



**Government of India
Ministry of Earth Sciences
India Meteorological Department
Meteorological Centre, Shimla (HP)**

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Press Release for Wet spell in Himachal Pradesh

Weather Forecast for Himachal Pradesh valid till 0830 IST of 30th April 2024.

- In view of an approaching active Western Disturbance, another active wet spell of light to moderate intensity associated with spell of isolated heavy rainfall likely to commence in HP from late evening of 26th April, 2024 till 30th April, 2024 with peak intensity during 27th -29th April. Light to moderate snowfall is also likely to occur in the high hills in the districts of Chamba, Lahaul-Spiti, Kinnaur, and Kullu during the period.
- Aforesaid spell is likely to be accompanied with thunderstorm/lightning and gusty winds (30-40 Kmph) at few places in plains/low hills and mid hills districts of the state with possibility of hailstorm at isolated places in the districts of Shimla, Solan, Kullu, Sirmaur, Chamba, Kangra, Bilaspur and Mandi during 26th to 28th April, 2024. Possibility of isolated spells of heavy rain also in the districts of Kangra, Chamba, Bilaspur, Hamirpur, Kullu and Mandi during 27th -29th April, 2024. The precipitation activity is likely to decrease significantly from 30th April, 2024 onward.
- The average maximum temperatures likely to be normal to below normal during the period

Impact and Advisory

- 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 kutchha houses/walls and huts.
- Loose objects may fly.

Actions Suggested

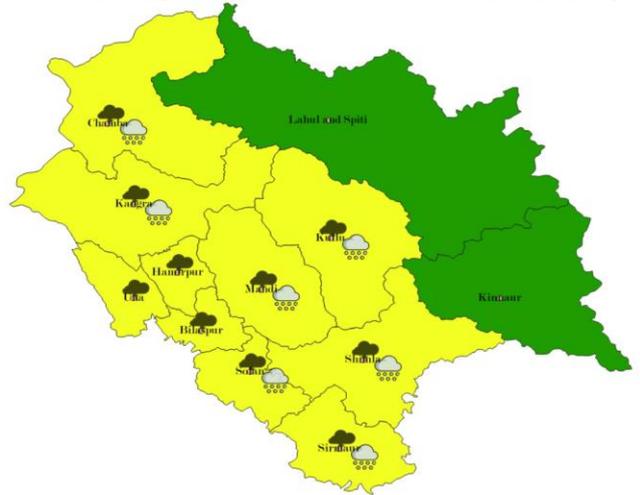
- Stay indoors, close windows & doors and avoid travel if possible.
- Take safe shelters & do not take shelter under trees.
- Unplug electrical/ electronic appliances.
- Immediately get out of water bodies.
- Keep away from all the objects that conduct electricity
- Avoid going in open areas in view of expected thunderstorms
- Use of anti-hail nets over the crops.
- Follow any traffic advisories that are issued in this regard.
- Due to low clouds/foggy conditions visibility may be reduced.
- Follow the advisories and guidelines issued by the concerned departments.

DISTRICTWISE WEATHER WARNING FOR THE NEXT 5 DAYS

DAY 1(UPTO 0830 IST OF 26.04.2024)



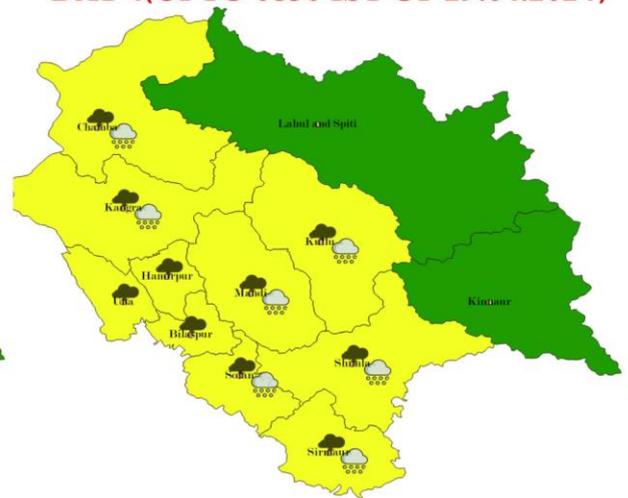
DAY 2(UPTO 0830 IST OF 27.04.2024)



DAY 3(UPTO 0830 IST OF 28.04.2024)



DAY 4(UPTO 0830 IST OF 29.04.2024)



DAY 5(UPTO 0830 IST OF 30.04.2024)



Legends.

Warning.

- NO WARNING (NO ACTION)-कोई कार्यवाही नहीं
- WATCH (BE UPDATED)-निगरानी रखे
- ALERT(BE PREPARED)-सतर्क रहे
- WARNING(TAKE ACTION)-कार्यवाही करे

legends

- THUNDERSTORM
- Heavy rain with thunderstorm
- SNOW
- Heavy to Very Rain with thunderstorm
- HEAT WAVE
- GUSTY WINDS(Wind speed 30-40kmph)
- HAIL
- COLD WAVE
- FOG
- Ground Frost

**Regards,
Met Centre Shimla**

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