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Subject: Under the influence of two Western Disturbances in quick succession, isolated rainfall/snowfall is likely over the Western Himalayan region on the 13th, and during 16th-17th February 2026.

Realised weather during past 24 hours ending at 0830 hours IST of today, the 11th February, 2026:

- ❖ **Dense fog (visibility 50-199 m)** conditions in isolated pockets over Himachal Pradesh and Meghalaya.
- ❖ **Visibility Reported (In Meters ≤ 200 m): Meghalaya:** Barapani (50); **Himachal Pradesh:** Bilaspur (50), Mandi (100)
- ❖ **Light to moderate rainfall/snowfall** occurred over many places over Jammu, Kashmir & Ladakh.
- ❖ **Ground frost** has been occurred over Uttarakhand.

Temperature Conditions during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today:

- ❖ **Minimum temperatures** were **0-5°C** over Himachal Pradesh & Uttarakhand; **5-10°C** over Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh, Uttar Pradesh, Jharkhand, Meghalaya, Manipur and Mizoram and **10-15°C** many places of Delhi, Central India, West and East India and over South Peninsular India except at **Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad** where it was less than 0°C.
- ❖ **Minimum Temperature Departures** were **below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C)** at few places over Uttar Pradesh, Odisha, Gangetic West Bengal, Karnataka, Marathwada, Vidarbha, Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Assam & Meghalaya, Jharkhand and **above normal (1.6°C to 3.1°C)** at many places over western Himalayan Region, West Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Konkan & Goa and **near normal** over rest parts of the country.
- ❖ The **lowest minimum** temperature of **6.2°C** was observed at **Pali (West Rajasthan)** over the plains of India.

Weather Systems, Forecast and Warnings (refer to ANNEXURE I & II):

- ❖ The **Western Disturbance** runs as a trough in middle & upper tropospheric westerlies with its axis at 5.8 km above mean sea level roughly along Long. 77°E to the north of Lat. 30°N.
- ❖ **Subtropical westerly Jet Stream** with core winds of the order of 130 knots at 12.6 km above mean sea level prevails over Northeast India.
- ❖ A **cyclonic circulation** lies over northeast Assam in lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ The **upper air cyclonic circulation** over east Equatorial Indian Ocean and adjoining southeast Bay of Bengal in lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ A **cyclonic circulation** lies over Southeast Arabian Sea off Kerala coast in lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ Two **fresh Western Disturbances** are likely to affect Western Himalayan region in quick succession, one from 13th and another from 16th February 2026.

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

- ❖ **A wet spell with isolated** rainfall/snowfall likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad during 13th, 16th and 17th; Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand on 16th & 17th and Arunachal Pradesh during 11th, 12th and 14th February
- ❖ **Isolated** rainfall with **thunderstorm, lightning** likely over Punjab and Haryana and Chandigarh on 16th & 17th February.
- ❖ Isolated to scattered light to moderate rainfall likely over Lakshadweep on 11th and isolated light to moderate rainfall likely over north Tamil Nadu, Puducherry on 13th February.

Forecast of minimum temperatures:

- ❖ No significant change in minimum temperatures likely over Northwest India for next 48 hours and gradual rise by 2-3°C for subsequent 5 days.
- ❖ No significant change in minimum temperatures likely over rest parts of the country.

Forecast of maximum temperatures:

- ❖ No significant change in maximum temperatures likely over plains of Northwest India during next 48 hours and gradual rise by 2-3°C for subsequent 5 days.
- ❖ Gradual rise in maximum temperatures by 2-3°C likely over Konkan & Goa and Coastal Karnataka during next 3 days and no significant change thereafter.

Dense Fog, Cold day Warnings:

- ❖ **Dense fog conditions** likely during morning hours at isolated places over Meghalaya till 12th and Himachal Pradesh till 13th February.

Fisherman Warning:

Fishermen are advised not to venture into the following areas during 11th February to 16th February, 2026:

- ❖ **Bay of Bengal:** Over some parts of southwest and adjoining southeast Bay of Bengal adjoining to east Equatorial Indian Ocean on 11th February; over some parts of southwest Bay of Bengal adjoining to east Equatorial Indian Ocean on 12th February.
- ❖ **Arabian Sea:** No warning.

