

Wednesday, April 2, 2025  
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(MID-DAY)

## ALL INDIA WEATHER SUMMARY AND FORECAST BULLETIN

### Significant Weather Features:

#### Weather Systems, Forecast and Warnings:

- ❖ An upper air Cyclonic Circulation lies over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal and a trough runs from this cyclonic circulation to southeast Madhya Pradesh in the lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ An upper air Cyclonic Circulation lies over southwest Madhya Pradesh in the lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ A trough in easterlies runs from Lakshadweep to Konkan in the lower tropospheric levels.
- ❖ Under the influence of these systems and confluence of moist winds from Arabian sea and Bay of Bengal in lower tropospheric levels;
  - ✓ **Isolated to Scattered** light/moderate rainfall accompanied with **thunderstorm, lightning & gusty winds (speed 40-50 kmph)** very likely over South Peninsular India during 02<sup>nd</sup>-06<sup>th</sup>; Central India, Maharashtra, Gangetic West Bengal, Jharkhand and Odisha during 02<sup>nd</sup>-04<sup>th</sup> April.
  - ✓ **Isolated Hailstorm** very likely over Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada on 02<sup>nd</sup>; Vidarbha, North Interior Karnataka on 02<sup>nd</sup> & 03<sup>rd</sup>; West Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Telangana and South Interior Karnataka on 03<sup>rd</sup> April.
  - ✓ **Heavy rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Karnataka during 02<sup>nd</sup>-05<sup>th</sup>; Kerala & Mahe, South Interior Karnataka during 02<sup>nd</sup>-06<sup>th</sup> and over North Interior Karnataka on 03<sup>rd</sup> April.

#### Temperature Forecast:

- ❖ Gradual rise in maximum temperatures by 3-5°C likely over Northwest India during next 7 days.
- ❖ No significant change in maximum temperatures likely over Central India during next 2 days and gradual rise by 2-4°C during subsequent 5 days.
- ❖ No significant change in maximum temperatures likely over West India during next 3 days and gradual rise by 2-3°C during subsequent 4 days.
- ❖ No significant change in maximum temperatures likely over rest parts of the country during next 7 days.

#### Heat wave and Hot & Humid weather warning:

- ❖ **Heat Wave conditions very likely to continue to prevail at isolated pockets of Saurashtra & Kutch during next 7 days; West Rajasthan during 05<sup>th</sup>-08<sup>th</sup>; Gujarat Region during 06<sup>th</sup>-08<sup>th</sup>; East Rajasthan on 07<sup>th</sup> & 08<sup>th</sup> April.**

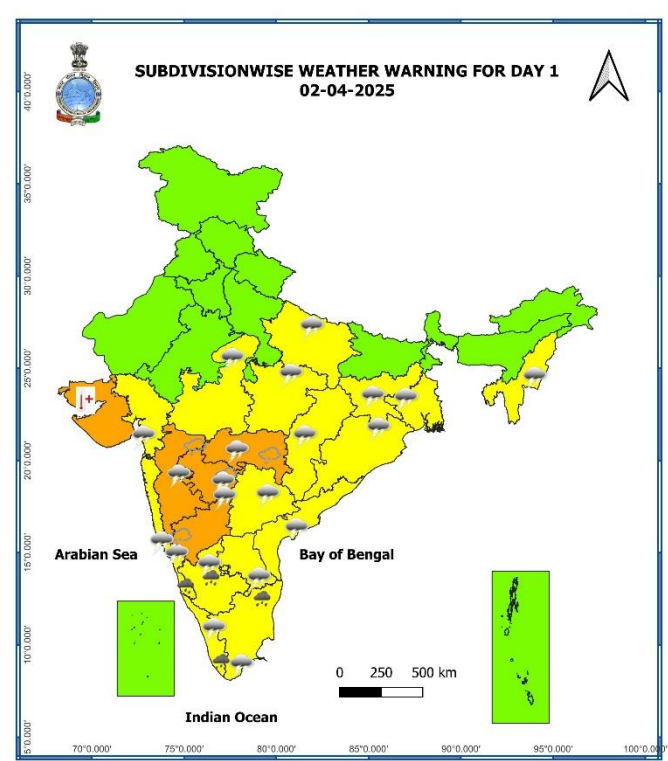
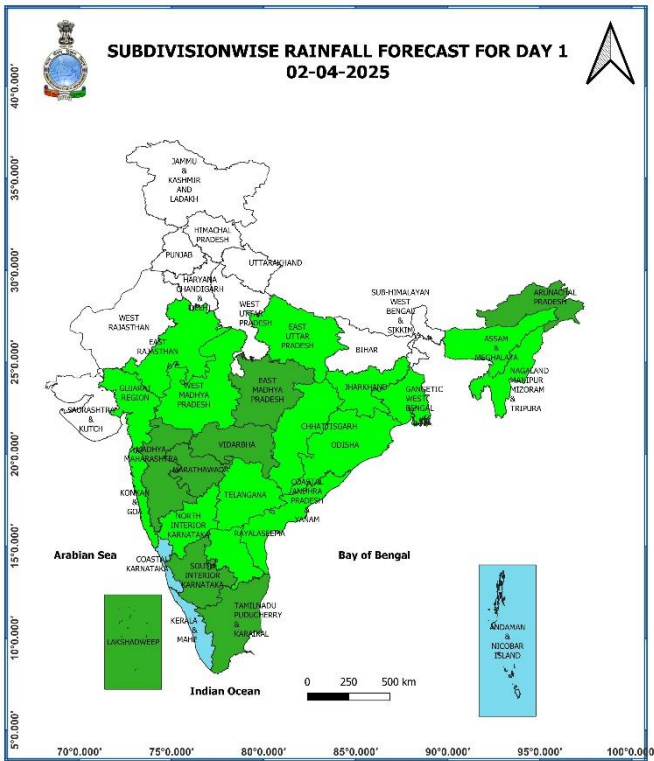
## Main Weather Observations:

