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Subject: (A) Depression over Jharkhand and neighbourhood

(B) Well Marked Low pressure area over central parts of north Rajasthan

(A) Depression over Jharkhand and neighbourhood

The depression over central parts of Gangetic West Bengal moved west-northwestwards with speed of 23 kmph during past 6 hours and lay centred at 0530 hrs IST of today, the 15th July 2025 over Jharkhand and neighbourhood near Lat. 24.0°N and Long. 86.7°E, about 40 km northeast of Dhanbad, 140 km east of Hazaribagh, and 200 km east-southeast of Gaya

It is likely to move further west-northwestwards across Jharkhand and adjoining south Bihar towards east Uttar Pradesh; maintaining its intensity of depression during next 24 hours.

(B) Well Marked Low pressure area over central parts of north Rajasthan

The well marked Low Pressure area over central parts of Rajasthan persisted over the same region at 0530 hrs IST of today, the 15th July, 2025.

It is likely to continue to move slowly west-northwestwards across north Rajasthan during next 24 hours .

Warnings:

(i) Rainfall Warning:

Odisha: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places during 15th to 16th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 17th July.

West Bengal & Sikkim: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places over Gangetic West Bengal and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 15th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 16th July.

Jharkhand: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places during $15^{th} - 16^{th}$ July with extremely heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15^{th} July.

Bihar: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th & 16th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 17th July.

Chhattisgarh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th & 16th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 17th July.

East Uttar Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15^{th} July and heavy rainfall at isolated places during $16^{th} - 18^{th}$ July with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 17^{th} July.

West Uttar Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places during $16^{th} - 18^{th}$ July.

East Madhya Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th July and heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places during 16th -17th July.

West Madhya Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places till morning of 15th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places during 15th -18th July.

East Rajasthan: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places with extremely heavy rainfall (**≥ 21 cm**) at isolated places on 15th July; heavy rainfall at isolated places on 16th & 17th July.

West Rajasthan: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places with extremely heavy rainfall (≥ 21 cm) at isolated places on 15th July; heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 16th and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 17th July.

Gujarat: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th July. Heavy rainfall at isolated places over Saurashtra & Kutch on 15th July.

Assam: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 17th July.

Meghalaya: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th July and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 17th July.

(ii) Wind Warning:

Squally wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph is prevailing over north Bay of Bengal, along & off Odisha, West Bengal and Bangladesh coasts for next 12 hours. Squally wind speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph is likely over Bihar, Jharkhand, North Odisha, north Chhattisgarh and adjoining Gangetic West Bengal during next 24 hours.

Squally wind speed reaching 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph is likely over northeast Rajasthan and adjoining northwest Madhya Pradesh for next 24 hours, and over south Rajasthan & neighbourhood for subsequent 24 hours.

(iii) Sea Condition:

Sea condition is very likely to be rough to very rough over north Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha, West Bengal and Bangladesh coasts during next 12 hours.

(iv) Fishermen Warning:

Fishermen are advised not to venture into north Bay of Bengal, along & off Odisha, West Bengal and Bangladesh coasts till evening of 15th July.

(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.
- Loose objects may fly.
- Onshore and offshore operations may get affected.
- Small ships, trawlers and boats may be affected.
- 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:

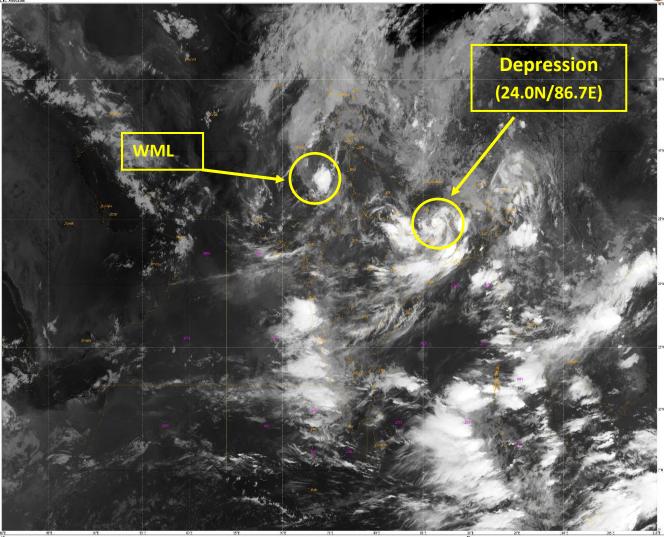
- People are advised to keep a watch on the weather for worsening conditions and be ready to move to safer places accordingly.
- Take safe shelters; do not take shelter under trees, as there could be lightning.
- In case of expected lightning, unplug electrical/ electronic appliances, immediately, get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

