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Subject: (i) Conditions are favourable for further withdrawal of southwest monsoon from remaining parts of Punjab, Haryana, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh; most parts of Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh; entire Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand; some parts of Bihar, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, and Maharashtra during next 48 hours.

(ii) Isolated heavy rainfall very likely over south Peninsular India with very heavy falls over Kerala during next 24 hours.

(iii) Isolated heavy rainfall is likely to continue over Northeastern states during next 24 hours.

Realised weather during past 24 hours ending at 0830 hours IST of today, the 01st October, 2026:

- ❖ **Very Heavy rainfall (12-20 cm)** has been recorded over Mizoram & South Interior Karnataka.
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall (7-11 cm)** has been recorded over Assam, Nagaland & Tamil Nadu

Withdrawal of southwest Monsoon:

- ❖ The line of withdrawal of Southwest Monsoon continues to pass through 32.5°N/72.5°E, Gurdaspur, Chandigarh, Muzaffarnagar, Aligarh, Dholpur, Udaipur, Deesa, Naliya and 23.0°N/67.8°E.
- ❖ Conditions are favourable for further withdrawal of southwest monsoon from remaining parts of Punjab, Haryana, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh; most parts of Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh; entire Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand; some parts of Bihar, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, and Maharashtra during next 48 hours.

Weather Systems, Forecast and Warnings (Annexure II & III):

- ❖ Yesterday's **Well Marked Low Pressure Area** over North Myanmar and adjoining areas of southeast Bangladesh, Mizoram & Northeast Bay of Bengal weakened into a **Low Pressure Area** at 0530 hrs IST and persisted over the same region at 0830 hrs IST of today, 1st October 2026. It is likely to remain over the same region during next 12 hours.
- ❖ A **trough** runs from Northeast Arabian Sea to Westcentral Arabian Sea between lower and middle tropospheric levels.
- ❖ An **upper air cyclonic circulation** lies over north coastal Tamil Nadu & neighbourhood in lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ A **north-south trough** runs from North Interior Karnataka to Gulf of Mannar in lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ An **upper air cyclonic circulation** lies over northeast Assam & neighbourhood in lower tropospheric level.
- ❖ The **Western Disturbance** as a cyclonic circulation over north Haryana & neighbourhood between middle & upper tropospheric westerlies with its axis at middle tropospheric level runs roughly along Long. 69°E to the north of Lat. 26°N.
- ❖ An **upper air cyclonic circulation** lies over East Uttar Pradesh & adjoining Bihar in lower tropospheric levels.

Under the influence of above systems, the following weather is likely:

Northwest India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad during 6th-7th October; Himachal Pradesh during 5th-7th October; Uttarakhand on 1st October and during 5th-7th October.
- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi and Punjab during 6th-7th October.
- ❖ **Isolated thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand during 6th-7th October.

Central India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over East Madhya Pradesh during 1st-3rd October; Chhattisgarh during 2nd-7th October.

East India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Odisha and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim during 1st-7th October; Gangetic West Bengal during 2nd-7th October; Bihar and Jharkhand during 5th-7th October.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim during 2nd-3rd October; Odisha during 1st-2nd October.

Northeast India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 1st-7th October.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 1st-2nd October.
- ❖ Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Arunachal Pradesh during 1st-2nd October; Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura on 1st October.

West India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Konkan & Goa and Madhya Maharashtra during 1st-7th October; Gujarat Region and Saurashtra & Kutch on 1st October.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Konkan & Goa and Madhya Maharashtra on 1st October.

South Peninsular India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Lakshadweep, North Interior Karnataka, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 1st-7th October; Coastal Karnataka during 3rd-7th October; South Interior Karnataka during 2nd-7th October; Telangana during 2nd-3rd October.
- ❖ **Fairly Widespread to Widespread** rainfall likely over Kerala & Mahe during 1st-7th October; Coastal Karnataka during 1st-2nd October; South Interior Karnataka on 1st October.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Kerala & Mahe, Lakshadweep and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal during 1st-2nd October, **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over Kerala & Mahe on 3rd October; North Interior Karnataka and South Interior Karnataka on 1st October; Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema during 1st-5th October.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Coastal Karnataka on 1st October.
- ❖ Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Coastal Karnataka and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal on 1st October; Kerala & Mahe during 4th-6th October; South Interior Karnataka on 1st October and on 5th October with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over Kerala & Mahe on 1st October.
- ❖ Strong Surface Winds likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema during 1st-5th October.

