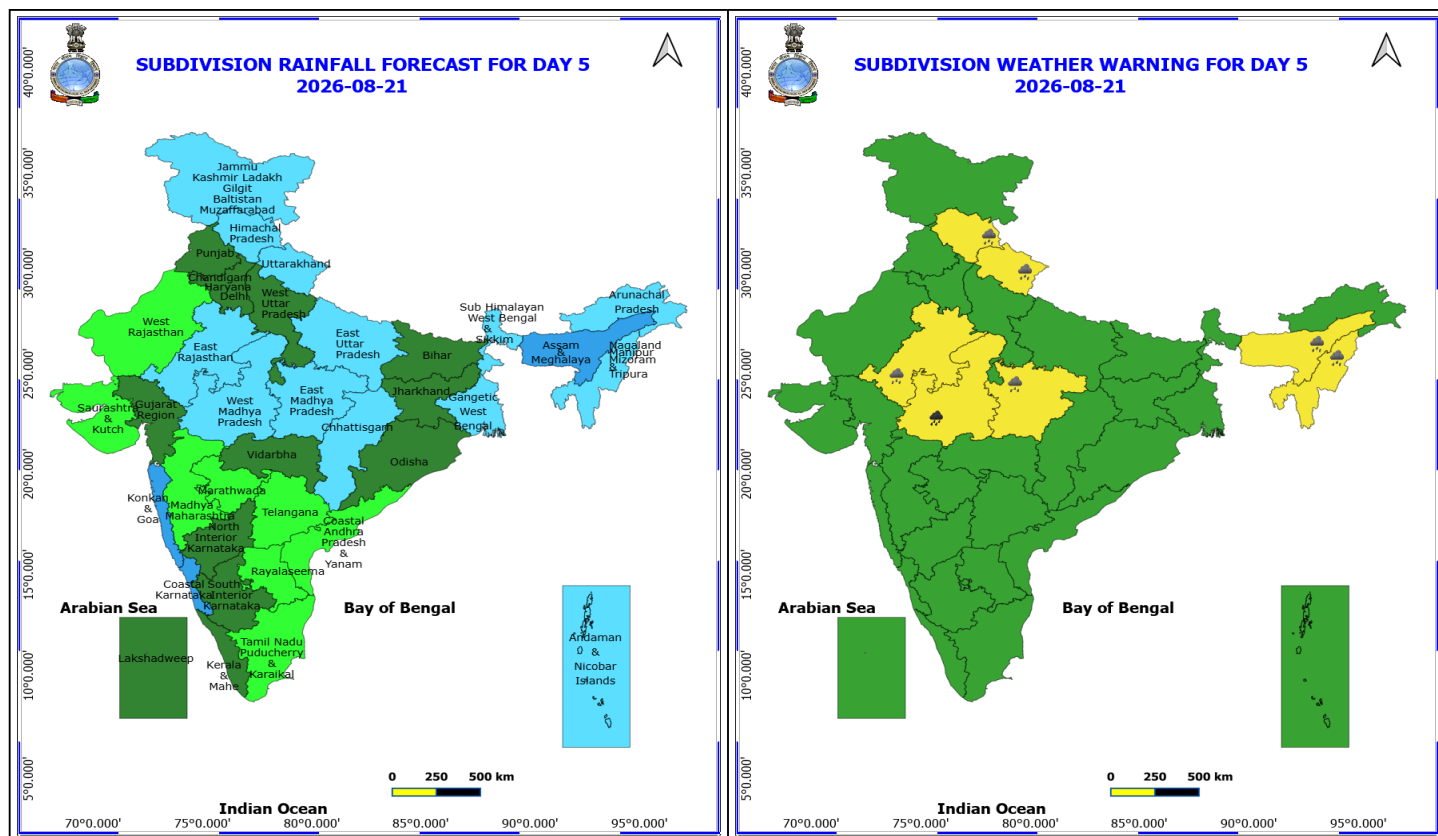
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- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with Lightning** likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Chhattisgarh