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Subject: Under the influence of Depression over south Chhattisgarh and adjoining south interior Odisha, isolated extremely heavy rainfall likely over Chhattisgarh, East Madhya Pradesh and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 25th September; East Uttar Pradesh during 25th-26th; West Uttar Pradesh on 26th; Uttarakhand on 26th & 27th September 2026.

Realised weather during past 24 hours ending at 0830 hours IST of today, the 25th September, 2026:

- ❖ **Extremely heavy rainfall (≥ 21 cm)** has been recorded over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Chhattisgarh & Odisha.
- ❖ **Very Heavy rainfall (12-20 cm)** has been recorded over Coastal Andhra Pradesh.
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall (7-11 cm)** has been recorded over East Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Kerala & Mahe, Karnataka, Telangana, Gangetic West Bengal, Jharkhand, Bihar, East Uttar Pradesh, Vidarbha.

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.

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

- ❖ The **Depression** over south Odisha & adjoining south Chhattisgarh, moved north-northwestwards with a speed of 15 kmph during past 06 hours and lay centered at 0830 hrs IST of today, 25th September 2026 over south Chhattisgarh and adjoining south interior Odisha, near latitude 20.9°N and longitude 82.4°E, close to north-northwest of Nuapada (Odisha) and about 80 km east-southeast of Raipur (Chhattisgarh), 130 km south-southwest of Champa (Chhattisgarh) and 140 km south of Bilaspur (Chhattisgarh).
It is very likely to continue to move north-northwestwards and maintain its intensity of Depression during next 12 hours and weaken into a **Well Marked low pressure** area during subsequent 12 hours.
- ❖ The **Western Disturbance** as a trough in middle tropospheric westerlies with its axis in middle tropospheric level runs roughly along Long. 72°E to the north of Lat. 26°N.

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 on 25th September and on 29th September; Himachal Pradesh during 25th-26th September and during 29th September-1st October; Uttarakhand on 25th September and during 29th September-1st October.
- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over East Rajasthan and Punjab during 25th-30th September; Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi on 25th September and during 28th-29th September; West Uttar Pradesh on 25th September and during 27th-29th September; East Uttar Pradesh during 27th-30th September; West Rajasthan during 28th-29th September.
- ❖ **Fairly Widespread to Widespread** rainfall likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad on 28th September; Himachal Pradesh during 27th-28th September; Uttarakhand during 26th-28th September.
- ❖ **Fairly Widespread to Widespread** rainfall likely over Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi during 26th-27th September; West Uttar Pradesh on 26th September; East Uttar Pradesh during 25th-26th September.
- ❖ **Isolated thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad on 25th September and during 28th-29th September; Himachal Pradesh during 26th-27th September; Uttarakhand during 25th-26th September and on 28th September, **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over Uttarakhand on 27th September.

- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi and Punjab during 26th-27th September; West Uttar Pradesh on 26th September; East Uttar Pradesh during 25th-26th September, **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over West Uttar Pradesh on 25th September and on 27th September; East Uttar Pradesh on 27th September; East Rajasthan during 27th-29th September.
- ❖ Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Himachal Pradesh on 26th September and on 28th September; Uttarakhand on 25th September and on 28th September; East Uttar Pradesh, Punjab and West Uttar Pradesh on 27th September; Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi during 26th-27th September with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over Himachal Pradesh on 27th September; West Uttar Pradesh on 26th September.
- ❖ Isolated **extremely heavy rainfall** likely over Uttarakhand during 26th-27th September; West Uttar Pradesh on 26th September; East Uttar Pradesh during 25th-26th September.

Central India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over West Madhya Pradesh during 29th-30th September; East Madhya Pradesh and Vidarbha during 28th September-1st October; Chhattisgarh during 29th September-1st October.
- ❖ **Fairly Widespread to Widespread** rainfall likely over East Madhya Pradesh and Vidarbha during 25th-27th September; Chhattisgarh during 25th-28th September.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over East Madhya Pradesh during 25th-26th September; Chhattisgarh on 25th September, **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over West Madhya Pradesh on 29th September; East Madhya Pradesh during 27th-29th September; Chhattisgarh on 26th September.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Vidarbha during 25th-26th September; Chhattisgarh on 27th September.
- ❖ Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over West Madhya Pradesh on 27th September; Vidarbha on 25th September with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over West Madhya Pradesh during 25th-26th September; Chhattisgarh and East Madhya Pradesh on 26th September.
- ❖ Isolated **extremely heavy rainfall** likely over Chhattisgarh and East Madhya Pradesh on 25th September.

East India:

- ❖ **Fairly Widespread to Widespread** rainfall likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands during 25th-29th September; Bihar, Gangetic West Bengal, Jharkhand, Odisha and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim during 25th-26th September.
- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands during 30th September-1st October; Bihar, Gangetic West Bengal, Jharkhand, Odisha and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim during 27th September-1st October.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands on 25th September; Bihar during 25th-26th September; Odisha on 26th September, **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over Andaman & Nicobar Islands during 26th September-1st October; Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim during 25th-26th September; Jharkhand during 26th-27th September.
- ❖ Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Bihar, Jharkhand, Odisha and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 26th September; Gangetic West Bengal on 25th September with isolated **very heavy rainfall** also likely over Bihar, Jharkhand and Odisha on 25th September.
- ❖ Isolated **extremely heavy rainfall** likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 25th September.
- ❖ **Thundersquall (wind speed reaching 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph)** likely over Jharkhand and Odisha on 25th September.