- ❖ **Rainfall distribution** (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today): observed at many places over Kerala & Mahe; at few places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Arunachal Pradesh, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada; at isolated places over Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Konkan & Goa, Tamilnadu Puducherry & Karaikal, South Interior Karnataka and dry over rest parts of the country.
- ❖ **Significant Tamil Nadu Puducherry & Karaikal:** Watrap (dist Virudhunagar) 7, PWD Makkinampatti (dist Coimbatore), Sothuparai (dist Theni) 4 each, **Kerala & Mahe:** Ranni Aws (dist Pathanamthitta) 6, Palakkad (dist Palakkad) 5, Punalur (dist Kollam) 5, Kanjirappally (dist Kottayam) 4.
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall** reported at isolated places over Tamil Nadu.
- ❖ **Squally/Gusty winds** prevailed at isolated locations over Madhya Pradesh, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Interior Karnataka, Tamil Nadu.
- ❖ **Hailstorm** occurred at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra.
- ❖ **Heat wave** conditions prevailed in isolated pockets over Saurashtra & Kutch.
- ❖ **Minimum Temperature Departures (as on 02-04-2025):** Minimum temperatures are **appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C)** at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra, East Madhya Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Assam & Meghalaya; **above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C)** at a few places over West Madhya Pradesh, Gangetic West Bengal; at isolated places over Konkan & Goa, Chhattisgarh, Marathwada. These are appreciably **below normal (-3.1°C to -5.0°C)** at isolated places over Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi, Rajasthan, West Uttar Pradesh, Punjab; below **normal (-3.0°C to -1.6°C)** at isolated places over Vidarbha, Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Gujarat state, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad and near normal over rest parts of the country (**Fig. 4**). Today, the **lowest minimum temperature** of 10.9°C is reported at **Karnal (Haryana)** over the plains of the country.
- ❖ **Maximum Temperature Departures (as on 01-04-2025):** Maximum Temperatures were **markedly above normal (5.1°C or more)** at isolated places over Saurashtra & Kutch; **appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C)** at many places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad and Himachal Pradesh; at a few places over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim; at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya; **above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C)** at a few places over Gujarat Region and Gangetic West Bengal; at isolated places over Uttarakhand, Rajasthan, East Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Odisha, Rayalaseema and Marathwada. These were **appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C)** at many places over Vidarbha; at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra; **below normal (-3.0°C to -1.6°C)** at a few places over Telangana; at isolated places over Madhya Pradesh, Rayalaseema, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Rayalaseema and near normal over rest parts of the country (**Fig. 2**). Yesterday, the highest **maximum temperature** of 42.3°C was reported at **Surendranagar (Saurashtra & Kutch)** over the country.

## Meteorological Analysis (Based on 0830 hours IST)

- ❖ A fresh **Western Disturbance** seen as a trough in middle & upper tropospheric westerlies with its axis at 5.8 km above mean sea level roughly along 68°E to north of 26°N.
- ❖ The upper air **Cyclonic Circulation** over northeast Assam & neighbourhood extending upto 1.5 km above mean sea level persists.
- ❖ An upper air **Cyclonic Circulation** lies over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & neighbourhood at 0.9 km above mean sea level.
- ❖ A **trough** runs from above cyclonic circulation over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & neighbourhood to southeast Madhya Pradesh across Bihar & Chhattisgarh at 0.9 km above mean sea level.
- ❖ An upper air **Cyclonic Circulation** lies over south Chhattisgarh & neighbourhood at 1.5 km above mean sea level.
- ❖ An upper air **Cyclonic Circulation** lies over southwest Madhya Pradesh & neighbourhood at 1.5 km above mean sea level.
- ❖ An upper air **Cyclonic Circulation** lies over Comorin area & neighbourhood at 3.1 km above mean sea level.
- ❖ A **trough** in easterlies runs from Lakshadweep to Konkan at 0.9 km above mean sea level.
- ❖ A fresh Western Disturbance is likely to affect Western Himalayan region from 08<sup>th</sup> April, 2025.
- ❖ The **Cyclonic Circulation** over Madhya Maharashtra & neighbourhood at 0.9 km above mean sea level has become less marked.
- ❖ The **trough** from south Chhattisgarh to above cyclonic circulation over Madhya Maharashtra & neighbourhood across Vidarbha & Marathwada at 0.9 km above mean sea level has become less marked.
- ❖ The north-south **trough** from the cyclonic circulation over Madhya Maharashtra & neighbourhood to Comorin area across Karnataka & Tamil Nadu at 0.9 km above mean sea level has become less marked.
- ❖ The upper air **Cyclonic Circulation** over southwest Bay of Bengal & adjoining north Tamil Nadu between 1.5 & 3.1 km above mean sea level has become less marked.