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura and Uttarakhand.
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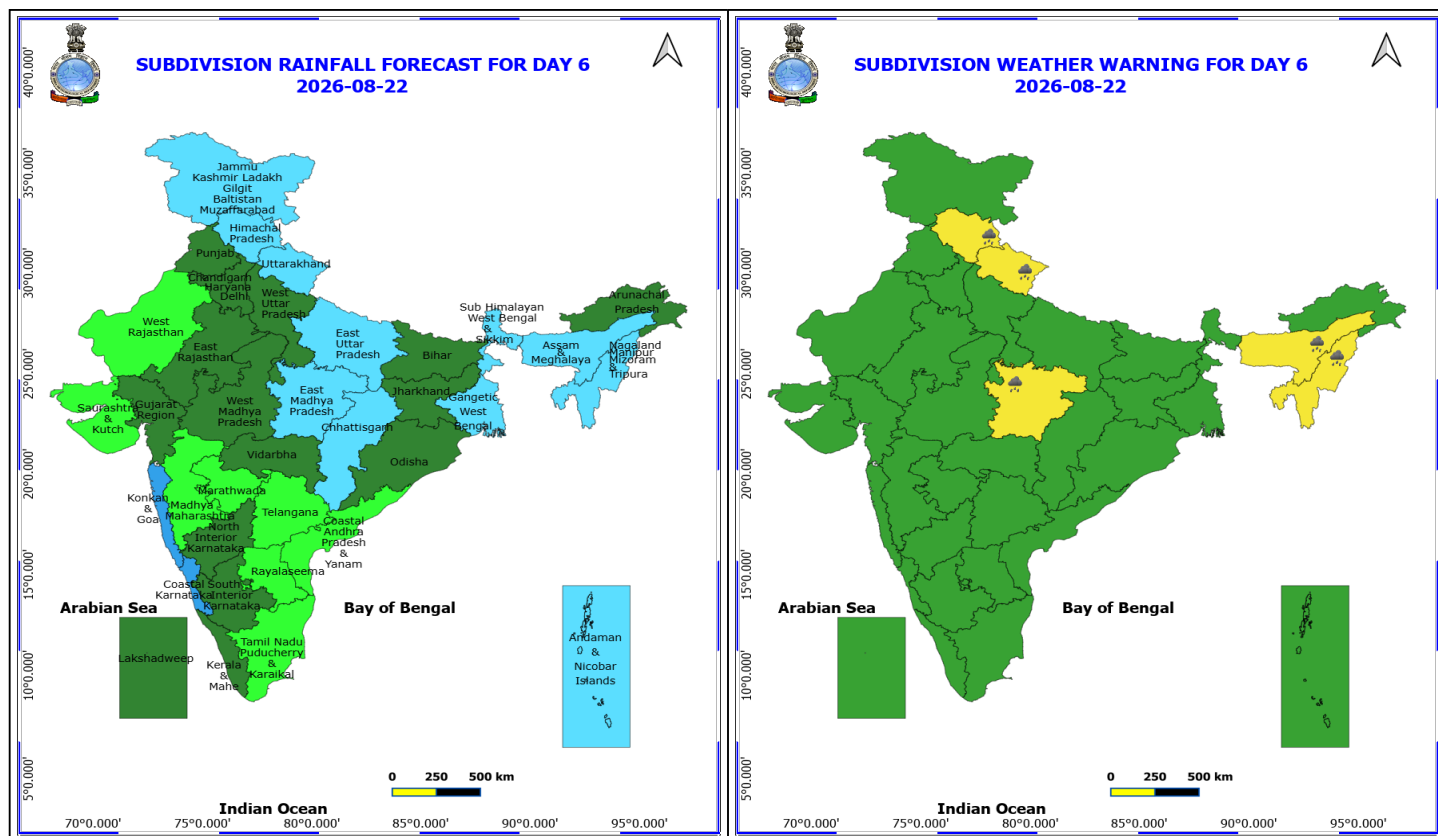
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21 August (Day 5)

