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#### Sub: Deep Depression over Northwest and adjoining Westcentral Bay of Bengal

The Deep Depression over Westcentral Bay of Bengal moved north-northeastwards with a speed of 15 kmph during past 6 hours and lay centred at 1730 hours IST of today, the 16<sup>th</sup> November over Northwest and adjoining Westcentral Bay of Bengal near latitude 18.6°N and longitude 87.7°E, about 210 km south-southeast of Paradip (Odisha), 330 km south of Digha (West Bengal) and 450 km south-southwest of Khepupara (Bangladesh).

It is likely to continue to move north-northeastwards, intensify further into a cyclonic storm during next 12 hours and cross Bangladesh coast between Mongla and Khepupara with wind speed of 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph by the early hours of 18th November, 2023.

Forecast track and intensity are given below:

Date/Time (IST)	Position (Lat. <sup>0</sup> N/ long. <sup>0</sup> E)	Maximum sustained surface wind speed (Kmph)	Category of cyclonic disturbance
16.11.23/1730	18.6/87.7	50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph	Deep Depression
16.11.23/2330	19.2/88.0	55-65 kmph gusting to 75 kmph	Deep Depression
17.11.23/0530	19.8/88.3	60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph	Cyclonic Storm
17.11.23/1130	20.4/88.6	65-75 kmph gusting to 85 kmph	Cyclonic Storm
17.11.23/1730	21.0/89.0	65-75 kmph gusting to 85 kmph	Cyclonic Storm
18.11.23/0530	22.1/89.9	60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph	Cyclonic Storm
18.11.23/1730	23.2/90.5	50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph	Deep Depression
19.11.23/0530	24.3/91.0	40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph	Depression

#### Warnings:

#### (i) Rainfall Warning (graphics enclosed):

- Light to moderate rainfall at many places with isolated heavy rainfall is likely over coastal districts of West Bengal on 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> November.
- Light to moderate rainfall at most places with isolated heavy rainfall is likely over Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura during 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> November with very heavy rainfall at isolated places over Mizoram & Tripura on 17<sup>th</sup> November.
- Light to moderate rainfall at many places with isolated heavy rainfall is likely over south Assam and east Meghalaya on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> November.

#### (ii) Wind warning (graphics enclosed):

- Squally weather with wind speed reaching 35-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph is likely to prevail over southwest Bay of Bengal along & off Tamil Nadu & Puducherry and Sri Lanka coasts on 16<sup>th</sup> November.
- Squally wind speed reaching 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph is prevailing over Westcentral & adjoining Northwest Bay of Bengal and is likely to increase gradually becoming Gale wind speed reaching 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph over North Bay of Bengal from midnight of 16<sup>th</sup> November. It would increase further becoming 65-75 kmph gusting to 85 kmph over North Bay of Bengal on 17<sup>th</sup> noon. Thereafter, it would become 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph over the North Bay of Bengal on 18<sup>th</sup> morning and decrease thereafter.
- **Squally wind** speed reaching **40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph** is likely over adjoining central Bay of Bengal from 17<sup>th</sup> evening to 18<sup>th</sup> morning and decrease thereafter.
- Along & off Odisha Coast: Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely to prevail till 17<sup>th</sup> evening and decrease thereafter.
- Along & off West Bengal Coast: Squally wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph is prevailing. It is likely to increase gradually becoming 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph from 17<sup>th</sup> morning till 18<sup>th</sup> morning and decrease thereafter.
- Along & off Bangladesh Coast: Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is likely from 16<sup>th</sup> evening and increase becoming 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph from 17<sup>th</sup> evening till 18<sup>th</sup> morning and decrease thereafter.

