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Sub: Severe Cyclonic Storm "MICHAUNG" (pronounced as MIGJAUM) weakened into a Cyclonic Storm over south coastal Andhra Pradesh (Red Message)

The Severe Cyclonic Storm "MICHAUNG" (pronounced as MIGJAUM) over south coastal Andhra Pradesh moved nearly northwards with a speed of 10 kmph during past 06 hours, weakened into a Cyclonic Storm at 1530 hrs IST and lay centered at 1730 hours IST of today, the 5th December, 2023 over south Coastal Andhra Pradesh near latitude 16.0°N and longitude 80.3°E, about 25 km west-northwest of Bapatla and 60 km north-northeast of Ongole.

The system is likely to move nearly northwards and weaken further into a Deep Depression during next 06 hours.

Track and Intensity Forecasts:

Date/Time (IST)	Position (Lat. ⁰N/ long. ⁰E)	Maximum sustained surface wind speed (Kmph)	Category of cyclonic disturbance
05.12.23/1730	16.0/80.30	65-75 kmph gusting to 85 kmph	Cyclonic Storm
05.12.23/2330	16.50/80.40	50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph	Deep Depression
06.12.23/0530	17.00/80.50	35-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph	Depression

Warnings:

(i) Rainfall Warning (graphics enclosed):

- Coastal Andhra Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places and heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places with extremely heavy falls at isolated places over coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 5th December. Exceptionally heavy rainfall at one or two places is also likely over central districts of coastal Andhra Pradesh on 5th December. Isolated heavy rainfall is likely over north coastal Andhra Pradesh on 6th December.
- **Telangana:** Light to moderate rainfall at most places with isolated **heavy to extremely heavy rainfall** on 5th December and **heavy rainfall** is likely on 06th December.
- Odisha Light to moderate rainfall at most places with isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall is likely over south Chhattisgarh, south Coastal and adjoining south Interior Odisha on 5th and isolated heavy rainfall over the same region on 6th December.
- **Chhattisgarh:** Light to moderate rainfall at most places with isolated **heavy rainfall** is likely over Chhattisgarh on 05th & 6th December.
- Vidarbha: Light to moderate rainfall at many places with isolated heavy rainfall is likely over Vidarbha on 6th December.
- Rayalaseema: Light to moderate rainfall at many places with isolated heavy rainfall on 5th December and decrease thereafter.
- North Coastal Tamil Nadu: Light to moderate rainfall at many places with isolated heavy rainfall on 5th December and decrease thereafter.

(ii) Wind warning:

• Westcentral Bay of Bengal and along & off south Andhra Pradesh Coast:

Gale wind speed reaching **65-75 kmph gusting to 85 kmph** prevailing over westcentral Bay of Bengal and would continue during next 6 hours and gradually decreases thereafter.

Gale wind speed reaching **65-75 kmph gusting to 85 kmph** prevailing along and off Bapatla district & **55-65 kmph gusting to 75 kmph** along and off remaining districts of south Andhra Pradesh coast during next 6 hours and gradually decrease thereafter.

• Along & off north Andhra Pradesh Coast:

Squally wind speed reaching **50-60 kmph gusting to 65 kmph** is prevailing, it is likely to continue during next 06 hours. It would gradually decrease thereafter.

Northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha Coast:

Squally wind speed reaching **40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph** is prevailing and likely to continue during next 12 hours. It would gradually decrease thereafter.

(iii) Sea Condition:

Westcentral Bay of Bengal and along & off south Andhra Pradesh Coast:

High sea condition is prevailing over the region. It is likely to continue next 06 hours. It is likely to improve thereafter gradually becoming very rough by mid-night of today 5th Dec and rough by 6th morning for subsequent 6 hours.

Along & off North Andhra Pradesh Coast:

Rough to Very Rough to sea condition is likely till 6th December morning and further improve thereafter.

• Northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha Coast:

Rough to Very Rough to sea condition is likely till 6th December morning.

(v) Fishermen Warning (graphics attached):

Fishermen are advised not to venture into:

- Westcentral Bay of Bengal and along & off Andhra Pradesh Coast till 6th December evening.
- Northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha coast till 6th December morning.

