



#### National Weather Forecasting Centre India Meteorological Department Ministry of Earth Sciences

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# ALL INDIA WEATHER SUMMARY AND FORECAST BULLETIN Significant Weather Features:

#### **Weather Systems:**

- Yesterday's well marked low pressure area over southeast Bay of Bengal & adjoining East Equatorial Indian Ocean moved west-northwestwards, intensified into a depression and lay centred at 0830 hours IST of today, the 25th November 2024 over central parts of South Bay of Bengal & adjoining East Equatorial Indian Ocean near latitude 5.0°N and longitude 85.3°E, about 600 km southeast of Trincomalee, 880 km southeast of Nagapattinam, 980 km southeast of Puducherry and 1050 km south-southeast of Chennai. It is likely to move northwestwards and intensify into a deep depression during next 24 hours. Thereafter, it is likely to continue to move northwestwards towards Tamil Nadu-Sri Lanka coasts during subsequent 2 days.
- A cyclonic circulation lies over sub-Himalayan west Bengal in lower tropospheric levels.
- A fresh Western disturbance is likely to affect Western Himalayan Region from 29th November.

#### Forecast & Warnings (upto 7 days):

- ✓ Light to moderate rainfall at a few places accompanied with isolated thunderstorm & lightning very likely over coastal Tamil Nadu & Puducherry during 25th-29th, Kerala & Mahe during 25th-27th, south Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema during 26th-29th November.
- ✓ Isolated **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at a few places **with extremely heavy falls** at isolated places very likely over coastal Tamil Nadu & Puducherry on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>, **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at isolated places on 25<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> and **heavy rainfall** at Isolated places on 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> November.
- Heavy rainfall at isolated places very likely over Kerala & Mahe during 26th 28th, south Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam during 26th 29th November.
- ✓ Light to moderate rainfall at most places likely over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura on 28th & 29th November with isolated heavy rainfall on 28th November.
- ✓ **Dense fog conditions** very likely to prevail during early morning hours in isolated pockets of Himachal Pradesh during 26th-30th, Punjab & Haryana-Chandigarh during 28th -30th and Uttar Pradesh during 28th November-01st December.

#### ii. Temperature conditions and Forecast:

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

No significant change in minimum temperature observed over most parts of the country during past 24 hours. Minimum temperatures are **appreciably above normal** (3°C to 5°C) at isolated places over West Rajasthan, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi and Bihar; **above normal** (1°C to 3°C) at isolated places over Uttar Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat Region and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal. These are **appreciably below normal** (3°C to 5°C) at isolated places over West Madhya Pradesh, Gangetic West Bengal and Telangana; **below normal** (1°C to 3°C) at many places over Coastal Karnataka; at a few places over Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra and Chhattisgarh; at isolated places over East Rajasthan, Marathwada, Vidarbha, Saurashtra & Kutch and near normal over rest parts of the country. Today, **the lowest minimum temperature** of **10.2°C** is reported at **Sarsawa IAF** (**West Uttar Pradesh**) over the plains of the country.

#### Forecast of temperature:

- Gradual fall in minimum temperatures by 2-3°C very likely over northwest India during next 5 days (except over Rajasthan).
- Gradual fall in minimum temperatures by 2-3°C very likely over Maharashtra during next 4 days.
- No significant change in minimum temperatures over rest parts of the country during next 5 days.

### iii. Weather forecast over Delhi/NCR during $25^{th}$ Nov. to $28^{th}$ Nov. $2024\,$

#### Past Weather:

There has been no significance change in maximum temperature and a rise upto 2°C in minimum temperature over Delhi/NCR during past 24hr. The Maximum and Minimum temperature over Delhi is in the range of 27 to 29°C and 11 to 14°C respectively. The maximum temperature was above normal by 02 to 03°C and the minimum temperature was above normal by 01 to 03°C most places over the region. Mainly smog/ shallow fog condition with predominant surface wind from west direction with wind speed reaching 06 to 12 kmph prevailed during daytime and calm wind during night time on 24.11.2024. Shallow fog reported at Palam airport during early morning today. Palam airport recorded lowest visibility 800 m during 0900 hours to 1130 hours IST. Shallow fog reported at Safdarjung airport during early morning today. Safdarjung airport recorded lowest visibility 900 m during 0700 hours to 1130 hours IST. Mainly smog condition with wind speed less than 12 kmph west direction prevailed over the region in the forenoon today.