Northeast India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 25th September-1st October; Assam & Meghalaya during 25th-29th September.
- ❖ **Fairly Widespread to Widespread** rainfall likely over Assam & Meghalaya during 30th September-1st October.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm & lightning** likely over Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 25th-26th September.
- ❖ Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Assam & Meghalaya on 25th September and on 29th September; Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 29th-30th September.

West India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over Gujarat Region, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra and Marathawada during 25th September-1st October; Saurashtra & Kutch on 25th September.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Madhya Maharashtra during 28th-30th September; Gujarat Region and Marathawada on 25th September.
- ❖ Strong Surface Winds likely over Gujarat Region and Marathawada on 25th September.

South Peninsular India:

- ❖ **Isolated to Scattered** rainfall likely over North Interior Karnataka, Rayalaseema, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Telangana during 25th September-1st October; Kerala & Mahe and Lakshadweep during 27th September-1st October; Coastal Karnataka during 26th-29th September; South Interior Karnataka during 25th-28th September; Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam during 26th September-1st October.
- ❖ **Fairly Widespread to Widespread** rainfall likely over Kerala & Mahe and Lakshadweep during 25th-26th September; Coastal Karnataka on 25th September and during 30th September-1st October; South Interior Karnataka during 29th September-1st October; Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 25th September.
- ❖ Isolated **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph)** likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema on 25th September, **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph)** likely over Kerala & Mahe during 25th-26th September and on 29th September; Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka and South Interior Karnataka on 25th September; Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema during 26th-29th September; Telangana during 25th-26th September.
- ❖ Isolated **heavy rainfall** likely over Kerala & Mahe and North Interior Karnataka on 25th September and on 1st October; Coastal Karnataka and South Interior Karnataka on 25th September and during 29th September-1st October; Telangana on 25th September.
- ❖ Strong Surface Winds likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema during 25th-29th September.

Wind warning:

- ❖ Squally wind with speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph is likely to prevail over Westcentral and adjoining Northwest Bay of Bengal & along and off Odisha-north Andhra Pradesh coasts till evening of today, 25th September and decrease gradually thereafter.
- ❖ Squally wind with speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is prevailing over Chhattisgarh and Interior Odisha, and It is likely to become 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph over the same region till today afternoon and decrease gradually thereafter.

Sea condition:

- ❖ Rough sea condition is prevailing over westcentral & northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off north Andhra Pradesh-Odisha-West Bengal coasts till evening of today, the 25th September and improve gradually thereafter.

Fishermen warnings:

- ❖ Fishermen are advised not to venture into Westcentral & adjoining northwest & southwest Bay of Bengal and along & off north Andhra Pradesh-Odisha-West Bengal coasts till next 12 hours.

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>

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

Odisha: Tentulikhunti (dist Nawarangpur) 39; Nandahandi (dist Nawarangpur) 34; Borigumma (dist Koraput) 31; Similiguda (dist Koraput), Kotpad (dist Koraput) 27 Each; Jeypore (dist Koraput) 26; Kosagumda (dist Nawarangpur), Jhorigam (dist Nawarangpur) 24 Each; Chandahandi (dist Nawarangpur) 23; Kendrapara (dist Kendrapara), Kendrapada PTO (dist Kendrapara) 21 Each; Koraput (dist Koraput), Umakote (dist Nawarangpur), Golamunda (dist Kalahandi) 20 Each; Nawarangpur (dist Nawarangpur), Raighar (dist Nawarangpur), Bandhugaon (dist Koraput), Papadahandi (dist Nawarangpur) 19 Each;

Chhattisgarh: Jagdalpur (dist Bastar) 25; Lohandiguda (dist Bastar) 23; Bastanar (dist Bastar), Nangur (dist Bastar) 22 Each; Bhanpuri (dist Bastar) 21; Tokapal (dist Bastar), Makadi (dist Kondagaon), Mardapal (dist Kondagaon) 20 Each; Bastar (dist Bastar), Keshkal (dist Kondagaon) 19 Each;

Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim: Yuksom (dist Gyalshing) 22; Darjeeling (dist Darjeeling) 14; Amfu Kalimpong (dist Kalimpong) 12; Kalimpong (dist Kalimpong), Algarah (dist Kalimpong), Lava (dist Kalimpong) 11 Each;

Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam: Chintalapudi (dist Eluru) 16; Polavaram (dist Eluru), Chintapalle (dist Alluri Sitharamaraju) 14 Each; Ichchapuram (dist Srikakulam) 13; Bobbili (dist Vizianagaram), Balajipeta (dist Parvathipuram Manyam) 12 Each; Seethanagaram (dist Parvathipuram Manyam) 11;

Bihar: Dhengbridge (dist Sitamarhi) 14; Baltara (dist Khagaria) 12; Jhanjharpur (dist Madhubani) 11; Bagaha (dist West Champaran), Khagadia (dist Khagaria) 10 Each;

