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Subject: Deep Depression over westcentral Chhattisgarh and adjoining areas of Vidarbha & southeast Madhya Pradesh

The Deep Depression over Western parts of central Chhattisgarh and adjoining east Madhya Pradesh moved southwestwards with a speed of 12 kmph during past 6 hours, and lay centred at 0830 hrs IST of today, the 30th July 2026, over westcentral Chhattisgarh and adjoining areas of Vidarbha & southeast Madhya Pradesh near latitude 21.0°N and longitude 81.3°E, close to south of Durg (Chhattisgarh), 30 km east-southeast of Rajnandgaon (Chhattisgarh), 50 km west-southwest of Raipur (Chhattisgarh), 130 km east-southeast of Gondia (Maharashtra) and 160 km east-northeast of Bramhapuri (Maharashtra).

It is very likely to move nearly westwards across Chhattisgarh and weaken gradually into a depression during next 12 hours. Thereafter, it is likely to move west-northwestwards across Vidarbha & adjoining south Madhya Pradesh as a depression during subsequent 24 hours.

Warnings:

(i) Rainfall Warning:

Chhattisgarh Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places over Chhattisgarh on 30th July & 2nd August.

East Madhya Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on today, the 30th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 31st July.

West Madhya Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 30th & 31st July; heavy rainfall at isolated places on 1st August.

Vidarbha: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall very likely at a few places over Vidarbha with **extremely heavy rainfall** at isolated places over western Vidarbha on 30th July and heavy rainfall isolated places over Vidarbha on 31st July.

Marathwada: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places and extremely heavy rainfall at isolated places on 30th July; heavy rainfall at isolated places on 31st July.

Madhya Maharashtra: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places and **extremely heavy rainfall** at isolated places on 30th & 31st July and heavy rainfall isolated places on 01st & 02nd August.

Telangana: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places with extremely **heavy rainfall** at isolated places is very likely on 30th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 31st July.

East Rajasthan: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 30th & 31st July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 01st & 2nd August.

Gujarat Region: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 30th July; heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places and extremely heavy rainfall at isolated places on 31st July & 1st August and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 2nd August.

Saurashtra & Kutch: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places and extremely heavy rainfall at isolated places on 31st July & 1st August and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 2nd August.

Konkan & Goa: Light to moderate rainfall at most places is very likely with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 30th & 31st July; heavy rainfall at isolated places on 1st and 2nd August.

(ii) Wind Warning:

❖ Squally winds with speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph is very likely to prevail over westcentral Chhattisgarh and adjoining Vidarbha & south east Madhya Pradesh till morning of 31st July and decrease gradually thereafter.

(v) Impact Expected and Action Suggested due to heavy rainfall and squally winds **Impact expected:**

- ❖ Breaking of tree branches, uprooting of small trees like banana, papaya, drum sticks. Strong wind and rain may damage plantation, horticulture and standing crops.
- ❖ Partial damage to vulnerable structures due to strong winds and rain.
- ❖ Minor damage to kutcha houses/walls, huts and roads due to heavy rain.

- ❖ Road and rail traffic may be affected due to heavy rain and squally winds.
- ❖ There could be localised landslides, mudslides, landslips, water logging, inundation and flooding over low lying areas.
- ❖ Occasional reduction in visibility due to heavy rainfall.
- ❖ Helicopter services may get affected.

Action suggested:

- ❖ People are advised to keep a watch on the weather for worsening conditions and be ready to move to safer places accordingly.
- ❖ Take safe shelters; do not take shelter under trees, as there could be lightning.
- ❖ In case of expected lightning, unplug electrical/ electronic appliances, immediately, get out of water bodies and keep away from all the objects that conduct electricity.
- ❖ Tourism and recreational activities to be regulated.
- ❖ Helicopter services to be regulated.

Significant rainfall recorded (in cm) from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today, the 30th July, 2026 is given in Annexure-I.

Next bulletin will be issued at 1430 hours IST of today, the 30th July, 2026.

