

भारत सरकार भारतीय हवामानशास्त्र विभाग प्रादेशिक हवामानशास्त्र केंद्र, कुलाबा, मुंबई - 400005 द्रध्वनी : 22150517/22174707



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Date of Issue: 19April 2024

# **Current Temperature Status and Heat Wave Warnings**

### **Observed Temperature:**

Subdivision	Temperature (Deg C) (Based on 12 UTC 18/04/2024)		Temperature (Deg C) (Based on 03 UTC 19/04/2024)	
	Maximum	Departure	Minimum	Departure
North Konkan	33-36	Above Normal	26-29	Above Normal
South Konkan- Goa	34-35	Above Normal	25-28	Above Normal
North Madhya Maharashtra	41-43	Above Normal	24-28	Appreciably Above Normal
South Madhya Maharashtra	39-44	Normal	22-27	Above Normal
Marathwada	39-43	Above Normal	26-29	Normal

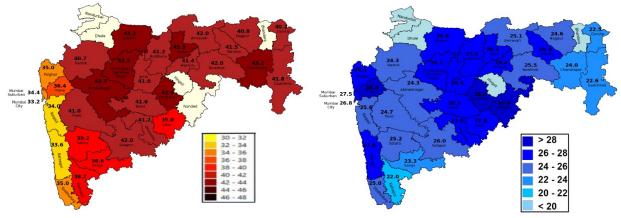
### Heat wave/ Warm night conditions observed:

Subdivision	Heat Wave	Warm Night
Konkan- Goa	Nil	Nil
Madhya Maharashtra	Nil	Nil
Marathwada	Nil	Nil

### **Observed Maximum & Minimum Temperature:**

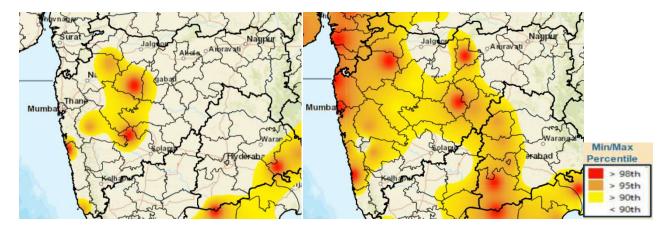
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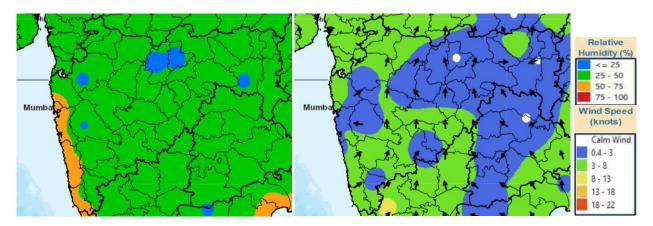




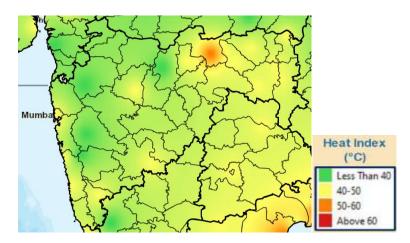
#### **ObservedPercentile Map of Maximum and Minimum Temperature:**

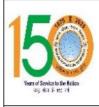


**ObservedRelative Humidity: Observed Wind Speed & Direction (at 1430 hrs IST):** 



**Oberserved Heat Index:** 





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# **Forecast Scenario for next 5 days**

Konkan-Goa		
Maximum Temperature:	No large change in maximum temperature during 24 hours and gradual fall by 2-3°C thereafter.	
	Hot and humid conditions very likely in isolated pockets of Konkan(Mumbai, Thane, Raigad) on 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2024.	
Minimum Temperature:	Gradual rise in minimum temperature during next 3 days.	
Maximum Temperature (Percentile):	Expected to be between <b>95-98<sup>th</sup>percentile</b> on 19 <sup>th</sup> April over isolated pockets of South Konkan.	
Minimum Temperature (Percentile):	Expected to be below <b>90<sup>th</sup></b> percentile during next 5 days.	
<b>Relative Humidity:</b>	No significant change expected during next 5 days.	
Wind Speed:	No significant change expected during next 5 days.	
Heat Index:	Expected to be between <b>40 - 50 deg C</b> during 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2024.	