Weather conditions and forecast over Delhi/NCR during 11th -14th February, 2026 (ANNEXURE III) For more details, kindly refer National Weather Bulletin:

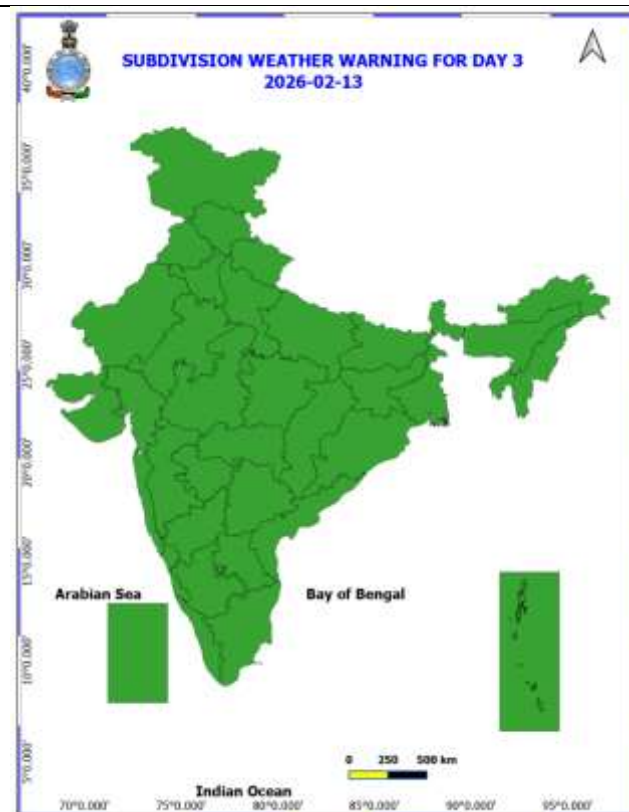
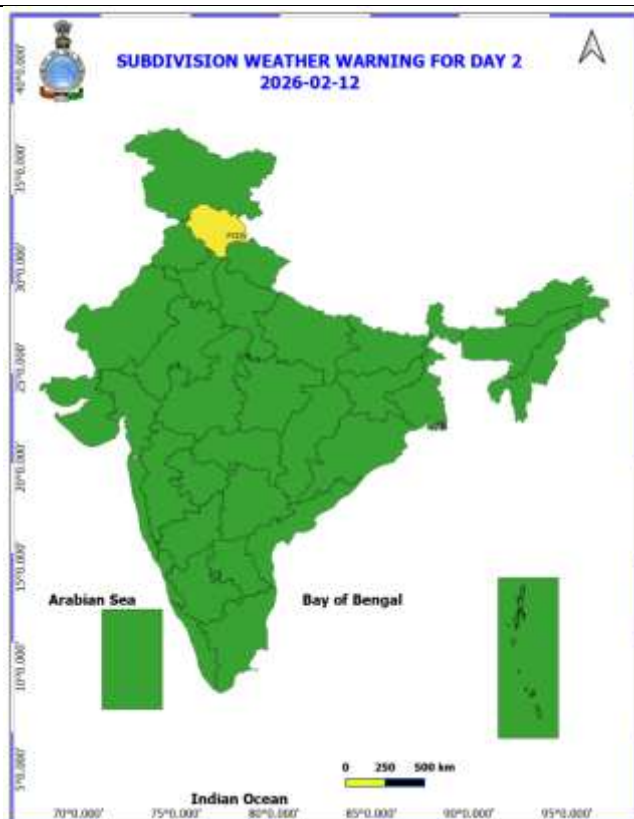
