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# Subject: Depression over coastal Myanmar and adjoining eastcentral Bay of Bengal

The Depression over coastal Myanmar and adjoining eastcentral Bay of Bengal moved nearly north-northeastwards with a speed of 19 kmph during last 06 hours, and lay centered at 2330 hours IST of 22<sup>nd</sup> March, over coastal Myanmar and adjoining eastcentral Bay of Bengal near latitude 17.6°N and longitude 94.5°E, about 200 km west-northwest of Yangon (Myanmar), 100km south-southeast of Thandwe (Myanmar), 550 km north-northeast of Mayabundar (Andaman Islands) and 690 km north-northeast of Port Blair (Andaman Islands).

It would continue to move nearly north-northeastwards and weaken gradually into a well-marked low pressure area by morning of today, the 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022.

#### Forecast track and intensity are given in the following table:

Date/Time (IST)	Position (Lat. <sup>0</sup> N/ Long. <sup>0</sup> E)	Maximum Sustained Surface Wind speed (kmph)	Category of Cyclonic Disturbance
22.03.22/2330	17.6/94.5	40-50 gusting to 60	Depression
23.03.22/0530	18.6/94.7	25-35 gusting to 45	Well-Marked Low

#### Warnings:

#### (i) Wind warning

**23<sup>rd</sup> March:** Squally winds speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph likely to prevail along & off north Myanmar and adjoining Bangladesh coasts and adjoining areas of eastcentral Bay of Bengal till morning of today, the 23<sup>rd</sup> March.

#### (ii) Sea condition

23<sup>rd</sup> March: Sea condition is very likely to remain rough to very rough along & off north Myanmar and adjoining Bangladesh coasts and adjoining areas of eastcentral Bay of Bengal till morning of today, the 23<sup>rd</sup> March and gradually improve thereafter.

#### (iv) Fishermen Warning (Graphics enclosed)

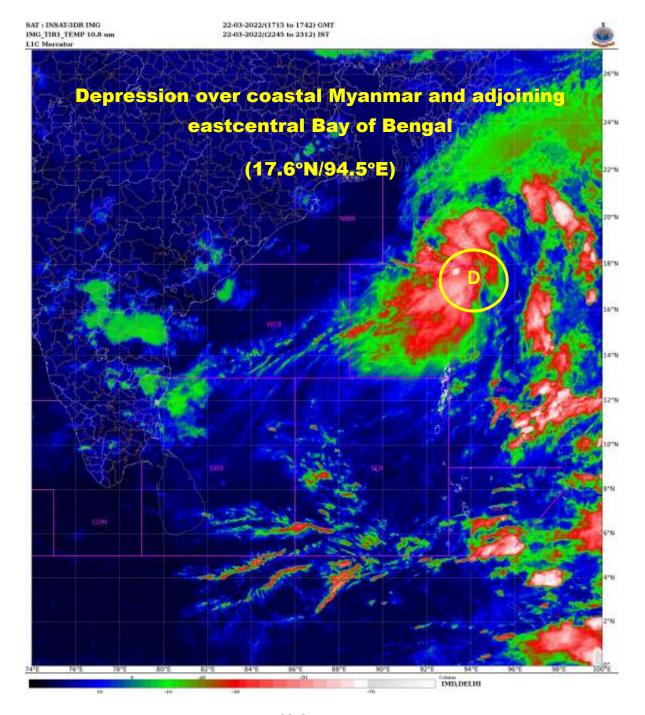
Fishermen are advised not to venture along & off north Myanmar and adjoining Bangladesh coasts and adjoining areas of eastcentral Bay of Bengal till morning of today, the 23<sup>rd</sup> March.

Next bulletin will be issued at 0830 hours IST of today, the 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2022.

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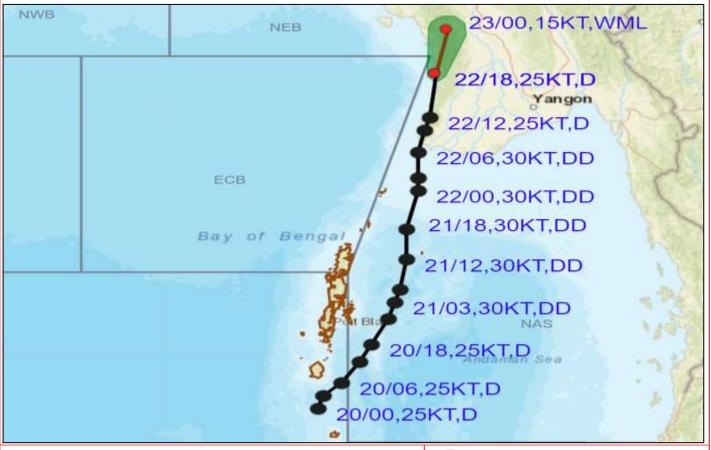
*LEGEND*: **Heavy Rainfall**: 64.5 to 115.5mm, **Very Heavy Rainfall**: 115.6 to 204.4mm **Most Places**: more than 76% of total stations, **Isolated Places**: Less than 25% of total



**D: DEPRESSION** 



### OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH CONE OF UNCERTAINTY OF DEPRESSION OVER COASTAL MYANMAR AND ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 1800 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)

SuCS: SUPER CYCLONIC STORM (≥20 KT)



STATIONS	DISTANCE(KM) AND DIRECTION FROM STATIONS	
	22.03.22/1800	
Yangon	200,WNW	
Jandwe.	100,SSE	
Hut bay	810,NNE	
Portblair	690,NNE	
Maya bundar	550,NNE	

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

#### **Fisherman Warning**

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

