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Subject: Deep Depression over north Andaman Sea and adjoining areas of eastcentral Bay of Bengal

The Deep Depression over north Andaman Sea and adjoining areas of eastcentral Bay of Bengal, moved nearly northwards with a speed of 20 kmph during last 06 hours, and lay centered at 0830 hours IST of today, the 22nd March, over the same region near latitude 15.2°N and longitude 94.2°E, about 290 km north-northeast of Mayabundar (Andaman Islands), 420 km north-northeast of Port Blair (Andaman Islands), 270 km southwest of Yangon (Myanmar) and 360 km south of Thandwe (Myanmar).

It would continue to move nearly northwards away from Andaman Islands and cross Myanmar coast as a deep depression between latitude 16°N & 18°N around afternoon of 22nd March.

Forecast track and intensity are given in the following table:

	Date/Time (IST)	Position (Lat. ⁰N/ Long. ⁰E)	Maximum Sustained Surface Wind speed (kmph)	Category of Cyclonic Disturbance
2	22.03.22/0830	15.2/94.2	55-65 gusting to 75	Deep Depression
2	22.03.22/1130	15.8/94.2	50-60 gusting to 70	Deep Depression
2	22.03.22/1730	16.7/94.4	45-55 gusting to 65	Depression

Warnings:

(i) Rainfall

No heavy rainfall for Andaman Islands during 22nd March with light to moderate rainfall at a few places over the same region.

(ii) Wind warning

22nd **March:** Squally winds speed reaching 55-65 kmph gusting to 75 kmph prevails over north Andaman Sea & adjoining eastcentral Bay of Bengal and along & off Myanmar coast. It is likely to decrease gradually becoming 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph along and off Myanmar coast and adjoining east central Bay of Bengal and north Andaman Sea from 22nd afternoon for subsequent 12 hours.

(iii)Sea condition

• 22nd March: Sea condition is very likely to become rough to very rough over north Andaman Sea & adjoining eastcentral Bay of Bengal, along and off Myanmar coast and along & off north Andaman islands during next 12 hours.

(iv) Fishermen Warning (Graphics enclosed)

Fishermen are advised not to venture into

 Eastcentral Bay of Bengal, North Andaman Sea, along & off Myanmar coast and along & off north Andaman Islands on 22nd March.

Next bulletin will be issued at 1430 hours IST of 22rd March, 2022.

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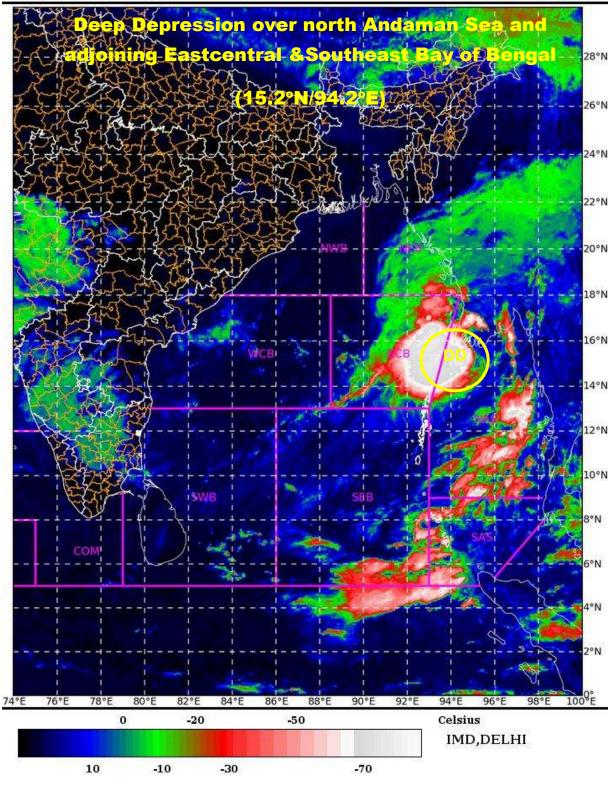
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LEGEND: **Heavy Rainfall**: 64.5 to 115.5mm, **Very Heavy Rainfall**: 115.6 to 204.4mm **Most Places**: more than 76% of total stations, **Isolated Places**: Less than 25% of total

