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## Sub: Depression over Northeast Arabian Sea off Saurashtra and Kutch coasts

The depression over Northeast Arabian Sea off Saurashtra and Kutch coasts moved westnorthwestwards during last 6 hours with a speed of 08 kmph and lay centered at 1730 hours IST of 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2022 over the same region near latitude 23.4°N and longitude 67.4°E, about 300 km west-northwest of Porbandar (Gujarat), 200 km west-northwest of Okha (Gujarat), 160 km west of Naliya (Gujarat) and 170 km south-southeast of Karachi (Pakistan).

It is very likely to maintain the intensity of depression during next 12 hours and weaken gradually thereafter. It is very likely to move nearly westwards towards Oman coast as a remnant low pressure area across northwest Arabian Sea during next 36 hours.

# Warnings:

# (i) Rainfall (warning graphics enclosed)

**17**<sup>th</sup> **July**: Light to moderate rainfall at many places very likely over Saurashtra & Kutch. Thereafter, there will be no adverse impact of this system on rainfall over the state.

### (ii) Wind warning

**17th July:** Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is very likely to prevail along & off Gujarat Coasts and decrease gradually becoming 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph by tomorrow, the 18<sup>th</sup> morning.

Squally weather with wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is 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 60 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

**17**<sup>th</sup> **July:** Sea condition is very likely to continue to remain rough to very rough along & off Gujarat coast and over northeast & adjoining northwest Arabian Sea and 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 westcentral Arabian Sea.

## (iv) Fishermen Warning

**17**<sup>th</sup> **July:** Fishermen are advised not to venture along & off Gujarat coast and 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 0230 hours IST of tomorrow, the 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.

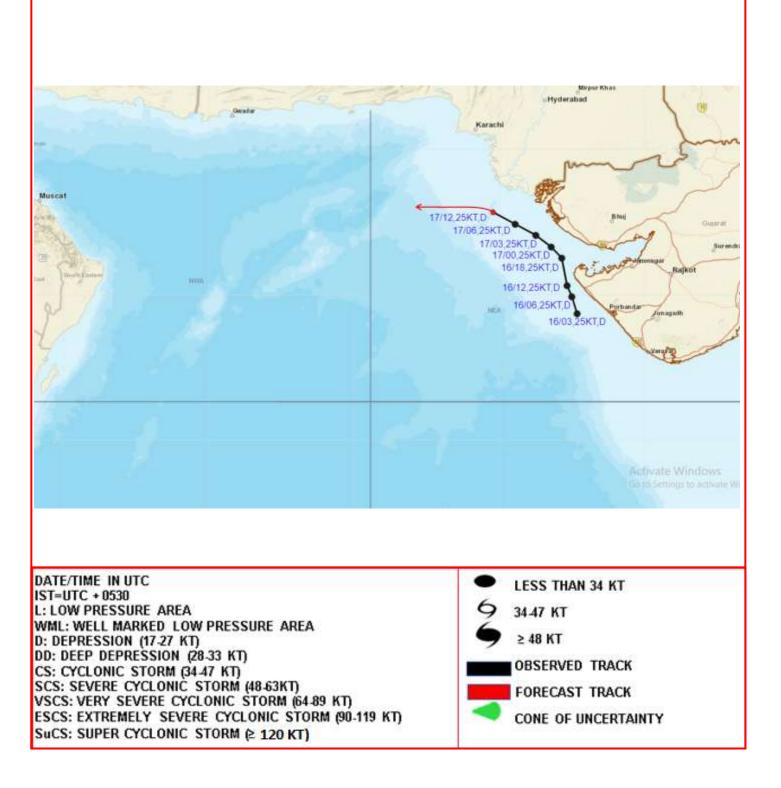
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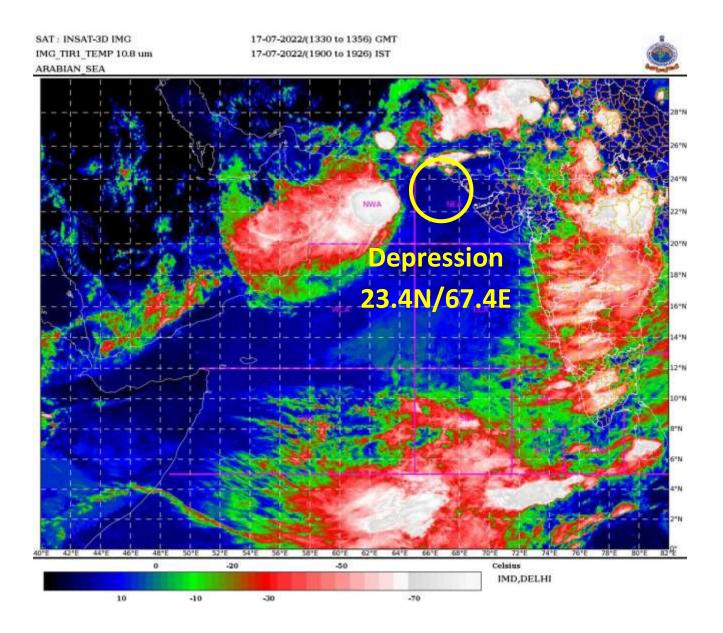
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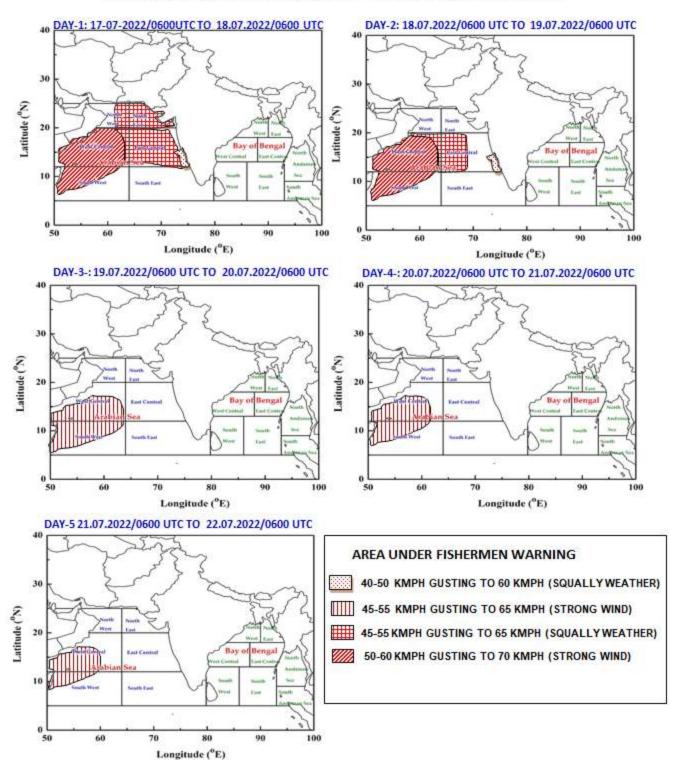
*LEGEND*: Heavy Rainfall: 64.5 to 115.5mm, Very Heavy Rainfall: 115.6 to 204.4mm Most Places: more than 76% of total stations, Isolated Places: Less than 25% of total



OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK OF DEPRESSION OVER NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA OFF SAURASHTRA AND KUTCH COAST BASED ON 1200 UTC OF 17<sup>th</sup> JULY 2022







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