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Subject: Depression (remnant of severe cyclonic storm "DANA") over north Odisha

The deep depression (remnant of severe cyclonic storm "DANA") over north Odisha remained practically stationary during past 6 hours, weakened into a Depression over the same region and lay centred at 2330 hrs IST of yesterday, the 25th October near latitude 21.4°N and longitude 86.2°E about 50 km northwest of Bhadrak and 70 km east-southeast of Keonjhar.

It is likely to move nearly westwards across north Odisha and weaken gradually into a well marked low pressure area during next 12 hours.

The system is under continuous surveillance of the doppler weather radar at Paradip.

Warnings:

(i) Rainfall Warning:

- ❖ Light to moderate rainfall at many places with heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely over north Odisha on 26th October.
- ❖ Light to moderate rainfall at many places with heavy rainfall at isolated places over Gangetic West Bengal on 26th October.
- (ii) Wind Warning: Northwest Bay of Bengal: Squally wind speed reaching 30-40 gusting to 50 kmph is likely to prevail during next 6 hours.

Along & off Odisha-West Bengal coasts and adjoining interior districts: Squally wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph would prevail over Balasore, Mayurbhanj, Keonjhar, Bhadrak, Kendrapara districts of Odisha and East Medinipur and Jhargram districts of West Bengal during next 6 hours.

(iii) Sea Condition:

Northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha-west Bengal coasts: Sea condition is likely to be **Rough** during next 6 hours and improve gradually thereafter.

(v) Fishermen Warning:

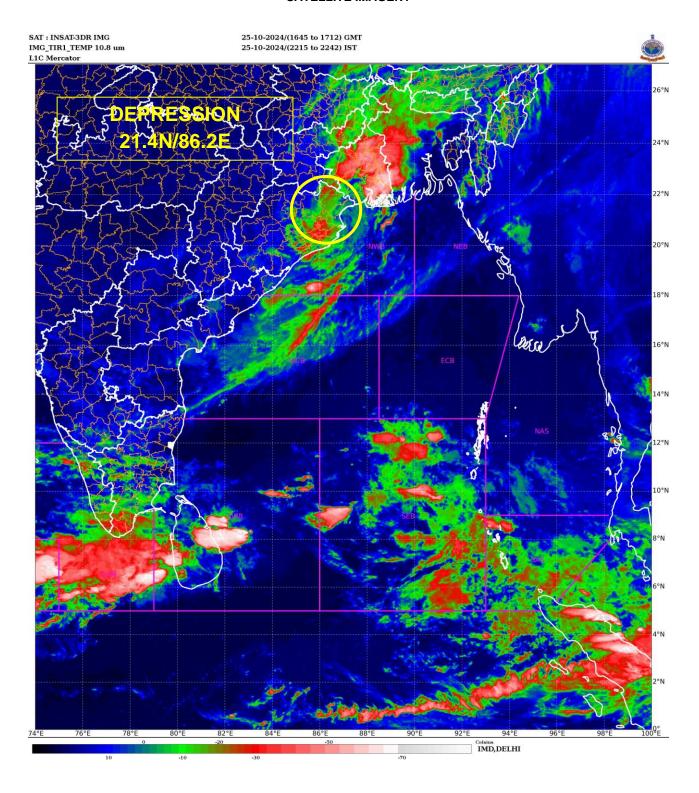
Fishermen are advised not to venture into Northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha and West Bengal coasts during next 6 hours.

- Impact Expected over districts of Odisha (Balasore, Bhadrak, Mayurbhanj, Keonjhar, Dhenkanal, Kendrapara, Cuttack and Jajpur) and West Bengal (South 24-Parganas, East & West Medinipur and Jhargram) during next 06 hours.
- > Damage to thatched houses/ huts. Unattached metal sheets may fly.
- > Breaking of tree branches and uprooting of trees.
- Partial damage to power and communication lines.
- Damage to Kutcha roads. Damage to vulnerable structure.
- Damage to standing crops including banana, papaya, horticultural and vegetable crops due to inundation and wind.
- ➤ Localized Flooding of roads, 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 and roadways due to water logging in roads and poor visibility due to heavy rain leading to increased travel time and incidents
- Localized Landslides/Mudslides/landslips/mud slips/land sinks/mud sinks.
- ➤ It may lead to riverine flooding in some river catchments (for riverine flooding please visit Webpage of Central Water Commission)
- Action Suggested for districts of Odisha (Balasore, Bhadrak, Mayurbhanj, Keonjhar, Dhenkanal, Kendrapara, Cuttack and Jajpur) and West Bengal (South 24-Parganas, East & West Medinipur and Jhargram) during next 06 hours.
- Fishermen are advised not to venture into Northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha and West Bengal coasts during next 6 hours.
- People in affected areas to remain indoors.
- Judicious regulation of tourism activities in coastal areas.
- > Judicious regulation of surface transports including railways and roadways.
- > 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.

