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Sub: (A) Deep Depression over southwest Bihar and adjoining northwest Jharkhand

(B) Low Pressure Area over southwest Rajasthan & neighbourhood

#### (A) Deep Depression over southwest Bihar and adjoining northwest Jharkhand

The depression over north Jharkhand and neighbourhood moved west-northwestwards with a speed of 7 kmph during past 6 hours, intensified into a deep depression and lay centered at 0830 hours IST of today, the 3<sup>rd</sup> August over southwest Bihar and adjoining northwest Jharkhand near latitude 24.4°N and longitude 84.4°E, about 50 km northeast of Daltonganj (Jharkhand), 60 km south-southeast of Dehri (Bihar) and 140 km east-southeast of Churk (Uttar Pradesh).

It is likely to continue to move west-northwestwards across northwest Jharkhand, southwest Bihar, southeast Uttar Pradesh and east Madhya Pradesh during next 48 hours.

#### (B) Low Pressure Area over southwest Rajasthan and neighbourhood

A low pressure area formed over southwest Rajasthan and neighbourhood at 0830 hours IST of today, the 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2024. It is likely to move nearly westwards during next 24 hours.

#### Warnings:

## (i) Rainfall Warning:

#### Jharkhand:

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at a few places is very likely on 3<sup>rd</sup> and isolated **extremely heavy rainfall** is also very likely over Northwest Jharkhand on 3<sup>rd</sup>; heavy rainfall at isolated places on 4<sup>th</sup> August.

#### .Bihar:

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at isolated places over Bihar on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, heavy rainfall at isolated places on 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> August.

# **Chhattisgarh:**

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at a few places and **extremely heavy rainfall** at isolated places also over north Chhattisgarh is very likely on 3<sup>rd</sup> August.

#### **East Madhya Pradesh:**

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at isolated places is very likely on 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> and **extremely heavy rainfall** at isolated places is also very likely on 3<sup>rd</sup> August.

#### **West Madhya Pradesh:**

Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely during 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> and extremely heavy rainfall at isolated places is also very likely on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> August.

#### **East Uttar Pradesh:**

Light to moderate rainfall at many places with **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at a few places and **extremely heavy rainfall** at isolated places over southeast Uttar Pradesh is very likely on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> August.

#### **West Uttar Pradesh:**

Light to moderate rainfall at many places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely on 3rd and isolated heavy on 4th.

#### East Rajasthan:

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely during 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup>; very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 3<sup>rd</sup> and **extremely heavy rainfall** is very likely on 4<sup>th</sup> August

#### West Rajasthan:

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely during  $3^{rd}$ ,  $5^{th}$  and  $6^{th}$  and heavy rainfall at isolated places on  $4^{th}$  August

# **Gujarat region:**

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> and extremely heavy rainfall at isolated places on 3<sup>rd</sup>.

#### Saurashtra & Kutch.

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated on 3<sup>rd</sup> and heavy rainfall on 4<sup>th</sup> |August..

# West Bengal:

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with **heavy to very heavy rainfall** at isolated places is very likely over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal during 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> August.

Light to moderate rainfall at most places with isolated **heavy rainfall** is very likely over Gangetic West Bengal on 3<sup>rd</sup> August.

#### (ii) Wind warning:

- Strong wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is very likely over Jharkhand, south Bihar, north Chhattisgarh and adjoining and east Madhya Pradesh & southeast Uttar Pradesh on 3<sup>rd</sup> August.
- Strong wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is very likely over south Uttar Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh and adjoining west Madhya Pradesh & north Chhattisgarh, on 4<sup>th</sup> August.
- Strong wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph is very likely over west Madhya Pradesh and adjoining east Rajasthan & east Madhya Pradesh on 5<sup>th</sup> August.

#### (iii) 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/landslips/mud slips/land sinks/mud sinks.
- ➤ 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)

## (iv) 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.

#### (v) Agromet advisories for Heavy Rainfall likely over various parts of the country

- ➤ Make provision for draining out excess water from crop fields to avoid water stagnation in West Bengal, Sub Himalayan West Bengal, Odisha, Jharkhand, Bihar, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh.
- > Provide mechanical support to horticultural crops and staking to vegetables.