Next bulletin will be issued at 0830 hours IST of today, the 15th July, 2025.

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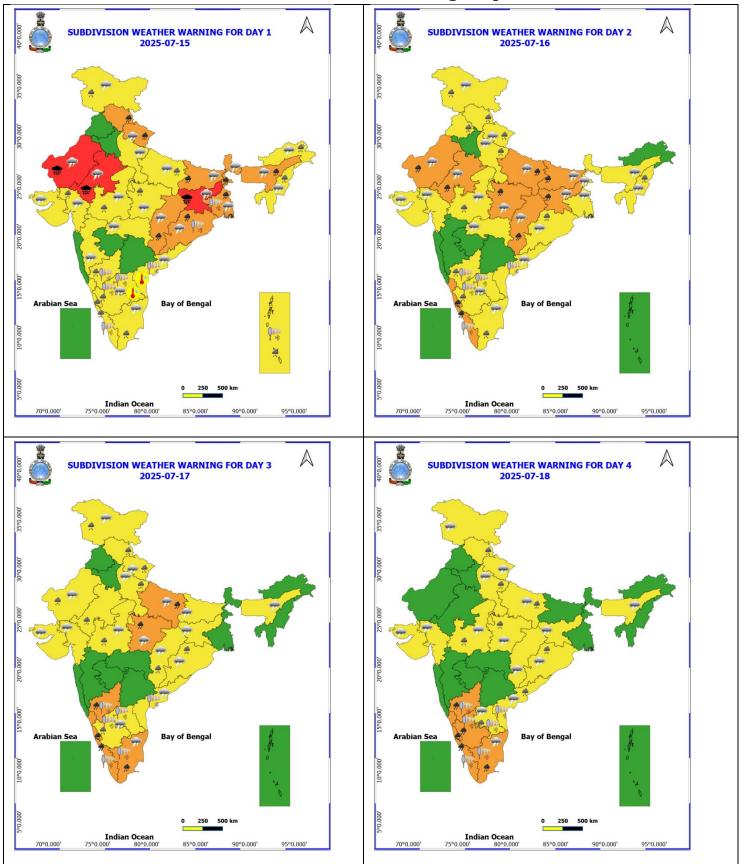


