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**Subject: i) Heat wave conditions likely to continue over Central India and likely over plains of Northwest India till 29th and East India till 26th April, 2025;
ii) Heavy rainfall spell likely to continue over Northeast India till 27th April, 2025.
iii) A fresh spell of rainfall accompanied with thunderstorms & lightning over East India from 26th April, 2025**

i. Realised weather during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today, the 23rd April 2025 (Annexure I):

- ❖ **Thunderstorm** accompanied with Squally/Gusty winds prevailed at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha, Jharkhand, Bihar, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe, Telangana, North Interior Karnataka.
- ❖ **Hailstorm** occurred at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra.
- ❖ **Heavy to very heavy rainfall** recorded at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya and **heavy rainfall** at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh and Tamil Nadu.
- ❖ **Heat wave to severe heat wave conditions** prevailed in isolated pockets of Gangetic West Bengal, Bihar, Odisha; **Heat wave conditions** in isolated pockets of East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha, Saurashtra & Kutch.
- ❖ **Hot & humid weather** prevailed in isolated pockets of Jharkhand and Saurashtra & Kutch.

For more details of realised weather, kindly refer [Annexure I](#)

Temperature:

- ❖ Maximum Temperature observations during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today are appended in [Annexure II](#).

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

- ❖ An upper air cyclonic circulation lies over east Bihar in lower tropospheric levels. A north-south trough runs from north Chhattisgarh to Gulf of Mannar in lower tropospheric levels. An upper air cyclonic circulation lies over northeast Assam and another over south coastal Tamil Nadu in lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ Under the influence of these systems:
 - ✓ **Fairly widespread to widespread** light/moderate rainfall accompanied with **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Northeast India during next 7 days.
 - ✓ **Heavy rainfall** likely over Assam & Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh during 23rd-27th; over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 23rd-26th with **very heavy rainfall** over Arunachal Pradesh on 23rd & 24th and over Assam & Meghalaya on 23rd, 26th April.

- ✓ **Isolated to Scattered** light/moderate rainfall accompanied with **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over Karnataka, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema, Kerala & Mahe, Tamilnadu Puducherry & Karaikal during next 7 days.
 - ✓ **Isolated to Scattered** light/moderate rainfall accompanied with **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over East India during 26th-28th April.
 - ✓ **Isolated hailstorm** activity likely over Jharkhand on 27th April.
- ❖ A fresh Western Disturbance is likely to affect Western Himalayan region from 24th April, 2025. Under its influence;
- ✓ **Isolated to scattered** light rainfall with **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Western Himalayan Region during 24th-26th April.

Temperature Forecast:

- ❖ Gradual rise in maximum temperatures by 2-3°C likely over Northwest India during next 7 days.
- ❖ No significant change in maximum temperatures likely over Gujarat during next 5 Days and rise by 2-3°C for subsequent 2 days.
- ❖ Gradual rise in maximum temperatures by 2-3°C likely over East India during next 2 Days and no significant change during subsequent 2 days; fall by 3-4°C for subsequent 3 days.
- ❖ No significant change in maximum temperatures likely over rest parts of the country.

Heat wave, warm night and Hot & Humid weather warning:

- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** very likely in isolated pockets over West Madhya Pradesh during 23rd-29th; West Rajasthan during 24th-29th; East Madhya Pradesh during 23rd-27th; Uttar Pradesh, Vidarbha, Bihar, Odisha, Jharkhand, Gangetic West Bengal during 23rd-26th; Punjab, Haryana & Delhi, East Rajasthan during 25th-29th; Chhattisgarh during 23rd-25th; Madhya Maharashtra and Marathawada on 24th & 25th April.
- ❖ **Warm night conditions** very likely in isolated pockets over Bihar during 23rd-25th; Odisha on 23rd & 24th and Gangetic West Bengal on 24th & 25th April.
- ❖ **Hot & humid weather** is likely to prevail over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema during 23rd-26th; Kerala & Mahe on 23rd & 24th; Gujarat State on 23rd, 24th & during 27th-29th; Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathawada on 23rd April.

iv. Weather conditions and forecast over Delhi/NCR during 23rd April to 26th April, 2025 (Annexure V)

For more details, kindly refer National Weather Bulletin:

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

For District wise warnings refer:

<https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php>

Significant weather reported during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today:

- ❖ **Light/moderate Rainfall with thunderstorm & lightning observed** at most places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya; at a few places over Kerala & Mahe, Lakshadweep, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim; at isolated places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Odisha, , Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Tamilnadu Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana and Karnataka.

