



REGIONAL SPECIALISED METEOROLOGICAL CENTRE-TROPICAL CYCLONES, NEW DELHI SPECIAL TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK

DEMS-RSMC TROPICAL CYCLONES NEW DELHI DATED 26.08.2024

SPECIAL TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR NORTH INDIAN OCEAN (THE BAY OF BENGAL AND THE ARABIAN SEA) VALID FOR NEXT 168 HOURS ISSUED AT 0300 UTC OF 26.08.2024 BASED ON 0000 UTC OF 26.08.2024.

LAND DEPRESSION OVER CENTRAL AND WEST INDIA:

SUB: DEEP DEPRESSION OVER EAST RAJASTHAN AND ADJOINING WEST MADHYA PRADESH

THE DEEP DEPRESSION OVER EAST RAJASTHAN AND ADJOINING WEST MADHYA PRADESH MOVED WEST-SOUTHWESTWARDS WITH A SPEED OF 08 KMPH DURING PAST 6 HOURS AND LAY CENTERED AT 0000 UTC OF THE 26TH AUGUST OVER THE SAME REGION NEAR LATITUDE 24.2°N AND LONGITUDE 74.2°E, ABOUT 60 KM SOUTHEAST OF UDAIPUR (42543), 200 KM EAST OF DEESA (42539) AND 200 KM NORTH-NORTHEAST OF AHMEDABAD (42647).

IT IS LIKELY TO CONTINUE TO MOVE WEST-SOUTHWESTWARDS ACROSS SOUTH RAJASTHAN AND GUJARAT REGION AND REACH SAURASHTRA & KUTCH AND ADJOINING AREAS OF PAKISTAN AND NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA BY MORNING OF 29TH AUGUST.

BASED ON 0000 UTC INSAT 3DR IMAGERY, SCATTERED TO BROKEN LOW/ MEDIUM CLOUDS WITH EMBEDDED INTENSE TO VERY INTENSE CONVECTION LAY OVER SOUTH RAJASTHAN, SOUTH WEST MADHYA PRADESH, NORTH MADHYA MAHARSHTRA AND ADJOINING NORTH KONKAN (MINIMUM CLOUD TOP TEMPERATURE (CTT) MINUS 93⁰ C) AND MODERATE TO INTENSE CONVECTION LAY OVER NORTHEAST RAJASTHAN, NORTHWEST MADHYA PRADESH, SOUTH MADHYA MAHARASHTRA AND KONKAN & GOA (MINIMUM CTT MINUS 50⁰-60⁰ C).

ASSOCIATED MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED IS 30 KTS GUSTING TO 40 KTS. ESTIMATED CENTRAL PRESSURE IS 992 HPA. AT 0000 UTC, UDAIPUR REPORTED MEAN SEA LEVEL PRESSURE OF 993.7 HPA & PRESSURE CHANGE IN 24 HOURS AS -5.9 HPA. AHMEDABAD REPORTED MEAN SEA LEVEL PRESSURE OF 995.3 HPA & PRESSURE CHANGE IN 24 HOURS AS -6.2 HPA.

ARABIAN SEA:

(I) SEA CONDITION AND ADVISORY FOR FISHERMEN IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE MOVEMENT OF THE SYSTEM OVER SAURASHTRA & KUTCH AND ADJOINING PAKISTAN AND NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA FROM INDIA AROUND 29TH AUGUST:

- SQUALLY WEATHER WITH WIND SPEED REACHING 30-40 KMPH GUSTING TO 50 KMPH IS LIKELY OVER NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA & ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL ARABIAN SEA AND ALONG & OFF GUJARAT & ADJOINING PAKISTAN & MAHARASHTRA COASTS TILL 27TH AUGUST. THE WIND SPEED WOULD GRADUALLY INCREASE THEREAFTER BECOMING 55-65 KMPH GUSTING TO 75 KMPH OVER THESE REGIONS ON 29TH & 30TH AUGUST. ROUGH TO VERY ROUGH SEA CONDITIONS IS VERY LIKELY TO PREVAIL ALONG & OFF PAKISTAN, GUJARAT & NORTH MAHARASHTRA COASTS AND NORTHEAST & ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL ARABIAN SEA TILL 30TH AUGUST.
- FISHERMEN ARE ADVISED NOT TO VENTURE INTO NORTHEAST & ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL ARABIAN SEA AND ALONG & OFF PAKISTAN, GUJARAT & NORTH MAHARASHTRA COASTS TILL 30TH AUGUST.