Kerala & Mahe: Kudulu (dist Kasargod) 11; Muliya AWS (dist Kasargod) 8; Vadakara (dist Kozhikode), Bayar AWS (dist Kasargod) 7 Each; Tellichery (dist Cannur), Hosdurg (dist Kasargod), Pinarayi AWS (dist Cannur), Panathur AWS (dist Kasargod),

South Interior Karnataka: Agumbe AWS (dist Shivamogga) 11; Uchangidurga (dist Davangere) 7; Sampaje (dist Kodagu) 6;

North Interior Karnataka: Guttal (dist Haveri) 7

Telangana: Sathupalle (dist Khammam) 11; Wyra Kvk(agro) (dist Khammam) 9; Thollada (dist Khammam) 8; Madhira (dist Khammam), Jainoor (dist Kumaram Bheem) 7 Each;

Coastal Karnataka: Mangaluru (dist Dakshina Kannada) 9; Kota (dist Udupi) 8; Sulya (dist Dakshina Kannada) 7; Siddapura (dist Udupi),

Gangetic West Bengal: Mohanpur (dist West Midnapore) 9; Midnapore(CWC) (dist West Midnapore) 8; Kalyani Smo (dist Nadia), Narayanpur (dist Birbhum), Midnapore (dist West Midnapore) 7 Each;

East Uttar Pradesh: Kakrahi (dist Siddharth Nagar), Tulasipur (dist Balrampur), Kaiserganj (dist Bahraich), Basti CWC (dist Basti), Kakardharighat (dist Shrawasti) 8 Each; Balrampur(t) (dist Balrampur), Uska Bazar Fmo (dist Siddharth Nagar), Gonda CWC (dist Gonda), Bansi Tehsil (dist Siddharth Nagar), Bansi CWC (dist Siddharth Nagar) 7 Each;

Jharkhand: Saraikela 9, Purvi Tundi (dist Dhanbad), Bhurkunda (dist Ramgarh) 8 Each; Putki (dist Dhanbad), Torpa (dist Khunti), Ramgarh (dist Ramgarh), Ghatsila (dist East Singbhum), Majhgaon (dist West Singbhum), Potka (dist East Singbhum), Sadar Chaibasa (dist West Singbhum) 7 Each;

East Madhya Pradesh: Amarpatan (dist Maihar) 7; Manpur (dist Umaria), Jaisingh Nagar (dist Shahdol), Vijayraghgarh (dist Katni), Unchehra (dist Satna), Gaurihar (dist Chhatarpur) 5 Each;

Vidarbha: Dhanora (dist Gadchiroli), Korchi (dist Gadchiroli) 7 Each; Kurkheda (dist Gadchiroli), Deori (dist Gondia), Bhamragad (dist Gadchiroli), Etapalli (dist Gadchiroli) 5 Each;

