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EXTENDED RANGE FORECAST FOR JHARKHAND

(Current weather status & outlook for next two weeks from (05th June, 2026 – 18th June, 2026):

• Main synoptic features that affected the weather of the state of Jharkhand (28th May, 2026 – 03rd June, 2026):

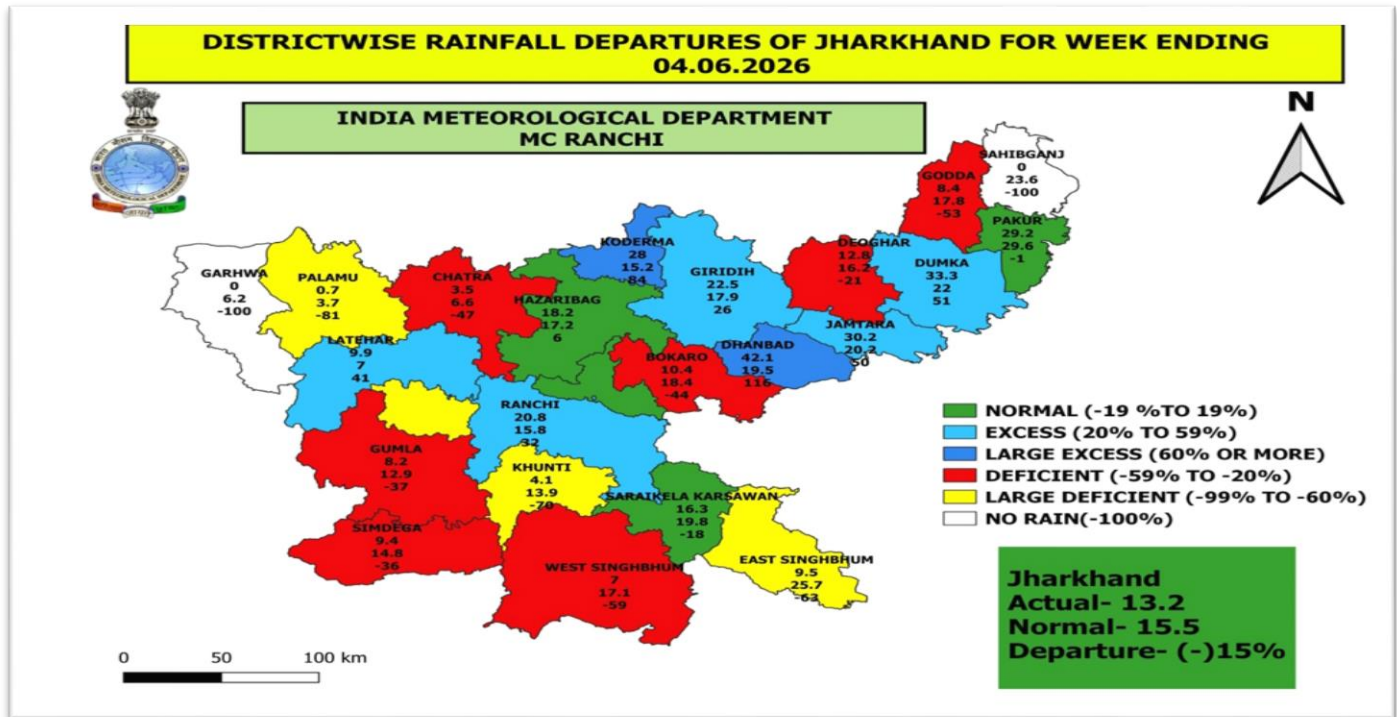
1. North-South & East-west trough at lower tropospheric level ran either across or close to the state of Jharkhand throughout the past week.
2. Troughs in westerlies with its axis at middle tropospheric level were also seen on 29th, 30th, 31st May, 2026.
3. Besides above systems, lower level cyclonic circulation was also observed over North Jharkhand on 29th May, South Gangetic West Bengal and adjoining Jharkhand & Odisha on 01st June and North East U.P on 03rd June.

Under the influence of above systems, light to moderate rain accompanied with lightning / thunder and gusty wind occurred at isolated to few places over the state of Jharkhand. Casualty due to lightning & heatstroke was also reported by media in the state.

