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# Sub: Depression crossed north Tamil Nadu coast close to Chennai between 1730 & 1830 hrs IST of today, the 11<sup>th</sup> November.

The Depression over southwest & adjoining west-central Bay of Bengal moved west-northwestwards with a speed of 12 kmph during past 06 hours and lay centred at 1730 hrs IST of today, the 11<sup>th</sup> November 2021, over southwest & adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal, near Lat. 12.9°N and Long. 80.3°E, about 15 km southeast of Chennai.

Latest observations indicate that the depression has crossed north Tamil Nadu & adjoining south Andhra Pradesh coasts close to Chennai, near Lat. 12.95°N and Long. 80.25°E during 1730 and 1830 hrs IST with a maximum sustained wind speed of 45 – 55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph. It lay centered at 1830 hours IST over north coastal Tamil Nadu near Lat. 13.0°N and Long. 80.2°E, close to Chennai. It is very likely to move west-northwestwards and weaken gradually into a Well Marked Low Pressure Area by tomorrow morning.

Forecast track and intensity are given in the following table:

Date/Time(IST)	Position (Lat. ⁰N/ long. ⁰E)	Maximum sustained surfac wind speed (Kmph)	Category of cyclonic disturbance
11.11.21/1730	12.9/80.3	45-55 gusting to 65	Depression
11.11.21/2330	13.1/80.0	40-50 gusting to 60	Depression

### Warnings:

### (i) Rainfall (warning graphics enclosed)

- 11<sup>th</sup> Nov.: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places very likely over north coastal Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, north interior Tamil Nadu, south coastal Andhra Pradesh, Rayalaseema, interior Karnataka & Kerala and heavy rainfall at isolated places over north coastal Andhra Pradesh.
- 12<sup>th</sup> Nov.: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places very likely over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, coastal Andhra Pradesh, Rayalaseema, south interior Karnataka & Kerala.

### (ii) Wind warning

 Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph likely to prevail over southwest & adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal and along & off Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & south Andhra Pradesh coasts during next 12 hours and reduce gradually thereafter.

#### (iii) Sea condition

 Sea condition will be rough to very rough over southwest & adjoining west-central Bay of Bengal and along & off Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & south Andhra Pradesh coasts till tomorrow, the 12<sup>th</sup> November morning.

#### (iv) Fishermen Warning

• Fishermen are advised not to venture into southwest & adjoining west-central Bay of Bengal and along & off Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & south Andhra Pradesh coasts till 12<sup>th</sup> November morning. (Graphics enclosed).

# (v) EXPECTED IMPACT & ACTION SUGGESTED FOR NORTH Tamil Nadu (including Chennai, Puducherry & south Andhra Pradesh)

#### A. Impact Expected

- Localized Flooding of roads, inundation and 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
- Damage to horticulture including banana, Papaya & Drumstick and standing crops in some areas due to squally wind and inundation.
- It may lead to riverine flooding in some river catchments (for riverine flooding please visit Web page of CWC)

### **B.** Action Suggested

- People in affected areas are advised to stay in safer places.
- 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.

Next bulletin will be issued at 0230 hrs IST of tomorrow, the 12<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

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Copy to: ACWC Mumbai/ CWC Ahmedabadr/MC Goa/CWC Thiruvanathapuram 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 stations



#### OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH CONE OF UNCERTAINITY OF DEPRESSION OVER NORTH COASTAL TAMILNADU **BASED ON 1200 UTC OF 11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER. 2021**



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)