Rainfall recorded (in cm):

- ❖ **Assam & Meghalaya:** Shella (dist East Khasi Hills) 15, Cherrapunji (dist East Khasi Hills) 11, Mawsynram (dist East Khasi Hills) 10, Beki Mathungari (dist Barpeta) 10, Moranhat (dist Dibrugarh) 10, Nahar Katia (dist Dibrugarh) 9, Kokrajhar (dist Kokrajhar) 9, Mawkyrwat (dist South West Khasi Hills) 9, Neamatighat (dist Jorhat) 8, Cherrapunji(rkm) (dist East Khasi Hills) 8, Mushalpur_aws (dist Baksa) 8, Sonari_arg (dist Sibsagar) 7, Sivasagar (dist Sibsagar) 7, Goibargaon (dist Baksa) 7, Margherita (dist Tinsukia) 7,
- ❖ **Tamil Nadu:** Mambzhathuraiyaru (dist Kanyakumari), Anaikedanku (dist Kanyakumari) 8 each, Adayamadai (dist Kanyakumari) 6, Colachel (dist Kanyakumari), Kamudhi (dist Ramanathapuram), Kamudhi ARG (dist Ramanathapuram) 5 each,
- ❖ **Arunachal Pradesh:** Namsai (dist Lohit) 7, Pasighat_ Aero (dist East Siang) 7, Passighat_aws (dist EastnSiang) 6,
- ❖ **Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim:** Barobhisha (dist Alipurduar) 6, Domohani (dist Jalpaiguri) 4, Amfu Pundibari (dist Cooch Behar) 4, Chepan (dist Alipurduar) 4,
- ❖ **Kerala:** Trivandrum (dist Thiruvananthapuram) 5, Vellayani (dist Thiruvananthapuram) 4,

Realised Gusty wind since last 24 hours (till 0830 hrs IST) (Max Gust in knots, time in IST)