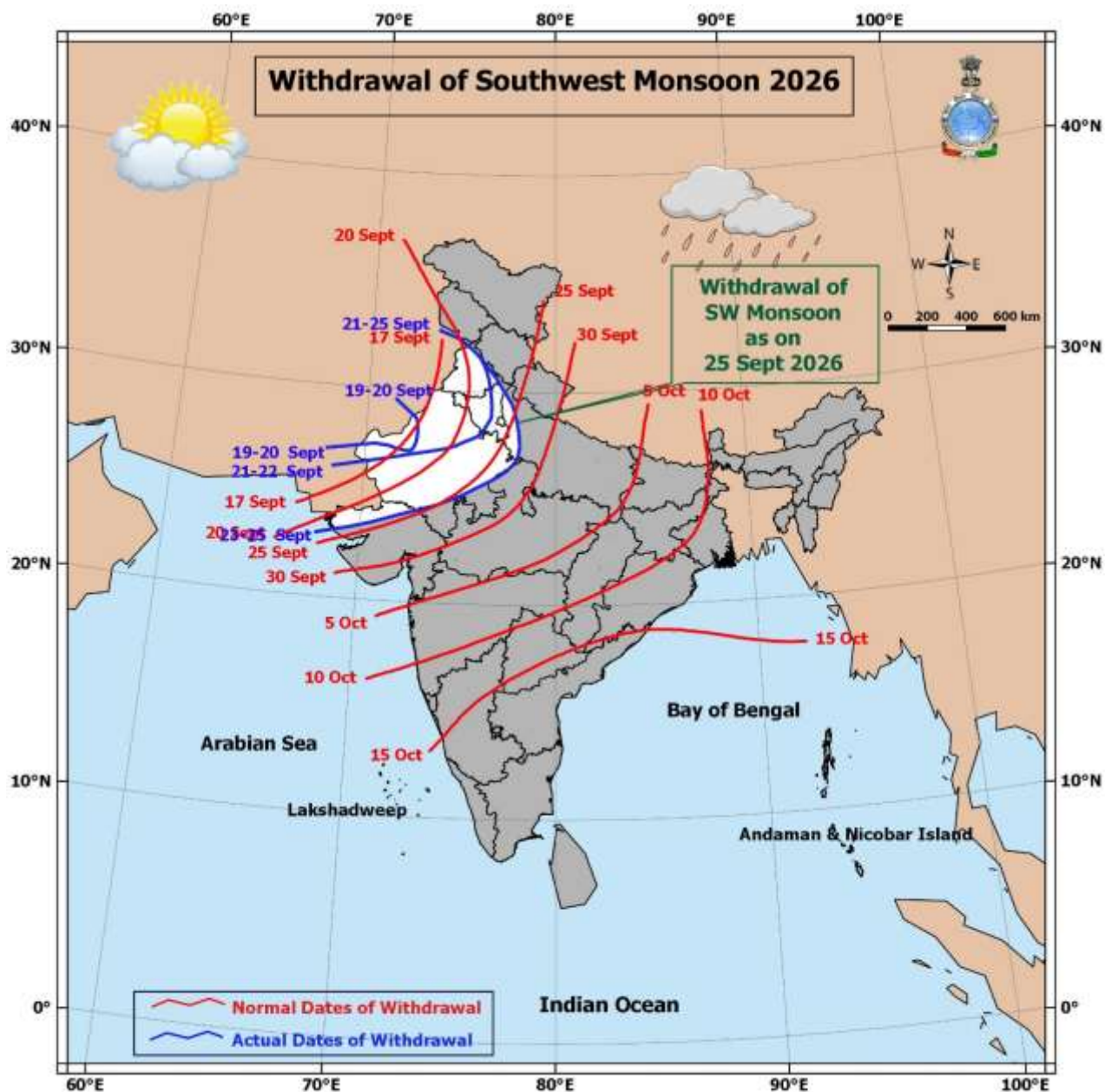
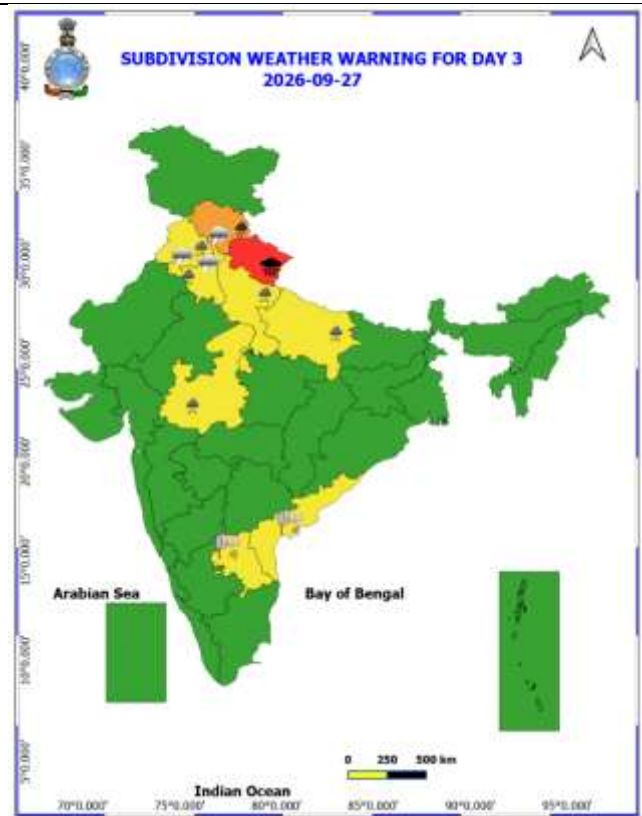
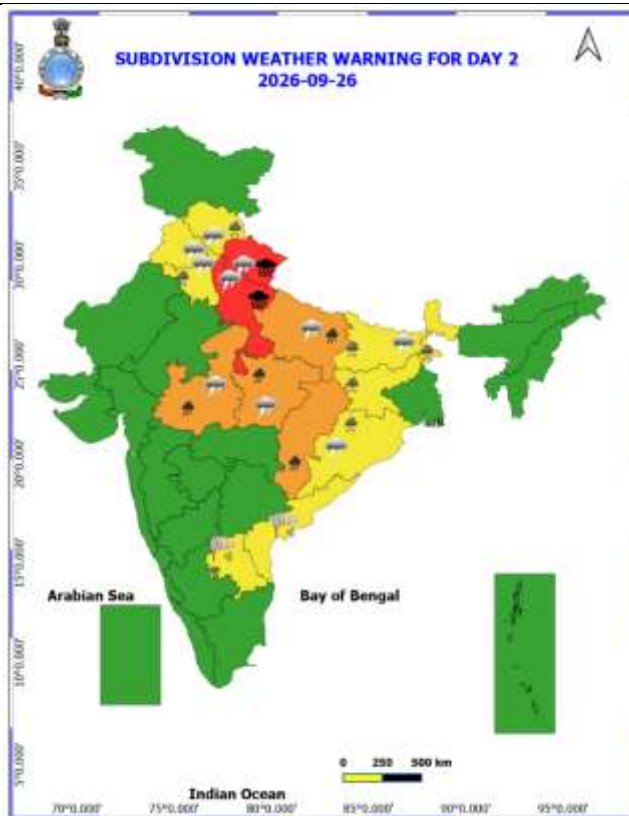
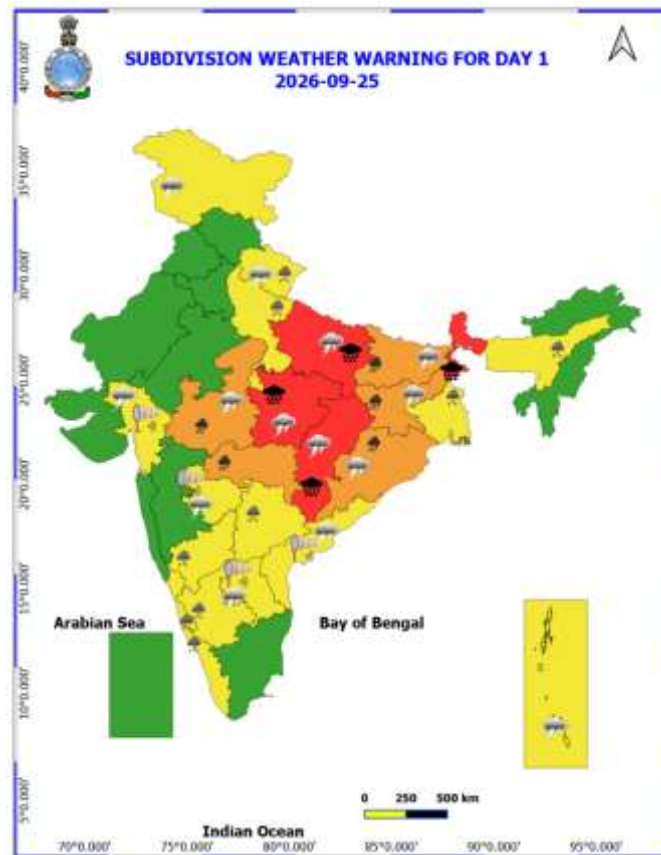
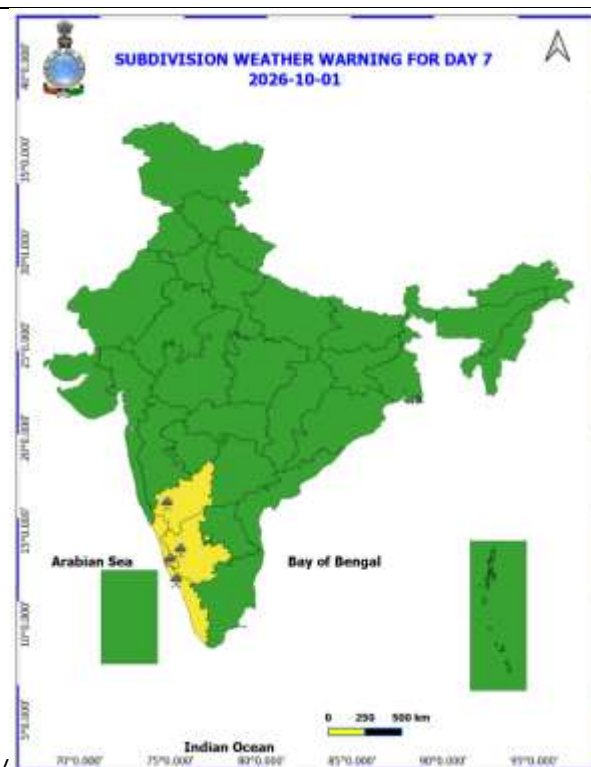
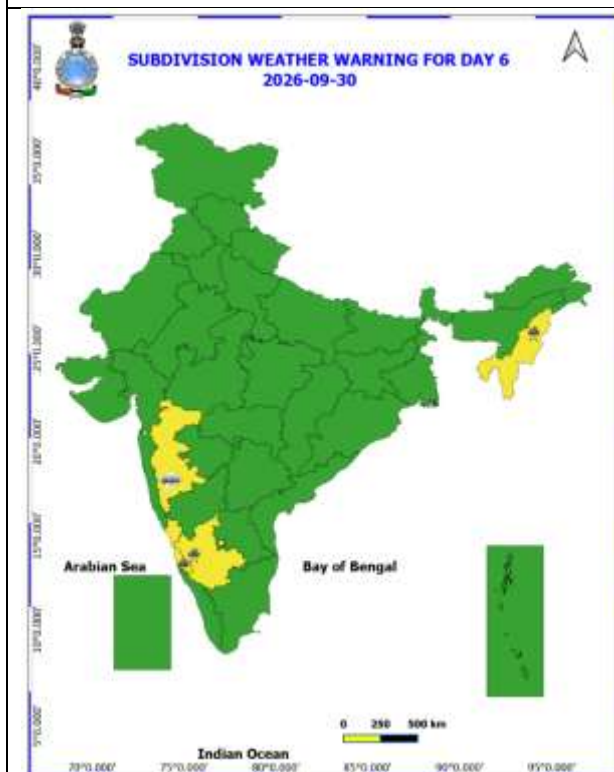
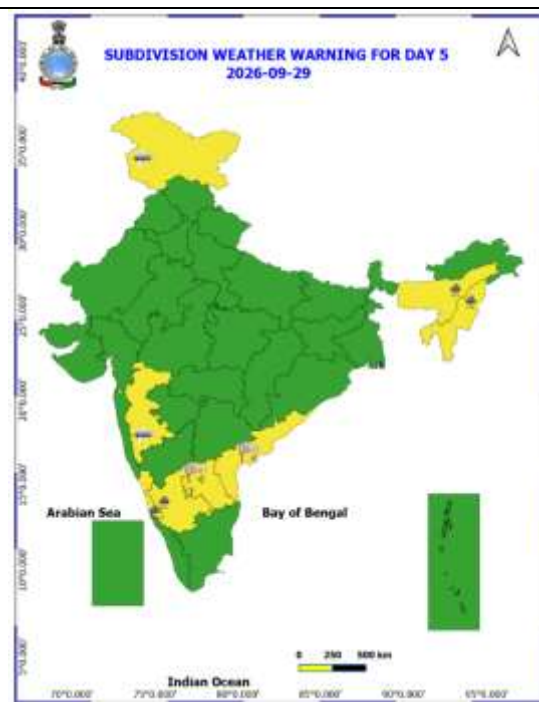
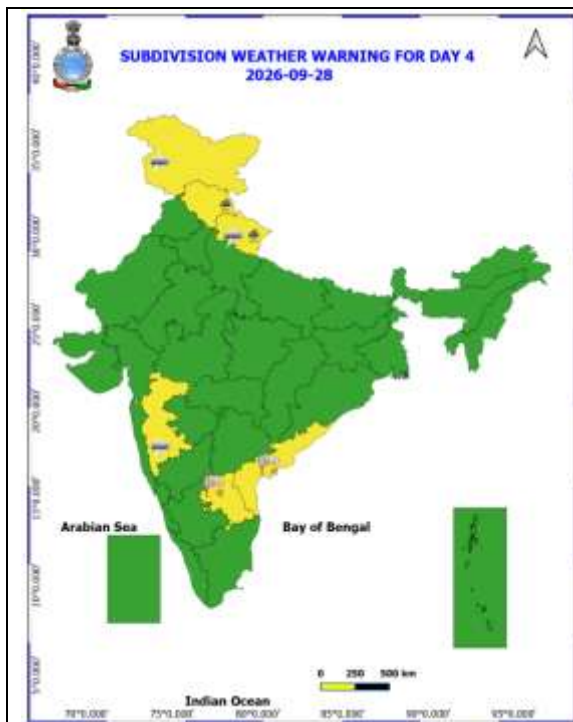