(vi) Post landfall outlook:

The system is likely to move nearly northwards and weaken into a deep depression during next 06 hours. The wind speed will gradually decrease to 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph by mid-night of 5th December and further gradually decrease becoming 35-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph by 06th December morning.

(vii) Damage Expected over coastal districts of South-Andhra Pradesh (Nellore, Tirupati Prakasam, Bapatla, Guntur, Krishna and West Godavari) and adjoining coastal districts of North Tamil Nadu-Puducherry:

- Major damage to thatched houses/ huts. Roof tops may blow off. Unattached metal sheets may fly.
- Possibilities of damage to vulnerable structure.
- Breaking of tree branches, uprooting of large avenue trees. Major damage to banana and papaya trees. Large dead limbs blown from trees.
- Minor damage to power and communication lines due to breaking of branches and uprooting of trees.
- Major damage to Kutcha and minor damage to Pucca roads due to heavy rain.
- Damage to paddy crops, horticultural crops and orchards.
- Sea water inundation in low lying areas after erosion of Kutcha embankments
- Inundation of low lying areas in coastal districts due to heavy rainfall and flash flood
- Localized Flooding of roads and closure of underpasses mainly in urban areas of the above region.
- Occasional reduction in visibility due to heavy rainfall.
- Disruption of traffic due to water logging and squally winds
- Localized Landslides/Mudslides
- It may lead to riverine flooding in some river catchments (for riverine flooding please visit Web page of CWC)

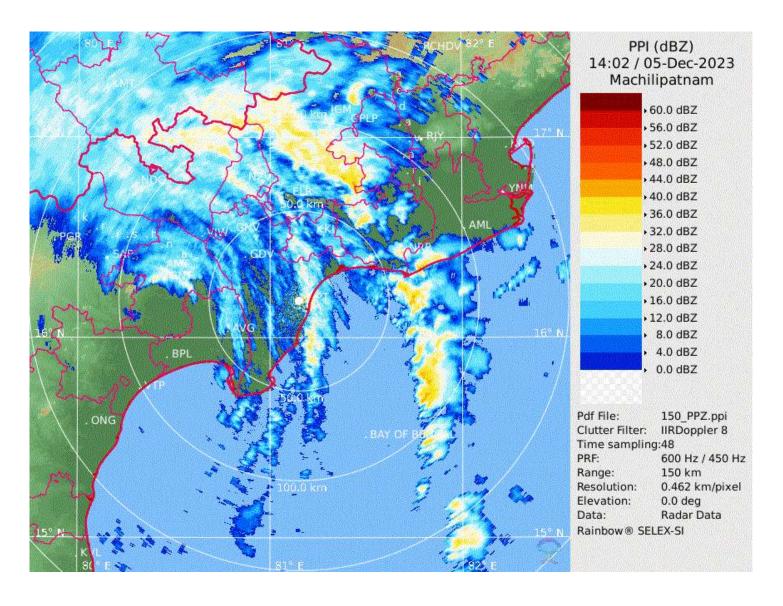
(viii) Action Suggested for coastal districts of South Andhra Pradesh and adjoining coastal districts of North Tamil Nadu-Puducherry:

- Total suspension of fishing operations.
- Surface transport and shipping operations need to be regulated
- Onshore & Offshore operation need to be regulated as per guidelines
- Coastal hutment dwellers to be in safer places.
- People in affected areas to remain indoors.
- Avoid going to areas that face the water logging problems often.
- Avoid staying in vulnerable structure.

The system is under continuous surveillance and the next message will be issued at 2330 hours IST of today, the 05th December, 2023.