Madhya Maharashtra		
Maximum Temperature:	No large change in maximum temperature during 24 hours and gradual fall by 2-3°C thereafter.	
	Hot and humid conditionsare very likely in the districts of North Madhya Maharashtra (Nandurbar, Dhule, Jalgaon, Nasik) during next 24 hours.	
Minimum Temperature:	Gradual rise in minimum temperature during next 3 days.	
Maximum Temperature (Percentile):	Expected to be between <b>90-95</b> <sup>th</sup> percentile during next 5 days over isolated pockets of North Madhya Maharashtra	
Minimum Temperature (Percentile):	Expected to be below <b>90<sup>th</sup></b> percentile during next 5 days.	
<b>Relative Humidity:</b>	No significant change expected during next 5 days	
Wind Speed:	No significant change expected during next 5 days	
Heat Index:	Expected to be between <b>40 - 50 deg C</b> overparts of North Madhya Maharashtra	



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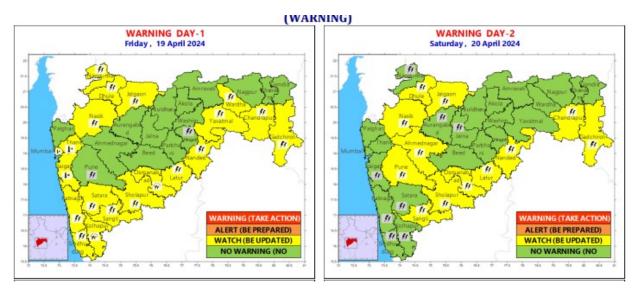


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# Marathwada

Maximum Temperature:	No large change in maximum temperature during 24 hours and gradual fall by 2-3°C thereafter.	
Minimum Temperature:	Gradual rise in minimum temperature during next 3 days.	
Maximum Temperature (Percentile):	Expected to be below <b>90<sup>th</sup></b> percentile during next 5 days	
Minimum Temperature (Percentile):	Expected to be below <b>90<sup>th</sup></b> percentile during next 5 days	
<b>Relative Humidity:</b>	No significant change expected during next 5 days	
Wind Speed:	No significant change expected during next 5 days	
Heat Index:	Expected to be below 40 deg C during next 5 days.	

### **District wise Warning:**



### **Expected Impacts:**

- ✤ Vulnerable people may take necessary precaution.
- It is advised to take precautionary measures for hot weather while going outside during peak hours of the day.
- ✤ Heat cramp, heat rash likely during peak hours of the day.





### **Action Suggested:**

- ✤ Avoid prolonged heat exposure.
- Stay hydrated. Drink sufficient water even if not feeling thirsty to avoid dehydration.
- ♦ Wear light weight, light colored, loose, cotton clothes.
- Cover your head: use a wet cloth, hat or umbrella while going out during peak hours.
- Caution workers to avoid direct sunlight during the peak hours.
- Schedule strenuous jobs to cooler times of the day.
- ✤ Increasing the frequency and length of rest breaks for outdoor activities.
- Recognize the signs of heat stroke, heat rash or heat cramps such as weakness, dizziness, headache, nausea, sweating and seizures. If you feel faint or ill, see a doctor/ hospital immediately.
- ✤ Farmers are advised to continue irrigation activities.

### Legends:

j+ ( Heat Wave	When maximum temperature of a station reaches ≥40° C for plains and ≥30° 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 ≥6.5° C
	(b). Based on Actual maximum temperature
	Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥45°C.
	Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥47°C
	( c). Criteria for heat wave for coastal stations When maximum temperature departure is >4.5°C from normal. Heat Wave may be described provided maximum temperature ≥37°C
9	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 °C.



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#### Heat Wave Warning

Green	Normal Day	Maximum temperatures are near normal
(No action)		
Yellow Alert (Be updated)	Heat Alert	Heat wave conditions at district level likely to persist for 2 days
Orange Alert (Be prepared)	Severe Heat Alert for the day	<ul> <li>(i) Severe heat wave conditions persist for 2 days.</li> <li>(i) With varied severity, heat wave is likely to persists for 4 days or more</li> </ul>
Red Alert (Take Action)	Extreme Heat Alert for the day	<ul> <li>(i) Severe heat wave persists for more than 2 days.</li> <li>(ii) Total MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES number of heat/severe heat wave days likely to exceeds 6 days.</li> </ul>