#### (iii) Sea Condition:

- Rough to very rough sea condition is likely over
  - Southwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Tamil Nadu & Puducherry and Sri Lanka coasts on 16<sup>th</sup> November.
  - Westcentral Bay of Bengal during 16<sup>th</sup>- 17<sup>th</sup> November

- North Bay of Bengal till midnight of 16<sup>th</sup> November. It would become very rough to high over North Bay of Bengal from 16<sup>th</sup> midnight to 18<sup>th</sup> morning.
- Along & off Odisha coast during 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> and West Bengal & Bangladesh coasts during 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> November

#### (iv) Fishermen Warning:

Fishermen are advised not to venture into

- Southwest Bay of Bengal on 16<sup>th</sup> November
- Westcentral Bay of Bengal during 16<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> November
- North Bay of Bengal during 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> November
- Along & off Odisha coast during 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> November
- Along & off West Bengal and Bangladesh coasts during 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> November

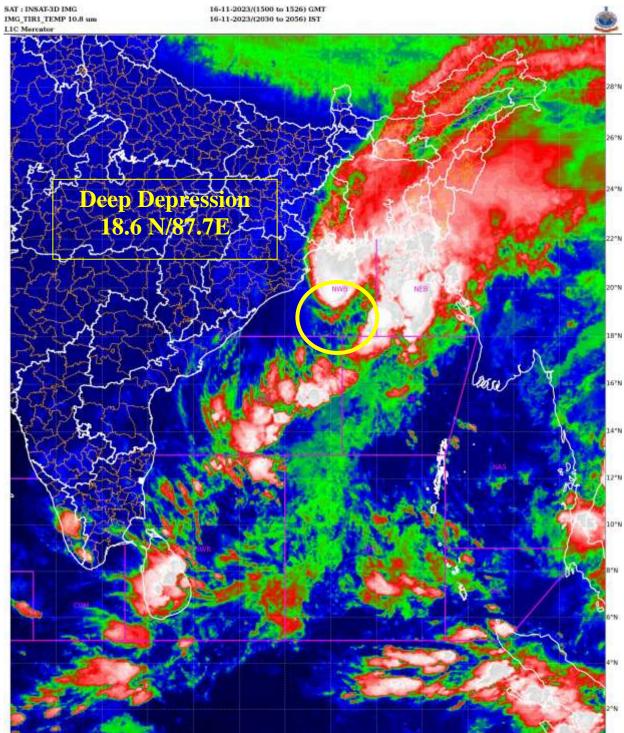
### (v) Damage Expected & Action Suggested for coastal areas of Odisha & West Bengal:

- Minor damage to loose/unsecured structures.
- Minor damage to small trees like Banana. Papaya and Drumstick and ripe paddy crops.
- Partial Damage to standing crops in coastal areas of Odisha & west Bengal.
- Minor damage to Kutcha embankments.

The system is under continuous surveillance and the next message will be issued at 0230 hours IST of tomorrow, the 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2023.

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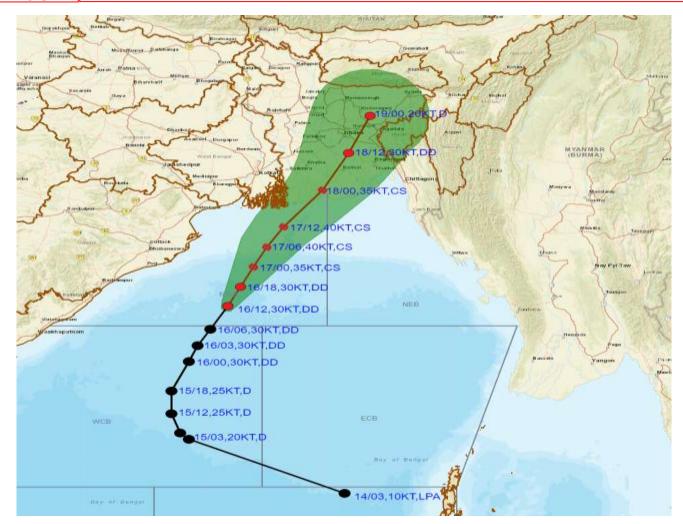
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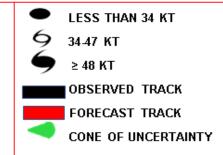
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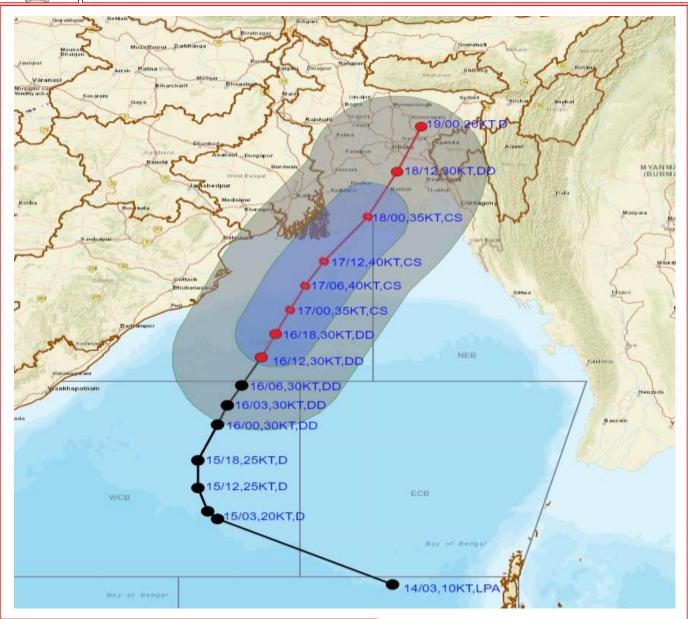
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Forecast	DISTANCE(KM) AND DIRECTION FROM STATIONS			
Date and Time UTC	PARADIP (CWR)	DIGHA	KHEPUPARA	CHITTAGONG (AMBAGAN)
16.11.23/1200	270, SSE	410, S	540, SSW	680 SW
17.11.23/1200	260, ENE	180, ESE	160, SW	320, WSW
18.11.23/0000	390, ENE	260, ENE	40, WNW	190, W
18.11.23/1200	510, NE	360, ENE	140, NNE	160, NW



OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK AND INTENSITY ALONG WITH QUADRANT WIND DISTRIBUTION IN ASSOCIATION WITH DEEP DEPRESSION OVER NORTHWEST AND ADJOINING WESTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 1200 UTC (1730 IST) OF 16<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023



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AREA OF MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED:

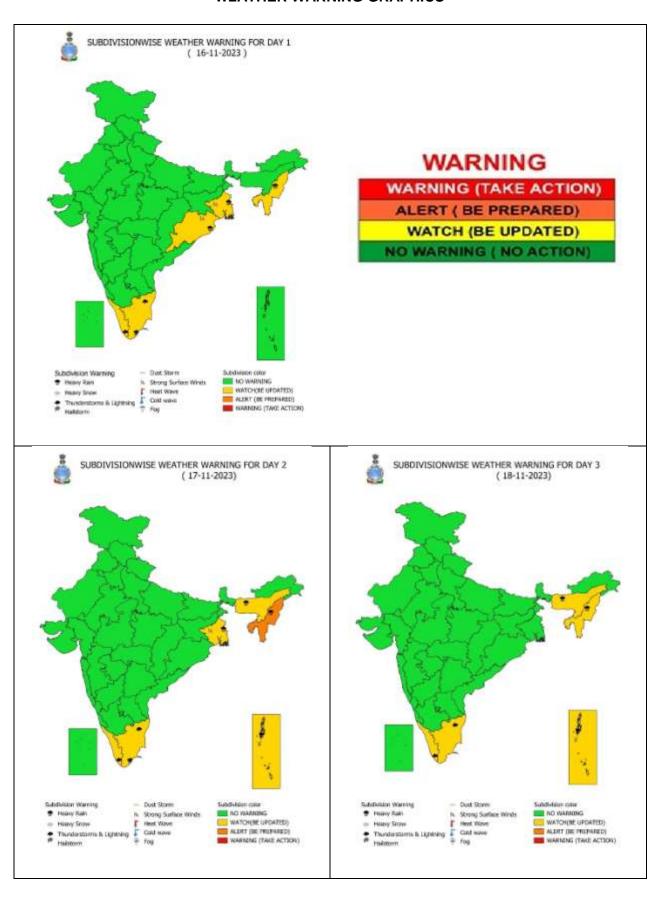
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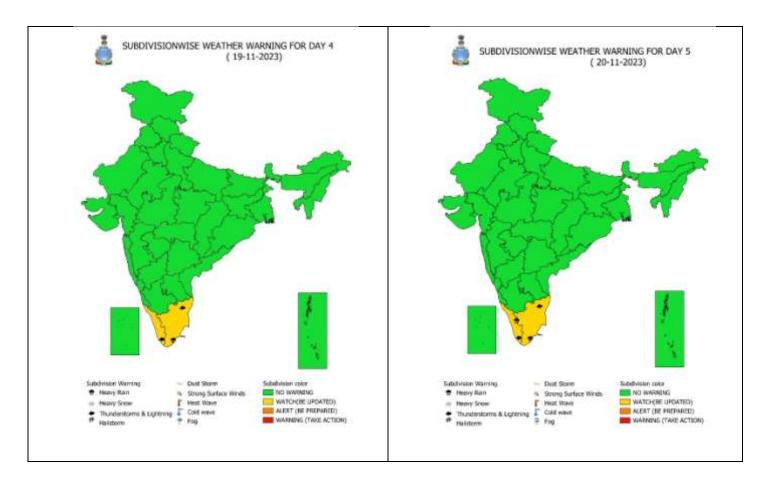
50-63 KT (92-117 KMPH) ≥ ≥ 64 KT (≥118 KMPH)