#### Weather Forecast:

**25.11.2024**: Mainly clear sky. The predominant surface wind is likely to be northwest direction with wind speed upto 08-12 kmph till evening. It would decrease thereafter becoming less than 08 kmph from northwest direction during night. Smog/shallow fog is likely in the evening/night.

**26.11.2024**: Mainly clear sky. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from northwest direction with speed less than 08 kmph during morning hours. Smog/shallow to moderate fog is likely in the morning. The wind speed will increase thereafter becoming less than 12 kmph from northwest direction during afternoon. It will decrease thereafter becoming less than 08 kmph from northwest direction during evening and night. Smog/shallow fog is likely in the evening/night.

**27.11.2024**: Mainly clear sky. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from variable direction with speed less than 04 kmph during morning hours. Smog/ moderate fog is likely in the morning. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming 04-06 kmph from north direction during afternoon. It will decrease thereafter becoming less than 04 kmph from variable direction during evening and night. Smog/ shallow to moderate fog is likely in the evening/night.

28.11.2024: Mainly clear sky. The predominant surface wind is likely to be from variable direction with wind speed less than 04 kmph during morning hours. Smog/ moderate to dense fog in the morning. The wind speed will increase thereafter becoming 04-06 kmph from variable direction during afternoon. It will gradually decrease becoming less than 04 kmph from variable direction during evening and night. Smog/ shallow to moderate fog is likely in the evening/night.







## **Main Weather Observations:**

- ❖ Rainfall distribution (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today): at many places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands; at isolated places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim.
- ❖ Significant amount of rainfall (from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today) (in cm): Andaman & Nicobar Islands: Car Nicobar (dist Nicobar) 3, Iaf Carnicobar (dist Nicobar) 3, Nancowry (dist Nicobar) 2, Hut Bay (dist South Andaman) 1.
- ❖ **Fog conditions observed** (at 0530 &0830 hours IST of today): **Very Dense fog** reported in isolated pockets of Haryana; **Dense fog** reported in isolated pockets of Punjab and Meghalaya.
- **❖ Visibility reported** (at 053 &0830 hours IST of today) (≤500metres) (in m): **Punjab:** Bhatinda IAF-100, Adampur IAF & Halwara IAF-500 each; **Haryana:** Sirsa IAF 0; **Meghalaya:** Barapani 50.
- ❖ Minimum Temperature Departures (as on 25-11-2024): Minimum temperatures are appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C) at isolated places over West Rajasthan, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi and Bihar; above normal (2°C to 3°C) at isolated places over Uttar Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat Region and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal. These are appreciably below normal (-3.1°C to -5.0°C) at isolated places over West Madhya Pradesh, Gangetic West Bengal and Telangana; below normal (-1.6°C to -3°C) at many places over Coastal Karnataka; at a few places over Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra and Chhattisgarh; at isolated places over East Rajasthan, Marathwada, Vidarbha and Saurashtra & Kutch and near normal over rest parts of the country. Today, the lowest minimum temperature of 10.2°C is reported at Sarsawa IAF (West Uttar Pradesh) over the plains of the country. (Fig.4)
- ❖ Maximum Temperature Departures (as on 24-11-2024): Maximum temperatures were above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) at a few places over Kerala & Mahe; at isolated places over Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana-Delhi, West Uttar Pradesh. These were appreciably below normal (-3.1°C to -5.0°C) at a few places over Arunachal Pradesh; at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya; below normal (-1.6°C to -3.0°C) at a few places over Gangetic West Bengal, Bihar, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura; at isolated places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Odisha, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha, Madhya Maharashtra, Telangana and near normal over rest parts of the country. Yesterday, the highest maximum temperature of 36.9°C was reported at Karwar (Coastal Karnataka) over the country. (Fig. 2)