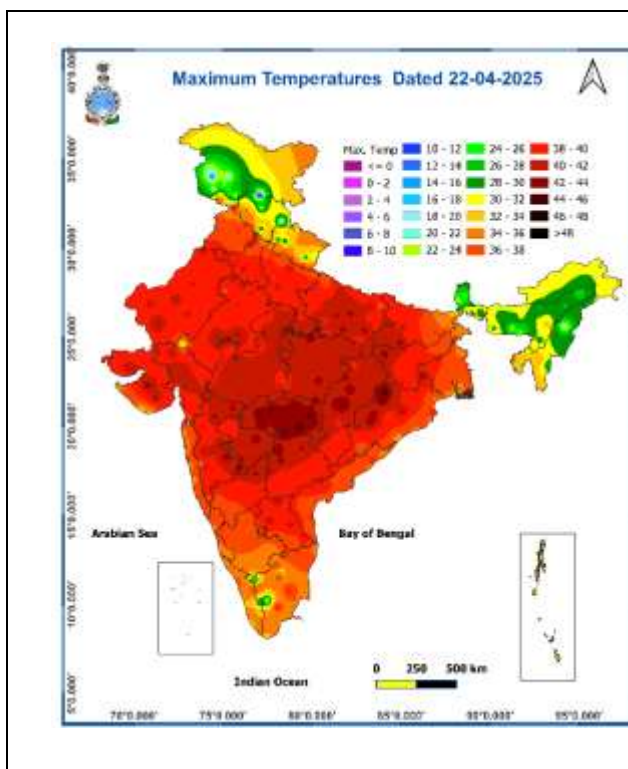
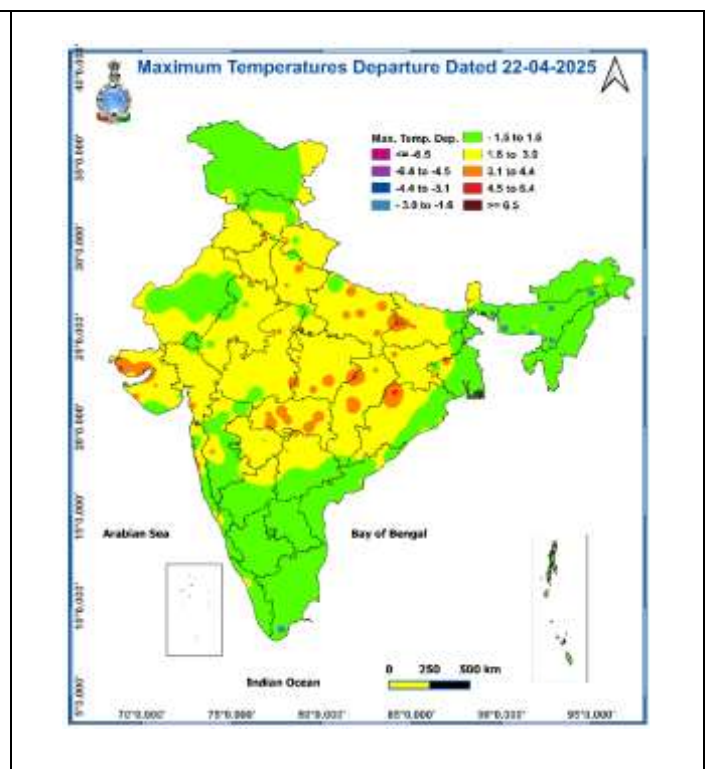
- ❖ **Madhya Maharashtra:** Rajgurunagar (20,1900), Sangli_KVK (28,1930), Kolhapur_AMFU (30,2030),
- ❖ **Chhattisgarh:** Dantewada(25,16:45), Korla(19,11:30),
- ❖ **Assam & Meghalaya:** Kamrup (21,1600), Baghmara (21,1815), Tura (25,1815), Dullavcherra(27,0245),
- ❖ **Nagaland:** Kohima(28,0100),
- ❖ **North Interior Karnataka:** Hanuman Matti(24,1030), Davanagere(24,1145),
- ❖ **Telanagana:** Sircilla(30,1200),
- ❖ **Konkan & Goa:** Colaba(19,1615),
- ❖ **J&K:** Durbuk(31,0745),
- ❖ **East U.P:** Lucknow(24,0900),
- ❖ **Arunachal Pradesh:** Longding(21,1930),
- ❖ **Kerala:** Vellanikkara(33,1330), Parambikulam(23,1115),

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

- ❖ **Yesterday**, Maximum Temperatures were in the range of 42°C to 46°C at most places over East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh; at many places over East Uttar Pradesh, Odisha; at a few places over West Madhya Pradesh, Jharkhand, Madhya Maharashtra, Saurashtra & Kutch, Telangana; at isolated places over Rajasthan, West Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Marathwada and in the range of 38°C to 42°C at most places over Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi; at many places over Punjab, Rayalaseema; at a few places over Gujarat Region, North Interior Karnataka, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal; at isolated places over Gangetic West Bengal and 35°C to 38°C at many places over Coastal & South Interior Karnataka; at a few places over Konkan & Goa, Kerala & Mahe; at isolated places over Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Tripura, Lakshadweep. **Yesterday, the highest maximum temperature of 46.2°C was reported at Jharsuguda (Odisha) over the country.**