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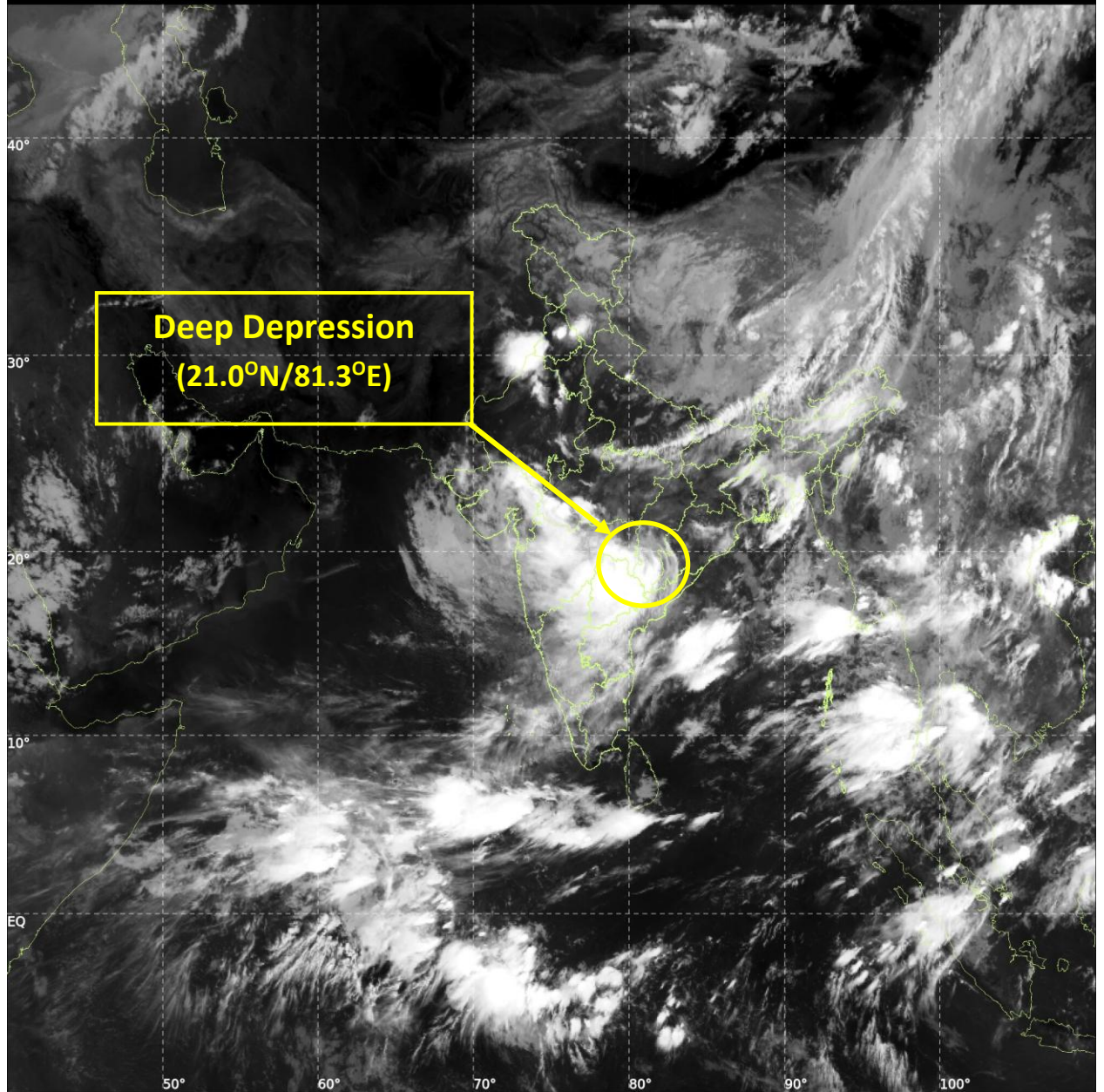
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INSAT-3DS IMG, Thermal Infrared1 Count @ 10.83 μm
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L1C MERCATOR (LINEAR STRETCH: 1%)