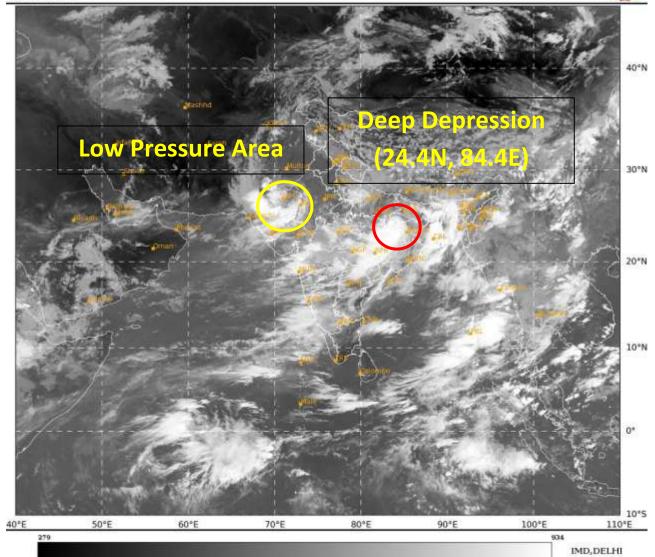
Next bulletin will be issued at 1430 hours IST of today, the 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2024.

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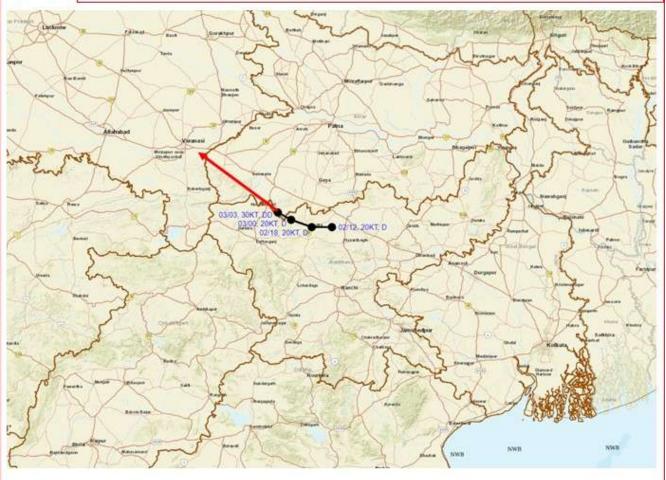








OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK OF DEEP DEPRESSION OVER SOUTHWEST BIHAR AND ADJOINING NORTHWEST JHARKHAND BASED ON 0300 UTC OF 03RD AUGUST, 2024.



DATE/TIME IN UTC IST=UTC + 0530

L: LOW PRESSURE AREA

WML: WELL MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA

D: DEPRESSION (17-27 KT) DD: DEEP DEPRESSION (28-33 KT)

CS: CYCLONIC STORM (34.47 KT)
SCS: SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM (48.63KT)
VSCS: VERY SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM (64.89 KT)
ESCS: EXTREMELY SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM (90.119 KT)

SuCS: SUPER CYCLONIC STORM (€ 120 KT)