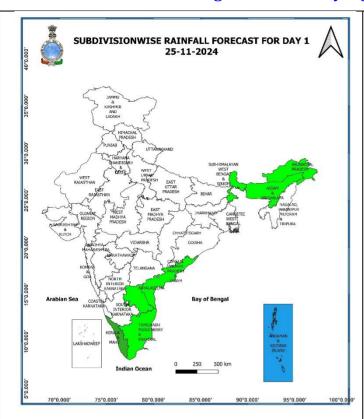
# Meteorological Analysis (Based on 0830 hours IST)

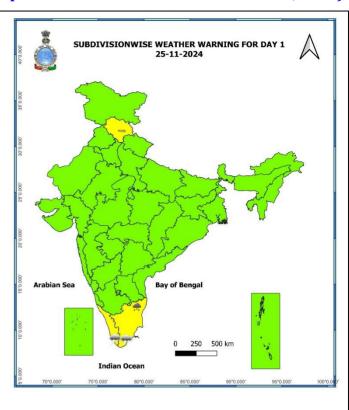
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- ❖ A **cyclonic circulation** lies over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & neighbourhood at 0.9 km above mean sea level.
- ❖ A fresh **Western disturbance** is likely to affect Western Himalayan Region from 29<sup>th</sup> November.
- ❖ The **Western disturbance** as a trough in middle tropospheric westerlies with its axis at 5.8 km above mean sea level ran roughly along Long. 70°E to the north of Lat. 32°N has moved away east-northeastwards.
- ❖ The **cyclonic circulation** over northeast Assam extending upto 1.5 km above mean sea level has become less marked.





# Weather Forecast & Warnings for next 7 days (Upto 0830 hours IST of 02nd December, 2024)



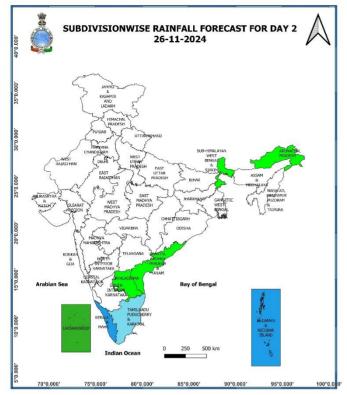


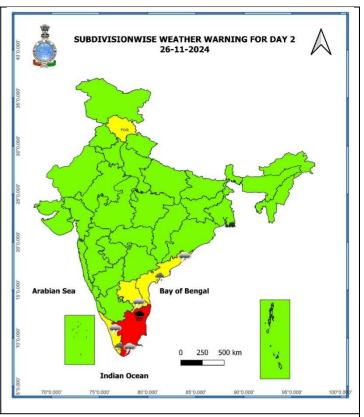
# 25 November (Day 1):

- ❖ Heavy to very Heavy rainfall (≥ 12 cm) very likely at isolated places over coastal Tamil Nadu & Puducherry.
- **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning** very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Kerala & Mahe.
- ❖ **Dense fog** very likely in isolated pockets of Himachal Pradesh in night/morning hours.
- ❖ Squally weather with wind speed 35 kmph to 45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph is likely to prevailing along and off south Kerala coast, over gulf of Mannar & adjoining parts of Comorin area, over most parts of south Bay of Bengal along & off Sri Lanka, Tamil Nadu & Puducherry coasts and adjoining parts of south Andaman sea. Squally weather with wind speed 45 kmph to 55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely to prevailing over southern parts of southwest & adjoining parts of southeast Bay of Bengal. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.