SAT: INSAT-3D IMG 22-03-2022/(0330 to 0357) GMT IMG_TIR1_TEMP 10.8 um 22-03-2022/(0900 to 0927) IST

L1C Mercator

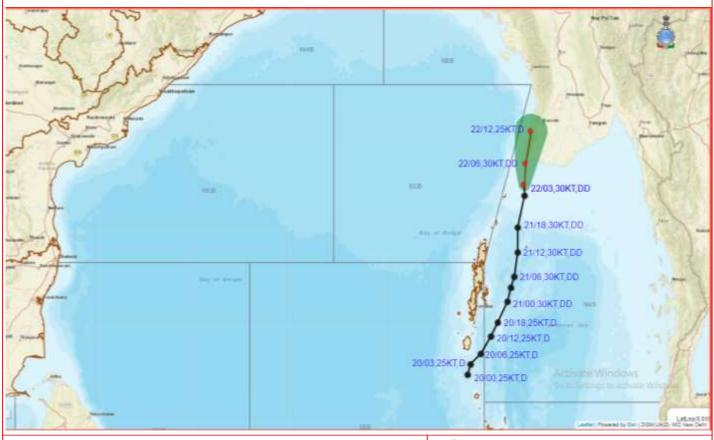




DD: DEEP DEPRESSION



OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH CONE OF UNCERTAINTY OF DEEP DEPRESSION OVER NORTH ANDAMAN SEA AND ADJOINING AREAS OF EASTCENTRAL T BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 0300 UTC OF 22nd MARCH 2022



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)

290,NNE

Sucs: SUPER CYCLONIC STORM (≥20 KT)

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DISTANCE(KM) AND DIRECTION FROM STATIONS STATIONS 22.03.22/0300 22.03.22/1200 22.03.22/1200 Yangon 270,SW 190.W 190.W 200,S 200,S **Tandwe** 360,S 540,NNE 710,NNE 710,NNE Hut bay Portblair 420,NNE 590,NNE 590,NNE

LESS THAN 34 KT

OBSERVED TRACK FORECAST TRACK CONE OF UNCERTAINTY

450,NNE

34-47 KT

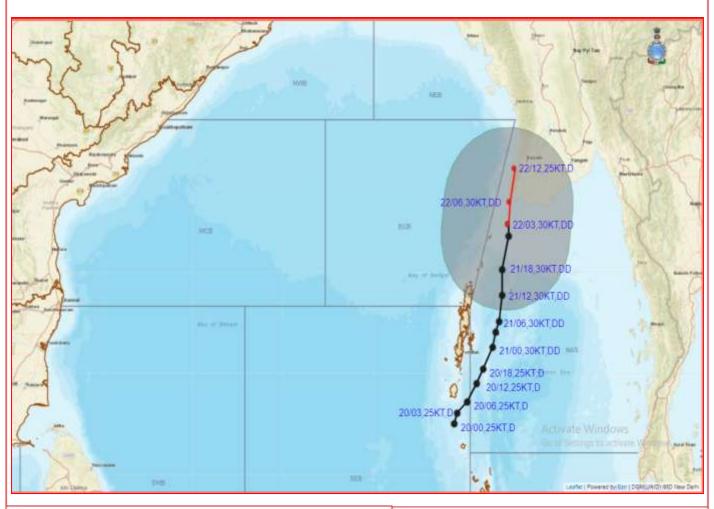
≥ 48 KT

N:NORTH, NNE:NORTH-NORTHEAST, NE:NORTHEAST, ENE:EAST-NORTHEAST, E:EAST, SE:SOUTHEAST, SSE:SOUTH-SOUTHEAST, S:SOUTH, SSW:SOUTH-SOUTHWEST, SW:SOUTHWEST, WSW:WEST-SOUTHWEST, W:WEST, WNW:WEST-NORTHWEST, NW:NORTHWEST, NNW:NORTH-NORTHWEST

450,NNE



OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH QUADRANT WIND ISTRIBUTION OF DEEP DEPRESSION OVER NORTH ANDAMAN SEA AND ADJOINING AREAS OF EASTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 0300 UTC OF



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6	34-47 KT
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	FORECAST TRACK
	CONE OF UNCERTAINTY
AREA (OF MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED:
E 30	28-33 KT (52-61 KMPH)
	34-49 KT (62-91 KMPH)
	50-63 KT (92-117 KMPH)
	≥ 64 KT (≥118 KMPH)

IMPACT OVER THE SEA				
MSW (knot/kmph)	Impact	Action		
28-33 (52-61)	Very rough seas	Total suspension of fishing operations		
34-49 (62-91)	High to very high seas	Total suspension of fishing operations		
50-63 (92-117)	Very high seas	Total suspension of fishing operations		
≥ 64 (≥118)	Phenomenal	Total suspension of fishing operations		

Fisherman Warning

INDIA METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT FISHERMAN WARNING FOR BAY OF BENGAL AND ARABIAN SEA

