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Subject: Weather forecast for Uttarakhand

Realized Weather during past 24-hours (from 0830 hrs IST of yesterday to 0830 hrs IST of today):

Light isolated snowfall occurred over higher reaches of north Uttarakhand as per satellite observations.

Weather forecast for Uttarakhand:

Light rainfall/snowfall is likely on 03rd & 04th March, 2021.

In association with a fresh Western Disturbance likely to affect western Himalayan region, from night of 05th March, **light rainfall (5 mm)** likely over northern parts of the district with possibility of light snowfall (upto 5 cm) over higher reaches of the district during 06th-07th March, with peak intensity likely on 07th March, 2021.

The maximum temperatures are above normal by 3-4⁰C over most parts of Uttarakhand as per the observations. No significant change in temperatures during next 2 days.

Date-wise weather forecast for Chamoli district of Uttarakhand:

Date	Forecast for Chamoli district
03 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky becoming partly cloudy sky from afternoon. Very Light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) over northern parts of the district with possibility of very light snowfall (upto 2.5 cm) over higher reaches of the district towards evening.
04 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky becoming partly cloudy sky from afternoon. Very Light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) over northern parts of the district with possibility of very light snowfall (upto 2.5 cm) over higher reaches of the district.
05 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky becoming partly cloudy sky with possibility of very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) over northern parts of the district with possibility of very light snowfall (upto 2.5 cm) over higher reaches of the district.
06 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky becoming partly cloudy sky with possibility of light rainfall (upto 5.0 mm) over northern parts of the district with possibility of very light snowfall (upto 5.0 cm) over higher reaches of the district during forenoon.
07 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky becoming partly cloudy sky with possibility of light to moderate rainfall (upto 20 mm) over northern parts of the district with possibility of light to moderate snowfall (upto 20 cm) over higher reaches of the district during forenoon.

Date-wise weather forecast for Tapovan and Joshimath area of Uttarakhand:

Date	Forecast for Tapovan and Joshimath areas
03 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky with possibility of very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) towards evening. Maximum Temperature : 20.0 °C Minimum Temperature(observed): 7.3 °C
04 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky with possibility of very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) Maximum Temperature : 20.0°C Minimum Temperature : 6.0°C
05 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky with possibility of very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) Maximum Temperature : 19.0°C Minimum Temperature : 6.0° C
06 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky with possibility of light rainfall (upto 3.0 mm) /snowfall (upto 3.0 cm) Maximum Temperature : 19.0°C Minimum Temperature : 5.0° C
07 March 2021	Generally cloudy sky with possibility of light to moderate rainfall (upto 20 mm) /snowfall (upto 20 cm) Maximum Temperature : 18.0°C Minimum Temperature : 6.0° C

Outlook for 08th -12th March, 2021 for rainfall/snowfall over Chamoli District:

Another successive Western Disturbance is likely to affect Western Himalayan Region from night of 09th March and likely to cause fresh spell of **very light to moderate rainfall** with possibility of **light snowfall** over the high reaches in the region during 10th -12th March, 2021.