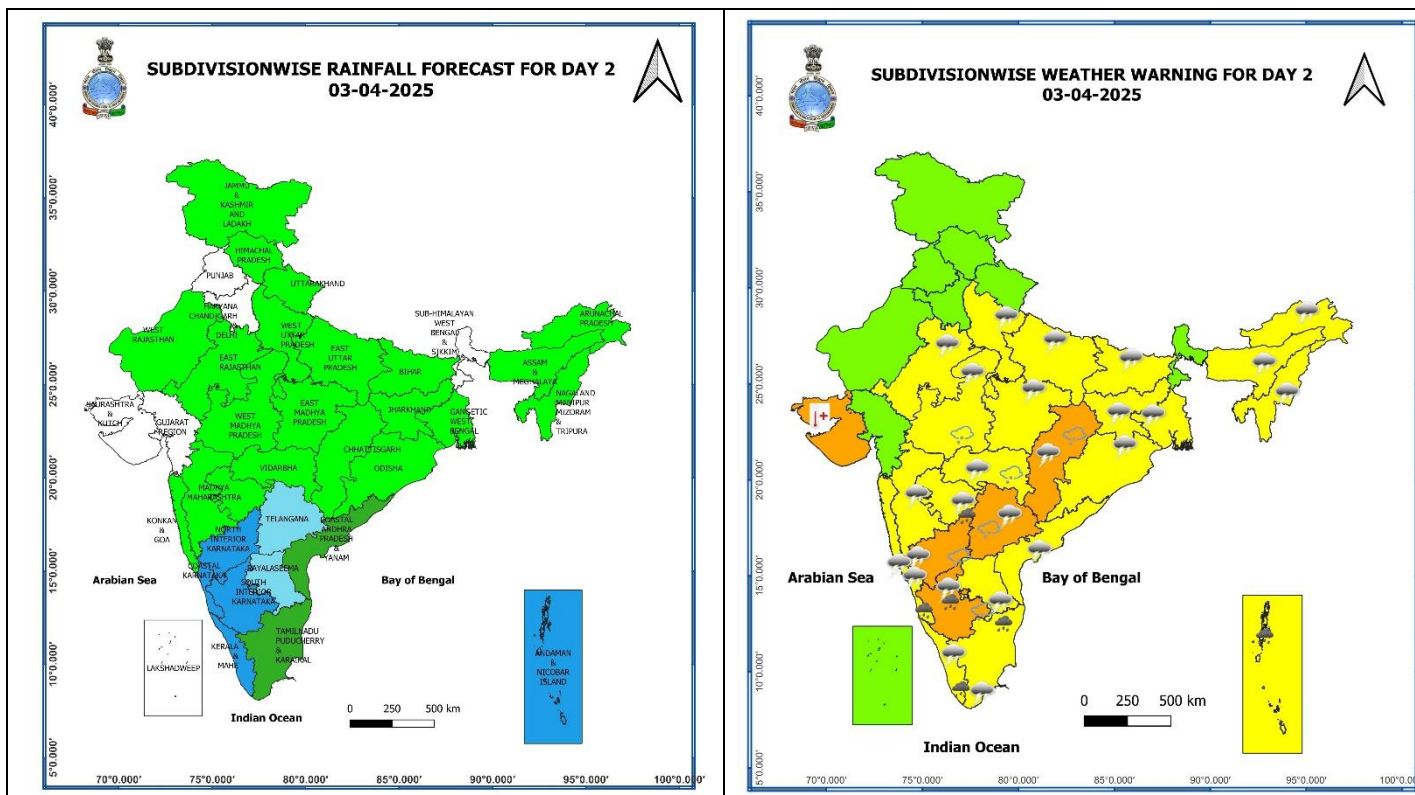
**Weather Forecast & Warnings for next 7 days (Upto 0830 hours IST of 09<sup>th</sup> April, 2025)**



**02<sup>nd</sup> April (Day 1):**

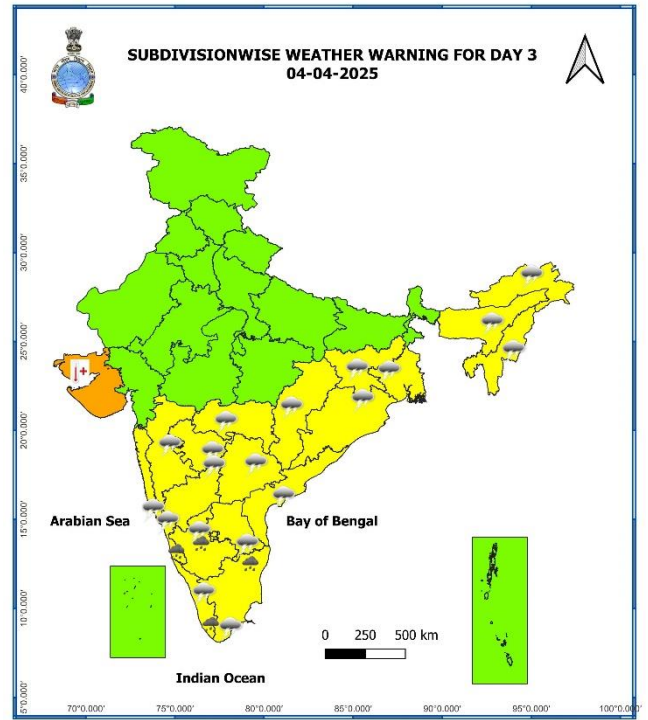
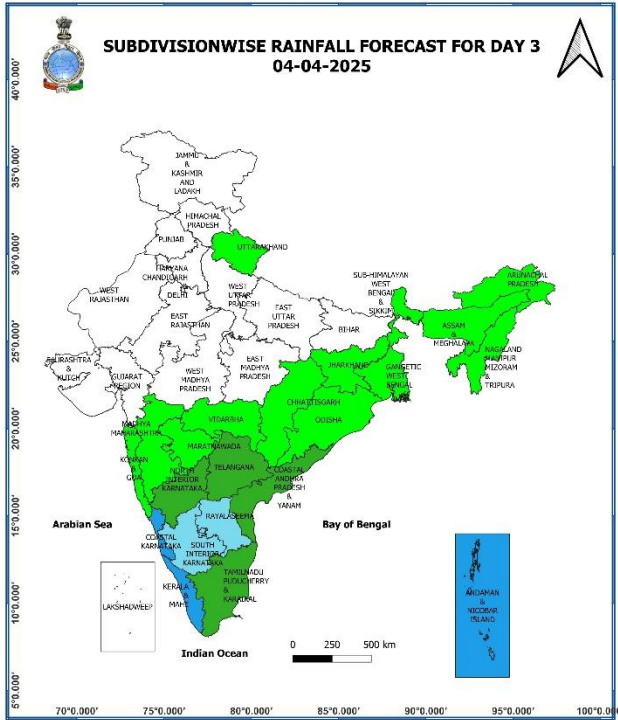
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Coastal & South Interior Karnataka, interior Tamil Nadu and Kerala & Mahe.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & squall (speed reaching 50-60 kmph) & hail** very likely at isolated places over Vidarbha, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, North Interior Karnataka; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph)** at isolated places over Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Konkan & Goa, Telangana; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph)** at isolated places over Gangetic West Bengal, Jharkhand, Odisha, Gujarat region, Kerala & Mahe, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Coastal Karnataka; **with lightning** at isolated places over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** very likely at isolated places over Saurashtra & Kutch.