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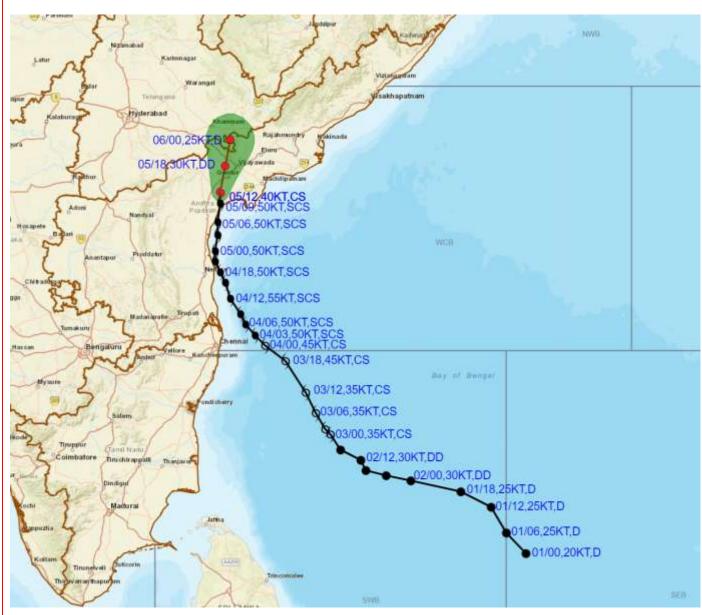


Maximum Reflectivity from DWR Machilipatnam based on 1402 UTC of 05th December 2023

INSAT 3D Image based on 0910 UTC of 05th Dec 2023



OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH CONE OF UNCERTAINITY IN ASSOCIATION WITH CYCLONIC STORM "MICHAUNG" OVER SOUTH COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH BASED ON 1200 UTC (1730 IST) OF 5TH DECEMBER 2023.



DATE/TIME IN UTC IST=UTC + 0530

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D: DEPRESSION (17-27 KT)

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VSCS: VERY SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM (64-89 KT)

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OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH QUADRANT WIND IN ASSOCIATION WITH SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM "MICHAUNG" OVER SOUTH COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH BASED ON 1200 UTC (1730 IST) OF 5TH DECEMBER 2023.



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LESS THAN 34 KT

6 34.47 KT 6 ≥ 48 KT

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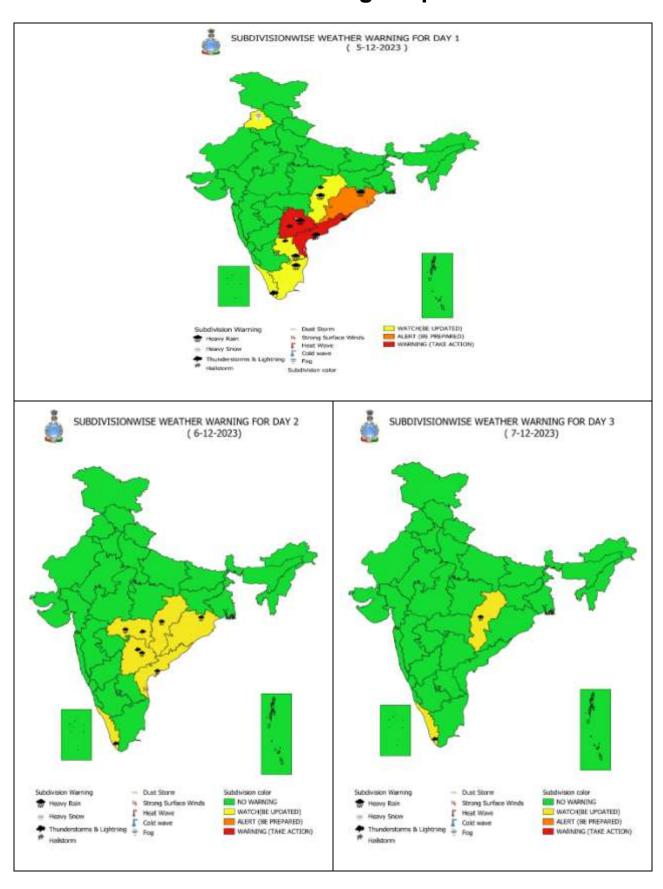
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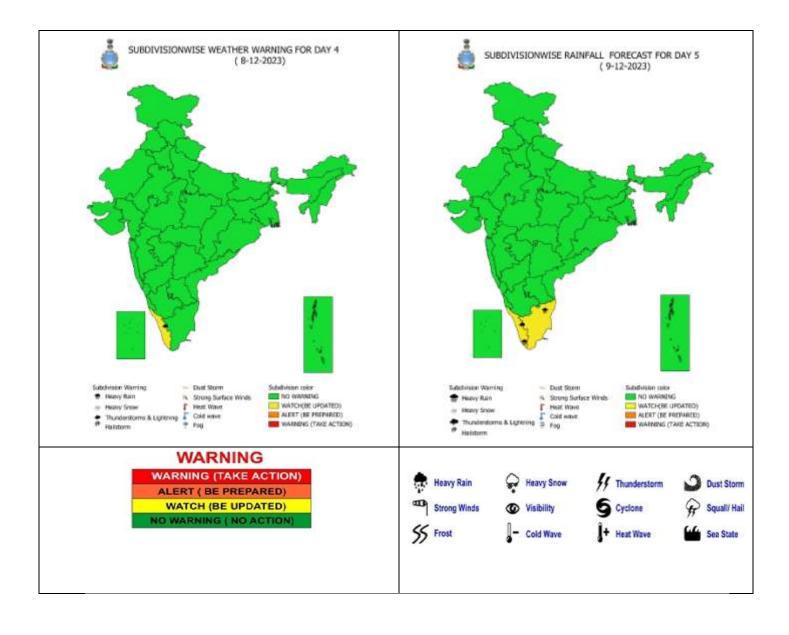
28.33 KT (52.61 KMPH)
34.49 KT (62.91 KMPH)
50.63 KT (92.117 KMPH)
≥ 64 KT (≥118 KMPH)