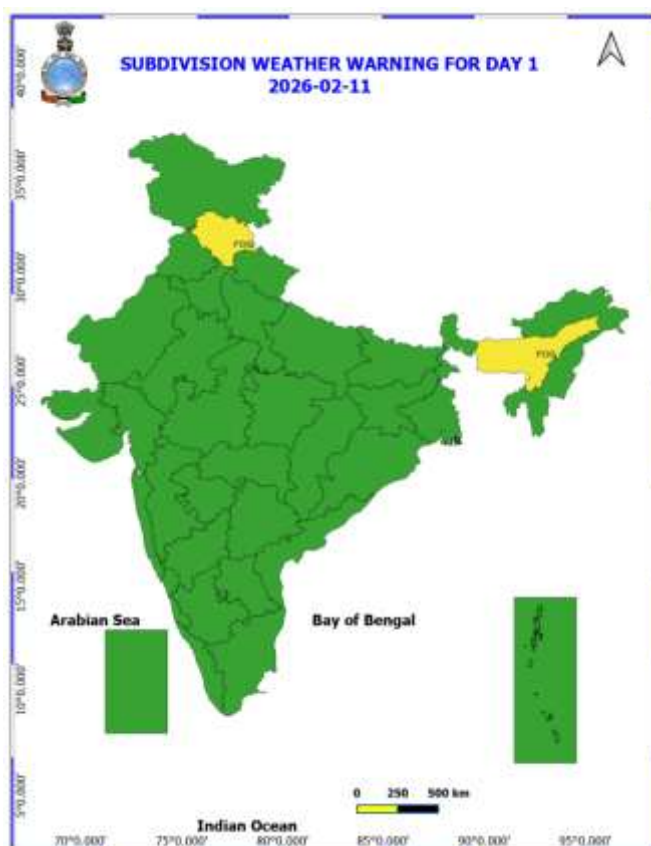
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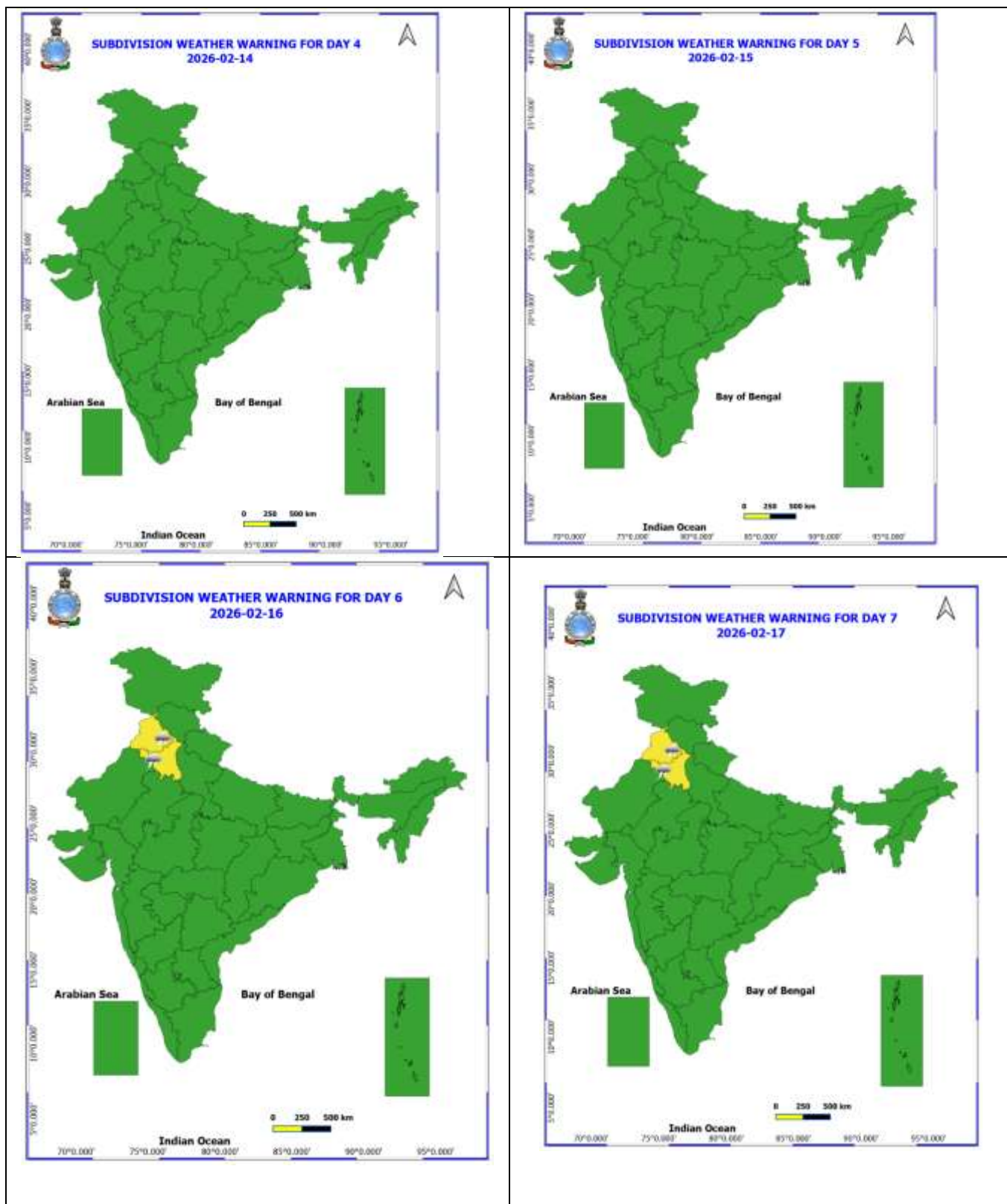
For District wise warnings refer: <https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php>