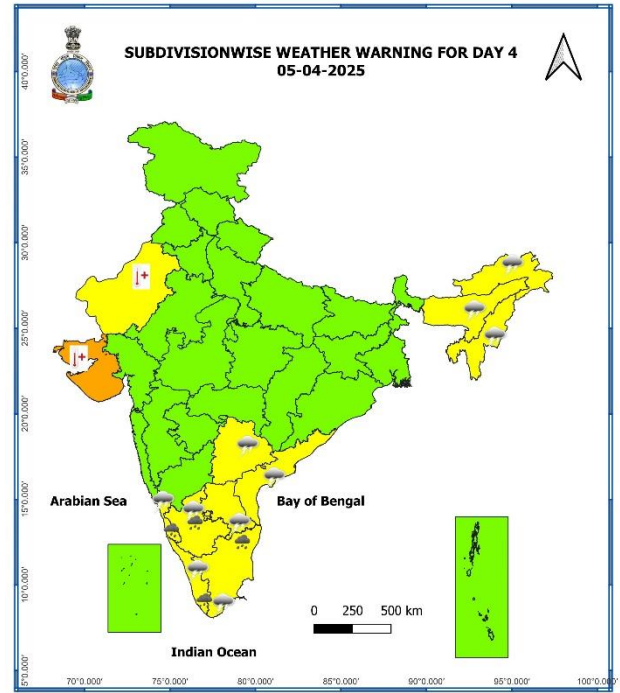
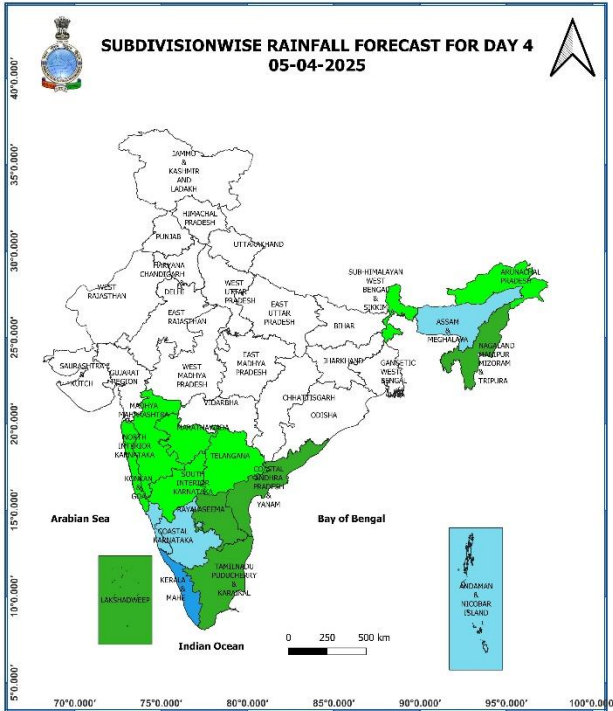
### 03<sup>rd</sup> April (Day 2):

- ❖ **Heavy rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe and Karnataka.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & squall (speed reaching 50-60 kmph) & hail** very likely at isolated places over Interior Karnataka; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph) & hail** at isolated places over West Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh, Telangana; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph)** at isolated places over East Rajasthan, East Madhya Pradesh, Jharkhand, Odisha, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30 - 40 kmph)** at isolated places over southeast Uttar Pradesh, Gangetic West Bengal, Bihar, Konkan & Goa, Assam & Meghalaya, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Karnataka; **with lightning** at isolated places over southwest Uttar Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** very likely at isolated places over Saurashtra & Kutch.



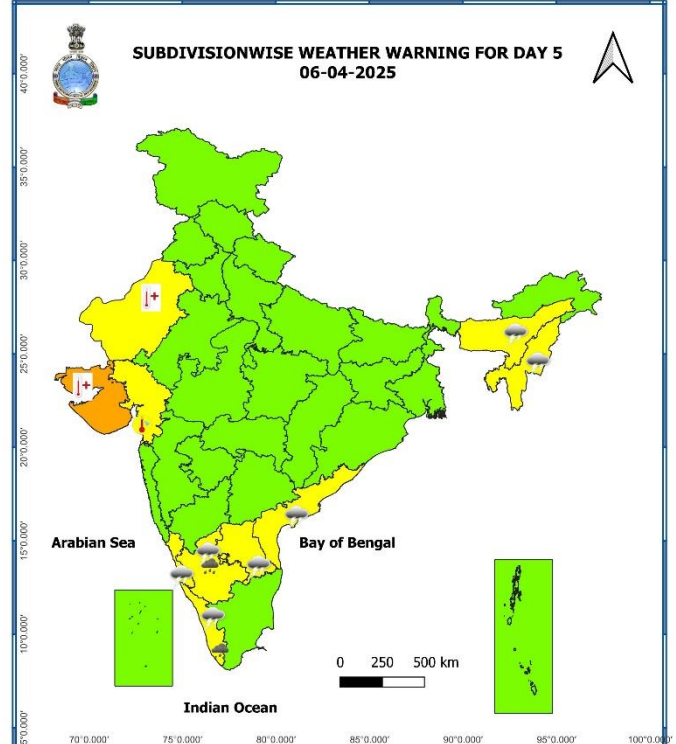
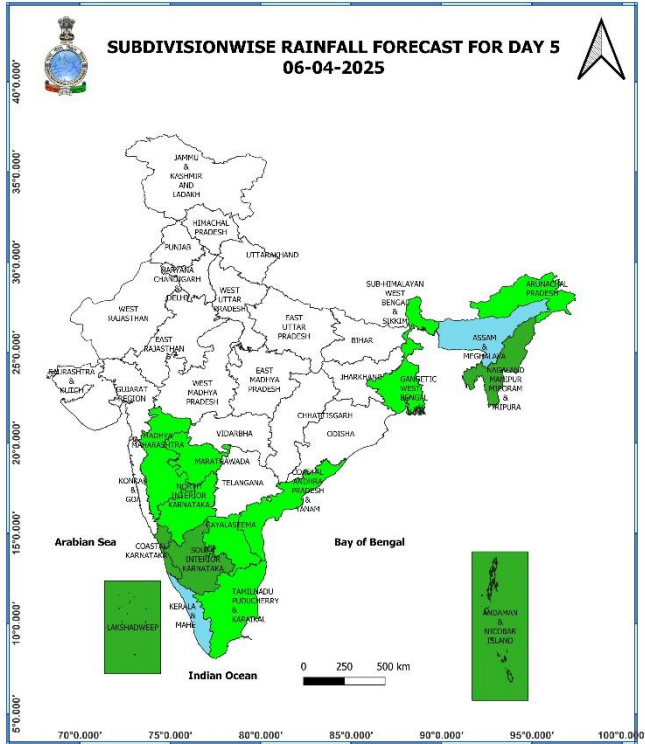
**04<sup>th</sup> April (Day 3):**