- ❖ **Heavy to Very Heavy Rainfall** likely at isolated places over West Madhya Pradesh.
- ❖ **Heavy Rainfall** likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, East Madhya Pradesh, East Rajasthan, Himachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura and Uttarakhand.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds(30-40kmph)** likely at isolated places over East Rajasthan and Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with Lightning** likely at isolated places over Uttarakhand.

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22 August (Day 6)

- ❖ **Heavy Rainfall** likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, East Madhya Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura and Uttarakhand.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds(30-40kmph)** likely at isolated places over East Rajasthan and Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad.
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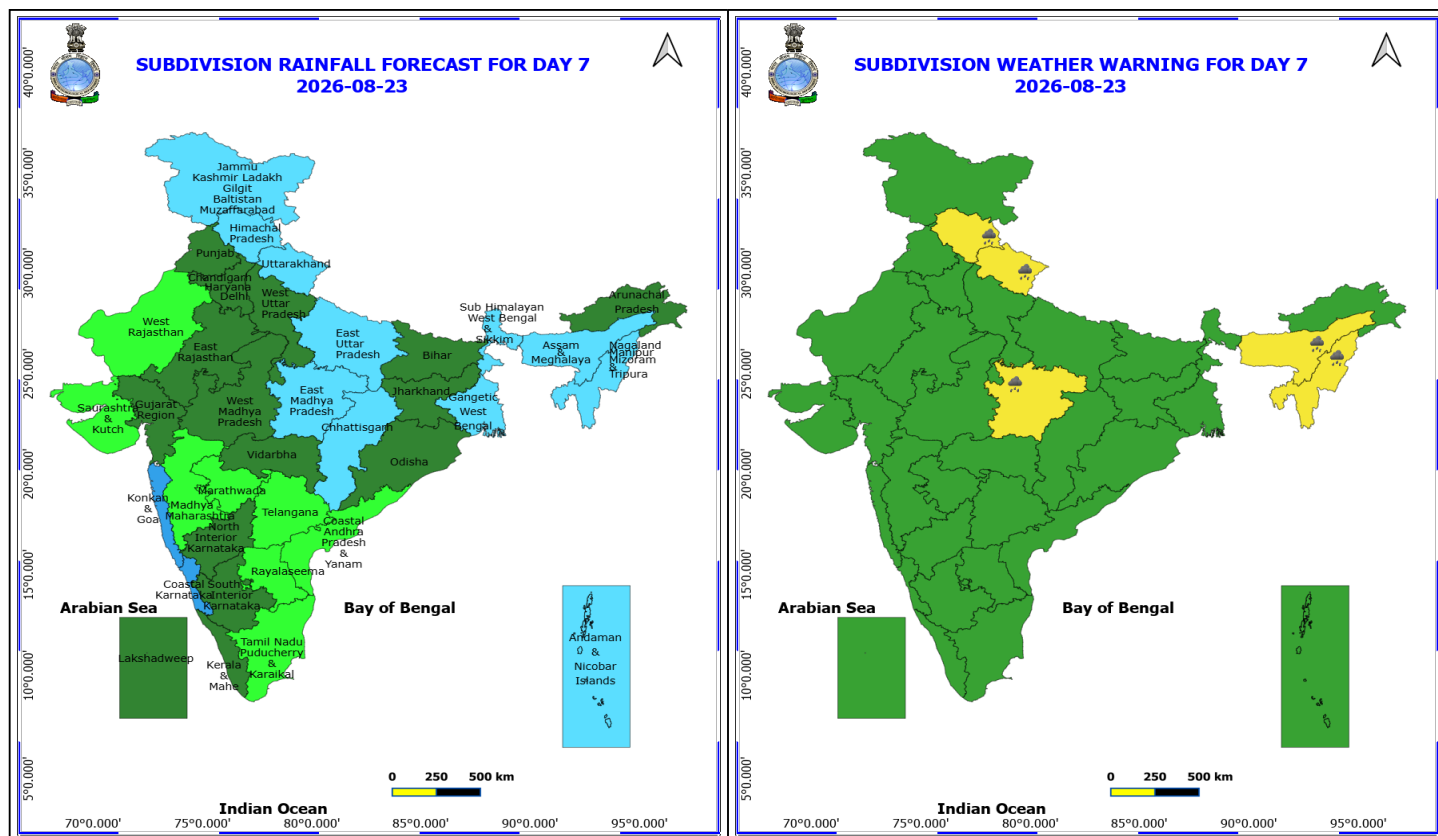
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23 August (Day 7)

- ❖ **Heavy Rainfall** likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, East Madhya Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura and Uttarakhand.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds(30-40kmph)** likely at isolated places over East Rajasthan and Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad.
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Flash Flood Warnings

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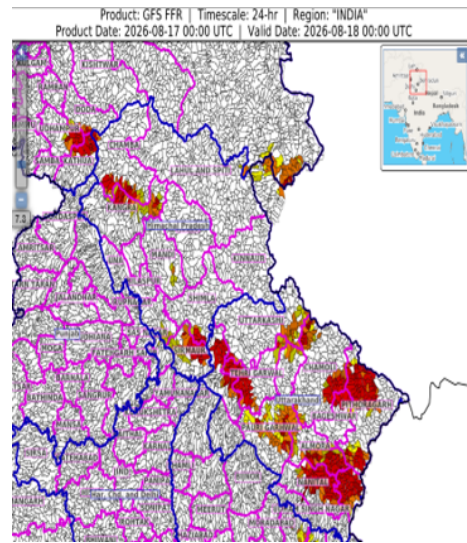
Low to Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of following Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours.

Himachal Pradesh - Chamba, Kangra, Mandi, Shimla and Sirmaur districts.

Jammu & Kashmir & Ladakh - Doda, Kathua, Udhampur and Ladakh (Leh) districts.

Uttarakhand - Bageshwar, Chamoli, Champawat, Dehradun, Garhwal Pauri, Garhwal Tehri, Nainital, Pithoragarh, Rudrapur and Uttarkashi districts.

Surface runoff/ Inundation may occur at some fully saturated soils & low-lying areas over Area of Concern (AoC) as shown in map due to expected rainfall occurrence in next 24 hours.



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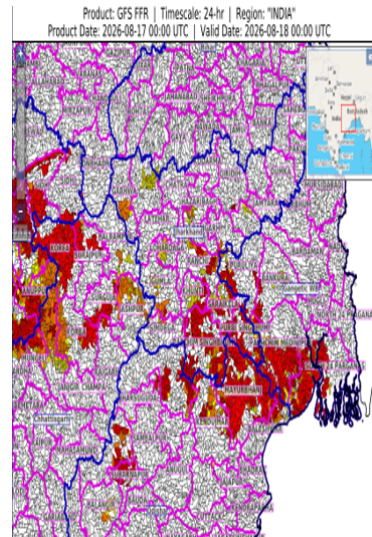
Chhattisgarh - Bilaspur, Jashpur, Kabirdham, Korba, Koriya, Mungeli, Surajpur and Surguja districts.

Odisha - Balangir, Balasore, Bargarh, Keonjhar, Mayurbhanj and Sundargarh districts.

Gangetic West Bengal - Bankura, East Midnapore, Howrah, Jhargram, Purulia, South 24 Parganas and West Midnapore districts.

Jharkhand - Bokaro, East Singhbhum, Garhwa, Giridih, Gumla, Khunti, Lohardaga, Palamu, Ranchi, Seraikela-Kharsawan, Simdega and West Singhbhum districts.