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

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

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

ANNEXURE III

Weather forecast over Delhi/NCR during 11th to 14th February 2026

Past Weather:

There has been rise in the minimum temperature up to 2°C - 3°C and rise in the maximum temperature up to 1°C - 2°C during the past 24 hours over Delhi. The maximum temperatures over Delhi were around 26°C-29 °C and the minimum temperatures are around 13°C - 14°C respectively. The minimum temperatures are appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C) at many places and above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) over remaining parts of Delhi. The maximum temperatures were markedly above normal (5.1°C or more) at isolated places, appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C) at many places and above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) at isolated places over remaining parts of Delhi. Mainly clear sky with wind speed reaching up to 15 kmph from the southeast direction prevailed over past 24 hours. Mainly clear sky. Surface wind speed reaching up to 12 kmph from the west direction to be prevailed over the region in the forenoon today.

Weather Forecast:

11.02.2026: Mainly clear sky. Mist during night. The maximum temperatures are likely to be in the range of 26°C to 28°C. The maximum temperatures will appreciably above normal (3.1 to 5.0°C) over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the northwest direction reaching up to 20 kmph during the afternoon hours. The wind speed will decrease becoming less than 15 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night.

12.02.2026: Mainly clear sky. Mist during morning hours. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 25°C to 27 °C and 11°C to 13°C, respectively. The minimum temperature will above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) and the maximum temperatures will above normal (1.6°C to 3.6°C) over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the northwest direction with wind speed reaching up to 15 kmph during the morning hours. The wind speed will increase becoming up to 20 kmph from northwest direction during the afternoon. The wind speed will decrease becoming up to 10 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night.

13.02.2026: Partly cloudy sky. Mist during morning hours. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 26°C to 28°C and 11°C to 13°C respectively. The minimum temperature will above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) and the maximum temperatures will appreciably above normal (3.1 to 5.0°C) over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the northwest direction with wind speed reaching up to 10 kmph during the morning hours. The wind speed will increase becoming up to 15 kmph from northwest direction during the afternoon. The wind speed will decrease becoming up to 10 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night.

14.02.2026: Mainly clear sky. Mist during morning hours. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the ranges of 27°C to 29 °C and 12°C to 14°C respectively. The minimum temperature will above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) and the maximum temperature will appreciably above normal (3.1 to 5.0°C) over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the west direction with wind speed up to 10 kmph during the morning hours. The wind speed will increase becoming up to 20 kmph from northwest direction in the afternoon. The wind speed will gradually decrease becoming up to 05 kmph from the west direction during evening and night.

Impact expected due to dense fog in the morning/night hours:

- ❖ **Dense fog conditions** likely during morning hours at isolated places over Meghalaya till 12th and Himachal Pradesh till 13th February.
- ❖ **Transport and Aviation:**
 - May affect some airports, highways and railway routes in the areas of met- sub-division.
 - Difficult driving conditions with slower journey times.
 - Unless taken precautionary measures, it may lead to some road traffic collisions.
- ❖ **Power Sector:**
 - Chances of Tripping of Power lines in the very dense fog routes.
- ❖ **Human Health:**
 - Lung related health impacts: Dense fog contains particulate matter and other pollutants and in case exposed it gets lodged in the lungs, clogging them and decreasing their functional capacity which increases episodes of wheezing, coughing and shortness of breath.
 - Impact on people having asthma bronchitis: Long time exposure to dense fog may cause respiratory problem for people having asthma bronchitis and other lung related health problems.
 - Eye Irritation: Dense fog contains pollutions of various types and these Pollutants in the air if exposed may tend to irritate the membranes of the eye causing various infections leading to redness or swelling of the eye.

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.

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)



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".

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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 62-67 kmph

Very Severe: Wind speed > 67 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 118-165 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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