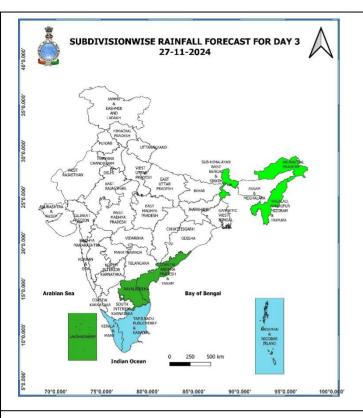


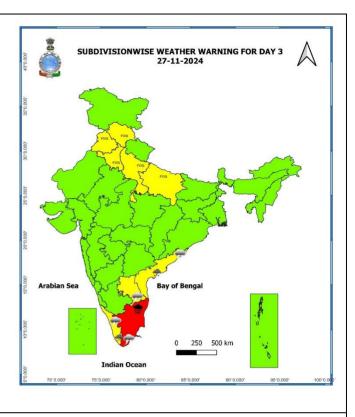
# 26 November (Day 2):

- ❖ Heavy to very Heavy rainfall with extremely heavy falls (≥ 20 cm) very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal; Heavy rainfall (≥ 7 cm) at isolated places over Kerala & Mahe and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe, Rayalaseema and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- ❖ **Dense fog** very likely in isolated pockets of Himachal Pradesh in night/morning hours.
- ❖ Squally weather with wind speed 35 kmph to 45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph is likely to prevailing along and off south Kerala coast, over gulf of Mannar and Comorin area, over southwest Bay of Bengal and adjoining parts of southeast and west central Bay of Bengal, along and off Sri Lanka coast, Tamil Nadu & south Andhra Pradesh coasts. Squally weather with wind speed 45 kmph to 55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely to prevailing over many parts of southwest Bay of Bengal and adjoining parts of westcentral Bay of Bengal, along and off silence coast. Squally weather with wind speed 55 kmph to 65 kmph gusting to 75 kmph is likely to prevailing over some parts of southwest Bay of Bengal, off Sri Lanka coast. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.







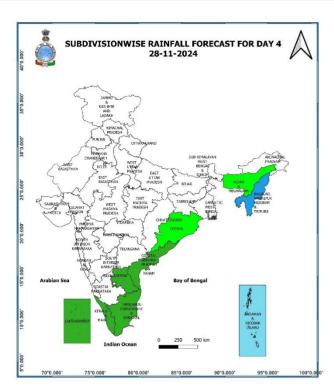


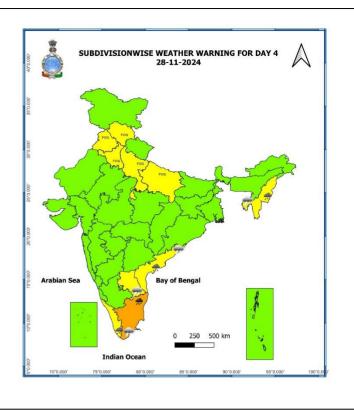
# 27 November (Day 3):

- ♣ Heavy to very Heavy rainfall with extremely heavy falls (≥ 20 cm) very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal; Heavy rainfall (≥ 7 cm) at isolated places over Kerala & Mahe and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe, Rayalaseema and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- ❖ **Dense fog** very likely in isolated pockets of Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi and Uttar Pradesh in night/morning hours.
- ❖ Squally weather with wind speed 35 kmph to 45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph is likely to prevailing along and off south Kerala coast, over gulf of Mannar and Comorin area, over many parts of southwest & adjoining parts of southeast Bay of Bengal, over most parts westcentral Bay of Bengal, along and off Sri Lanka, Tamil Nadu & Andhra Pradesh coasts. Squally weather with wind speed 45 kmph to 55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely to prevailing over many parts of southwest and westcentral along and off Sri Lanka, Tamil Nadu & south Andhra Pradesh coasts. Squally weather with wind speed 55 kmph to 65 kmph gusting to 75 kmph is likely to prevailing over western parts of southwest and adjoining parts of west central Bay of Bengal, along and off north Sri Lanka, Tamil Nadu coasts & adjoining south Andhra Pradesh coast. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.