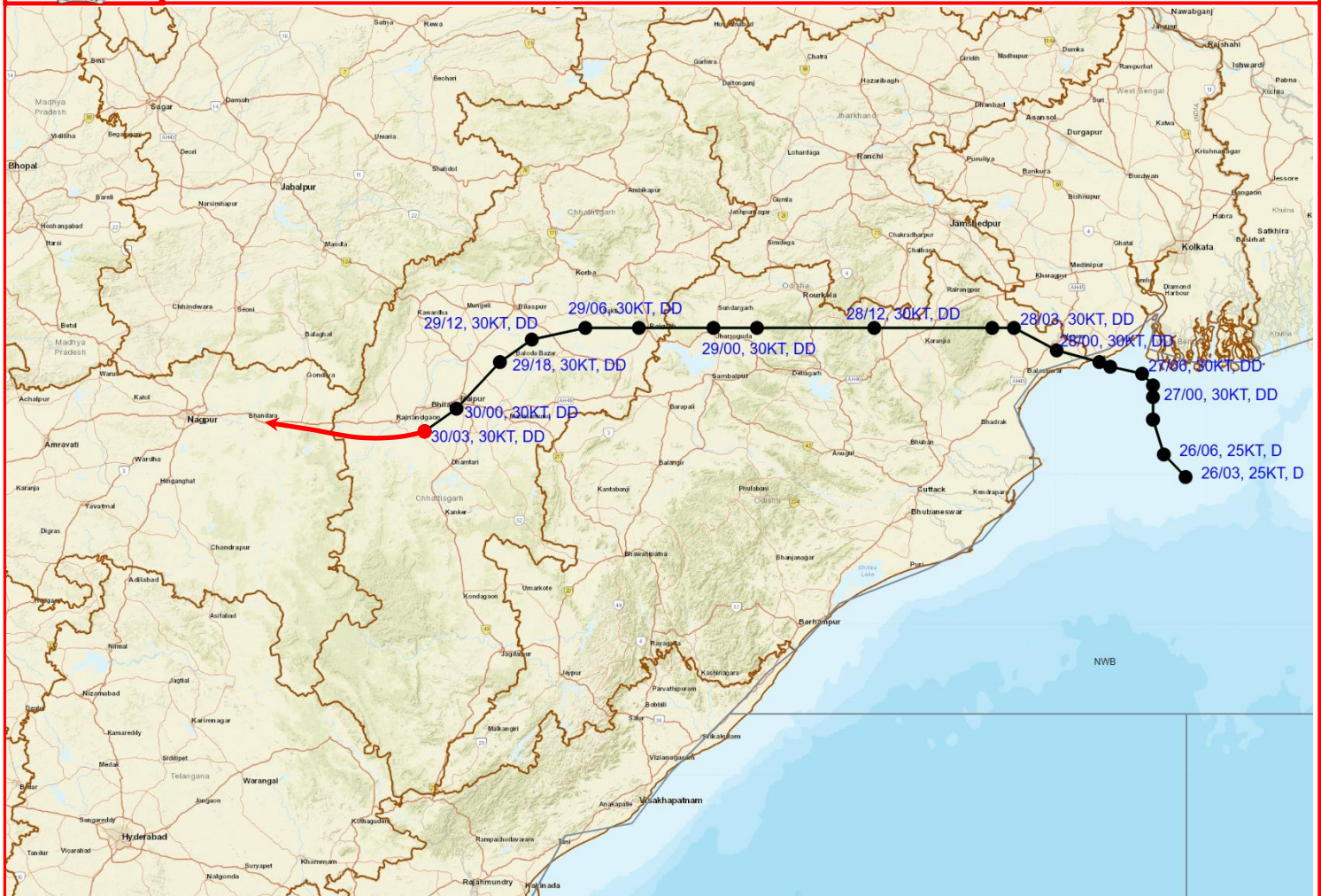
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OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK OF DEEP DEPRESSION OVER WESTCENTRAL CHHATTISGARH AND ADJOINING AREAS OF VIDARBHA & SOUTHEAST MADHYA PRADESH BASED ON 0300 UTC (0830 Hrs. IST) OF 30TH JULY 2026.