(II) CLOUDS ASSOCIATED WITH ARABIAN SEA:

SCATTERED LOW TO MEDIUM CLOUDS WITH INTENSE TO VERY INTENSE CONVECTION LAY OVER NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA OFF GUJARAT COAST, GULF OF KUTCH AND GULF OF CAMBAY. SCATTERED LOW TO MEDIUM CLOUDS WITH EMBEDDED MODERATE TO INTENSE CONVECTION LAY OVER SOUTH WEST ARABIAN SEA AND WEAK TO MODERATE CONVECTION OVER REST OF THE ARABIAN SEA AREA, LAKHSHADWEEP ISLANDS, MALDIVES AND COMORIN AREA.

*PROBABILITY OF CYCLOGENESIS (FORMATION OF DEPRESSION) DURING NEXT 168 HRS OVER ARABIAN SEA:

24 HOURS	24-48 HOURS	48-72 HOURS	72-96 HOURS	96-120 HOURS	120-144 HOURS	144-168 HOURS
NIL	NIL	NIL	MOD	HIGH	HIGH	-

*NOTE: EVERY 24HR FORECAST IS VALID UPTO 0300 UTC (0830 IST) OF NEXT DAY

BAY OF BENGAL:

SUB: WELL MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER GANGETIC WEST BENGAL AND ADJOINING BANGLADESH

THE LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER BANGLADESH AND ADJOINING GANGETIC WEST BENGAL MOVED NEARLY WESTWARDS, LAY AS A **WELL MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA** AND LAY OVER GANGETIC WEST BENGAL AND ADJOINING BANGLADESH AT 0000 UTC OF THE 26TH AUGUST 2024. IT IS LIKELY TO MOVE WEST-NORTHWESTWARDS ACROSS GANGETIC WEST BENGAL, NORTH ODISHA AND JHARKHAND DURING NEXT 2 DAYS.

ASSOCIATED SCATTERED TO BROKEN LOW/MEDIUM CLOUDS WITH EMBEDDED INTENSE TO VERY INTENSE CONVECTION OVER ODISHA, GANGETIC WEST BENGAL, BANGLADESH AND NORTH BAY OF BENGAL (MINIMUM CTT MINUS 93 DEG CEL) AND MODERATE TO INTENSE CONVECTION OVER EAST JHARKHAND.

SCATTERED LOW/MEDIUM CLOUDS WITH EMBEDDED INTENSE TO VERY INTENSE

CONVECTION OVER NORTH AND CENTRAL BAY, SOUTH EAST BAY, ANDAMAN SEA, GULF OF MARTABAN AND ARAKAN COAST. SCATTERED LOW TO MEDIUM CLOUDS WITH EMBEDDED MODERATE TO INTENSE CONVECTION OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL.

ASSOCIATED MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED IS 5-10 KTS. ESTIMATED CENTRAL PRESSURE IS 998 HPA. AT 0000 UTC, CHAUDANGA (BANGLADESH) REPORTED MEAN SEA LEVEL PRESSURE OF 999.5 HPA & PRESSURE CHANGE IN 24 HOURS AS -4.0 HPA.

SEA CONDITION AND ADVISORY FOR FISHERMEN:

- SQUALLY WEATHER WITH WIND SPEED REACHING 30-40 KMPH GUSTING 50 KMPH AND ROUGH SEA CONDITION IS VERY LIKELY TO PREVAIL OVER NORTH BAY OF BENGAL AND ALONG & OFF NORTH ODISHA, WEST BENGAL, BANGLADESH COASTS ON 26TH AUGUST.
- FISHERMEN ARE ADVISED NOT TO VENTURE INTO NORTH BAY OF BENGAL AND ALONG & OFF NORTH ODISHA, WEST BENGAL, BANGLADESH COASTS ON 26TH AUGUST.