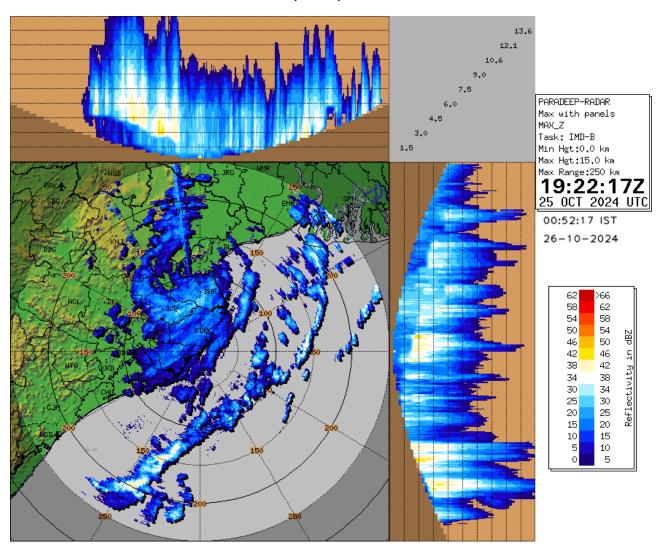
Next bulletin will be issued at 0800 hours IST of today, the 26th October. 2024.

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SATELLITE IMAGERY



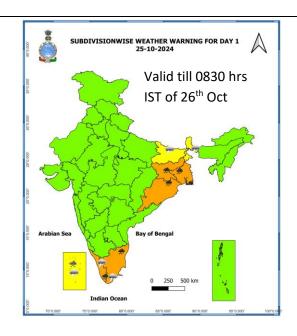
RADAR OBSERVATIONS (MAX_Z) OF DWR PARADIP





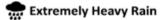
OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK OF DEPRESSION (REMNANT OF SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM 'DANA') OVER NORTH ODISHA BASED ON 1800 UTC (2330 Hrs. IST) OF 25th OCTOBER 2024











COLOUR CODED WARNING

No Warning (No Action)

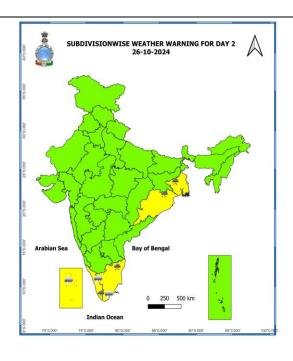
Watch (Be Aware)

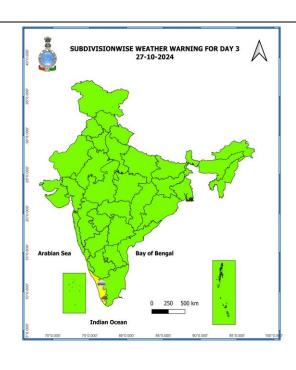
Alert (Be Prepared To Take Action)

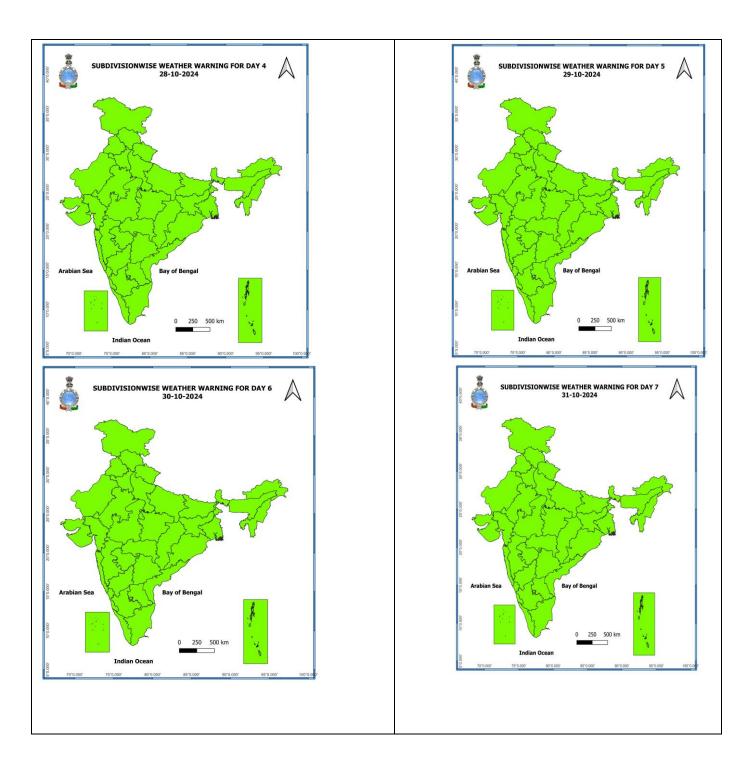
Warning (Take Action)

Probabilistic Forecast

Terms	Probability of Occurrence (%)
Unlikely	< 25
Likely	25 - 50
Very Likely	50 - 75
Most Likely	> 75







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

24 HOURS OUTLOOK FOR THE FLASH FLOOD RISK

24 hours Outlook for the Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 1130 IST of 26-10-2024 :

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

Odisha - Baleshwar, Bhadrak, Kendraparha and Mayurbhanj districts. Gangetic West Bengal - Bankura, Eastmednipur, Haora, Hugli, Nadia, North 24 Pragana, Pashchim Medinipur, Puruliya and South 24 Parganas districts.

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.