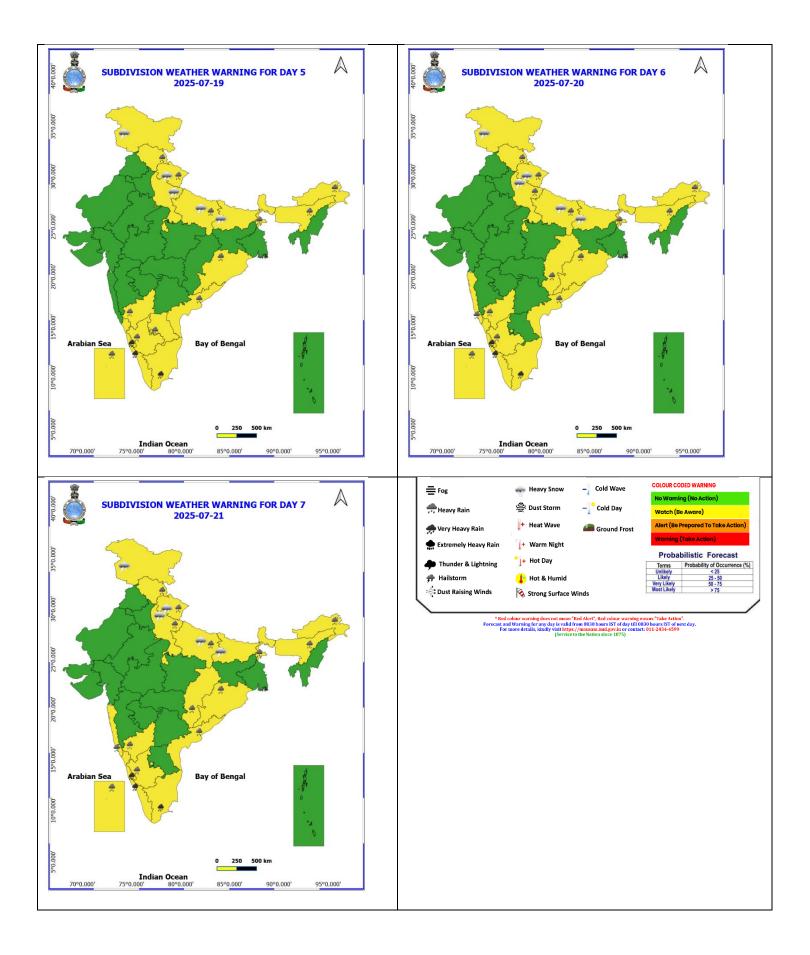
WML – Well Marked Low Pressure Area

OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK OF DEPRESSION OVER JHARKHAND AND NEIGHBOURHOOD ON 0000 UTC (0530 Hrs. IST) OF 15th JULY 2025

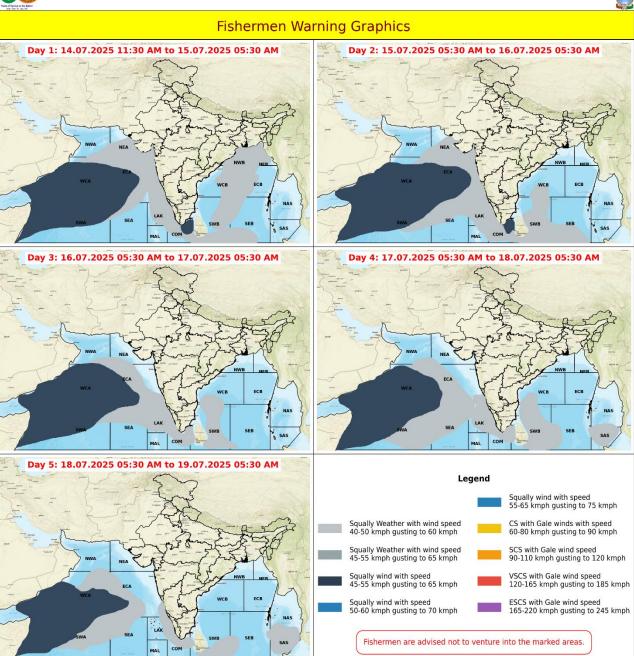


Weather Warning Graphics









Flash Flood Guidance

24 hours Outlook for the Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 0530 IST of 16-07-2025 :

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

West Rajasthan - Pali district.

East Rajasthan – Kota, Baran, Jhalawar, Bundi, Sawaimadhopur, Tonk, Rajsmand, Udaipur, Dungarpur, Banswara and Pratapgarh 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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Gangetic West Bengal – Bankura, Pashchim Midnipur, and Purulia districts.

Odisha - Kandahar, Mayurbhanj, Anugul, Sundergarh, Sambalpur and Deogarh districts.

Jharkhand – Gumla, Simdega, Lohardaga, Latehar, Khunti, Pashchim Singbhum, Purbi Singhbhum, Saraikela, Ramgarh, Bokara, Dhanbad, Garhwa, Palamu, Kodarma, Giridih, Jamtara, Devgarh, Dumka and Ranchi districts.

Chhattisgarh -Surguja, Surajpur, Jashpur, Raigarh, Korea and Balrampur districts.

East Madhya Pradesh –Umaria, Annupur, Dindori, Mandla, Seoni, Damoh and Sagar districts.

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