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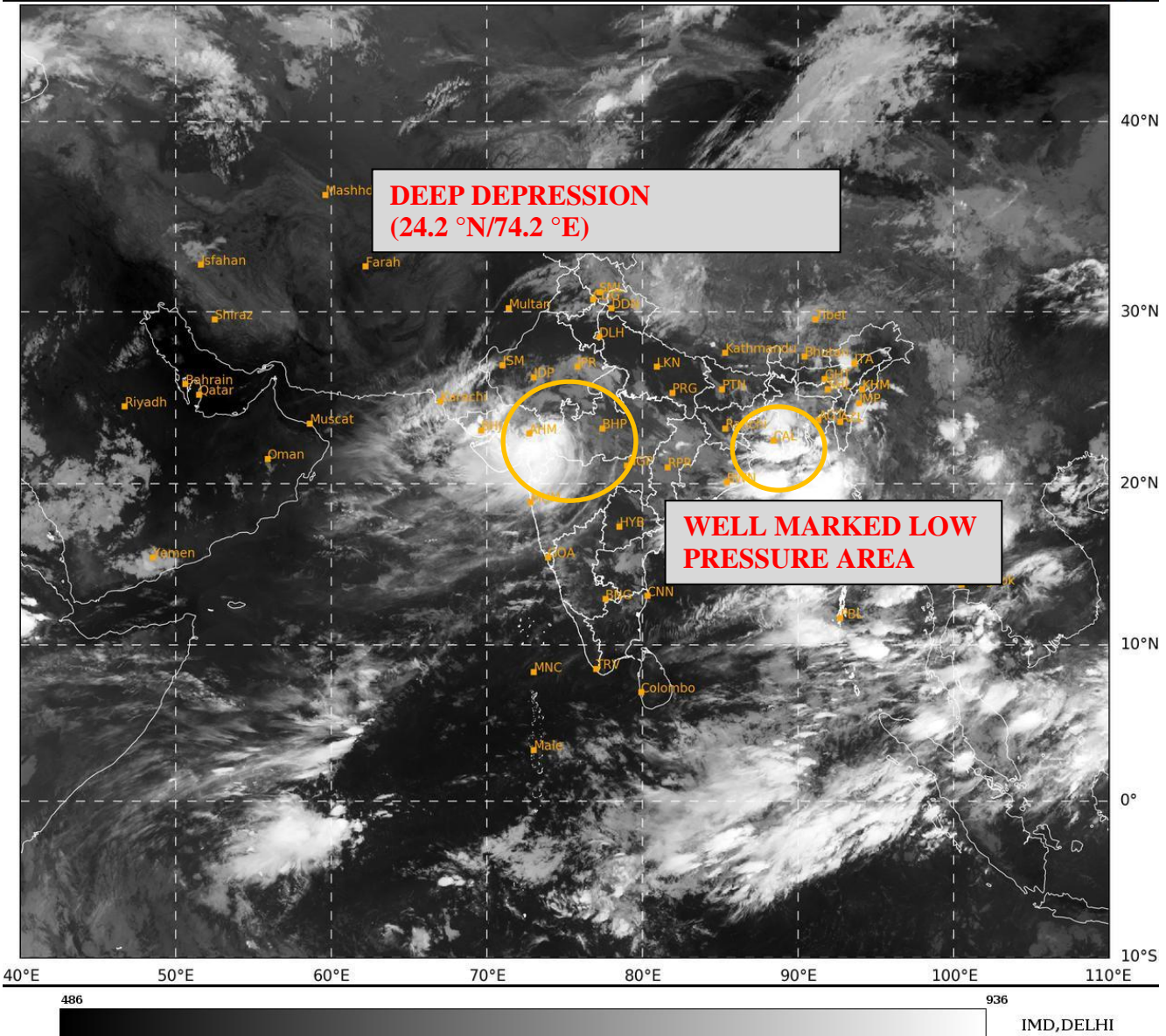
THE MADDEN JULIAN OSCILLATION (MJO) INDEX CURRENTLY LIES IN PHASE 3 WITH AN AMPLITUDE GREATER THAN 1. IT IS LIKELY TO MOVE EASTWARDS ACROSS PHASE 3 AND 4 WITH AMPLITUDE REMAINING CLOSE TO 1 DURING NEXT 5 DAYS. THE NCICS FORECASTS INDICATE SIGNIFICANT PRESENCE OF CONVECTIVELY COUPLED EQUATORIAL ROSSBY WAVES (ERW) PROPAGATING WESTWARDS STARTING FROM SOUTH CHINA SEA AND BOB TO SOUTHEAST AND EASTCENTRAL DURING NEXT 5 DAYS. THE WEAK WESTERLY WINDS (1-3 MPS) ARE LIKELY OVER SOUTHERN AND ADJOINING CENTRAL PARTS OF ARABIAN SEA AND BAY OF BENGAL DURING NEXT FIVE DAYS. THE EASTWARD-MOVING KELVIN WAVES (KW) ARE ALSO LIKELY OVER NORTHERN PARTS OF ARABIAN SEA AND SOUTH BAY OF BENGAL DURING NEXT FIVE DAYS. THE LOW LEVEL CONVERGENCE HAS INCREASED AND IS AROUND $20 \times 10^{-5} \text{ S}^{-1}$ TO THE SOUTHWEST OF SYSTEM CENTRE. UPPER LEVEL DIVERGENCE IS AROUND $30 \times 10^{-5} \text{ S}^{-1}$ TO THE SOUTH WEST OF SYSTEM CENTRE EXTENDING UPTO EASTCENTRAL ARABIAN SEA. THE WIND SHEAR IS MODERATE OVER THE SYSTEM AREA. VORTICITY AT 850 HPA LEVEL IS AROUND $100 \times 10^{-5} \text{ S}^{-1}$ NEAR THE SYSTEM AREA EXTENDING UP TO 200 HPA. FAVORABLE MJO, PRESENCE OF EQUATORIAL WAVES, MOISTURE FEEDBACK FROM ARABIAN SEA MODERATE WIND SHEAR.