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		Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT
3	ASSAM & MEHGHALAYA	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	WS	FWS	FWS
4	N. M. M. & T.	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
5	S.H. WEST BENGAL & SIKKIM	FWS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
6	GANGETIC WEST BENGAL	WS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
7	ODISHA	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT
8	JHARKHAND	WS	WS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
9	BIHAR	FWS	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
10	EAST UTTAR PRADESH	WS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
11	WEST UTTAR PRADESH	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
12	UTTARAKHAND	WS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
13	HARYANA, CHD & DELHI	SCT	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
14	PUNJAB	SCT	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
15	HIMACHAL PRADESH	WS	WS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
16	JAMMU AND KASHMIR AND LADAKH	WS	WS	WS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS
17	WEST RAJASTHAN	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
18	EAST RAJASTHAN	SCT	SCT	SCT	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT
19	WEST MADHYA PRADESH	SCT	SCT	FWS	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT
20	EAST MADHYA PRADESH	FWS	WS	WS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS
21	GUJRAT REGION	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
22	SAURASHTRA & KUTCH	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
23	KONKAN & GOA	WS	WS	WS	WS	WS	WS	WS
24	MADHYA MAHARASHTRA	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
25	MARATHWADA	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
26	VIDARBHA	WS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
27	CHATTISGARH	WS	WS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS
28	COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
29	TELANGANA	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
30	RAYALASEEMA	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
31	TAMILNADU & PUDUCHERRY	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
32	COSTAL KARNATAKA	WS	WS	WS	WS	WS	WS	WS
33	NORTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
34	SOUTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
35	KERALA	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT
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Fig. 1: Maximum Temperatures Dated 2026-08-16

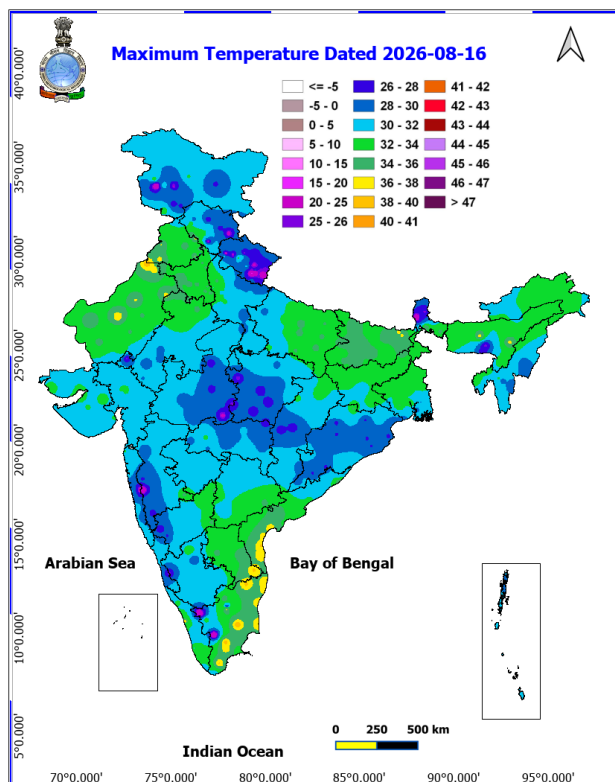


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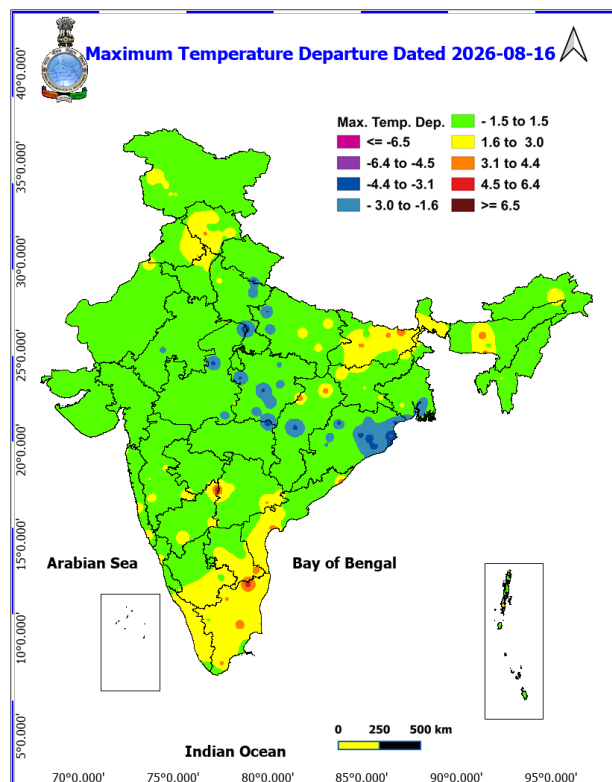