- ❖ **Heavy rainfall** very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe and Coastal & South Interior Karnataka.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Jharkhand, Odisha, Kerala & Mahe, South Interior Karnataka; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30 - 40 kmph)** at isolated places over Vidarbha, Gangetic West Bengal, Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Telangana, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka; **with lightning** at isolated places over Chhattisgarh, Arunachal Pradesh.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** very likely at isolated places over Saurashtra & Kutch.



### 05<sup>th</sup> April (Day 4):

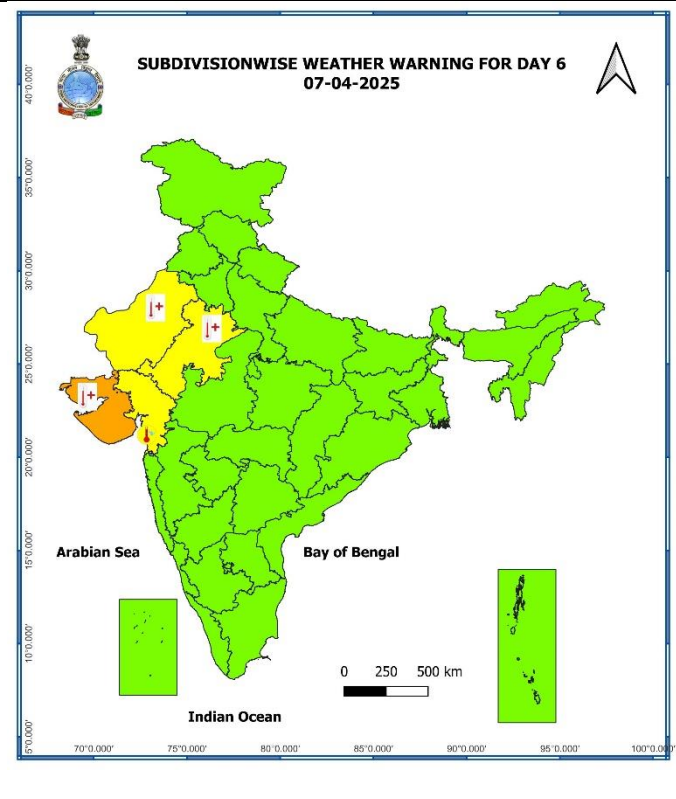
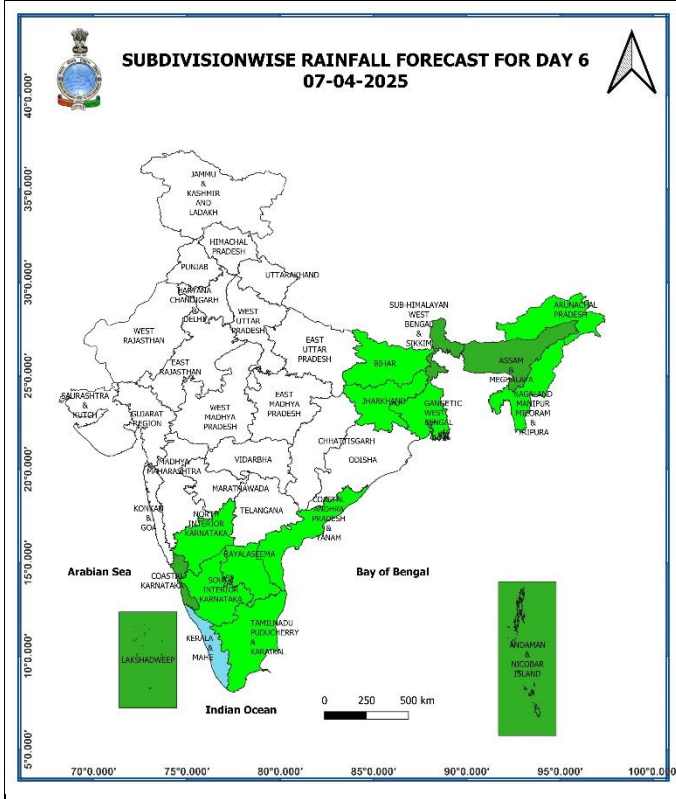
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall** likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe, Coastal & South Interior Karnataka.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40 - 50 kmph)** likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Kerala & Mahe; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30 - 40 kmph)** at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana, Coastal Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka; **with lightning** at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** likely at isolated places over West Rajasthan and Saurashtra & Kutch.



### 06<sup>th</sup> April (Day 5):

- ❖ **Heavy rainfall** likely at isolated places over Kerala & Mahe and South Interior Karnataka.
- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40 - 50 kmph)** likely at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura; **with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30 - 40 kmph)** at isolated places over Kerala & Mahe, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Coastal & South Interior Karnataka.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** likely at isolated places over West Rajasthan and Gujarat state.