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 (≥ 120 KT)



LESS THAN 34 KT

34-47 KT

≥ 48 KT



OBSERVED TRACK



FORECAST TRACK

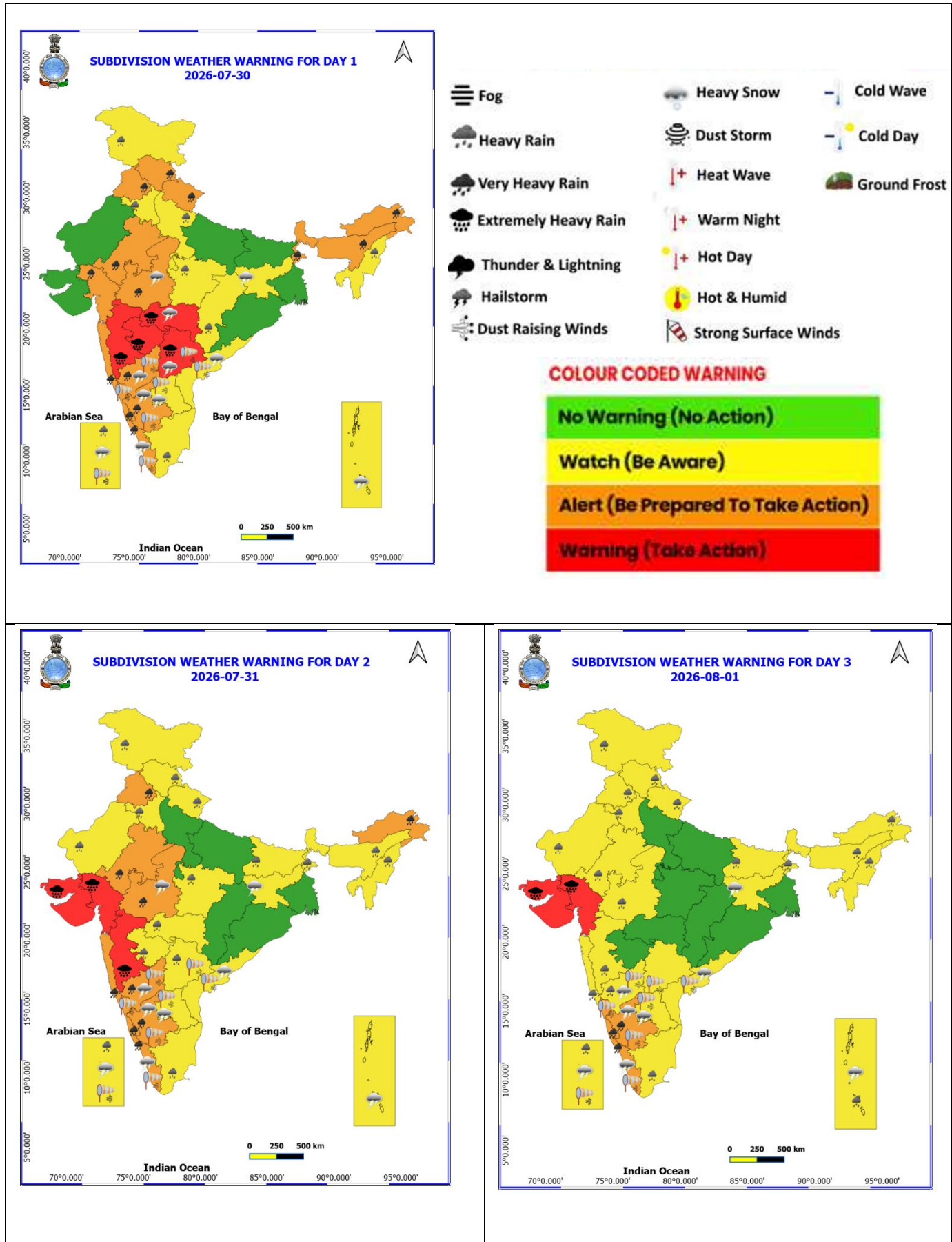


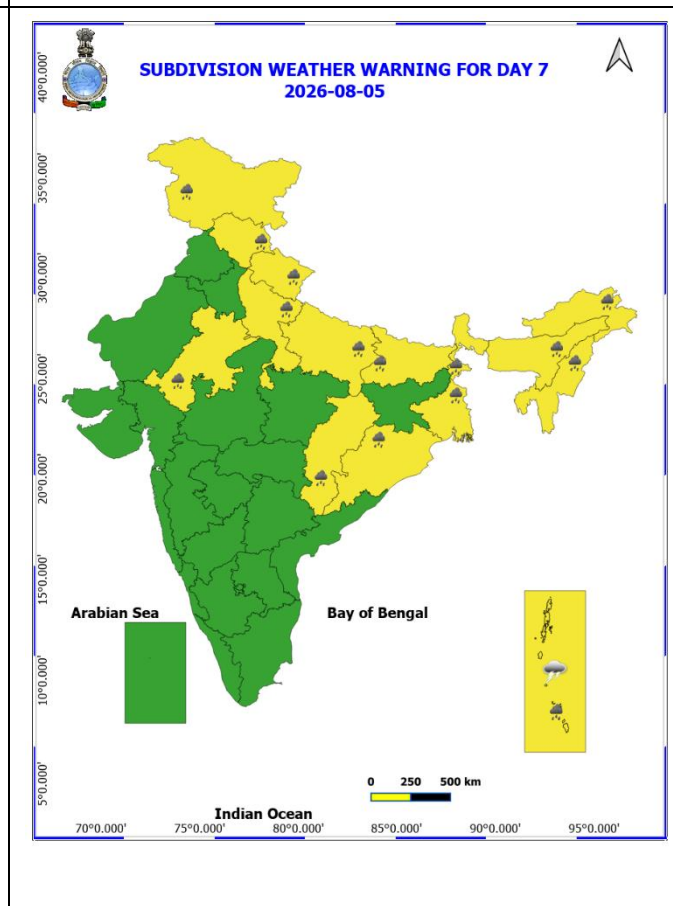