Weather conditions and forecast over Delhi/NCR during next 4 days (Annexure IV)

For more details, kindly refer National Weather Bulletin:

https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/all_india_forecast_bulletin.php

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

For Fishermen warning refer <https://rsmcnewdelhi.imd.gov.in/fishermenwarning.php>

Highest rainfall recorded (≥ 7 cm) (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today over different Meteorological Subdivision):

- ❖ **Mizoram:** Saiha 18
- ❖ **South Interior Karnataka:** Bangalore 14
- ❖ **Assam:** B P Ghat 9
- ❖ **Tamil Nadu:** Thummanapalli 8, Eraiyur 8
- ❖ **Nagaland:** Mokokchang 7

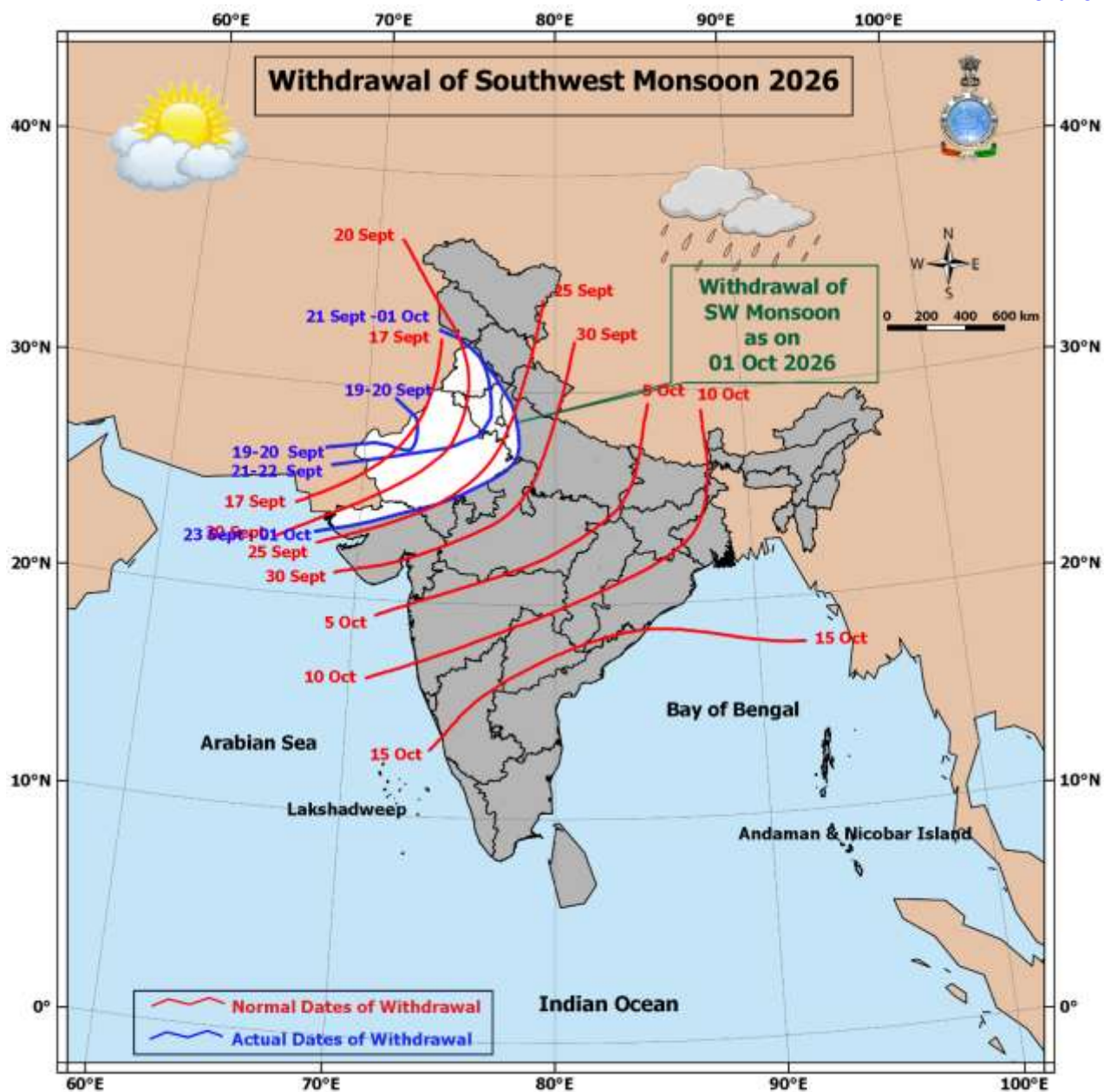
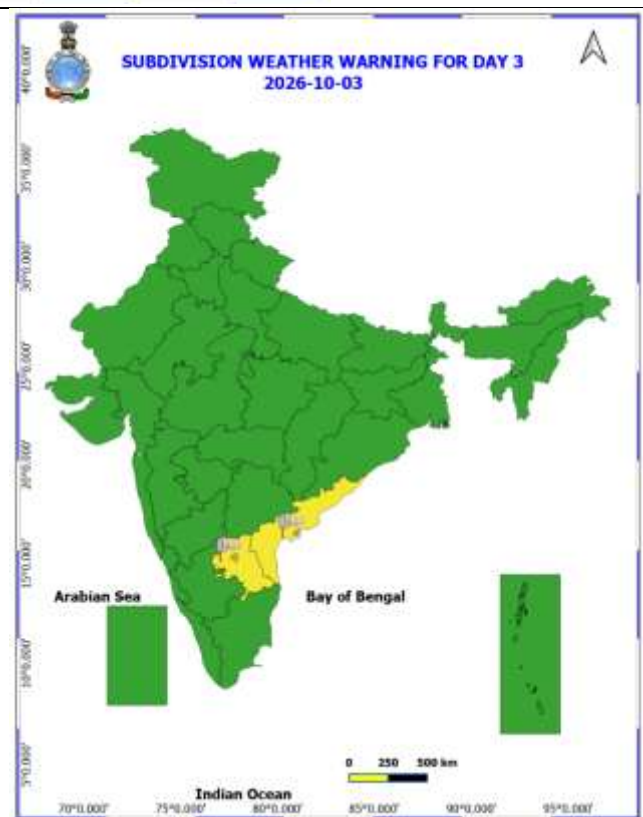