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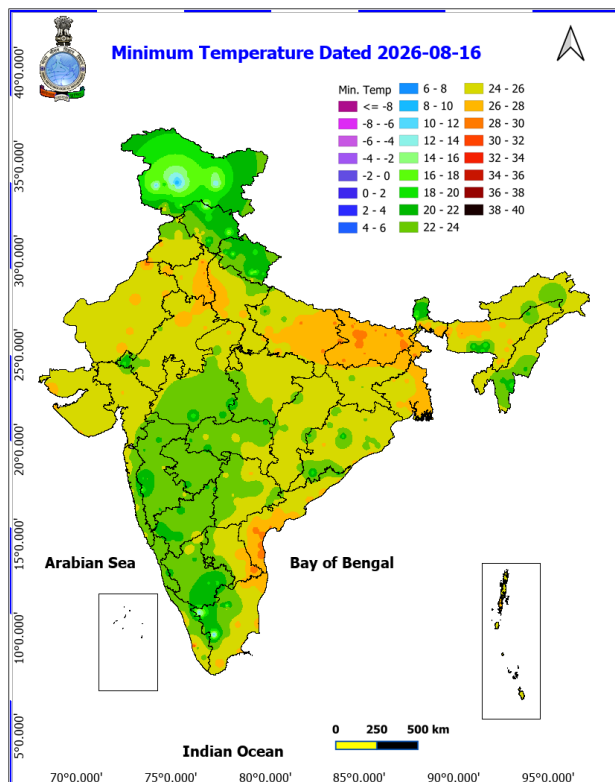
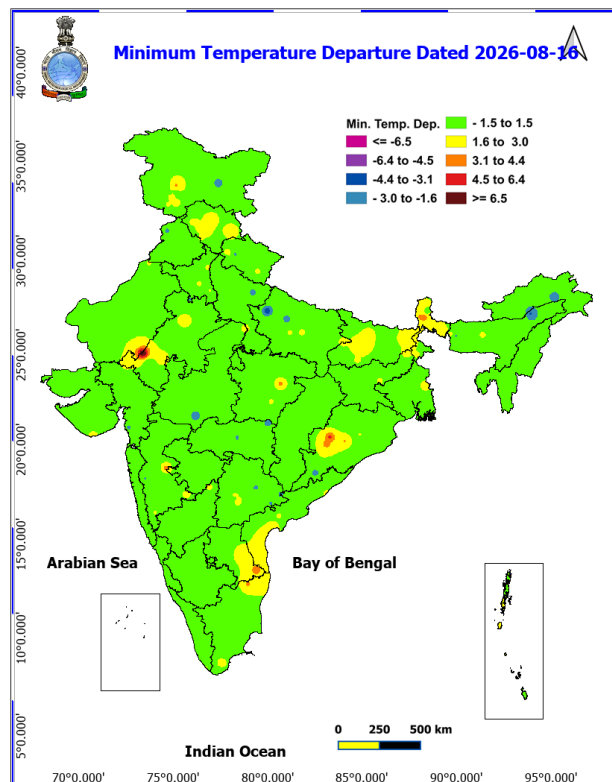
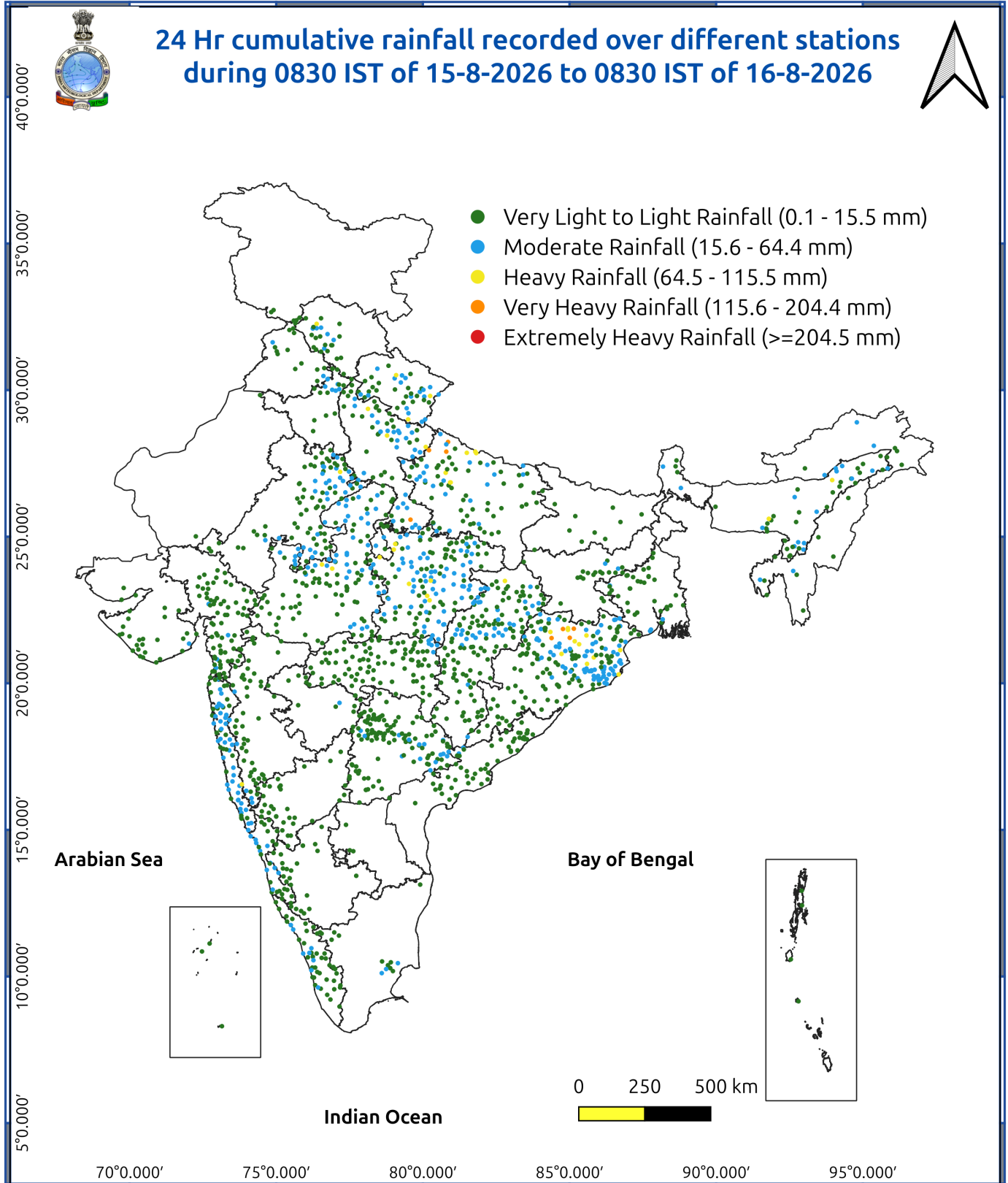