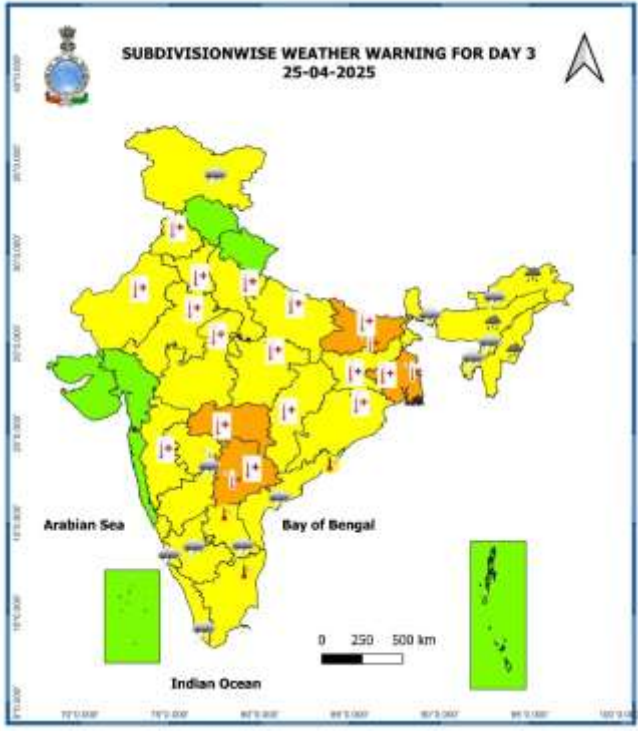
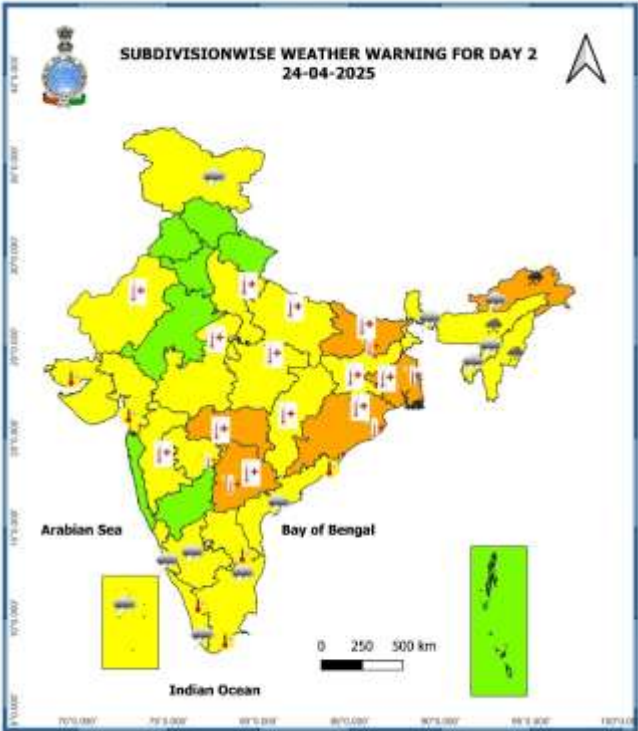
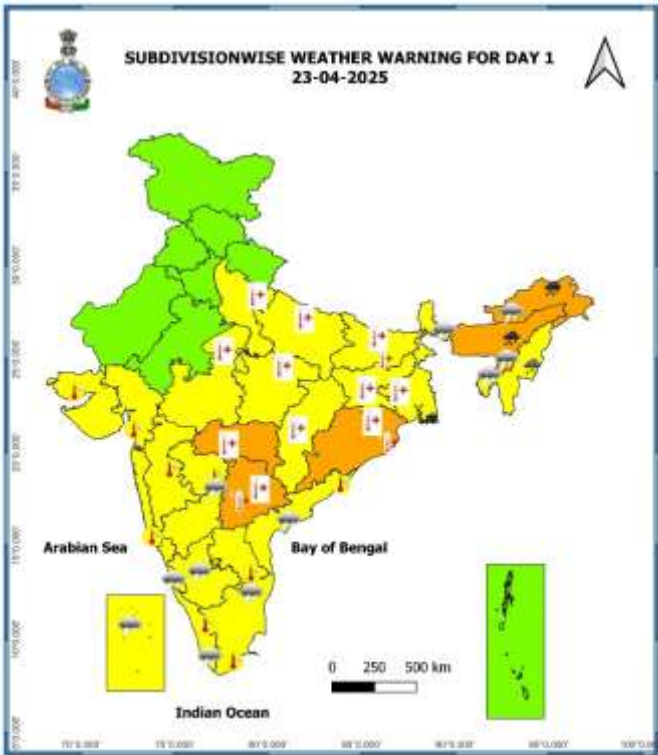
- ❖ **Yesterday**, Maximum Temperatures were appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C) at many places over Vidarbha; at a few places over East Uttar Pradesh, Saurashtra & Kutch; at isolated places over West Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Bihar; above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) at a few places over Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Punjab, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada; at isolated places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Gujarat Region, Telangana, Odisha, Gangetic West Bengal, Assam & Meghalaya. These were below normal (-3.0°C to -1.6°C) at a few places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands; at isolated places over South Interior Karnataka, Telangana, and normal over rest parts of the country. **(Fig. 2)**