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7 Days Rainfall Forecast								
S.No.	Subdivision	25- Sep	26- Sep	27- Sep	28- Sep	29- Sep	30- Sep	1- Oct
		Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT
3	ASSAM & MEHGHALAYA	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT	FWS	FWS
4	NAGALAND, MANIPUR, MIZORAM AND TRIPURA	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
5	SUB HIMALAYAN WEST BENGAL & SIKKIM	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
6	GANGETIC WEST BENGAL	ISOL	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
7	ODISHA	ISOL	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
8	JHARKHAND	ISOL	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
9	BIHAR	ISOL	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
10	EAST UTTAR PRADESH	ISOL	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	DRY
11	WEST UTTAR PRADESH	SCT	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	DRY
12	UTTARAKHAND	SCT	SCT	ISOL	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL
13	HARYANA, CHANDIGARH & DELHI	SCT	FWS	FWS	SCT	ISOL	DRY	DRY
14	PUNJAB	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	ISOL	DRY
15	HIMACHAL PRADESH	ISOL	SCT	FWS	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL
16	JAMMU AND KASHMIR AND LADAKH	ISOL	DRY	DRY	FWS	ISOL	DRY	DRY
17	WEST RAJASTHAN	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	DRY
18	EAST RAJASTHAN	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	DRY
19	WEST MADHYA PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	DRY
20	EAST MADHYA PRADESH	ISOL	SCT	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
21	GUJRAT REGION	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
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	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
26	VIDARBHA	ISOL	FWS	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
27	CHHATTISGARH	ISOL	ISOL	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT
28	COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH	FWS	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
29	TELANGANA	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
30	RAYALASEEMA	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
31	TAMILNADU & PUDUCHERRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
32	COSTAL KARNATAKA	ISOL	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	FWS	FWS
33	NORTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT	SCT
34	SOUTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	FWS	FWS	FWS
35	KERALA AND MAHE	FWS	FWS	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT	SCT
36	LAKSHADWEEP	FWS	FWS	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 25th -28th September 2026**Past Weather:**