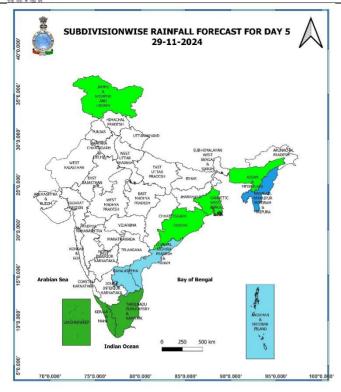


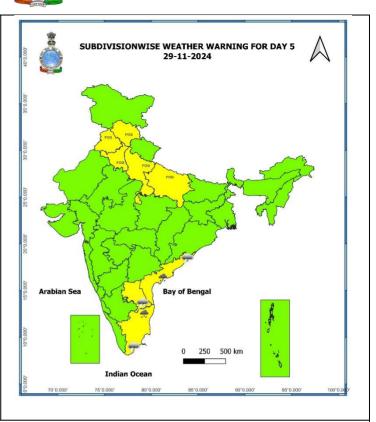


# 28 November (Day 4):

- ❖ Heavy to very Heavy rainfall (≥ 12 cm) likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal; Heavy rainfall (≥ 7 cm) at isolated places over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Kerala & Mahe and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning likely at isolated places over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Rayalaseema and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- ❖ **Dense fog** likely in isolated pockets of Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi and Uttar Pradesh in night/morning hours.
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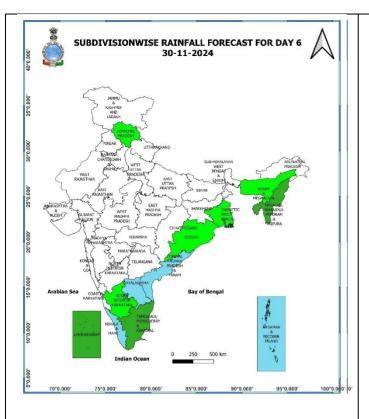


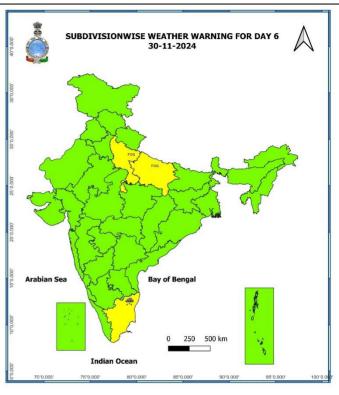
## 29 November (Day 5):

- ❖ Heavy rainfall (≥ 7 cm) likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Rayalaseema and Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam.
- ❖ **Dense fog** likely in isolated pockets of Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi and Uttar Pradesh in night/morning hours.
- ❖ Squally weather with wind speed 35 kmph to 45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph is likely to prevailing along and off south Kerala coast, over gulf of Mannar and Comorin area, over many parts of southwest & adjoining parts of westcentral Bay of Bengal, along and off Sri Lanka, Tamil Nadu & south Andhra Pradesh coasts. Squally weather with wind speed 45 kmph to 55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely to prevailing over along and off north Tamil Nadu & adjoining south Andhra Pradesh coasts and adjoining sea area. Fishermen are advised not to venture into these areas.



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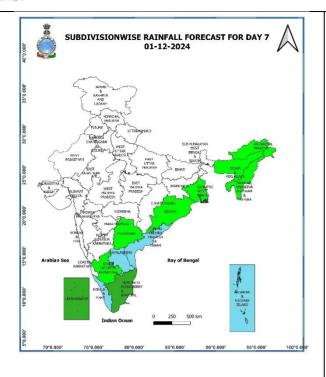


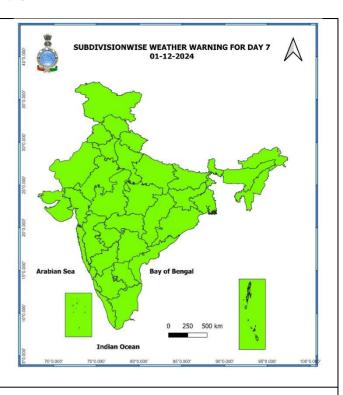
# 30 November (Day 6):

- **❖ Heavy rainfall (≥ 7 cm)** likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- **❖ Dense fog** likely in isolated pockets of Uttar Pradesh in night/morning hours.