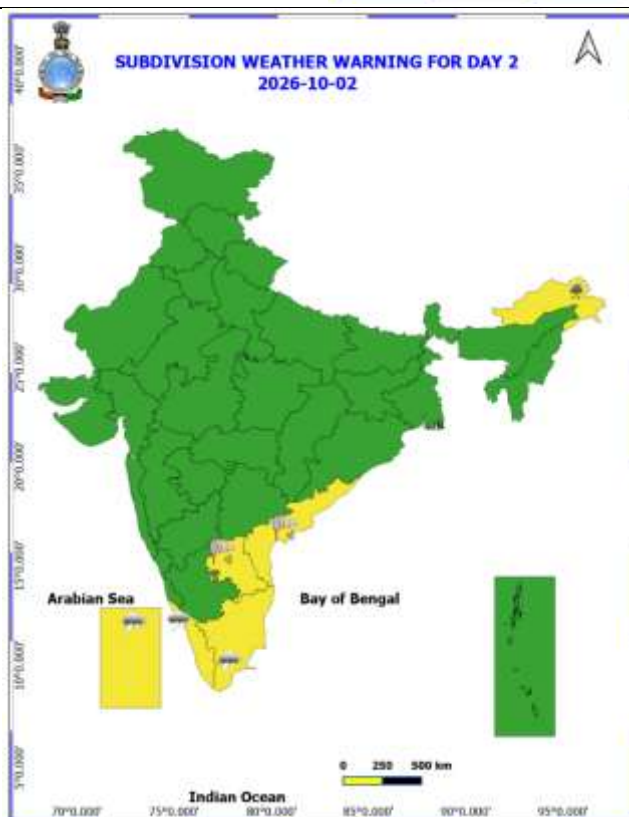
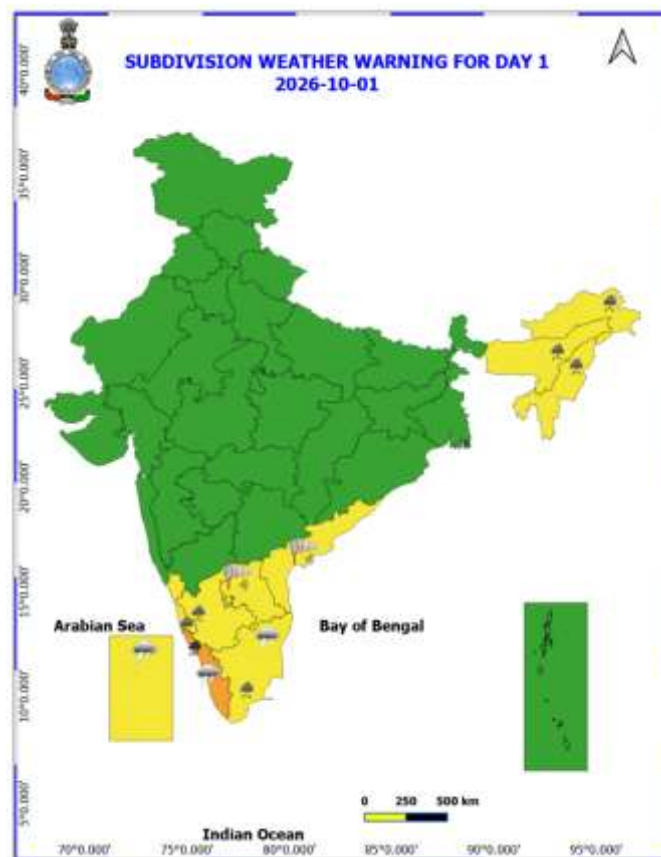
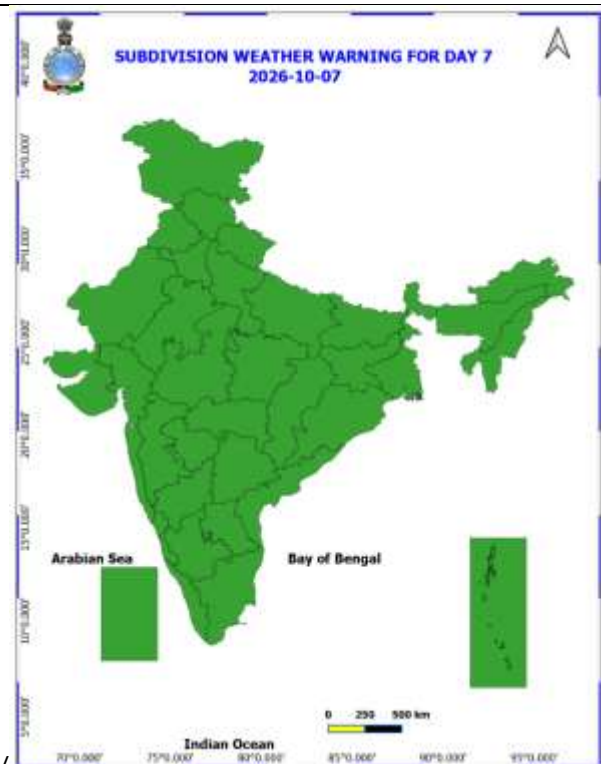
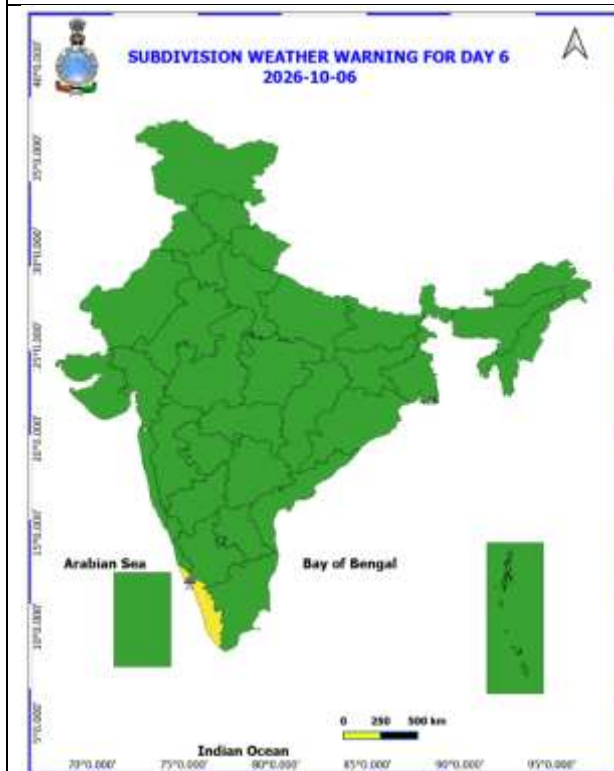
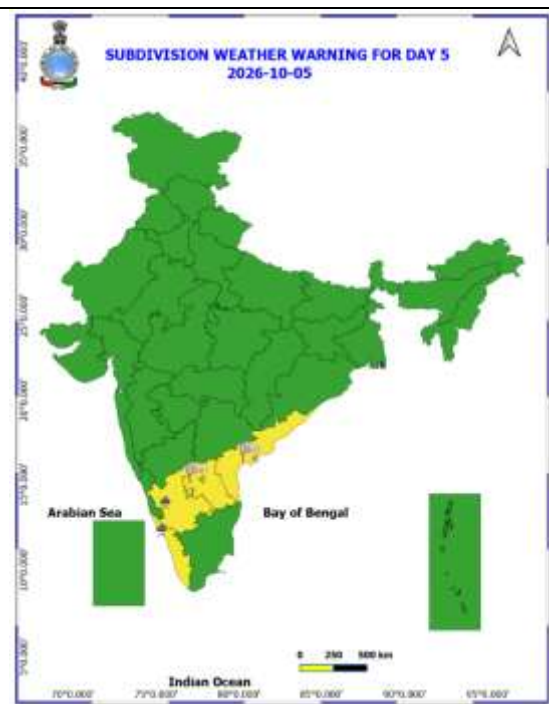
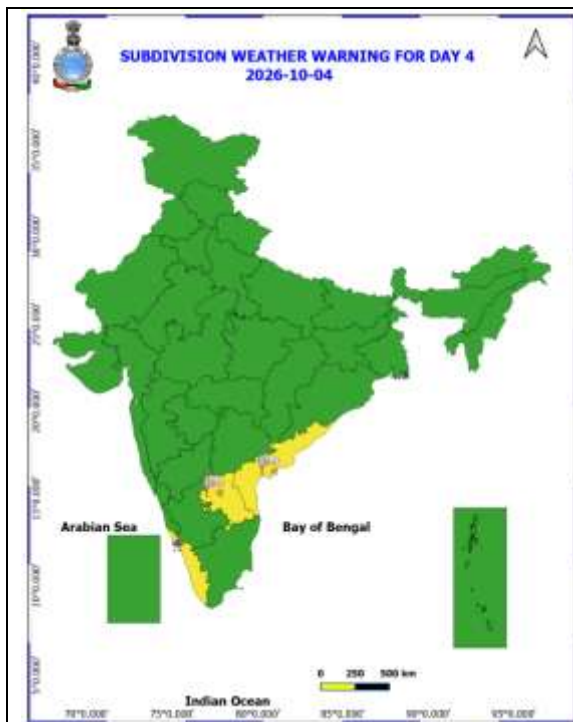