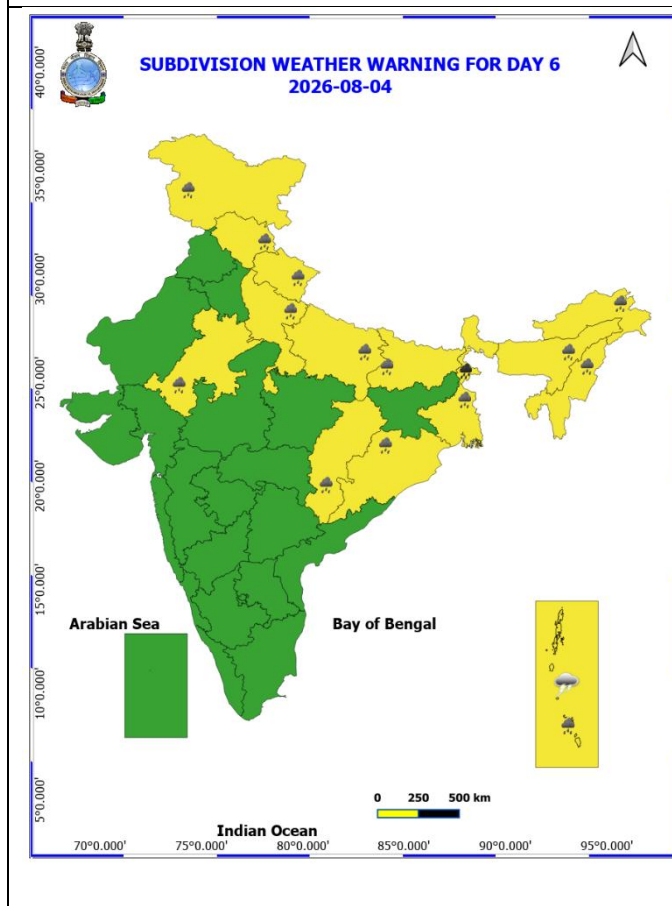
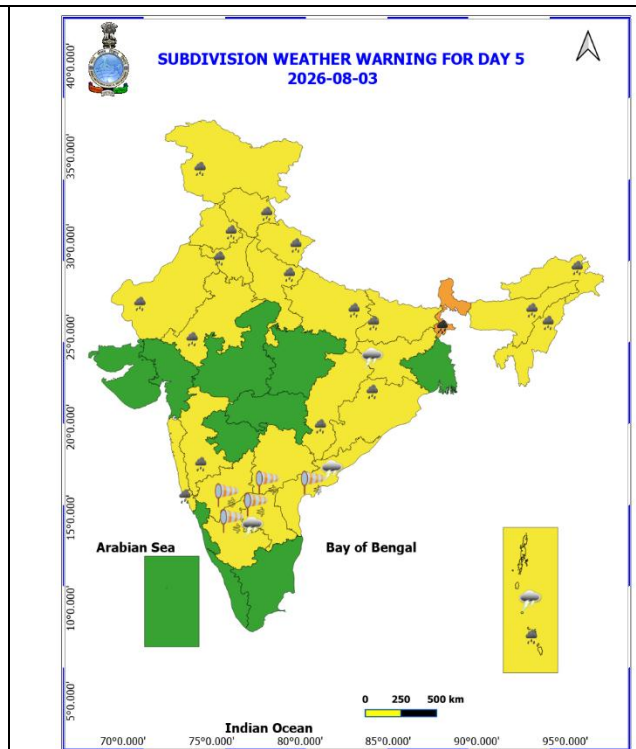
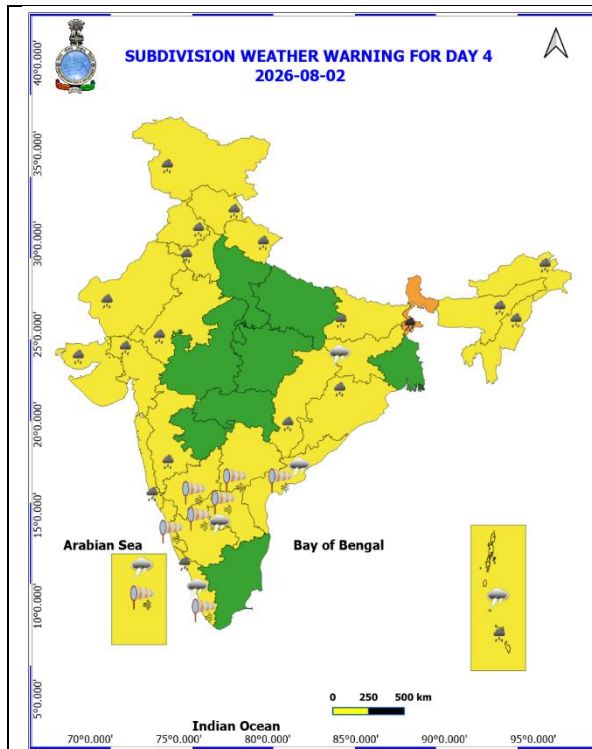
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Forecast distance (km) and direction of the centre from nearest 4 coastal stations