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# 01 December (Day 7):

\* No Warning.

# Weather Outlook for subsequent 3 days (During 02nd December - 04th December, 2024)

- ❖ Isolated to Scattered to light to moderate rainfall likely over some parts of south peninsular India and light rainfall over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad.
- ❖ Mainly dry weather will prevail over rest parts of country.
- 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.





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Impact & Action Suggested due to isolated extremely heavy rainfall over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal on 26th & 27th and isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall on 25th & 28th November 2024.

#### A. 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).

## **B.** 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.

## Impact expected due to dense/very dense fog in the late night/morning hours

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

# **Action suggested:**

- Transport and Aviation:
  - Be careful while driving or outing through any transport.
  - Use fog lights during driving.
  - Be in touch with airlines, railways and state transport for schedule of your journey.
- ❖ Power Sector:
  - To keep ready Maintenance Team
  - Human Health: To avoid outing until unless emergency and to cover the face.





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# Agromet advisories for Heavy Rainfall likely over Tamil Nadu, Kerala and Coastal Andhra Pradesh:

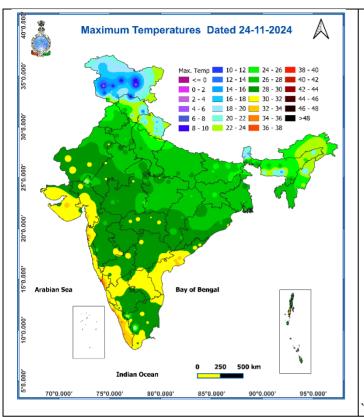
- ✓ In **Tamil Nadu**, provide adequate drainage facilities for the removal of excess water from rice, cotton, sugarcane, turmeric and vegetable fields, coconut and banana orchards. Undertake propping in sugarcane. Provide mechanical support to banana plants to prevent lodging.
- ✓ Make arrangements to drain out excess water from the standing crop fields and fruit orchards in Kerala and Coastal Andhra Pradesh.
- ✓ Keep the harvested produce at safer places.
- ✓ Provide mechanical support to horticultural crops and staking to vegetables.