There has been fall in maximum temperatures by 1°C and in minimum temperatures by 1-2°C over Delhi during the past 24 hours. The maximum temperatures were around 34-36°C and the minimum temperatures are in the range 21-24°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, below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C) at isolated places and normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) over remaining parts of Delhi. The maximum temperatures were above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) at isolated places and normal (-1.5°C to 1.5°C) over remaining parts of Delhi. Mainly clear sky with surface wind speed 20 kmph from the southeast direction prevailed over Delhi during past 24 hours. Mainly clear sky with surface wind speeds up to 25 kmph from the southeast direction likely to prevail during forenoon over the region today.

Weather Forecast:

25.09.2026: Partly cloudy sky becoming generally cloudy sky towards afternoon with surface wind speed reaching 20-30 kmph occasionally gusting to 40 kmph during the day. 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 southeast direction with surface wind speed reaching up to 22 kmph during the afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 20 kmph from the southeast direction during evening and night hours.

26.09.2026: Generally cloudy sky. A spell of very light to light rain at many places with moderate rain at isolated places towards afternoon/evening accompanied with thunderstorm/lightning and strong surface winds (speed 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph). The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 32°C to 34°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 many places with below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C) at isolated places over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the southeast direction with wind speed reaching up to 15 kmph during the morning hours. The surface wind speed will increase becoming up to 25 kmph from the southeast direction during afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 20 kmph from the south direction during evening and night hours.