Weekly Rainfall Scenario (29th May, 2026 – 04th June, 2026) :

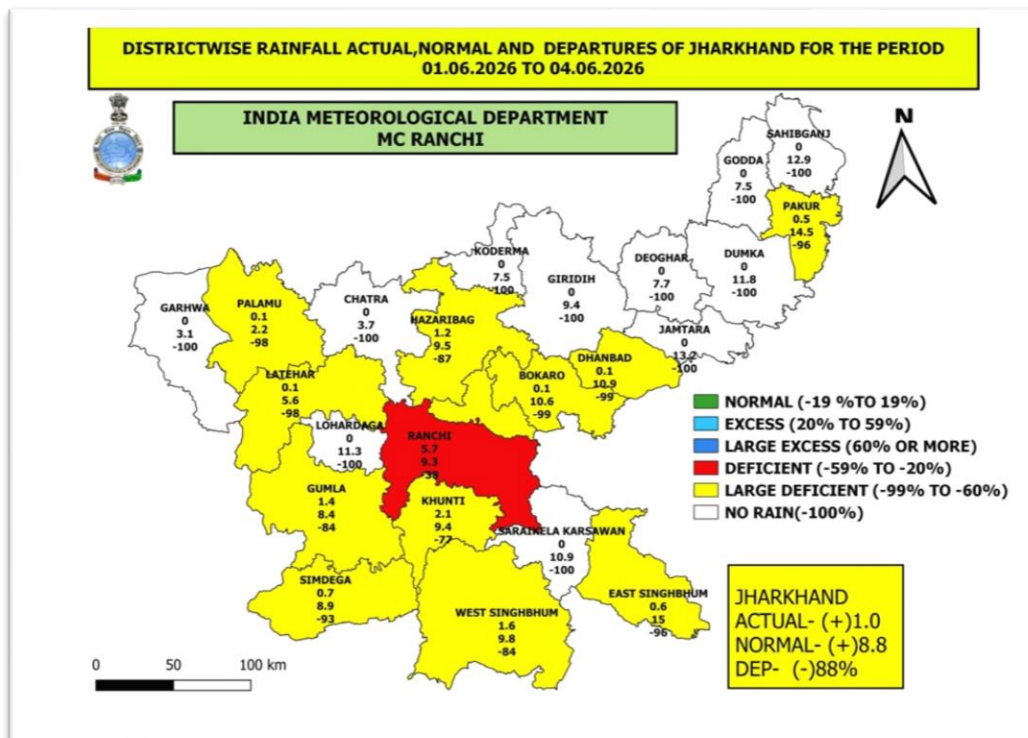
Normal (Departure : -15%) rainfall occurred over the state during the period from 29th May, 2026 – 04th June, 2026.

CATEGORY	WEEK 29.05.2026 to 04.06.2026	SEASON 01.06.2026 to 04.06.2026
LARGE EXCESS	02 Districts	00 Districts
EXCESS	05 District	00 Districts
NORMAL	04 District	00 District
DEFICIENT	07 Districts	01 Districts
LARGE DEFICIENT	04 Districts	12 Districts
NO RAIN	02 Districts	11 Districts
Cumulative rainfall (mm)	13.2	1.0
Normal rainfall (mm)	15.5	8.8
DEPARTURE (%)	(-)15%	(-)88%



• Seasonal Rainfall Scenario (01st June, 2026 to 04th June, 2026):

During this period, 01 district received **Deficient** rainfall, 12 districts received **Large Deficient** rainfall, 11 districts received **no rain** rainfall over the state of Jharkhand. Cumulatively, seasonal rainfall was **Large Deficient** (Departure-(-88%)) over the state.



• Temperature during past week:

- Maximum temperature was observed **Below Normal to Normal** during this week. It was observed in the range of (27-41) °C over the state.
- Minimum temperature was observed **Below Normal to Normal** during this week. It was observed in the range of (18-28) °C over the state.

• Chief synoptic conditions as on 04th June, 2026:

- The upper air cyclonic circulation over central Uttar Pradesh extending up to 1.5 km above mean sea level persists.
- The upper air cyclonic circulation over north Bangladesh & adjoining Gangetic West Bengal now lies over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & adjoining Bihar at 0.9 km above mean sea level.