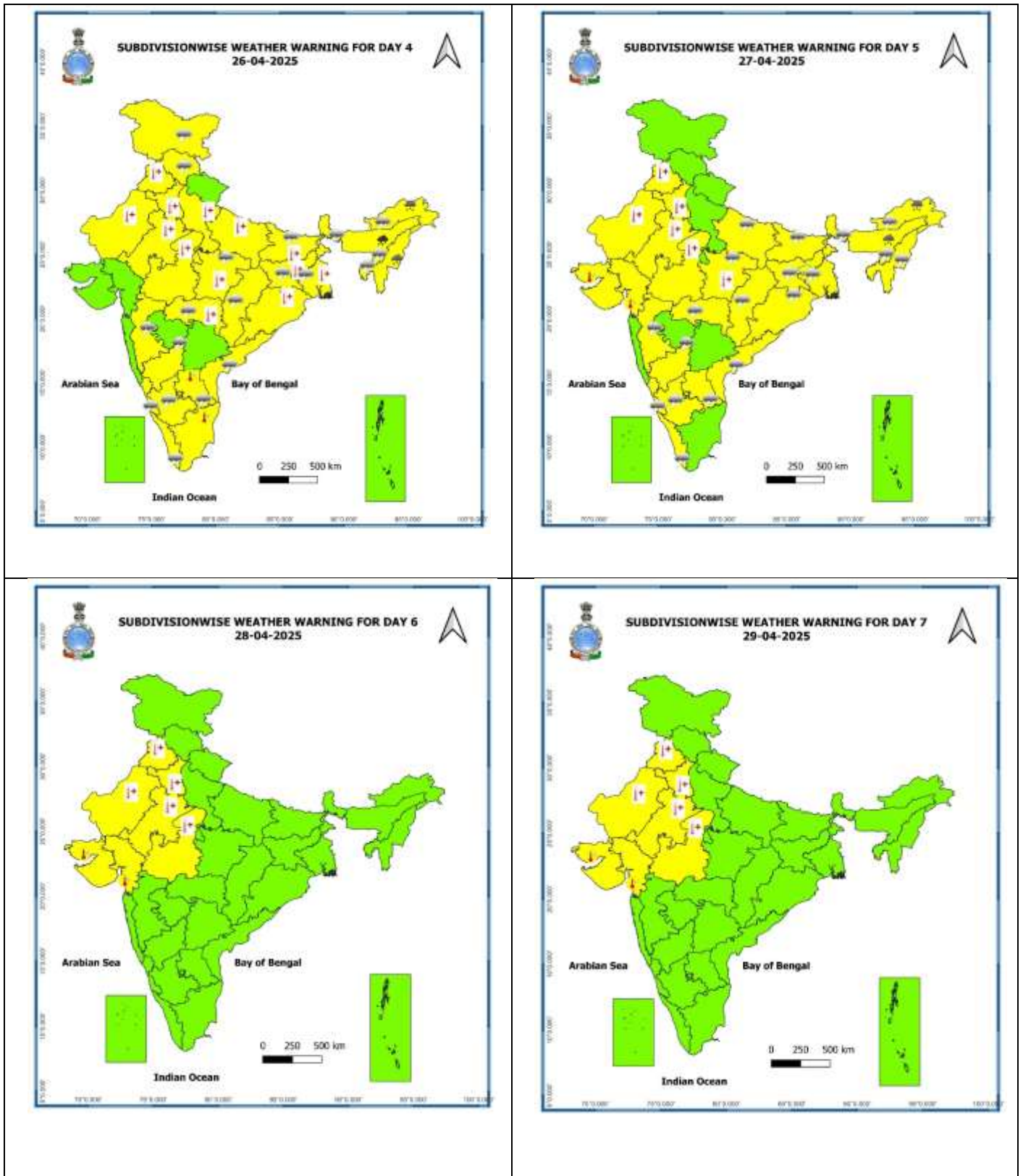
- ❖ **Yesterday**, Maximum Temperatures had risen by 3-5°C at many places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh; 1-3°C at many places over Uttarakhand, Gujarat Region, Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha, Odisha, Bihar, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep; at a few places over Rajasthan, Gangetic West Bengal, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada; at isolated places over Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Konkan & Goa, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Karnataka. They had fallen by 3-5°C at many places over Assam & Meghalaya and 1-3°C at a few places over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam at isolated places over Kerala & Mahe and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.

