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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 rainfall/snowfall occurred over northern and extreme northwestern parts of the state as per satellite observations.

Weather forecast for Uttarakhand:

- **Light rainfall (upto 5.0 mm)** very likely at isolated places of northern parts of Uttarakhand and **light snowfall (upto 5.0 cm)** over higher reaches of north Uttarakhand during next 5 days.
- The **maximum temperatures** are above normal by 4-6^oC over hills of Uttarakhand and by 2-5^oC over plains of Uttarakhand. No significant change in temperatures over most parts of the state during next 5 days.

Date-wise weather forecast for Chamoli district of Uttarakhand:

Date	Forecast for Chamoli district
16 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) at isolated places over the district and very light snowfall (upto 2.5 cm) over higher reaches of the district.
17 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) at isolated places over the district and very light snowfall (upto 2.5 cm) over higher reaches of the district.
18 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with light rainfall (upto 05 mm) at isolated places over the district and light snowfall (upto 05 cm) over higher reaches of the district.
19 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with light rainfall (upto 05 mm) at isolated places over the district and light snowfall (upto 05 cm) over higher reaches of the district.
20 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with light rainfall (upto 05 mm) at isolated places over the district and light snowfall (upto 05 cm) over higher reaches of the district.

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

Date	Forecast for Tapovan and Joshimath areas
16 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with possibility of very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) . Maximum Temperature : 22.0°C Minimum Temperature (observed) : 9.3°C
17 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with possibility of light rainfall (upto 05 mm) . Maximum Temperature : 22.0°C Minimum Temperature : 9.0°C
18 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with possibility of light rainfall (upto 05 mm) . Maximum Temperature : 22.0°C Minimum Temperature : 8.0°C
19 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with possibility of very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) . Maximum Temperature : 23.0°C Minimum Temperature : 8.0°C
20 March 2021	Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with possibility of very light rainfall (upto 2.5 mm) . Maximum Temperature : 23.0°C Minimum Temperature : 8.0°C

Outlook for 21th -25th March, 2021 for rainfall/snowfall over Chamoli District:

Partly cloudy sky becoming Generally cloudy sky in the afternoon/evening with **light to moderate rainfall (upto 20 mm)** at isolated places over the district and **light to moderate snowfall (upto 20 cm)** over higher reaches of the district.