Fig. 4: Departure of Minimum Temp. Dated 2026-08-16





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Impact and Actions

Impact Expected and Action Suggested due to very heavy rainfall:

- **Isolated extremely heavy rainfall very likely over Odisha and Gangetic West Bengal on 17th August.**
- Isolated **very heavy rainfall** very likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad during 17th-19th August; Himachal Pradesh during 17th-18th August; Uttarakhand and West Uttar Pradesh on 17th August; East Uttar Pradesh during 17th-18th August.

Impact expected:

- Breaking of tree branches, uprooting of small trees like banana, papaya, drum sticks. Strong wind and rain may damage plantation, horticulture and standing crops.
- Partial damage to vulnerable structures due to strong winds and rain.
- Minor damage to kutch houses/walls, huts and roads due to heavy rain.
- Loose objects may fly.
- Small ships, trawlers and boats may be affected.
- Road and rail traffic may be affected due to heavy rain and squally winds.
- There could be localised landslides, mudslides, landslips, water logging, inundation and flooding over low lying areas.
- Occasional reduction in visibility due to heavy rainfall.
- Helicopter services may get affected.

Action suggested:

- People are advised to keep a watch on the weather for worsening conditions and be ready to move to safer places accordingly.
- Take safe shelters; do not take shelter under trees, as there could be lightning.
- In case of expected lightning, unplug electrical/ electronic appliances, immediately, get out of water bodies and keep away from all the objects that conduct electricity.
- Tourism and recreational activities to be regulated.
- Onshore and offshore activities to be judiciously regulated.
- Helicopter services to be regulated.

Agromet advisories for various parts of the country

Agromet advisories for likely impact of Heavy Rainfall:

In Odisha, ensure continuous and effective drainage of excess water from kharif rice, maize, pulses, cotton, pigeon pea, banana, vegetable fields and nursery beds. Keep field drains, outlets and bunds clear and functional. In waterlogged areas, postpone sowing/re-sowing of maize and green gram and prevent water stagnation in pearl millet. Provide staking/support to banana, papaya and young horticultural plants. Protect tomato, chilli and brinjal nurseries and postpone rice and horticultural crop transplanting in waterlogged fields until suitable soil conditions are restored.

In Gangetic West Bengal, maintain continuous and effective drainage in Aman rice, jute and vegetable fields and promptly remove excess water from low-lying areas. Keep drainage channels clear and strengthen bunds around rice nurseries to prevent flooding. Avoid fertilizer and pesticide application during rainfall and harvest mature crops, tea leaves and vegetables wherever field conditions permit, keeping the produce in a safe and dry place.

In Arunachal Pradesh, maintain proper drainage in maize, finger millet, soybean, cowpea, vegetable fields and orchards to prevent waterlogging.

In Assam and Meghalaya, maintain proper drainage and keep field channels clear in rice, sugarcane, soybean, pigeon pea, jute, sesame and vegetable fields and orchards. Remove excess water from low-lying fields and prevent water stagnation in sugarcane. In Meghalaya, ensure drainage in maize, cowpea, okra and ginger fields and remove

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excess water after rainfall.

In Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura, maintain proper drainage in standing crop fields and prevent water stagnation in rice, soybean, black gram, ginger, turmeric, cole crops and vegetables. Postpone field operations, fertilizer and plant protection measures during wet conditions and provide staking/support to vulnerable crops wherever required.

In Andaman & Nicobar Islands, maintain proper drainage in paddy and plantation crops and remove excess water from low-lying fields. Provide support to banana and other vulnerable crops and avoid fertilizer and plant protection operations during rainfall.

In Sub-Himalayan West Bengal and Sikkim, clear drainage channels in vegetable fields, orchards, rice and finger millet nurseries to prevent waterlogging. Protect chilli seedlings from heavy rain and maintain proper drainage in rice and vegetable fields.