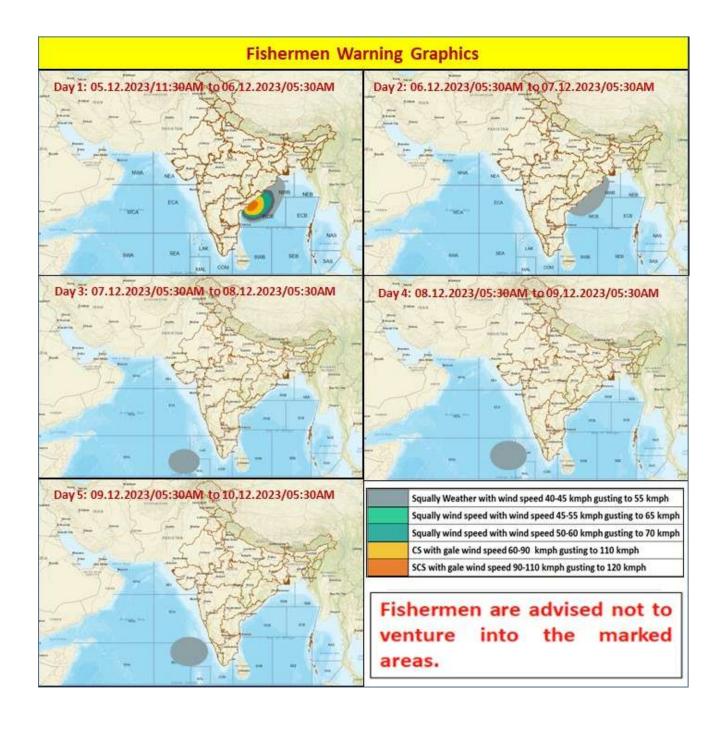
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MSW (knot/kmph)	Impact	Action
28-33 (52-61)	Very rough seas	Total suspension of fishing operations
34-49 (62-91)	High to very high seas	Total suspension of fishing operations
50-63 (92-117)	Very high seas	Total suspension of fishing operations
≥ 64 (≥118)	Phenomenal	Total suspension of fishing operations

Weather Warning Graphics







Flash Flood Guidance

24 hours Outlook for the Flash Flood Risk (FFR) till 1130 IST of 06-12-2023 :

High flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of following coastal districts of Andhra Pradesh

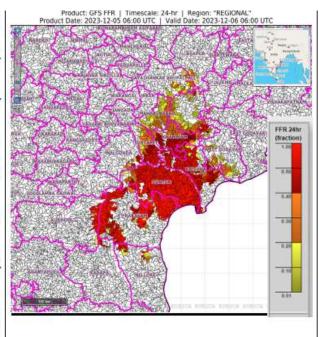
Guntur, Prakasam and Krishna (>50%) districts of Andhra Pradesh;

Moderate flash flood risk likely over few watersheds & neighbourhoods of following coastal districts (>20% - <50%) of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana during next 24 hours.