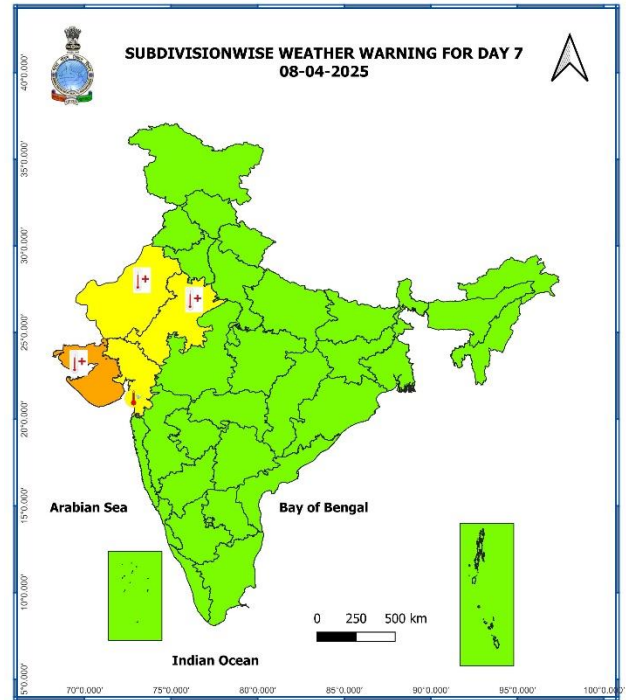
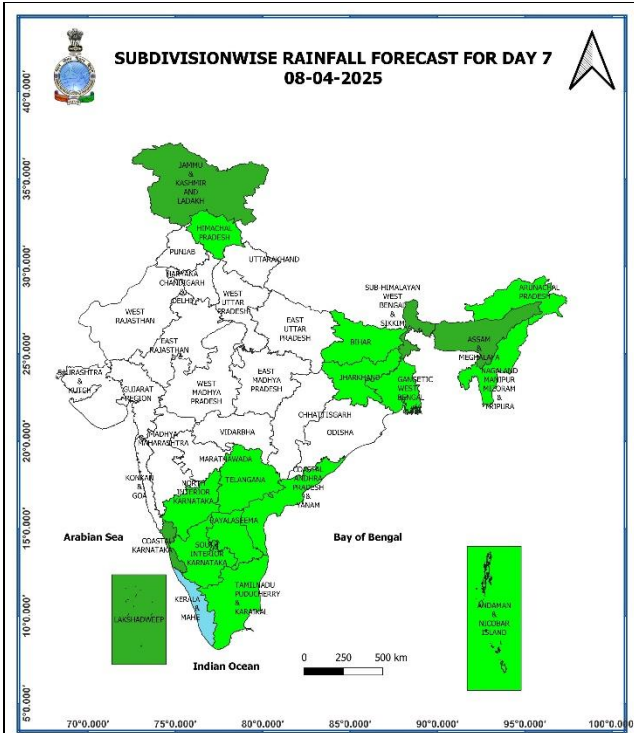




**07<sup>th</sup> April (Day 6):**

❖ **Heat wave conditions** likely at isolated places over Rajasthan and Gujarat state.

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**08<sup>th</sup> April (Day 7):**

❖ **Heat wave conditions** likely at isolated places over Rajasthan and Gujarat state.

### Weather Outlook for subsequent 3 days (During 09<sup>th</sup> April- 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2025)

❖ **Isolated to scattered rainfall** likely over Western Himalayan Region and Northeast India, Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Vidarbha & Maharashtra and south peninsular India.

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.