In Jharkhand, maintain proper drainage in maize, pigeon pea and other standing crops. In areas where sowing of pigeon pea is not yet completed, postpone sowing until suitable soil conditions prevail.

In Jammu & Kashmir, prevent water stagnation in pulses and vegetable fields and provide proper support to cucurbit plants. Ensure effective drainage in maize fields.

In Himachal Pradesh, keep drainage channels in ginger and turmeric fields clear and functional and ensure prompt removal of excess rainwater from maize fields.

In Uttarakhand, maintain proper and effective drainage in rice, soybean, maize, red gram, ginger, garlic, barnyard millet, finger millet, tomato and other standing crop fields. Continue rice transplanting only where field conditions permit and delay sowing of groundnut, soybean and maize until conditions become suitable. Harvest mature tomato, French bean and potato and keep the produce in a safe, dry place.

In West Uttar Pradesh, drain out excess water from pigeon pea, pulses, oilseeds and vegetable fields, particularly from low-lying areas. Continue nursery raising of brinjal, chilli and early cauliflower and sowing of cucurbits and okra only where field conditions permit.

In East Uttar Pradesh, drain out excess water from paddy and other crop fields and undertake nursery raising of brinjal, chilli and early cauliflower and sowing of cucurbits and okra only where field conditions permit.

In Bihar, ensure proper drainage of excess rainwater from crop fields and postpone fertilizer and pesticide application during wet conditions. Continue transplanting of rice and planting of banana and yam only where field conditions permit.

In Punjab, maintain proper drainage in standing crop fields and avoid irrigation, fertilizer application and plant protection operations. Resume field operations only when soil conditions become suitable.

In Haryana, Chandigarh and Delhi, maintain proper drainage in standing crop fields and remove excess water promptly. Postpone irrigation, fertilizer application and plant protection operations during rainfall.

In West Madhya Pradesh, maintain proper drainage in soybean, maize, cotton, sugarcane and vegetable fields and remove excess water promptly. Provide staking/support to vegetables and tall crops to minimize lodging and postpone sowing of kharif vegetables until excess water drains and suitable field conditions prevail.

In East Madhya Pradesh, ensure proper drainage in standing crops and provide staking/support to vegetables and tall crops to minimize lodging. Postpone field operations and fertilizer/plant protection applications in waterlogged fields until suitable conditions return.

In Chhattisgarh, ensure proper drainage in rice, maize, groundnut, minor millets and pulses fields and other standing crop fields. Provide staking to creeper vegetables such as bitter gourd, bottle gourd and other cucurbits. Postpone

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fresh transplantation of rice in lowland areas and undertake pending sowing of black gram only after rainfall when soil conditions permit.

In Konkan and Goa, maintain proper drainage in rice, turmeric, groundnut, finger millet, proso millet, vegetable fields and orchards. Remove excess rainwater from low-lying areas and prevent water stagnation. Undertake field operations only where soil conditions permit.

In Madhya Maharashtra, drain out excess water from rice, groundnut, vegetable and other standing crop fields and keep drainage channels clear. Postpone fertilizer and plant protection operations during rainfall and resume field operations only when soil conditions become suitable.

In Coastal Andhra Pradesh, maintain proper drainage in paddy and other standing crop fields and remove excess water from low-lying areas. Provide support to banana, papaya and vegetable crops against lodging.

Agromet advisories for likely impact of Thunderstorm / Gusty Winds

Shift the harvested produce in safer places or cover the produce with tarpaulin sheets in the fields. Tie the harvested crops securely and cover them to minimize the risk of displacement from strong surface 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.

Livestock / Poultry / Fisheries

Keep the animals inside the shed during heavy rainfall and provide them balanced feed.

Store the feed and fodder in a safe place to prevent spoilage.

Construct an outlet with proper netting around the ponds to drain excess water, thereby preventing fish from escaping in the event of overflow.

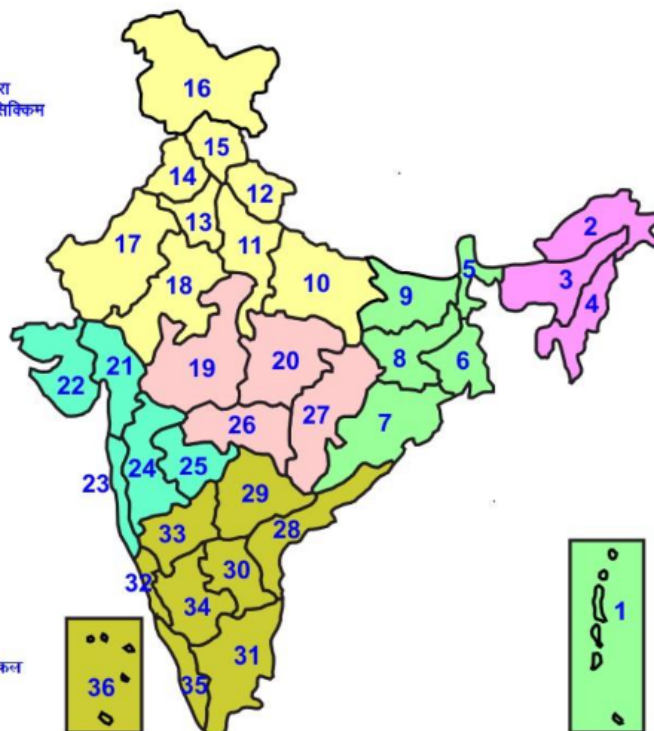
Legends & abbreviations:

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.
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- **Northeast India:** Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
- **West India:** Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, Coastal Maharashtra (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.

