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# Sub: Depression intensified into a Deep Depression over southeast Bay of Bengal

The depression over southeast Bay of Bengal moved west-northwestwards with a speed of 05 kmph during past 06 hours, intensified into a Deep Depression and lay centered at 0530 hours IST of today, the 10<sup>th</sup> May 2023 over the same region near latitude 8.5°N and longitude 89.0.°E, about 540 km west-southwest of Port Blair, 1460 km south-southwest of Cox's Bazar (Bangladesh) and 1350 km south-southwest of Sittwe (Myanmar).

It is very likely to move northwestwards for some time and then north-northwestwards and intensify gradually into a cyclonic storm over the same region around today evening. Then continuing to move north-northwestwards, it will gradually intensify further into a severe cyclonic storm by 11<sup>th</sup> May morning and very severe cyclonic storm by 11<sup>th</sup> May mid-night over southeast and adjoining central Bay of Bengal. Thereafter, it is likely to recurve gradually, move north-northeastwards and weaken slightly from 13<sup>th</sup> may and cross southeast Bangladesh and north Myanmar coasts between Cox's Bazar (Bangladesh) and Kyaukpyu (Myanmar) around forenoon of 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 with maximum sustained wind speed of 110-120 kmph gusting to 130 kmph.

Forecast track and intensity are given below:

Date/Time	Position	Maximum sustained surface	Category of cyclonic
(IST)	(Lat. ⁰N/ long. ºE)	wind speed (Kmph)	disturbance
10.05.23/0530	8.5/89.0	50-60 gusting to 70	Deep Depression
10.05.23/1130	9.1/88.6	55-65 gusting to 75	Deep Depression
10.05.23/1730	9.7/88.1	60-70 gusting to 80	Cyclonic Storm
10.05.23/2330	10.3/87.7	70-80 gusting to 90	Cyclonic Storm
11.05.23/0530	11.0/87.6	90-100 gusting to 110	Severe Cyclonic Storm
11.05.23/1730	11.9/87.5	105-115 gusting to 125	Severe Cyclonic Storm
12.05.23/0530	13.1/87.6	125-135 gusting to 150	Very Severe Cyclonic Storm
12.05.23/1730	14.3/88.2	130-140 gusting to 155	Very Severe Cyclonic Storm
13.05.23/0530	15.8/89.3	140-150 gusting to 165	Very Severe Cyclonic Storm
13.05.23/1730	17.9/90.8	130-140 gusting to 155	Very Severe Cyclonic Storm
14.05.23/0530	20.0/92.2	120-130 gusting to 140	Very Severe Cyclonic Storm
14.05.23/1730	22.1/93.5	55-65 gusting to 75	Deep Depression

#### Warnings:

## (i) Rainfall (warning graphics enclosed)

- ❖ Andaman & Nicobar Islands: Rainfall at most places with
  - Heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is likely till 11<sup>th</sup> May.
  - Heavy rainfall at isolated places over Andaman Islands is likely on 12<sup>th</sup> May.
- ❖ Tripura & Mizoram: Rainfall at many places with
  - Heavy rainfall at isolated places is likely on 13<sup>th</sup> May and heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 14<sup>th</sup> May.
- ❖ Nagaland, Manipur, east Arunachal Pradesh & south Assam: Rainfall at many places with Heavy rainfall at isolated places is on 14<sup>th</sup> May.

## (ii) Wind warning:

## Andaman & Nicobar Islands:

Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph are prevailing and becoming 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph from 10<sup>th</sup> May forenoon till 11<sup>th</sup> May.

## ❖ Andaman Sea:

Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph are prevailing and becoming 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph from 10<sup>th</sup> May forenoon till 12<sup>th</sup> forenoon.

#### Southeast Bay of Bengal:

Squally wind speed reaching 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph are prevailing and becoming 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph from today evening.

Gale wind speed reaching 90-100 kmph gusting to 110 kmph from 11<sup>th</sup> morning and becoming 120-130 kmph gusting to 140 kmph by 12<sup>th</sup> morning and decrease thereafter becoming squally wind speed reaching 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph by 13<sup>th</sup> May.

## Eastcentral Bay of Bengal:

Squally weather with wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph are prevailing and becoming 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph by 11<sup>th</sup> morning.

Gale wind speed reaching 80-100 kmph gusting to 120 kmph on 11<sup>th</sup> evening becoming 130-140 kmph gusting to 150 kmph from 12<sup>th</sup> May evening and 140-150 kmph gusting to 160 kmph on 13<sup>th</sup> May, and then gradually decrease becoming 100-110 gusting to 120 by 14<sup>th</sup> morning.

#### **Westcentral Bay of Bengal:**

Squally weather with wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph are prevailing and becoming 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph from today evening.

Gale wind speed reaching 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph becoming 80-90 kmph gusting to 100 kmph on 11<sup>th</sup> May.

Gale wind speed reaching 110-120 kmph gusting to 130 kmph on12<sup>th</sup> and becoming 90-100 kmph gusting to 110 kmph from 13<sup>th</sup> morning and gradually decrease thereafter.

## ❖ Northeast Bay of Bengal:

Squally wind speed reaching 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph is likely on 12<sup>th</sup> May. Gale wind speed reaching 70-80 gusting to 90 likely to commence from 13th morning and gradually increase and becoming 110-120 kmph gusting 130 kmph from 13<sup>th</sup> night to 14<sup>th</sup> forenoon and significantly decrease thereafter.