27.09.2026: Generally cloudy sky. One or two spells of very light to light rain at most places with moderate rain at a few places during morning to forenoon accompanied with thunderstorm/lightning and strong winds (speed 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph). Another spell of very light to light rain at many places with moderate rain at isolated places during afternoon to evening. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 30°C to 32°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 below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C) at many places with appreciably below normal (-3.1°C to -5.0°C) over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the southeast 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 southeast direction during afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 20 kmph from the southeast direction during evening and night hours.

28.09.2026: Generally cloudy sky. A spell of very light rain at isolated places towards early morning. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 31°C to 33°C and 21°C to 23°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 below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C) at most places over Delhi. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from the southeast direction with wind speed reaching up to 15 kmph during the morning hours. The surface wind speed will increase becoming up to 20 kmph from the northeast direction during afternoon. The surface wind speed will decrease becoming up to 15 kmph from the northeast direction during evening and night hours.

Impact Expected and Action Suggested due to very heavy rainfall:

Isolated extremely heavy rainfall likely over Chhattisgarh and East Madhya Pradesh; over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 25th September; East Uttar Pradesh during 25th-26th; West Uttar Pradesh on 26th September 2026.

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 **Gangetic West Bengal**, ensure immediate drainage of excess water from rice, jute and vegetable fields, particularly in low-lying and water-accumulation areas. Strengthen bunds around rice nurseries, keep drainage channels clear and harvest mature crops, tea leaves and vegetables during rain-free intervals, storing the produce in safe, dry places.
- In **Sub-Himalayan West Bengal**, maintain proper drainage in rice and finger millet nurseries, ginger, tomato, brinjal, chilli and other vegetable fields to prevent prolonged waterlogging. Keep field channels clear, harvest mature crops and vegetables during dry intervals and strengthen vulnerable crop structures where required.
- In **East Uttar Pradesh**, ensure proper drainage in rice, maize, sesame, pigeon pea and other standing crops to prevent waterlogging. Postpone irrigation, intercultural operations, fertilizer and plant-protection applications until field conditions become suitable.
- In **East Madhya Pradesh**, drain excess water from soybean, cotton, maize and sugarcane fields and avoid field operations while soils remain saturated. Harvest mature urad and moong promptly during suitable weather and store the produce in safe, dry places; provide support to young fruit plants and prop tall sugarcane to minimise lodging.
- In **Odisha**, immediately drain excess water from rice, maize, millets, ginger, turmeric, vegetables, pulses and orchards, with priority to low-lying and waterlogged fields. Keep field drains and outlets clear, protect vegetable nurseries, maintain functional field bunds and provide staking/support to vegetables and newly planted banana to minimise lodging and crop damage.
- In **Chhattisgarh**, maintain continuous and effective drainage in rice, maize, groundnut, minor millets, pulses and vegetables. Keep drainage channels clear, particularly in low-lying maize, ginger and turmeric fields, remove stagnant water promptly and provide staking/support to vulnerable vegetable crops.
- In **Uttarakhand**, maintain effective drainage in sugarcane, maize and other standing crops and keep drainage channels clear. Avoid irrigation where rainfall is adequate and provide support to tall crops and vegetables to prevent lodging.

- In **Jharkhand**, maintain effective drainage in maize, pigeon pea, vegetables and other standing crop fields and keep drainage channels clear to prevent prolonged water stagnation. Protect vegetable seedlings and shift harvested produce to safe, dry places.
- In **West Uttar Pradesh**, ensure proper drainage in standing crop fields and vegetables to prevent waterlogging. Postpone irrigation, intercultural operations, fertilizer and plant-protection applications during wet conditions and provide staking/support to young plants, vegetables and horticultural crops.
- In **West Madhya Pradesh**, ensure proper drainage in soybean, cotton, maize and sugarcane fields and avoid unnecessary irrigation or field operations under saturated conditions. Provide support to vulnerable plants and undertake propping in tall sugarcane to minimise lodging.
- In **Bihar**, maintain continuous drainage in rice, maize, pigeon pea, low-lying sugarcane and other standing crop fields to prevent water stagnation. Postpone irrigation, fertilizer, pesticide and other field operations until soil conditions become suitable.
- In **Karnataka**, maintain effective drainage in standing crop fields and postpone intercultural, fertilizer and plant-protection operations during wet conditions. Harvest mature green gram, black gram and soybean wherever conditions permit, shift the produce to safe covered storage and provide staking/propping support to vulnerable crops.
- In **Telangana**, ensure adequate drainage in rice, cotton, green gram, black gram, red gram, vegetables and orchards to prevent water stagnation. Provide staking/support to vulnerable crops, keep harvested produce in safe, dry places and postpone fertilizer and plant-protection operations until weather and field conditions become suitable.
- In **Assam and Meghalaya**, maintain effective drainage in rice, sesame, ginger, green gram, black gram and other crops, keeping field channels open to prevent waterlogging. Harvest mature jute, banana and bottle gourd during suitable dry intervals and keep harvested produce safe and dry
- In **Kerala**, ensure effective drainage in banana, black pepper, coconut, ginger and turmeric fields following the recent rainfall and provide strong support to banana plants and trellis-grown crops. Postpone all field operations until rainfall ceases and soil conditions become suitable.