#### 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

#### **WEATHER WARNING GRAPHICS**







**Heavy Rain** 



Strong Winds





**Heavy Snow** 



Visibility



Cold Wave



Cyclone





+ Heat Wave



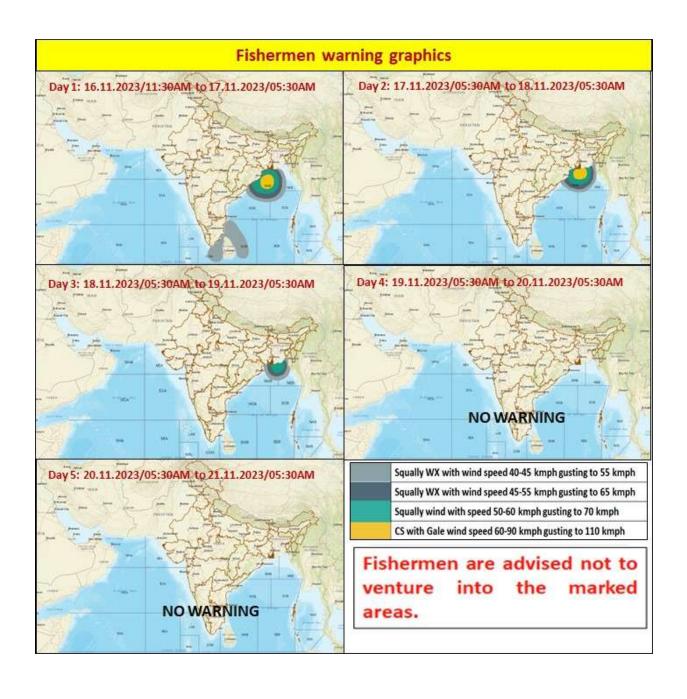
**Dust Storm** 



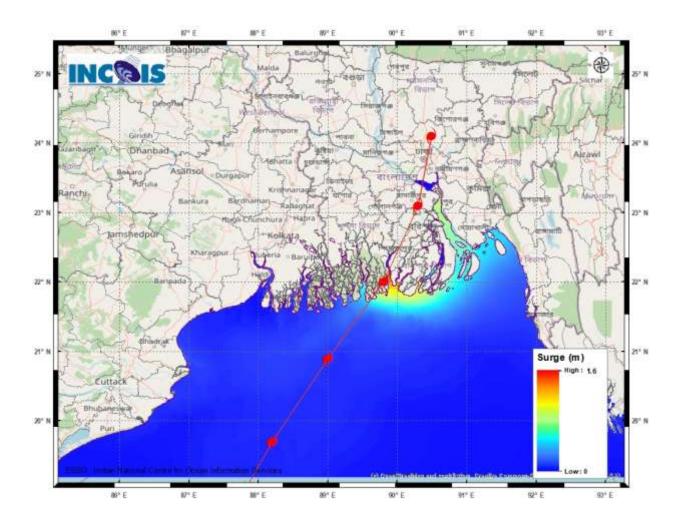
Squall/ Hail



Sea State



# **STORM SURGE GUIDANCE**



### **FLASH FLOOD GUIDANCE**

## 24 hours Outlook for the Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 1730 IST of 17-11-2023

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Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of Southern parts of Gangetic West Bengal Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours.

Surface runoff/ Inundation may occur at some fully saturated soils & low-lying areas over AoC as shown in map due to expected rainfall occurrence in next 24 hours.