Forecast Date and Time	Lead Period	Lat	Lon	Station 1	Station 2	Station 3	Station 4
30.07.26/0300	0	21.0	81.3	RAJNANDGAON (30,ESE)	RAIPUR (50,WSW)	GONDIA (130,ESE)	BRAMHAPURI (160,ENE)

Weather Warning Graphics





- Action may be taken based on ORANGE AND REDCOLOUR warnings.
- Vulnerable regions likely urban and hilly areas action may be initiated for heavy rainfall warning.
- As the lead period increases forecast accuracy decreases.

Detailed district-wise Multi-Hazard weather warning for next five days available at
<https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php>

Flash Flood Guidance

Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 1130 IST of 31-07-2026:

Low to Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of following Met Sub-divisions during next 24 hours.

East Rajasthan: Dungarpur, Pratapgarh, Udaipur, Banswara and Jhalawar districts

East Madhya Pradesh: Chhindwara and Seoni districts

West Madhya Pradesh: Betul, Bhopal, Raisen, Vidisha, Harda, Khandwa, Burhanpur, Khargone, Barwani, Alirajpur, Narmadapuram, Dhar, Jhabua, Indore, Dewas, Agar-Malwa, Ratlam, Ujjain, Mandsaur, Rajgarh, Shajapur and Sehore districts