Fig. 1: Maximum Temperatures

Fig. 2: Departure of Maximum Temperatures

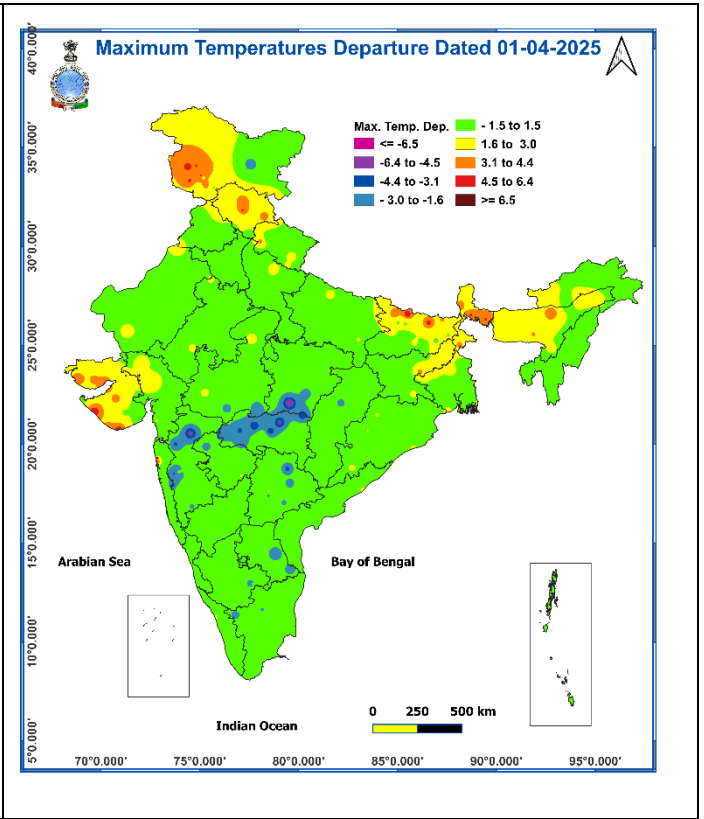
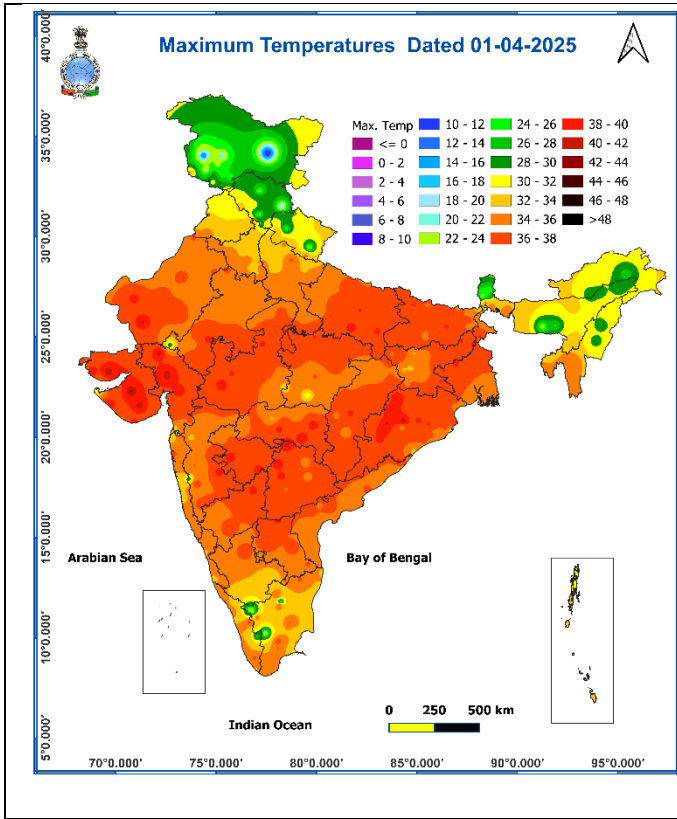
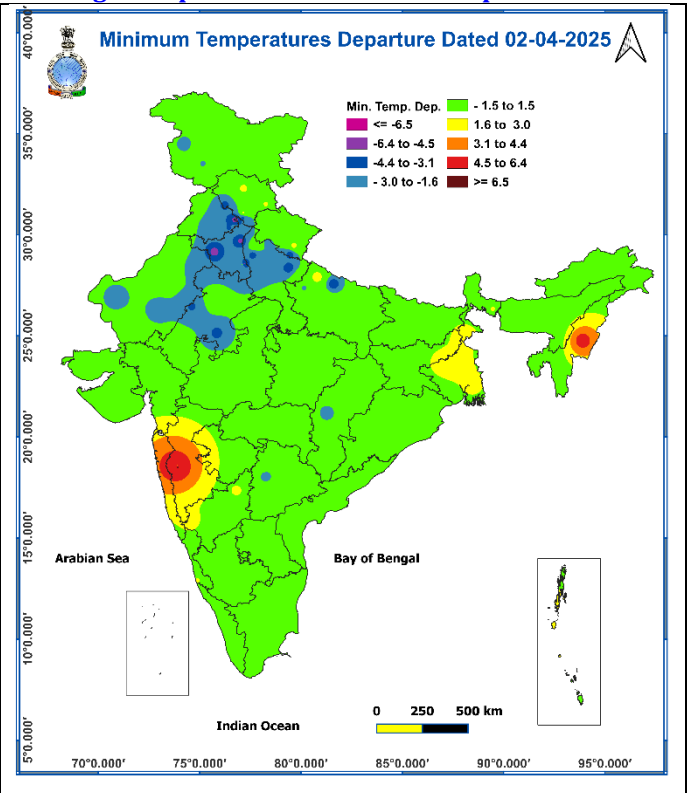
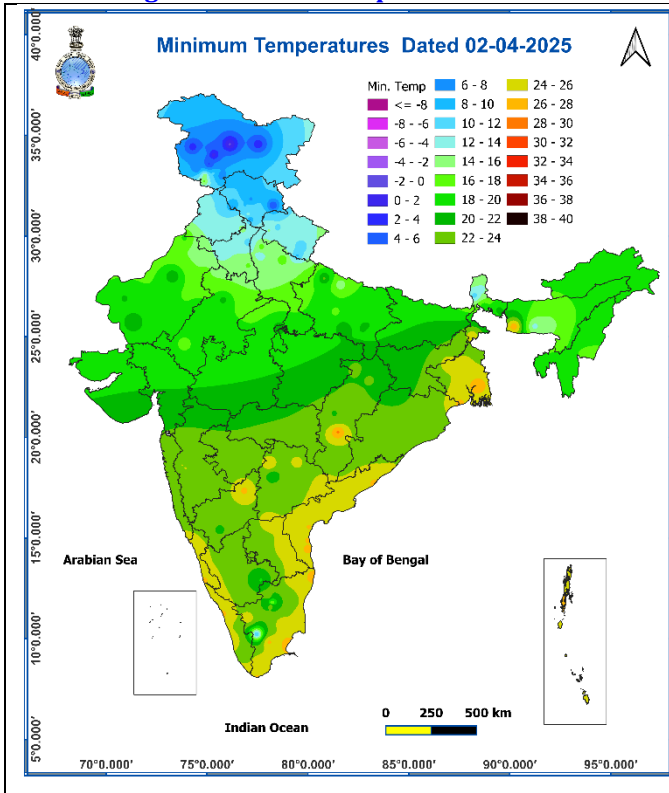


Fig. 3: Minimum Temperatures

Fig. 4: Departure of Minimum Temperatures



**Impact expected and action suggested due to Heat Wave conditions over Saurashtra & Kutch during 02<sup>nd</sup>-08<sup>th</sup>; West Rajasthan during 05<sup>th</sup> -08<sup>th</sup>; Gujarat Region during 06<sup>th</sup>-08<sup>th</sup> and East Rajasthan on 07<sup>th</sup> & 08<sup>th</sup> April.**

### Orange alert Areas

- High temperature & increased likelihood of heat illness symptoms in people who are either exposed to sun for a prolonged period or doing heavy work.
- High health concern for vulnerable people e.g. infants, elderly, people with chronic diseases.
- Avoid heat exposure- keep cool. Avoid dehydration.
- Drink sufficient water- even if not thirsty.
- Use ORS, homemade drinks like lassi, torani (rice water), lemon water, buttermilk, etc. to keep yourself hydrated.

### 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 expected and action suggested due to isolated thunderstorm with lightning/gusty winds & Hailstorm over central and adjoining East & Peninsular India during 02<sup>nd</sup>-04<sup>th</sup> April.**

### Impact expected:

- 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:

- 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.