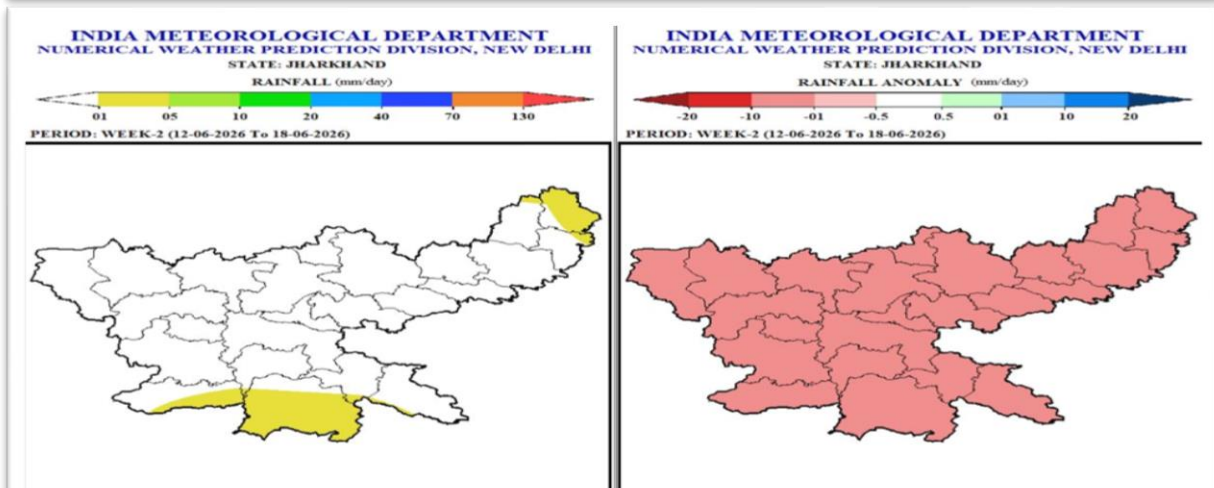
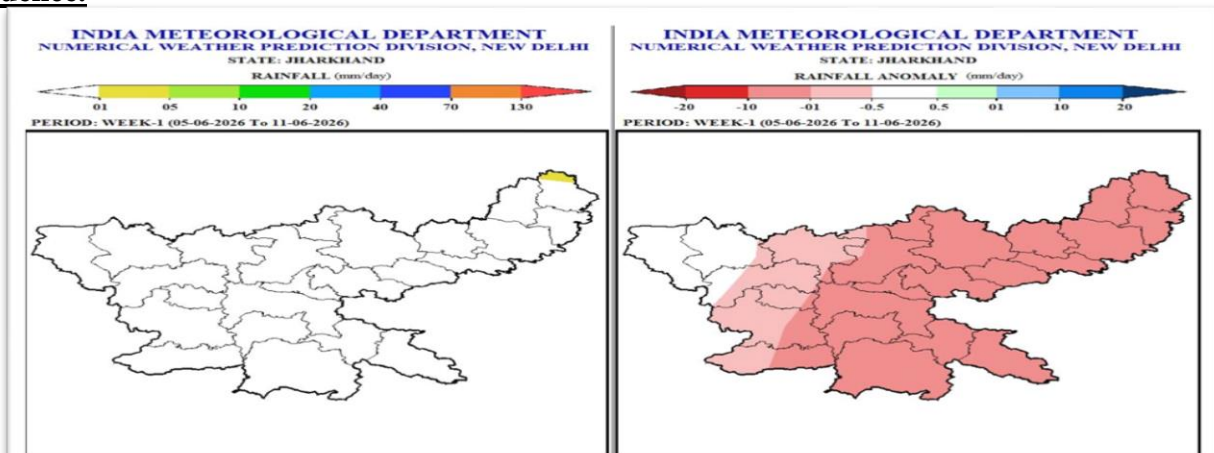
5. Forecast for next two weeks:

Under the influence of the present synoptic features, dynamical scenario and model guidance:-

(i) Rainfall forecast for week 1 (05th June, 2026 – 11th June , 2026) and Week 2 (12th June, 2026 – 18th June, 2026):