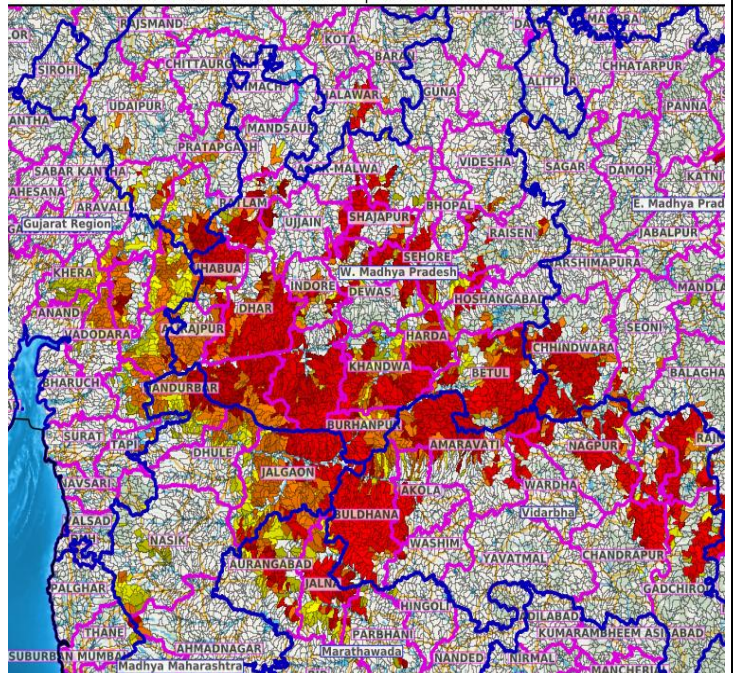
Vidarbha: Akola, Buldhana, Amraoti, Wardha, Nagpur, Bhandara, Chandrapur and Gadchiroli districts

Gujarat Region: Kheda, Anand, Panchmahal, Mahisagar, Dahod, Vadodara, Chhota Udepur, Narmada and Tapi districts

Madhya Maharashtra: Nandurbar, Dhule, Jalgaon, Ahilyanagar and Nashik districts

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

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Product Date: 2026-07-30 06:00 UTC | Valid Date: 2026-07-31 06:00 UTC



Flash Flood Risk

High Risk (Take Action)

Moderate Risk (Be Prepared)

Low Risk (Be Updated)

Significant rainfall recorded (in cm) from 0830 hours IST of yesterday to 0830 hours IST of today, the 30th July, 2026:

Chhattisgarh: Bijapur (Bijapur) 22; Dhanora (Kondagaon) 20; Lohandiguda (Bastar), Tokapal (Bastar), Bastanar (Bastar), Mardapal (Kondagaon) 19 Each; Pharasgaon (Kondagaon) 18; Bastar (Bastar), Bhairamgarh (Bijapur), Gidam (Dantewada), Keshkal (Kondagaon) 17 Each; Kondagaon (Kondagaon), Mainpur (Gariaband) 16 Each; Durgkondal (Kanker), Antagarh (Kanker), Makadi (Kondagaon), Aundhi (Mohala Manpur Chowki), Gangalur (Bijapur), Kutaru (Bijapur), Barsur (Dantewada), Dornapal (Sukma) 15 Each; Balod (Balod), Darbha (Bastar), Baderajpur (Kondagaon), Bade Bacheli (Dantewada) 14 Each; Kanker (Kanker), Bakavand (Bastar), Usoor (Bijapur), Nagari (Dhamtari), Nangur (Bastar), Karpawand (Bastar) 13 Each; Dantewara (Dantewada), Dondilohara (Balod), Bhanupratappur (Kanker), Mohla (Mohala Manpur Chowki), Marri Bangla Deori (Balod), Belargaon (Dhamtari), Gadiras (Sukma) 12 Each; Charama (Kanker), Bhanpuri (Bastar) 11 Each; Deobhog (Gariaband), Gariabund (Gariaband), Doundi (Balod), Katekalyan (Dantewada), Manpur (Mohala Manpur Chowki), Khadgaon (Mohala Manpur Chowki) 10 Each; Bhopalpatnam (Bijapur), Sukma (Sukma), Pakhanjur (Kanker), Nerharpur (Kanker), Sarona (Kanker) 9 Each; Rajnandgaon (Rajnandgaon), Kuakonda (Dantewada), Chhuria (Rajnandgaon), Amlipadar (Gariaband), Jagargunda (Sukma) 8 Each; Dhamtari (Dhamtari), Gurur (Balod), Arjunda (Balod), Kumarda (Rajnandgaon), Bhakhara (Dhamtari) 7 Each;