Fig. 1: Maximum Temperatures**Fig. 2: Departure of Maximum Temperatures**

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

- As the lead period increases forecast accuracy decreases.





- Action may be taken based on ORANGE AND RED COLOUR 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 23rd to 26th Apr. 2025

Past Weather:

There has been fall in minimum and maximum temperature upto 01°C over Delhi/NCR during the past 24 hours. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are in the range of 40 to 42°C and 18 to 22 °C respectively. The minimum temperature was below normal upto 3°C and maximum temperature was above normal upto 3°C at many places. Predominant surface wind from the southwest direction with wind speeds less than 20 kmph prevailed during the past 24 hours. Mainly clear sky conditions with wind speed less than 12 kmph from the southwest direction prevailed over the region in the forenoon today.

Weather Forecast:

23.04.2025: Mainly clear sky. Occasional sustained surface winds (speed 10-20 kmph). The maximum temperature over Delhi is likely to be in the range of 39 to 42°C. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the northwest direction with a wind speed of less than 20 kmph till evening. It would decrease becoming less than 12 kmph from the west direction during the night.

24.04.2025: Mainly clear sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 40 to 42°C and 22 to 24°C respectively. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the west direction with a wind speed of 10-12 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase thereafter becoming 18-20 kmph from the west direction during the afternoon. It will decrease becoming less than 12 kmph from the west direction during evening and night.

25.04.2025: Mainly clear sky. Occasional sustained surface winds (speed 10-20 kmph). Heat wave conditions very likely at isolated places over Delhi. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 41 to 43°C and 23 to 25°C respectively. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the west direction with a wind speed of 10-12 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming 12-16 kmph from the northwest direction in the afternoon. It will decrease becoming less than 10 kmph from the northeast direction during evening and night.

26.04.2025: Mainly clear sky becoming partly cloudy sky towards evening. Heat wave conditions very likely at isolated places over Delhi. Occasional sustained surface winds (speed 10-20 kmph). The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 41 to 43°C and 23 to 25°C respectively. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the southwest direction with a wind speed less than 12 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming 14-18 kmph from the west direction in the afternoon. It will decrease becoming less than 12 kmph from the south direction during evening and night.

Impact expected and action suggested due to isolated thunderstorm with lightning/gusty & Squally winds & Hailstorm over

- ✓ **Hailstorm over Jharkhand on 27th April.**
- ✓ **Thundersquall over Assam & Meghalaya on 23rd; Bihar on 26th & 27th and over north Interior Karnataka on 27th April.**

Impact expected:

- Breaking of tree branches, uprooting of large avenue trees. Large dead limbs blown from trees. Damage to Standing crops.
- Minor to Major damage to banana and papaya trees.
- Minor to major damage to power and communication lines due to breaking of branches.
- Strong wind/hail may damage plantation, horticulture and standing crops.
- Hail may injure people and cattle at open places.
- Partial damage to vulnerable structures due to strong winds.
- Minor damage to kutcha houses/walls and huts.
- Loose objects may fly.