Table-1								
7 Days Rainfall Forecast								
S.No.	Subdivision	1- Oct	2- Oct	3- Oct	4- Oct	5- Oct	6- Oct	7- Oct
		Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
3	ASSAM & MEHGHALAYA	SCT	ISOL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

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.

Detailed district-wise Multi-Hazard weather warning for next five days available at
<https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php>

Weather forecast over Delhi/NCR during 01st -04th October 2026**Past Weather:**

There has been rise in maximum temperatures by 1-2°C and rise in minimum temperatures by 1-2°C over Delhi during the past 24 hours. The maximum temperatures were around 32-34°C and the minimum temperatures are in the range 20-24°C respectively during past 24 hours over Delhi. The minimum temperatures are appreciably below normal (-3.1°C to -5.0°C) at isolated places and normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) over remaining parts of Delhi. The maximum temperatures were below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C) at a few places and normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) over remaining parts of Delhi. Mainly clear sky with surface wind speed 22 kmph gusting to 36 kmph from the northwest direction prevailed over Delhi during past 24 hours. Mainly clear sky with surface wind speeds up to 20 kmph from the southwest direction likely to prevail during forenoon over the region today.

Weather Forecast:

01.10.2026: Mainly clear sky. The maximum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 33-35°C. The maximum temperatures will be near normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) at most places over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the northwest direction with surface wind speed reaching up to 20 kmph during the afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 15 kmph from the west direction during evening and night hours.

02.10.2026: Mainly clear sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 33°C to 35°C and 21°C to 23°C, respectively. The minimum temperature will be below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C) at most places, and the maximum temperatures will be near normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) at most places over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the northwest direction with wind speed reaching up to 20 kmph during the morning hours. The surface wind speed will increase becoming up to 25 kmph from the northwest direction during afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 15 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night hours.

03.10.2026: Mainly clear sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 33°C to 35°C and 22°C to 24°C, respectively. The minimum temperature will be near normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) at most places, and the maximum temperatures will be near normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) at most places over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the northwest direction with wind speed reaching up to 22 kmph during the morning hours. The surface wind speed will increase becoming up to 25 kmph from the northwest direction during afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 15 kmph from the west direction during evening and night hours.

04.10.2026: Mainly clear sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 34°C to 36°C and 23°C to 25°C, respectively. The minimum temperature will be above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) at most places, and the maximum temperatures will be near normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) at most places over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the northwest direction with wind speed reaching up to 20 kmph during the morning hours. The surface wind speed will increase becoming up to 25 kmph from the northwest direction during afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 15 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night hours.

Impact Expected and Action Suggested due to very heavy rainfall:
Isolated very heavy rainfall likely over Kerala & Mahe on 1st October.

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 kutcha 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 likely impact of Heavy Rainfall

- In **Keralam**, ensure effective drainage from paddy, banana, coconut, pepper, ginger, turmeric, vegetables and other standing crops, with priority to low-lying and waterlogged fields. Provide strong support to banana and other vulnerable crops, strengthen drainage around plantations and postpone irrigation, fertilizer application and plant-protection operations until field conditions improve.
- In **Tamil Nadu**, drain excess water from rice, sorghum, maize, black gram and vegetable fields. Undertake detrashing and propping of sugarcane and provide adequate support to banana, papaya and moringa to prevent lodging. Harvest mature paddy wherever conditions permit and keep harvested grains in dry storage.
- In **Coastal Karnataka**, maintain effective drainage in standing crop fields to prevent waterlogging and keep drainage channels clear. Provide mechanical support to banana and papaya plantations and staking to young plants and vegetables; undertake propping in sugarcane to minimise lodging.
- In **South Interior Karnataka**, maintain proper drainage in standing crop fields and remove excess rainwater promptly from low-lying areas. Postpone irrigation, intercultural operations, fertilizer and plant-protection applications while fields remain wet, and provide staking/propping support to vulnerable crops.
- In **Arunachal Pradesh**, drain excess water from rice, maize, soybean, finger millet and vegetable fields and remove mud and debris from standing crops. Harvest mature maize, cucumbers, bottle gourds and other vegetables during suitable dry intervals, and secure vegetable vines to stakes or trellises to prevent lodging.
- In **Assam and Meghalaya**, ensure proper drainage in rice, maize, soybean, pigeon pea and vegetable fields and keep drainage channels free from obstruction. Continue rice nursery operations only where field conditions permit, harvest mature jute and vegetables during suitable dry intervals, and support banana, papaya and other vulnerable plants against lodging.
- In **Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram and Tripura**, maintain adequate drainage in standing crop fields to prevent waterlogging and postpone irrigation, intercultural operations, fertilizer and plant-protection applications while fields remain wet. Harvest mature crops during suitable dry intervals and provide support to vulnerable vegetables and other standing crops.

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:

Heavy Rain:64.5115.5mm; **Very Heavy Rain:**115.6204.4mm; **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.