Fig. 1: Maximum Temperatures

#### Fig. 2: Departure of Maximum Temperatures



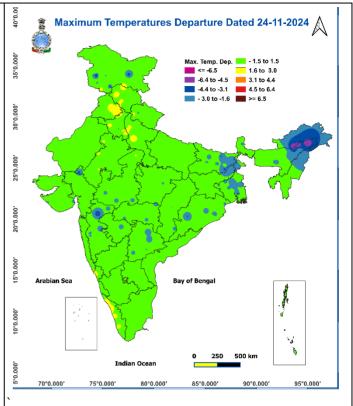


Fig. 3: Minimum Temperatures

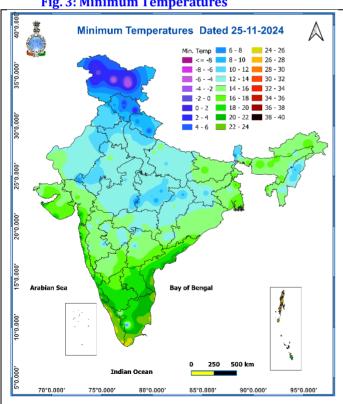


Fig. 4: Departure of Minimum Temperatures

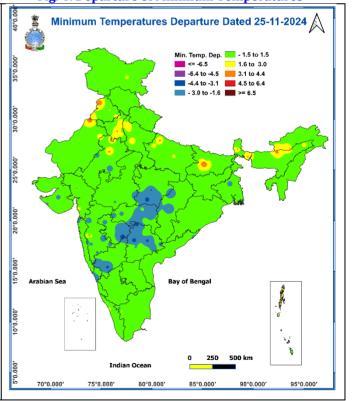
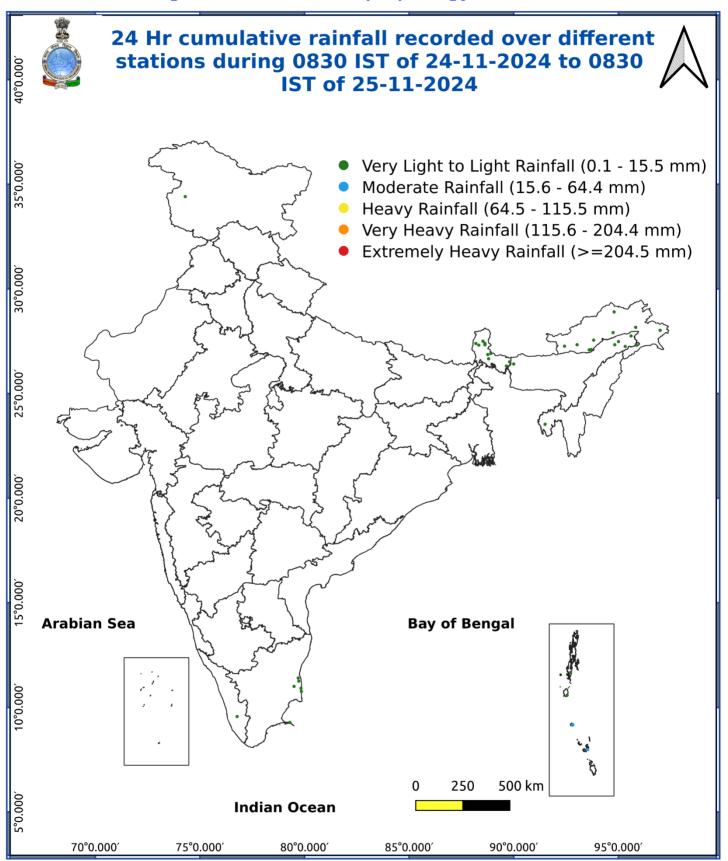