Action suggested:

- People are advised to keep a watch on the weather for worsening conditions and be ready to move to safer places accordingly.
- Stay indoors, close windows & doors and avoid travel if possible.
- Take safe shelters; do not take shelter under trees.
- Do not lie on concrete floors and do not lean against concrete walls.
- Unplug electrical/ electronic appliances.
- Immediately get out of water bodies.
- Keep away from all the objects that conduct electricity.

Impact expected and action suggested due to Heat wave conditions over Central India and plains of Northwest India till 29th and East India till 26th April.

Yellow alert Areas

- Moderate temperature & heat is tolerable for general public but moderate health concern likely for vulnerable people e.g. infants, elderly, people with chronic diseases.
- Avoid heat exposure.
- Wear lightweight, light colour, loose, cotton clothes.
- Cover your head, use a cloth, hat or umbrella.

Impact & Action Suggested due to heavy to very heavy rainfall over Arunachal Pradesh on 23rd & 24th and Assam & Meghalaya on 23rd & 26th April.

Impact Expected

- ❖ Localized Flooding of roads, water logging in low lying areas and closure of underpasses mainly in urban areas of the above region.
- ❖ Occasional reduction in visibility due to heavy rainfall.
- ❖ Disruption of traffic in major cities due to water logging in roads leading to increased travel time.
- ❖ Minor damage to kutcha roads.
- ❖ Possibilities of damage to vulnerable structure.
- ❖ Localized Landslides/Mudslides
- ❖ Damage to horticulture and standing crops in some areas due to inundation.
- ❖ It may lead to riverine flooding in some river catchments (for riverine flooding please visit Web page of CWC).

Action Suggested

- ❖ Check for traffic congestion on your route before leaving for your destination.
- ❖ Follow any traffic advisories that are issued in this regard.
- ❖ Avoid going to areas that face the water logging problems often.
- ❖ Avoid staying in vulnerable structure.

Agromet advisories for likely impact of Hailstorm / Heavy Rainfall / Gusty Winds / Heat wave

- In **North Eastern States**, make provision to drain out excess water from standing crop and vegetable fields.
- In **Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Vidarbha, Uttar Pradesh, Rajasthan, Haryana, Punjab, Odisha, Bihar, Jharkhand, Gangetic West Bengal and Telangana**, apply light and frequent irrigation to standing crops, vegetables and orchards in the evening to protect them from adverse effects of heat waves and high temperatures.
- Shift the harvested produce in safer places or cover the produce with tarpaulin sheets in the fields. Tie the harvested crops properly and cover them to minimise the risk of displacement due to strong surface winds.
- Provide mechanical support to horticultural crops and staking to vegetables to avoid lodging.

Livestock / Poultry / Fishery

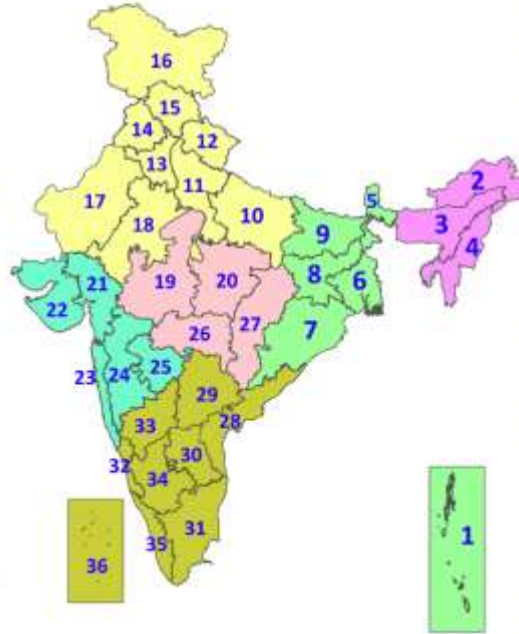
- Keep the animals inside the shed during heavy rainfall / hailstorm and provide them balanced feed.
- Store feed and fodder in a safe place to prevent spoilage.
- To reduce the effect of heat wave/high temperature, cover the roof of poultry sheds with grass. Also, provide clean, hygienic and plenty of drinking water to animals.
- Construct an outlet with proper netting around the ponds to drain out excess water, thereby preventing fish from escaping in case of overflow.