LESS THAN 34 KT

34-47 KT

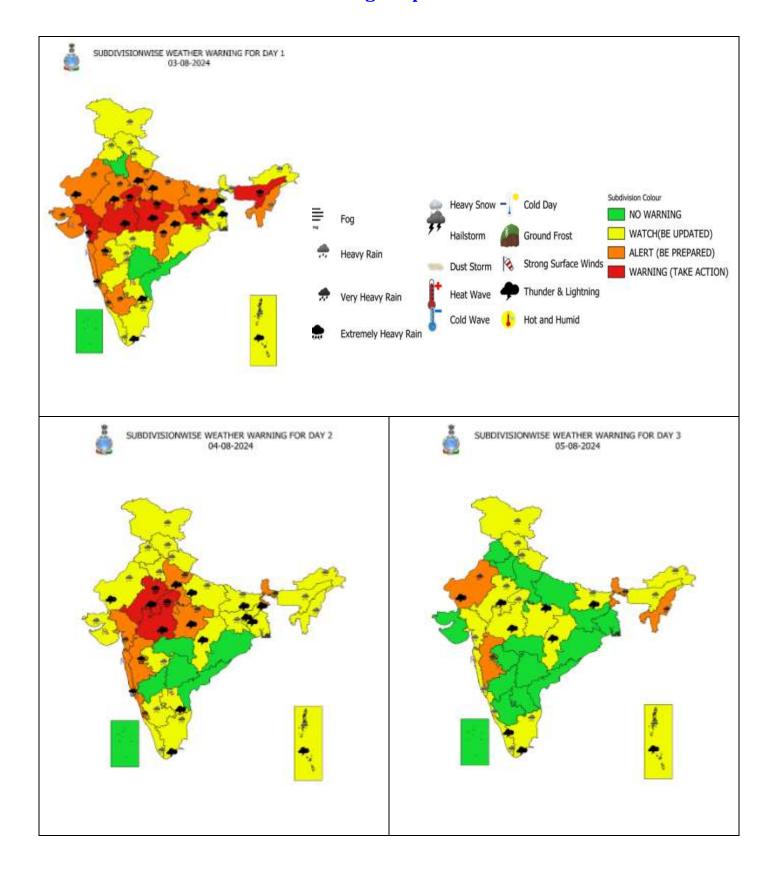
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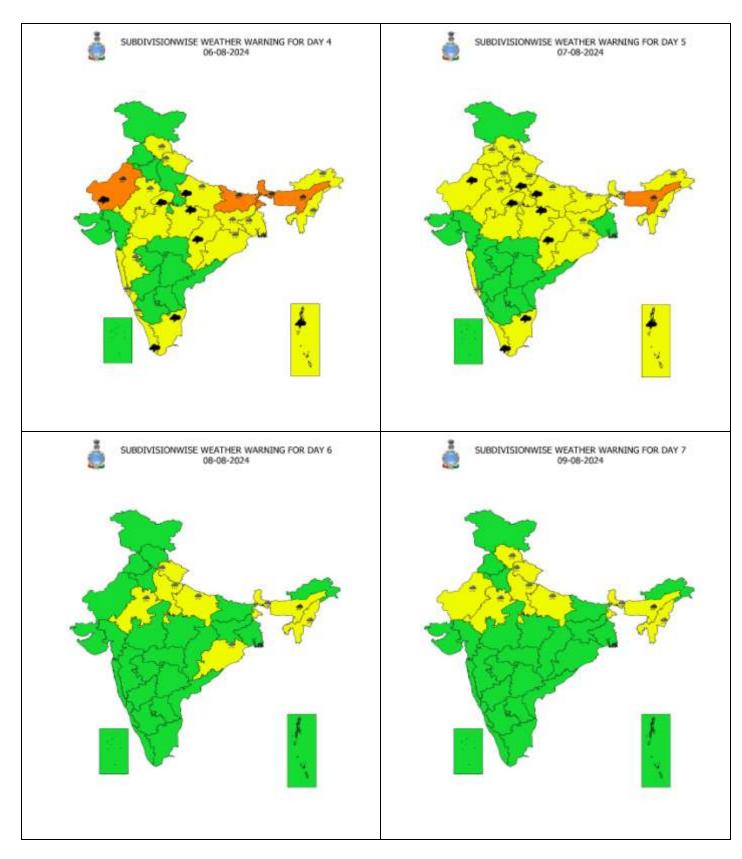
OBSERVED TRACK

FORECAST TRACK

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# **Warning Graphics**





- 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.

# Flash Flood Guidance

# 24 hours Outlook for the Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 0530 IST of 04-08-2024:

Low to Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of East Madhya Pradesh adjoining Northern parts of Chhattisgarh and Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours.

Surface runoff/ Inundation may occur at some fully saturated soils & low-lying areas over AoC as shown in map due to expected rainfall occurrence in next 24 hours.

# 24 hours Outlook for the Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 0530 IST of 04-08-2024:

Low to Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of South Gujarat Region and Northern parts of Madhya Maharashtra Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours.

Surface runoff/ Inundation may occur at some fully saturated soils & low-lying areas over AoC as shown in map due to expected rainfall occurrence in next 24 hours.