LEGENDS

- 1 अंडमान और निकोबार द्वीप समुह
- 2 अरुणाचल प्रदेश
- 3 असम और मेघालय
- 4 नागालैंड मनीपुर मीजोरम और त्रिपुरा
- 5 उप हिमालय पश्चिम बंगाल एवं सिक्किम
- 6 पश्चिम बंगाल
- 7 ओडिसा
- 8 झारखंड
- 9 बिहार
- 10 पूर्वी उत्तर प्रदेश
- 11 पश्चिम उत्तर प्रदेश
- 12 उत्तराखंड
- 13 हरियाणा चंडीगढ़ एवं दिल्ली
- 14 पंजाब
- 15 हिमाचल प्रदेश
- 16 जम्मू एवं कश्मीर एवं लद्दाख
- 17 पश्चिम राजस्थान
- 18 पूर्वी राजस्थान
- 19 पश्चिम मध्य प्रदेश
- 20 पूर्वी मध्य प्रदेश
- 21 गुजरात क्षेत्र
- 22 सौराष्ट्र एवं कच्छ
- 23 कोंकण एवं गोवा
- 24 मध्य महाराष्ट्र
- 25 मराठावाड़ा
- 26 विदर्भ
- 27 छत्तीसगढ़
- 28 तटीय आंध्र प्रदेश एवं यनम
- 29 तेलंगाना
- 30 रायलसीमा
- 31 तमिलनाडु, पुदुचेरी एवं कराईकल
- 32 तटिय कर्नाटक
- 33 आंतरिक उत्तरी कर्नाटक
- 34 आंतरिक दक्षिणी कर्नाटक
- 35 केरल एवं माहे
- 36 लक्षद्वीप



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9. Bihar
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11. West Uttar Pradesh
12. Uttarakhand
13. Haryana, Chd & Delhi
14. Punjab
15. Himachal Pradesh
16. Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh
17. West Rajasthan
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19. West Madhya Pradesh
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51-75	Fairly Widespread (FWS/ Many Places)	1-25	Isolated (ISOL)

Subdivision Colour

- NO WARNING
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- ALERT (BE PREPARED TO TAKE ACTION)
- WARNING (TAKE ACTION)

Probabilistic Forecast

Terms	Probability of Occurrence (%)
Unlikely	< 25
Likely	25 - 50
Very Likely	50 - 75
Most Likely	> 75

-  Heavy Rain
-  Very Heavy Rain
-  Extremely Heavy Rain
-  Heavy Snow
-  Thunderstorm & Lightning
-  Hailstorm
-  Dust Storm
-  Dust Raising Winds
-  Strong surface winds
-  Heat Wave
-  Hot Day
-  Warm Night
-  Cold Wave
-  Cold Day
-  Ground Frost
-  Fog
-  Hot & Humid

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Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm *
Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm *
Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm *



When maximum temperature of a station reaches $\geq 40^{\circ}\text{C}$ for plains and $\geq 30^{\circ}\text{C}$ 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 $\geq 6.5^{\circ}\text{C}$

(b). Based on Actual maximum temperature

Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature $\geq 45^{\circ}\text{C}$.
Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature $\geq 47^{\circ}\text{C}$

(c). Criteria for heat wave for coastal stations

When maximum temperature departure is $> 4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ from normal. Heat Wave may be described provided maximum temperature $\geq 37^{\circ}\text{C}$



When maximum temperature remains 40°C

Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure 4.5°C to 6.4°C .
Severe Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure $> 6.4^{\circ}\text{C}$.



When minimum temperature of a station $\leq 10^{\circ}\text{C}$ for plains and $\leq 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ 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 $\leq -6.5^{\circ}\text{C}$

(b) Based on actual Minimum Temperature (for Plains only)

Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is $\leq 4.0^{\circ}\text{C}$
Severe Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is $\leq 2.0^{\circ}\text{C}$

(c) For Coastal Stations

When Minimum Temperature departure is $\leq -4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ & actual Minimum Temperature is $\leq 15^{\circ}\text{C}$



When minimum temperature of a station $\leq 10^{\circ}\text{C}$ for plains and $\leq 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ for hilly regions
Based on departure

Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5°C to -6.4°C .
Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal $\leq -6.5^{\circ}\text{C}$



Phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air and the horizontal visibility $< 1\text{km}$

Moderate Fog: When the visibility between 500-200 metres
Dense Fog: when the visibility between 50-200 metres
Very Dense Fog: when the visibility < 50 metres



Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder)



An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and turbulent wind.



Ice deposits on ground

Air temperature $\leq 4^{\circ}\text{C}$ (over Plains)



A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute.

Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph
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



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)
Super Cyclone Storm: Wind speed > 220 kmph (> 119 knots)

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