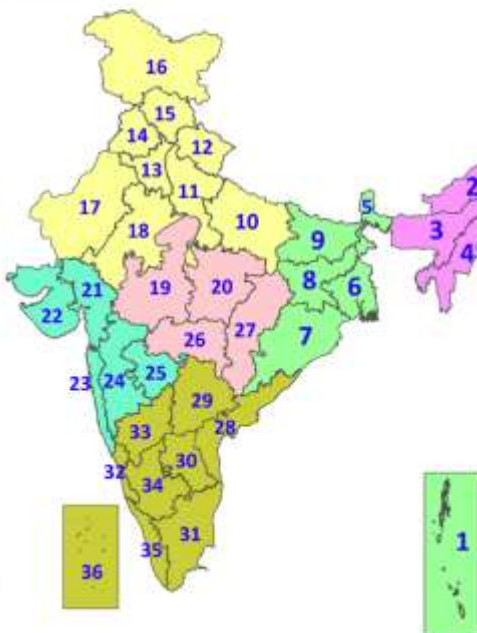
Northeast India: Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.

West India: Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, 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 द्वीपसमूह
2. अरुणाचल प्रदेश
3. असम और मेघालय
4. नागालैंड, मणिपुर, मिजोरम और त्रिपुरा
5. उप-हिमालयी पश्चिम बंगाल और सिक्किम
6. गंगीय पश्चिम बंगाल
7. ओडिशा
8. झारखंड
9. बिहार
10. पूर्वी उत्तर प्रदेश
11. पश्चिम उत्तर प्रदेश
12. उत्तराखंड
13. हरियाणा, चंडीगढ़ और दिल्ली
14. पंजाब
15. हिमाचल प्रदेश
16. जम्मू और कश्मीर और लद्दाख
17. पश्चिम राजस्थान
18. पूर्वी राजस्थान
19. पश्चिम मध्य प्रदेश
20. पूर्वी मध्य प्रदेश
21. गुजरात
22. सौराष्ट्र
23. कोंकण और गोवा
24. मध्य महाराष्ट्र
25. मराठवाड़ा
26. विदर्भ
27. छत्तीसगढ़
28. तटीय आंध्र प्रदेश और यनम
29. तेलंगाना
30. रायलसीमा
31. तमिलनाडु, पुडुचेरी और कराईकल
32. तटीय कर्नाटक
33. आंतरिक उत्तरी कर्नाटक
34. आंतरिक दक्षिणी कर्नाटक
35. केरल और माहे
36. लक्षद्वीप



1. Andaman & Nicobar Islands
2. Arunachal Pradesh
3. Assam & Meghalaya
4. Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura
5. Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim
6. Gangetic West Bengal
7. Odisha
8. Jharkhand
9. Bihar
10. East Uttar Pradesh
11. West Uttar Pradesh
12. Uttarakhand
13. Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi
14. Punjab
15. Himachal Pradesh
16. Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh
17. West Rajasthan
18. East Rajasthan
19. West Madhya Pradesh
20. East Madhya Pradesh
21. Gujarat
22. Saurashtra
23. Konkan & Goa
24. Madhya Maharashtra
25. Marathwada
26. Vidarbha
27. Chhattisgarh
28. Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam
29. Telangana
30. Rayalaseema
31. Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal
32. Coastal Karnataka
33. North Interior Karnataka
34. South Interior Karnataka
35. Kerala & Mahe
36. Lakshadweep

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)

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| Fog | Heavy Snow | Cold Wave |
| Heavy Rain | Dust Storm | Cold Day |
| Very Heavy Rain | Heat Wave | Ground Frost |
| Extremely Heavy Rain | Warm Night | |
| Thunder & Lightning | Hot Day | |
| Hailstorm | Hot & Humid | |
| Dust Raising Winds | Strong Surface Winds | |

COLOUR CODED WARNING

- No Warning (No Action)
- Watch (Be Aware)
- 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

* 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)

DEFINITION/CRITERIA

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 *
Heat Wave	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 $\geq 37^{\circ}\text{C}$
Warm Night	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 $> 6.4^{\circ}\text{C}$.
Cold Wave	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 $\leq 15^{\circ}\text{C}$
Cold Day	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 $\leq -6.5^{\circ}\text{C}$
Fog	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
Thunderstorm	Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder)
Dust/Sand Storm	An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and turbulent wind.
Frost	Ice deposits on ground Air temperature $\leq 4^{\circ}\text{C}$ (over Plains)
Squall	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
Sea State	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
Cyclone	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 118-185 kmph (64 - 89 knots) Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 186-220 kmph (90 -119 knots) Super Cyclone Storm: Wind speed > 220 kmph (> 119 knots)

* Red colour warning does not mean "Red Alert", Red colour warning means "Take Action".

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