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#### Sub: Depression over Northeast Arabian Sea off Saurashtra coast

The depression over Northeast Arabian Sea off Saurashtra coast moved northnorthwestwards during last 3 hours with a speed of 12 kmph and lay centered at 1130 hours IST of today, the 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2022 over the same region near latitude 21.9°N and longitude 68.9°E, about 90 km west-northwest of Porbandar (Gujarat), 70 km south-southwest of Okha (Gujarat), 150 km south of Naliya (Gujarat) and 380 km south-southeast of Karachi (Pakistan).

It is very likely to move gradually further north-northwestwards along & off Saurashtra & Kutch coasts and adjoining northeast Arabian Sea during next 24 hours. Thereafter, it is likely to move nearly westwards towards Oman coast across northwest Arabian Sea during subsequent 48 hours.

#### Warnings:

## (i) Rainfall (warning graphics enclosed)

Rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places over Gujarat region and Saurashtra & Kutch on 16<sup>th</sup> July. Thereafter, there will be no adverse impact of this system on rainfall over the state.

## (ii) Wind warning

**16th July:** Squally weather with wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph very likely over northeast Arabian Sea, adjoining central Arabian Sea, along & off Gujarat coast and 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph along & off Maharashtra & Karnataka coasts. Strong winds with speed

reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph very likely over remaining parts of central and adjoining south Arabian Sea under the influence of strong monsoon condition over the region.

**17th July:** Squally weather with wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph very likely over northeast and adjoining northwest Arabian Sea. Strong winds with speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph very likely over westcentral and adjoining southwest Arabian Sea. Strong winds with speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph very likely over eastcentral and adjoining south Arabian Sea.

**18<sup>th</sup> July:** Squally weather with wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 70 kmph very likely over northwest Arabian Sea. Strong winds with speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph very likely over westcentral Arabian Sea.

### (iii) Sea condition

**16<sup>th</sup> July:** Sea condition is very likely to become rough to very rough over northeast Arabian Sea and over central & adjoining south Arabian Sea and along & off Gujarat coast, Maharashtra & Karnataka coasts.

**17<sup>th</sup> July:** Sea condition is very likely to become rough to very rough over northeast and adjoining northwest Arabian Sea and over central & adjoining south Arabian Sea.

**18<sup>th</sup> July:** Sea condition is very likely to become rough to very rough over northwest Arabian Sea and over westcentral Arabian Sea.

# (iv) Fishermen Warning

**16<sup>th</sup> July:** Fishermen are advised not to venture into northeast Arabian Sea, central & adjoining south Arabian Sea and along & off Gujarat coast, Maharashtra & Karnataka coasts.

**17**<sup>th</sup> **July:** Fishermen are advised not to venture into northeast Arabian Sea and central & adjoining south Arabian Sea.

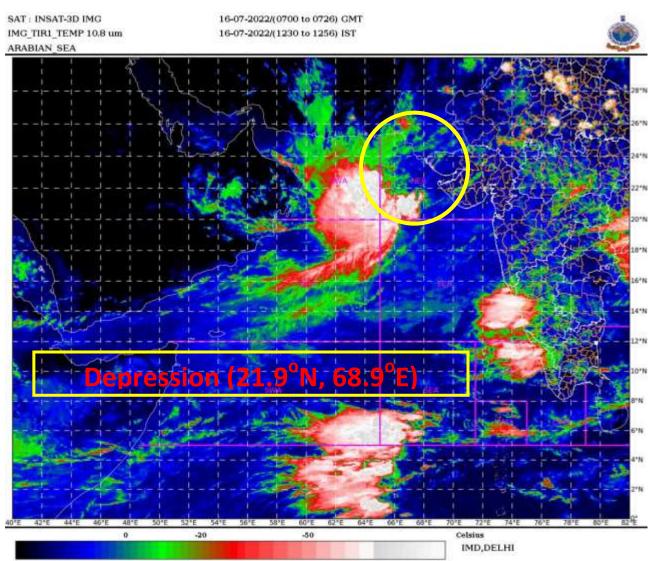
**18**<sup>th</sup> **July:** Fishermen are advised not to venture into northwest Arabian Sea and westcentral Arabian Sea.

The system is under continuous surveillance and the next message will be issued at 2030 hours IST of today, the 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.

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*LEGEND*: Heavy Rainfall: 64.5 to 115.5mm, Very Heavy Rainfall: 115.6 to 204.4mm Most Places: more than 76% of total stations, Isolated Places: Less than 25% of total



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# FORECAST TRACK OF DEPRESSION OVER NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA OFF SAURASHTRA COAST BASED ON 0600 UTC OF 16<sup>th</sup> JULY 2022