## **Tripura and Mizoram:**

Squally wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph is very likely to prevail on 14<sup>th</sup> May.

## (iii) Sea condition

#### Andaman Sea:

Rough to very rough over south Andaman Sea very likely to prevail till today evening. Very rough to high over Andaman Sea from 10<sup>th</sup> evening to 11<sup>th</sup> May.

Very rough to rough over north Andaman Sea during 12<sup>th</sup> May.

## Southeast Bay of Bengal:

Rough to very rough very likely to prevail till today evening...

Very rough to high from 10<sup>th</sup> evening to 11<sup>th</sup> May.

High to very high on 12<sup>th</sup> May.

## Eastcentral Bay of Bengal:

Rough to very rough very likely to prevail till today evening. High to very high from 10<sup>th</sup> evening to 11<sup>th</sup> May.

Very High to phenomenal during 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> May.

#### Westcentral Bay of Bengal:

Rough to very rough very likely to prevail till today evening.

Very rough to high from 10<sup>th</sup> May evening to 11<sup>th</sup> May.

High to Very High on 12th May.

#### Northeast Bay of Bengal:

Rough to very rough on 12<sup>th</sup> May.

High to very high during 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> May.

#### (iv) Fishermen Warning (warning graphics enclosed)

- Fishermen, small ships, boats and trawlers are advised not to venture into southeast & central Bay of Bengal and south Andaman Sea till 11th May.
- Fishermen, small ships, boats and trawlers are advised not to venture into northeast & central Bay of Bengal and north Andaman Sea during 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> May.
- ❖ Those over central Bay of Bengal and north Andaman Sea are advised to return by today, the 10<sup>th</sup> May.

#### (v) Advisory

- \* Regulation of tourism and offshore activities and shipping near Andaman & Nicobar Islands till 12<sup>th</sup> May and near north Andaman till 13<sup>th</sup> May.
- Regulation of shipping activity over the sea areas of southeast & central Bay of Bengal and Andaman Sea till 13<sup>th</sup> May.
- \* Regulation of shipping activity over the sea areas of northeast Bay of Bengal during 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> May.

The system is under continuous surveillance and the next message will be issued at 1130 hours IST of today, the 10<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

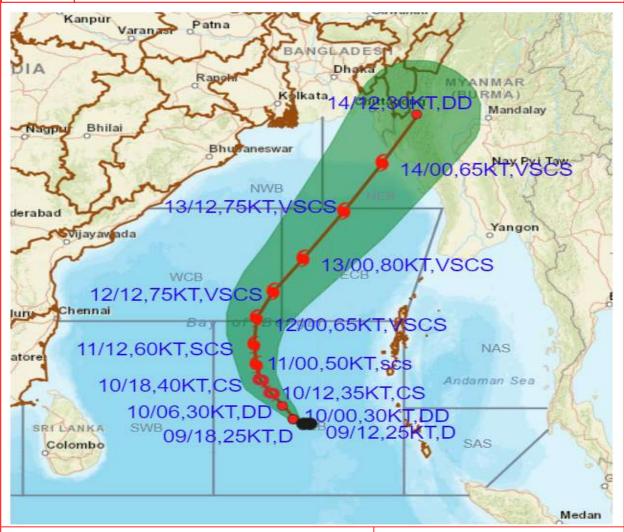
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OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH CONE OF UNCERTAINITY OF DEEP DEPRESSION OVER SOUTHEAST BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 0000 UTC (0530 IST) OF 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2023.



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)

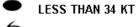
CS: CYCLONIC STORM (34.47 KT)

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)







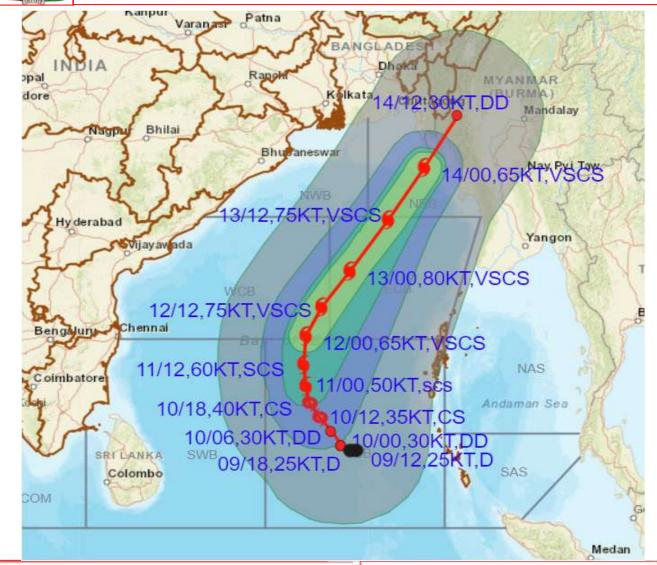




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OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH QUADRANT WIND DISTRIBUTION OF DEEP DEPRESSION OVER SOUTHEAST BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 0000 UTC (0530 IST) OF 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2023.



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)

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SuCS: SUPER CYCLONIC STORM @ 120 KT)

LESS THAN 34 KT
 34.47 KT

9 ≥ 48 KT

OBSERVED TRACK
FORECAST TRACK
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AREA OF MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED:

28-33 KT (52-61 KMPH) 34-49 KT (62-91 KMPH)

50.63 KT (92.117 KMPH) ≥ 64 KT (≥118 KMPH)

\_\_\_\_ 204 KT (2110 K

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	