Legends & abbreviations:

- ❖ **Heavy Rain:**64.5-115.5mm; **Very Heavy Rain:**115.6-204.4mm; **Extremely Heavy Rain:** >204.4mm.
- ❖ **Obsy:** Observatory; **AWS:** 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)

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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

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DEFINITION/CRITERIA

Rain/ Snow *	<p>Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm *</p> <p>Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm*</p> <p>Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm *</p>
Heat Wave	<p>When maximum temperature of a station reaches $\geq 40^{\circ}\text{C}$ for plains and $\geq 30^{\circ}\text{C}$ for hilly regions</p> <p>(a) Based on Departure from normal</p> <p>Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal 4.5°C to 6.4°C.</p> <p>Severe Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal $\geq 6.5^{\circ}\text{C}$</p> <p>(b). Based on Actual maximum temperature</p> <p>Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature $\geq 45^{\circ}\text{C}$.</p> <p>Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature $\geq 47^{\circ}\text{C}$</p> <p>(c). Criteria for heat wave for coastal stations</p> <p>When maximum temperature departure is $>4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ from normal. Heat Wave may be described provided maximum temperature $\geq 37^{\circ}\text{C}$</p>
Warm Night	<p>When maximum temperature remains 40°C</p> <p>Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure 4.5°C to 6.4°C.</p> <p>Severe Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure $>6.4^{\circ}\text{C}$.</p>
Cold Wave	<p>When minimum temperature of a station $\leq 10^{\circ}\text{C}$ for plains and $\leq 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ for hilly regions.</p> <p>(a). Based on departure</p> <p>Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5°C to -6.4°C.</p> <p>Severe Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal $\leq -6.5^{\circ}\text{C}$</p> <p>(b) Based on actual Minimum Temperature (for Plains only)</p> <p>Cold Wave : When Minimum Temperature is $\leq 4.0^{\circ}\text{C}$</p> <p>Severe Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is $\leq 2.0^{\circ}\text{C}$</p> <p>(c) For Coastal Stations</p> <p>When Minimum Temperature departure is $\leq -4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ & actual Minimum Temperature is $\leq 15^{\circ}\text{C}$</p>
Cold Day	<p>When minimum temperature of a station $\leq 10^{\circ}\text{C}$ for plains and $\leq 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ for hilly regions</p> <p>Based on departure</p> <p>Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5°C to -6.4°C.</p> <p>Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal $\leq -6.5^{\circ}\text{C}$</p>
Fog	<p>Phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air and the horizontal visibility $< 1\text{km}$</p> <p>Moderate Fog: When the visibility between 500-200 metres</p> <p>Dense Fog: when the visibility between 50- 200 metres</p> <p>Very Dense Fog: when the visibility < 50 metres</p>
Thunderstorm	<p>Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder)</p>
Dust/Sand Storm	<p>An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and turbulent wind.</p>
Frost	<p>Ice deposits on ground</p> <p>Air temperature $\leq 4^{\circ}\text{C}$ (over Plains)</p>
Squall	<p>A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute.</p> <p>Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph</p> <p>Severe: Wind speed 62-67 kmph</p> <p>Very Severe: Wind speed >67 kmph</p>
Sea State	<p>Effect of various waves in the sea over specific area</p> <p>Rough to very rough: Wind speed 41-62 kmph (22-33 knots) & Wave height 2.5-6 metre</p> <p>High to very high: Wind speed 63-117 kmph (34-63 knots) & Wave height 6-14 metre</p> <p>Phenomenal: Wind speed >117 kmph (>63 knots) & Wave height >14 metre</p>
Cyclone	<p>Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 62-87 kmph (34-47 knots)</p> <p>Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 88-117 kmph (48-63 knots)</p> <p>Very Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 118-165 kmph (64 - 89 knots)</p> <p>Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 166-220 kmph (90 -119 knots)</p> <p>Super Cyclone Storm: Wind speed >220 kmph (>119 knots)</p>

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