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.

Flash Flood Guidance:

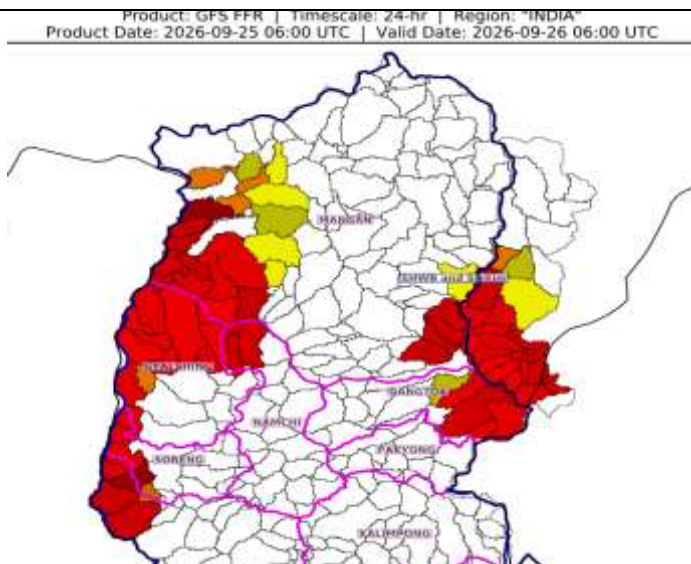
Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 1130 IST of 26-09-2026: Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of following Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours. Jharkhand: Bokaro, Chatra, Dhanbad, East Singhbhum, Giridih, Gumla, Hazaribag, Khunti, Koderma, Latehar, Lohardaga, Palamu, Ramgarh, Ranchi, Seraikela-Kharsawan, Simdega and West Singhbhum districts Odisha: Mayurbhanj, Keonjhar, Balasore, Bhadrak, Kendrapara, Jajpur, Dhenkanal, Cuttack, Jagatsinghpur, Khurda, Puri, Angul, Deogarh, Balangir, Bargarh, Gajapati, Nawapara, Nawarangpur and Rayagada districts Gangetic West Bengal: Purulia, Jhargram, Bankura and West Midnapore districts Low to Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of following Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours. East Madhya Pradesh: Balaghat, Anuppur, Dindori, Mandla, Shahdol, Umaria, Jabalpur, Katni, Maihar and Satna districts Chhattisgarh: Narayanpur, Kondagaon, Kanker, Bastar, Balod, Dhamtari, Gariaband, Mohala Manpur Chowki, Mahasamund, Raipur, Baloda Bazar, Bemetara, Kabirdham, Mungeli, Korba, Raigarh, Gaurela Pendra Marwahi, Jashpur, Surguja, Koriya, Surajpur and Manendragarh-Bharatpur 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.	Product: NCUM FFR Timescale: 24-hr Region: "INDIA" Product Date: 2026-09-25 06:00 UTC Valid Date: 2026-09-26 06:00 UTC
Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 1130 IST of 26-09-2026: Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of following Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours. East Uttar Pradesh: Azamgarh, Ballia, Ghazipur, Mau, Maharajganj, Kushi Nagar, Deoria, Gorakhpur, Sant Kabir Nagar, Siddharth Nagar, Basti, Balrampur, Ambedkar Nagar, Pratapgarh, Sultanpur, Ayodhya, Gonda, Shrawasti, Sitapur, Kheri, Bahraich, Hardoi, Lucknow, Unnao, Rae Bareilly, Barabanki, Amethi, Fatehpur, Kanpur City, Banda, Kaushambi and Chitrakoot districts Bihar: Arwal, Buxar, Bhojpur, Patna, Saran, Siwan, Gopalganj and West Champaran 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.	Product: GFS FFR Timescale: 24-hr Region: "INDIA" Product Date: 2026-09-25 06:00 UTC Valid Date: 2026-09-26 06:00 UTC

Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 1130 IST of 26-09-2026:

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

Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim: Gyalshing, Soreng, Mangan and Gangtok and Darjeeling 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.



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.

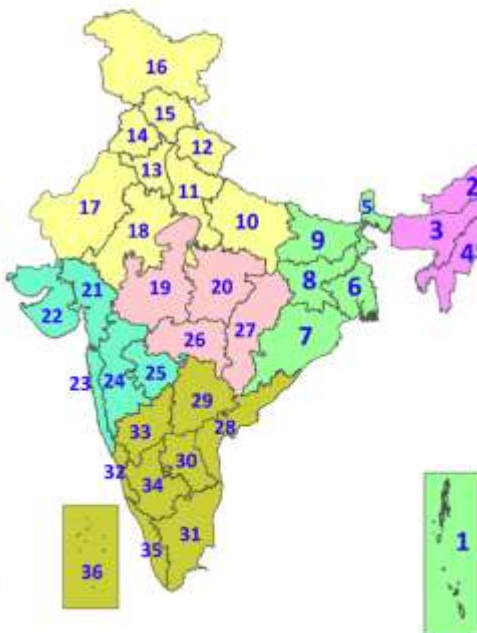
Northeast India: Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.

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
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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 *	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)

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