Fig. 5: Accumulated Rainfall (mm) during past 24 hours



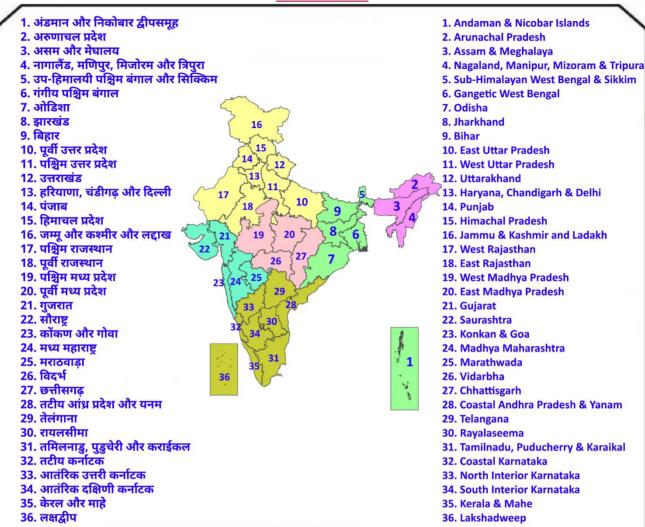
Dust Raising Winds

## राष्ट्रीय मौसम पूर्वानुमान केन्द्र भारत मौसम विज्ञान विभाग पृथ्वी विज्ञान मंत्रालय



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## **LEGENDS**



# **SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION** (% of Stations reporting)

| % Stations           | Category      |                         | % Stations   | Category |                                    |                              |
|----------------------|---------------|-------------------------|--------------|----------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 76-100               | Widespre      | ad (WS/Most Places)     | 26-50        | Scat     | tered (SCT                         | A Few Places)                |
| 51-75                | Fairly Widesp | oread (FWS/Many Places) | 1-25         |          | Isolate                            | d (ISOL)                     |
| Fog                  |               | Heavy Snow              | Cold Wave    |          | COLOUR CODED WARNING               |                              |
|                      |               |                         |              |          | No Warning (No Action)             |                              |
| 🥋 Heavy Rain         |               | Dust Storm 😩            |              |          | Watch (Be Aware)                   |                              |
| P Very Heavy Rain    |               | + Heat Wave             | Ground Frost |          | Alert (Be Prepared To Take Action) |                              |
| Extremely Heavy Rain |               | + Warm Night            |              |          | Warning (Take Action)              |                              |
|                      |               | + Hot Day               |              |          | Proba                              | bilistic Forecast            |
| Thunder & Lightning  |               | 1+ Hot Day              |              |          | Terms                              | Probability of Occurrence (% |
| Hailstorm            |               | P Hot & Humid           |              |          | Unlikely<br>Likely                 | < 25<br>25 - 50              |
|                      |               |                         |              |          | Very Likely                        | 50 - 75                      |

Most Likely

> 75

Strong Surface Winds





|                        | DEFINITION/CRITERIA   |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
|                        | Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm *  |  |  |  |  |
| Rain/ Snow *           | Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm*   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm *  |  |  |  |  |
|                        | 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 4.5° C to 6.4° C.   |  |  |  |  |
| Heat Wave              | (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   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | When maximum temperature remains 40°C   |  |  |  |  |
| Warm Night             | Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure 4.5 °C to 6.4 °C.  |  |  |  |  |
|                        | Severe Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure >6.4 °C.  |  |  |  |  |
|                        |   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°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 ≤ -6.5 °C   |  |  |  |  |
| Cold Wave              | (b) Based on actual Minimum Temperature (for Plains only)   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | Cold Wave : When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 4.0 °C  |  |  |  |  |
|                        | Severe Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 2.0 °C  |  |  |  |  |
|                        | ( c) For Coastal Stations   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | When Minimum Temperature departure is ≤-4.5 °C & actual Minimum Temperature is ≤ 15 °C  |  |  |  |  |
|                        | When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°C for hilly regions   |  |  |  |  |
| Cold Day               | Based on departure  |  |  |  |  |
| Cold Day               | Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -6.4 °C.  Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal ≤ -6.5 °C   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | Severe Cold Day. Maximum Temperature Departure from Horman 2 -0.5 C   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | Phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air and the horizontal visibility < 1km   |  |  |  |  |
| Fog                    | 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   |  |  |  |  |
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| hunderstorm            | Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder)  |  |  |  |  |
| Dust/Sand              |   |  |  |  |  |
|                        | An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and  |  |  |  |  |
| Storm                  | An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and turbulent wind.  |  |  |  |  |
| Storm                  | lce deposits on ground  |  |  |  |  |
|                        | turbulent wind.   |  |  |  |  |
| Storm                  | lce deposits on ground Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  |  |  |  |  |
| Frost                  | lce deposits on ground  |  |  |  |  |
| Storm                  | lce deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute.  Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph  Severe: Wind speed 62-87 kmph   |  |  |  |  |
| Frost                  | lce deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute.  Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph  |  |  |  |  |
| Frost                  | lce deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute.  Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph  Severe: Wind speed 62-87 kmph   |  |  |  |  |
| Frost Squall           | Ice deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  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  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  |  |  |  |  |
| Frost                  | Ice deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  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  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   |  |  |  |  |
| Frost Squall           | Ice deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  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  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  |  |  |  |  |
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| Frost Squall Sea State | Ice deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  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  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  Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 62-87 kmph (34-47 knots)  Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 88-117 kmph (48-63 knots) |  |  |  |  |
| Frost                  | Ice deposits on ground  Air temperature ≤4°C ( over Plains)  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  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 ( >63 knots) & Wave height 6-14 metre  Phenomenal: Wind speed >117 kmph (>63 knots) & Wave height >14 metre  Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 62-87 kmph (34-47 knots)  |  |  |  |  |