MOST OF THE NUMERICAL WEATHER PREDICTION MODELS (IMD GFS, NCEP GFS, GEFS, ECMWF, AND NCUM) HAVE CONSENSUS AND INDICATE THAT THE EXISTING DEEP DEPRESSION OVER EAST RAJASTHAN AND ADJOINING WEST MADHYA PRADESH WOULD MOVE WEST-SOUTHWESTWARDS OVER SOUTH RAJASTHAN AND ADJOINING NORTH GUJARAT. THERE IS A CONSENSUS AMONG VARIOUS MODELS THAT THE SYSTEM WOULD PERSIST OVER SAURASHTRA & KUTCH REGION DURING 28TH TO 30TH AUGUST.

WITH RESPECT TO BAY OF BENGAL SYSTEM MODELS ARE NOT INDICATING SIGNIFICANT INTENSIFICATION AND THERE IS ALSO CONSENSUS AMONG MODELS REGARDING WEST NORTH WEST WARD MOVEMENT OF THE SYSTEM.

CONSIDERING ALL THE ABOVE, IT IS INFERRED THAT THE DEEP DEPRESSION OVER EAST RAJASTHAN AND ADJOINING WEST MADHYA PRADESH WOULD GRADUALLY MOVE TOWARDS SAURASTRA & KUTCH AND ADJOINING PAKISTAN AND NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA AROUND 0000 UTC OF 29TH AUGUST.