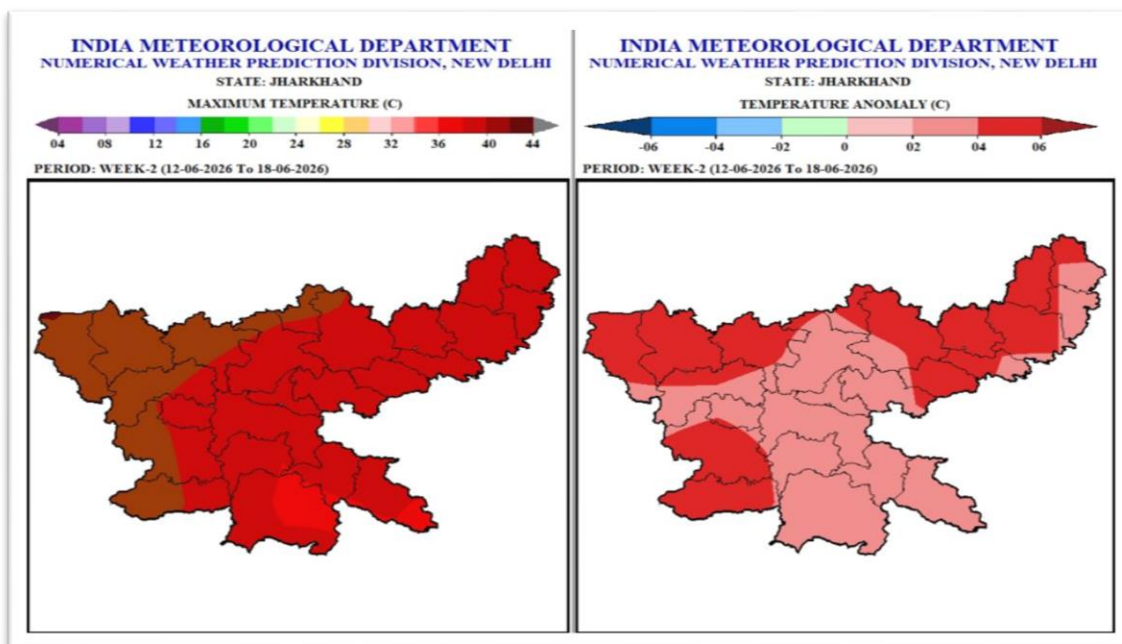
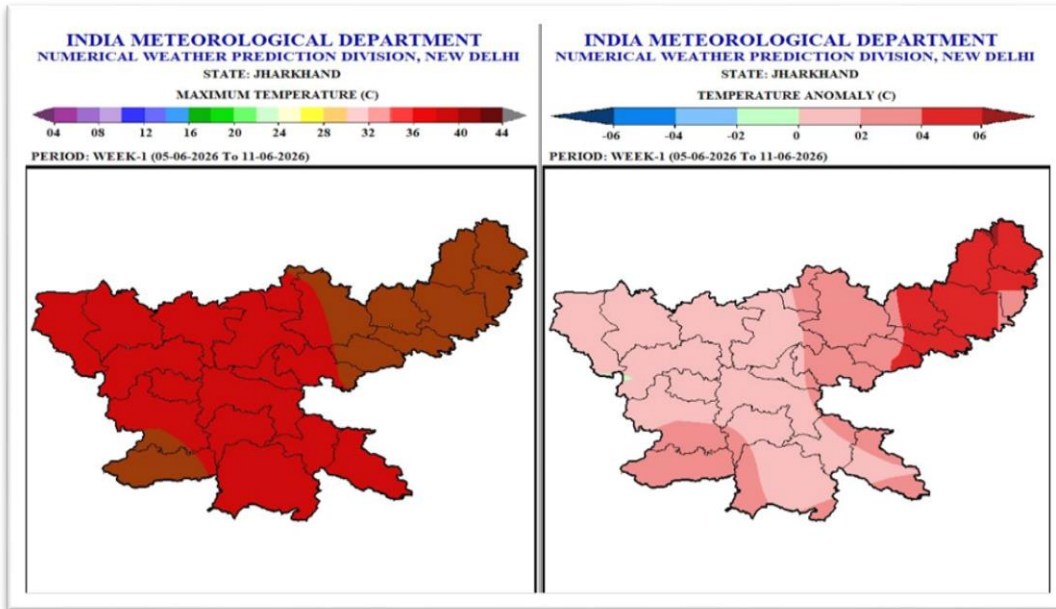
- **Week-1:-** Light to moderate rain accompanied with thunder / lightning & gusty wind is likely at isolated places in this week. Cumulatively below normal rainfall is predicted for this week.
- **Week-2:-** In this week also cumulatively below normal rainfall is likely.

Note:- If the text statement differs from the map based information, text statement shall take precedence.