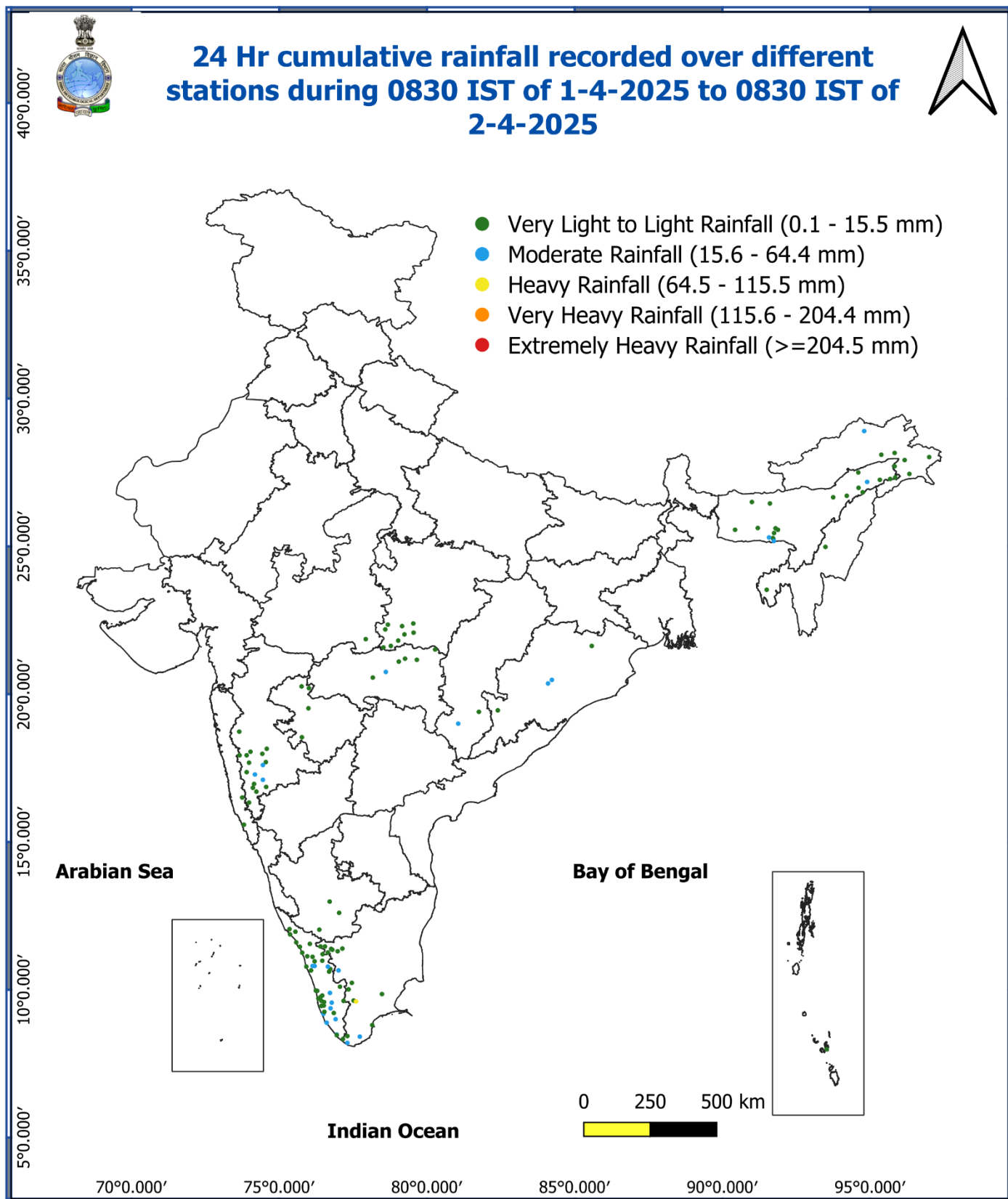
## Agromet advisories for likely impact of Hailstorm, Heavy Rainfall, Strong Surface Winds

- In **Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh, West Madhya Pradesh, Interior Karnataka and Telangana**, Immediately harvest the matured crops, fruits and vegetables and shift the harvested produce in safer places or cover the produce with tarpaulin sheets in the fields to avoid the adverse impact of likely hailstorm. Use hail net and hail caps to prevent mechanical damage in orchards due to hailstorms.
- In **Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Tamilnadu, Kerala and Karnataka**, make provision to drain out excess water from standing crop and vegetable fields.
- In **Saurashtra & Kutch**, apply light and frequent irrigation to standing crops in the evening to protect them from heat waves.
- 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.

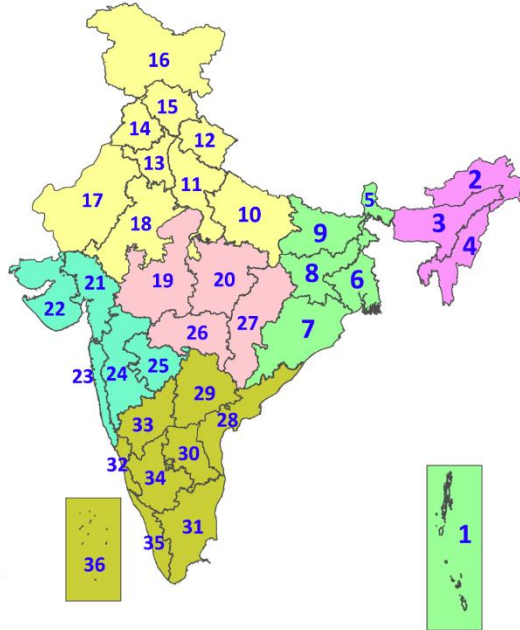
Fig. 5: Accumulated Rainfall (mm) during past 24 hours



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## 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



## 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  $4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $6.4^{\circ}\text{C}$ .  
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  $40^{\circ}\text{C}$

Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure  $4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $6.4^{\circ}\text{C}$ .  
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  $-4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $-6.4^{\circ}\text{C}$ .  
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  $-4.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $-6.4^{\circ}\text{C}$ .  
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 118-165 kmph (64 - 89 knots)  
Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 166-220 kmph (90 -119 knots)  
Super Cyclone Strom: Wind speed  $> 220$  kmph ( $> 119$  knots)

**Hot and Humid:** When maximum temperatures remains  $3^{\circ}\text{C}$  above normal along with the above normal relative humidity.