Telangana: Bejjur (Kumaram Bheem) 18; Venkatapuram (Mulugu), Jaipur (Mancherial) 17 Each; Mandhamarri (Mancherial) 16; Belampalle (Mancherial) 15; Wankdi (Kumaram Bheem), Mutharam Mahadevpur (J. Bhupalpally) 14 Each; Sarangapur (Jagtial), Mancherial (Mancherial), Peddapalle (Peddapalle), Kataram (J. Bhupalpally), Kasipet (Mancherial) 13 Each; Sirpur (t) (Kumaram Bheem), Asifabad (Kumaram Bheem), Bazarhathnoor (Adilabad), Dahegaon (Kumaram Bheem), Kagaznagar (Kumaram Bheem), Ramgundam (Peddapalle) 12 Each; Kaleswaram (J. Bhupalpally), Velagatoor (Jagtial), Vemanapalle (Mancherial), Perur (Mulugu), Bhupalpalle (J. Bhupalpally) 11 Each; Manthani (Peddapalle), Kunaram(ARG) (Peddapalle), Eturnagaram (Mulugu), Khanapur (Warangal), Chennur (Mancherial), Bheemini (Mancherial), Mallapur (Jagtial), Srirampur (Peddapalle), Jannaram (Mancherial) 10 Each; Mallial (Jagtial), Luxettipet (Mancherial), Dharmapuri (Jagtial), Kerameri (Kumaram Bheem) 9 Each; Pegadapalle (Jagtial), Jainoor (Kumaram Bheem), Sirpuru (Kumaram Bheem), Dandepalle (Mancherial), Choppadandi (Karimnagar), Tadwai Mlg (Mulugu), Ghanpurjskb (J. Bhupalpally) 8 Each; Balkonda (Nizamabad), Jagtial (Jagtial), Venkatapur (Mulugu), Metpalle (Jagtial), Gangadhara (Karimnagar), Elagaid (Peddapalle), Boath (Adilabad) 7 Each;

Vidarbha: Ballarpur (Chandrapur) 18; Mulchera (Gadchiroli) 17; Dhanora (Gadchiroli), Gadchiroli (Gadchiroli) 16 Each; Ahiri (Gadchiroli) 14; Bhamragad (Gadchiroli), Armori (Gadchiroli), Etapalli (Gadchiroli), Gondpipri (Chandrapur) 12 Each; Kurkheda (Gadchiroli), Sironcha (Gadchiroli) 11 Each; Bramhapuri (Chandrapur), Arjuni Morgaon (Gondia), Rajura (Chandrapur), Korchi (Gadchiroli), Sakoli (Bhandara) 10 Each; Desaiganj (Gadchiroli), Deori (Gondia) 9 Each; Saoli (Chandrapur), Chikhaldia (Amraoti), Lakhandur (Bhandara), Chamorshi (Gadchiroli), Joiti (Chandrapur) 8 Each; Chandrapur (Chandrapur), Sindewahi (Chandrapur), Bhadravati (Chandrapur), Sadakarjuni (Gondia), Gondia AP (Gondia) 7 Each;

Odisha: Sinapali (Nawapara), Paikmal (Bargarh) 16 Each; Khariar (Nawapara), Boden (Nawapara) 15 Each; Jhorigam (Nawarangpur), Golamunda (Kalahandi) 13 Each; Umakote (Nawarangpur), Komna (Nawapara) 12 Each; Dabugan (Nawarangpur), Nawapara (Nawapara), Borigumma (Koraput) 11 Each; Padampur (Bargarh), Bangamunda (Bolangir) 10 Each; Kotpad (Koraput) 9; Kosagumda (Nawarangpur), Koksara (Kalahandi), Papadahandi (Nawarangpur) 8

Each; Malkangiri (Malkangiri), Raigarh (Nawarangpur), Jharbandh (Bargarh), Chandahandi (Nawarangpur), Jaipatna (Kalahandi), Dharmagarh (Kalahandi), Junagarh (Kalahandi), Khaprakhol (Bolangir), Kalampur (Kalahandi) 7 Each;

East Madhya Pradesh: Harrai (Chhindwara) 14; Gadarwara (Narsinghpur) 8; Tamia (Chhindwara) 7;

West Madhya Pradesh: Pachmarhi (Narmadapuram) 13; Bhainsdehi (Betul) 11; Bankhedi (Narmadapuram) 10; Betul (Betul), Multai (Betul), Khategaon (Dewas) 9 Each; Godadongri (Betul), Bhimpur (Betul) 8 Each;

Marathwada: Kinwat (Nanded) 8;

Madhya Maharashtra: Radhanagari (Kolhapur) 7;