West Godavari, Guntur, Kurnool, Prakasam and Nellore (>20% - <50%) districts of **Andhra Pradesh**;

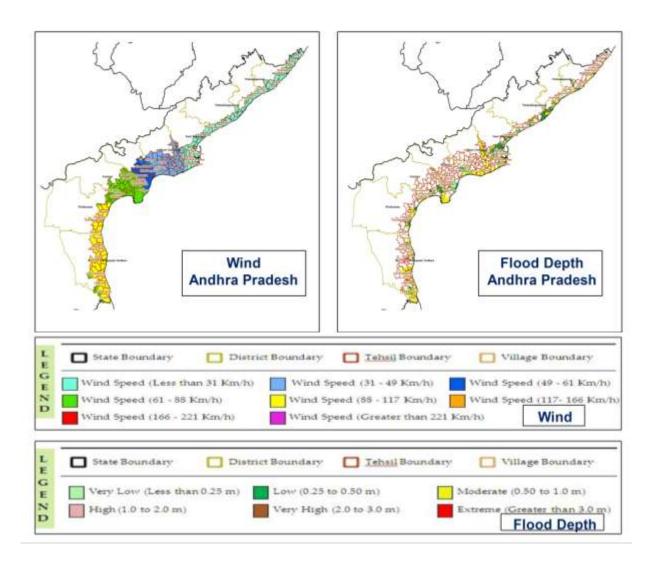
Nalgonda, Suryapet, Khammam, Bharadri kothagudem and Mahabubabad (>20% - <50%) districts of Telangana.

Surface runoff/ Inundation may occur at some fully saturated watersheds & low-lying areas over AoC as depicted in map due to Severe Cyclonic Storm 'Michaung' during next 24 hours.





Hazard Map with Severe Cyclonic Storm MICHAUNG over Westcentral & adjoining off south Andhra Pradesh coast



REALISED RAINFALL (IN CM) RECORDED DURING PAST 24 HOURS FROM 08:30 IST 04/12/2023 TO 08:30 IST 05/12/2023

Heavy to very heavy rainfall recorded at a few places with isolated extremely heavy falls at isolated places over North Tamil Nadu, coastal Andhra Pradesh and Rayalaseema.

Tamil Nadu:

Zone 14 Perungudi (dist Chennai) 45, Poonamallee (dist Tiruvallur) 34, Avadi (dist Tiruvallur) 28, KVK Kattukuppam AWS (dist Kancheepuram) 27, Chennai (N) (dist Chennai), Chennai(N) AWS (dist Chennai), Tambaram (dist Chengalpattu) 24 each, Mahabalipuram (dist Chengalpattu), Zone 09 Ice House (dist Chennai) 22 each, Royapuram (dist Chennai), Zone 13 Adyar (dist Chennai), Thiru-Vi-Ka Nagar (dist Chennai), Zone 05 GCC (dist Chennai), Zone 10 Kodambakkam (dist Chennai), Chembarapakkam Rev (dist Kancheepuram) 21 each, Zone 15 Sholinganallur (dist Chennai), Taramani ARG (dist Chennai), Meenambakkam AWS (dist Chennai), Chennai (AP) (dist Chennai), Kundrathur (dist Kancheepuram), Thamaraipakkam (dist Tiruvallur), Kodambakkam (dist Chennai), Tirur KVK AWS (dist Tiruvallur) 19 each, Teynampet (dist Chennai), Valasaravakkam (dist Chennai), Tiruvallur (dist Tiruvallur), Anna University ARG (dist Chennai), Zone 11 Valasaravakkam (dist Chennai) 18 each, Uthukottai (dist Tiruvallur), NIOT_Pallikaranai ARG (dist Chennai), Ponneri (dist Tiruvallur), Sriperumbudur (dist Kancheepuram), Koratur (dist Tiruvallur) 17 each, Kelambakkam (dist Chengalpattu) 16, Cholavaram (dist Tiruvallur) 15, Thiruvalangadu (dist Tiruvallur), Poondi (dist Tiruvallur), Alandur (dist Chengalpattu), Thirupporur (dist Chengalpattu) 14 each, Red Hills (dist Tiruvallur) 13, Zone Alandhur (dist Chennai), Tiruttani (dist Tiruvallur), Gummidipoondi (dist Tiruvallur). Chembarabakkam_CMWSSB (dist Kancheepuram) 12 each, Thirukalukundram (dist Chengalpattu), Pechiparai (dist Kanniyakumari), Zone 05 Royapuram (dist Chennai) 11 each, Minnal (dist Ranipet), Zone 04 Tondiarpet (dist Chennai) 10 each, Chengalpattu (dist Chengalpattu), Zone 12 D156 Mugalivakkam (dist Chennai), Wallajah (dist Ranipet), Perunchani Dam (dist Kanniyakumari), Tiruttani PTO (dist Tiruvallur) 9 each, Zone 03 Puzhal (dist Chennai), Puthan Dam (dist Kanniyakumari), Panapakkam (dist Ranipet), Zone 09 Teynampet (dist Chennai) 8 each, R.K.Pet (dist Tiruvallur), Walajabad (dist Kancheepuram), Pallipattu (dist Tiruvallur), Vembakkam (dist Tiruvannamalai), Sholingur (dist Ranipet), Kuzhithurai (dist Kanniyakumari) 7 each.

Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam:

Bapatla (dist Bapatla) 22, Nellore (dist Spsr Nellore) 22, Rapur (dist Spsr Nellore) 21, Atmakur (dist Spsr Nellore) 19, Amalapuram (dist B R Ambedkar Konaseema) 17, Addanki (dist Bapatla) 17, Karamchedu (dist Bapatla) 17, Masulipatnam Cdr (dist Krishna) 16, Kavali (dist Spsr Nellore) 15, Avanigada (dist Krishna) 14, Vinjamur (dist Spsr Nellore) 14, Udayagiri (dist Spsr Nellore) 13, Ongole (dist Prakasam) 12, Repalle (dist Bapatla) 11, Kandukur (dist Spsr Nellore) 11, Konakanamitla (dist Prakasam) 9, Gudivada (dist Krishna) 9, Santhamaguluru (dist Bapatla) 9, Tenali (dist Guntur) 8, Kakinada (dist Kakinada) 8, Yanam (dist Yanam) 8, Marripudi (dist Prakasam) 7, Veligandla (dist Prakasam) 7, Mundlamuru (dist Prakasam) 7, Guntur (dist Guntur) 7, Seetharamapuram (dist Spsr Nellore) 7, Tanuku (dist West Godavari) 7, Vijayawada (dist Ntr District) 7, Peddapuram (dist Kakinada) 7.

Rayalaseema:

Gudur (dist Tirupati) 28, Srikalahasti (dist Tirupati) 24, Kodur (dist Ysr District) 24, Thottambedu (dist Tirupati) 23, Sullurpeta (dist Tirupati) 23, Penagaluru (dist Annamayya District) 23, Tada (dist Tirupati) 20, Venkatagiri (dist Tirupati) 18, Satyavedu (dist Tirupati) 14, Nagari (dist Chittoor) 13, Tirupati Aero (dist Tirupati) 13, Rajampet (dist Annamayya District) 12, Atlur (dist Ysr District) 9, Badvel (dist Ysr District) 8, Gurramkonda (dist Annamayya District) 7, Kalakada (dist Annamayya District) 7, Sambepalle (dist Annamayya District) 7, Royachoti (dist Annamayya District) 7, Pakala (dist Tirupati) 7, Pullampeta (dist Annamayya District) 7, Chinnamandem (dist Annamayya District) 7, Cuddapah (dist Ysr District) 7.

IMD: India Meteorological Department AWS: Automatic Weather Station ARG: Automatic Rain Guage

KVK: Krishi Vigyan Kendra

AMFU: Agriculture Field Meteorological Unit