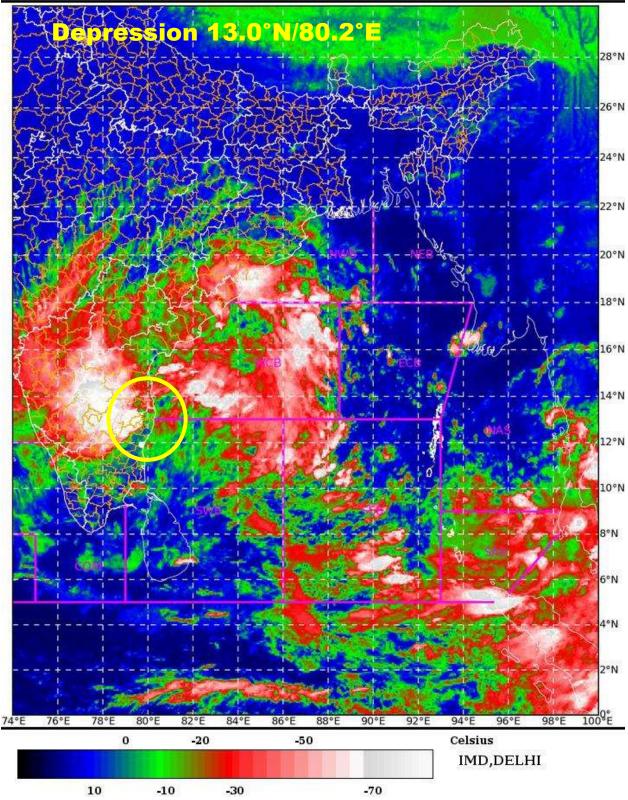
ESCS: EXTREMELY SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM (90-119 KT)

Sucs: SUPER CYCLONIC STORM (2 120 KT)

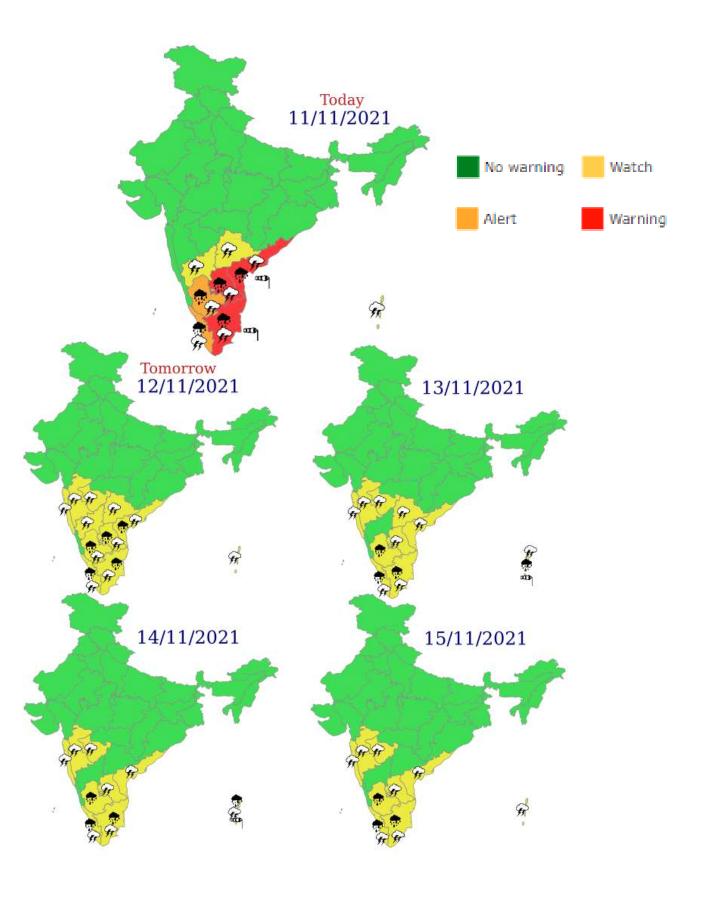
**LESS THAN 34 KT** 34-47 KT ≥ 48 KT OBSERVED TRACK FORECAST TRACK CONE OF UNCERTAINTY SAT : INSAT-3D IMG IMG\_TIR1\_TEMP 10.8 um 11-11-2021/(1330 to 1356) GMT 11-11-2021/(1900 to 1926) IST

L1C Mercator





### Meteorological Sub-division level heavy rainfall warning



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