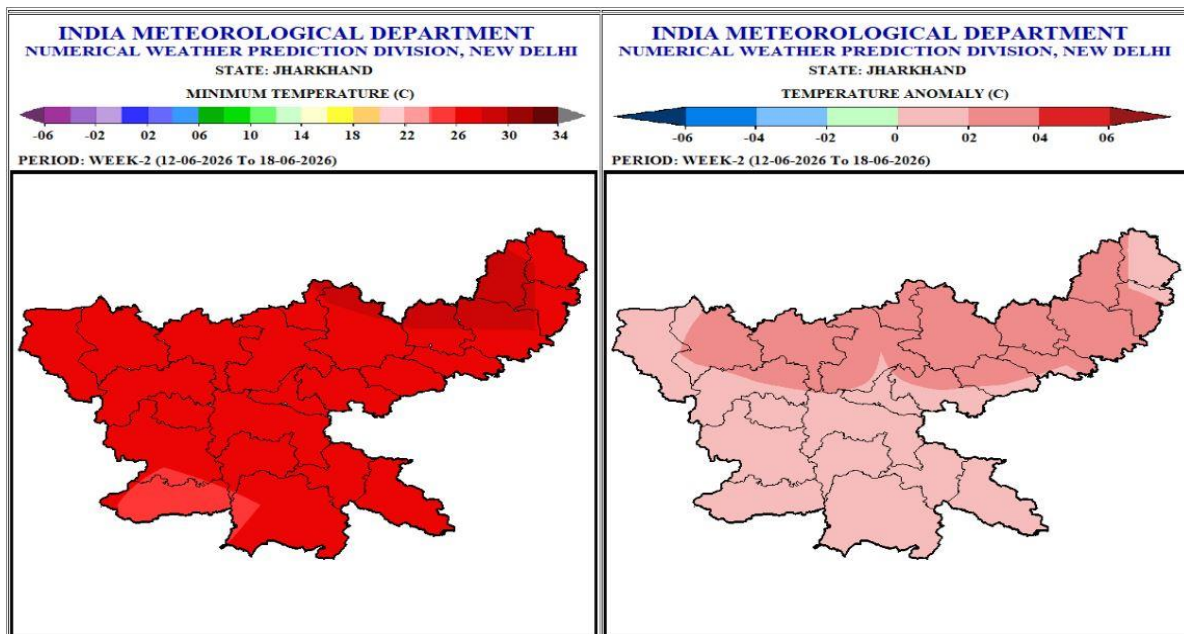
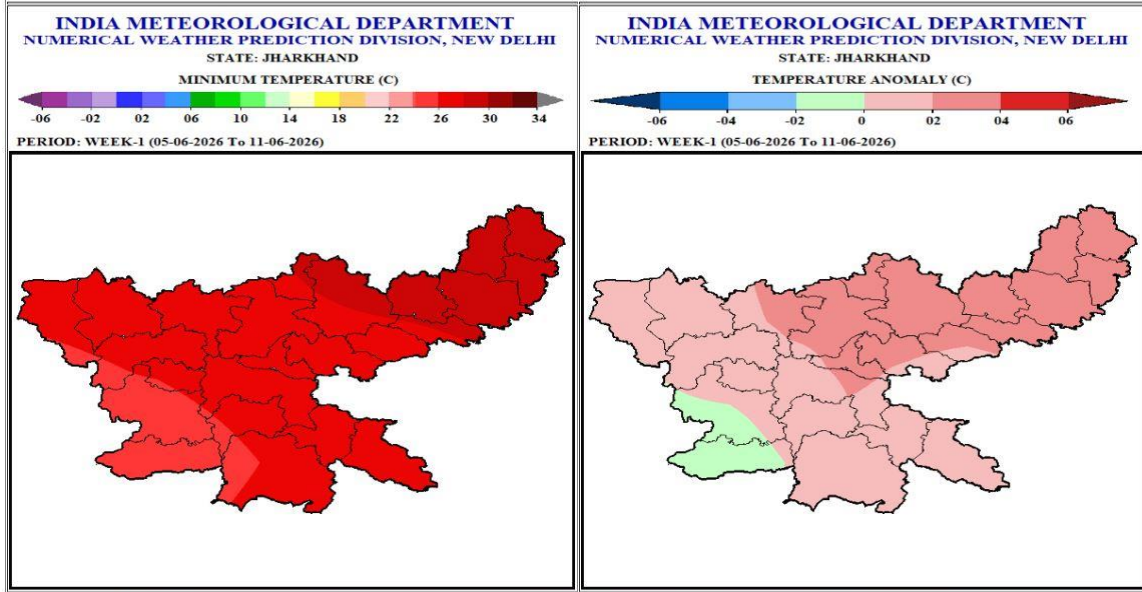
(ii) Maximum Temperature forecast for Week 1 (05th June, 2026 – 11th June , 2026) and Week 2 (12th June, 2026 – 18th June, 2026):

- **Week-1:- Normal to Above Normal** Maximum temperature is very likely to be observed over the most parts of the state. It may lie in the range (34-42) °C during the week.
- **Week-2:- Normal to Above Normal** Maximum temperature is likely to be observed over the state. It may lie in the range (34-41) °C during the week.



(iii) Minimum Temperature forecast for Week 1 (05th June, 2026 – 11th June , 2026) and Week 2 (12th June, 2026 – 18th June, 2026):

- **Week 1:** Normal to Above Normal Minimum Temperature is likely to be observed. It may lie in the range (23-30) °C.
- **Week 2:** Normal to Above Normal Minimum Temperature is likely to be observed. It may lie in the range (25-31) °C.



Next bulletin will be issued on 11th June, 2026 (Thursday).

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