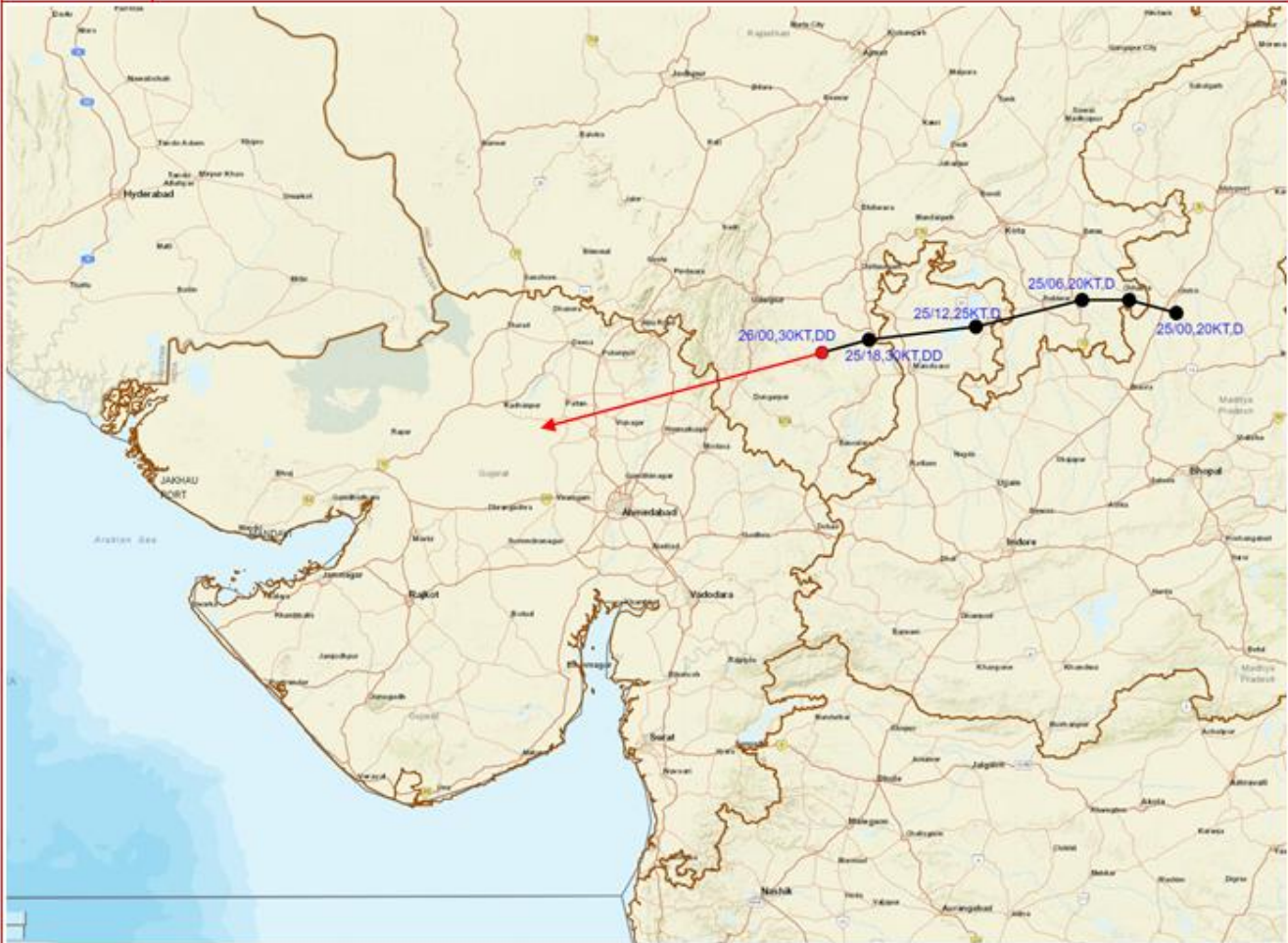
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Cloud distribution: (a) Isolated: <25%, Scattered:25-50%, Broken: 51-75%, Solid:>75%, Convection Intensity: (a) Weak: Cloud Top Temperature (CTT) >-25°C, (b) Moderate: CTT: - 25°C to -40°C, (c) Intense: CTT: - 41°C to -70°C and (d) Very Intense: : Less than -70°C
PROBABILITY OF CYCLOGENESIS (FORMATION OF DEPRESSION):NIL: 0%, LOW: 1-33%, , MODERATE: 34-66% AND HIGH: 67-100%
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OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK OF DEEP DEPRESSION OVER EAST RAJASTHAN AND ADJOINING WEST MADHYA PRADESH BASED ON 0000 UTC (0530 IST) OF 26TH AUGUST, 2024.

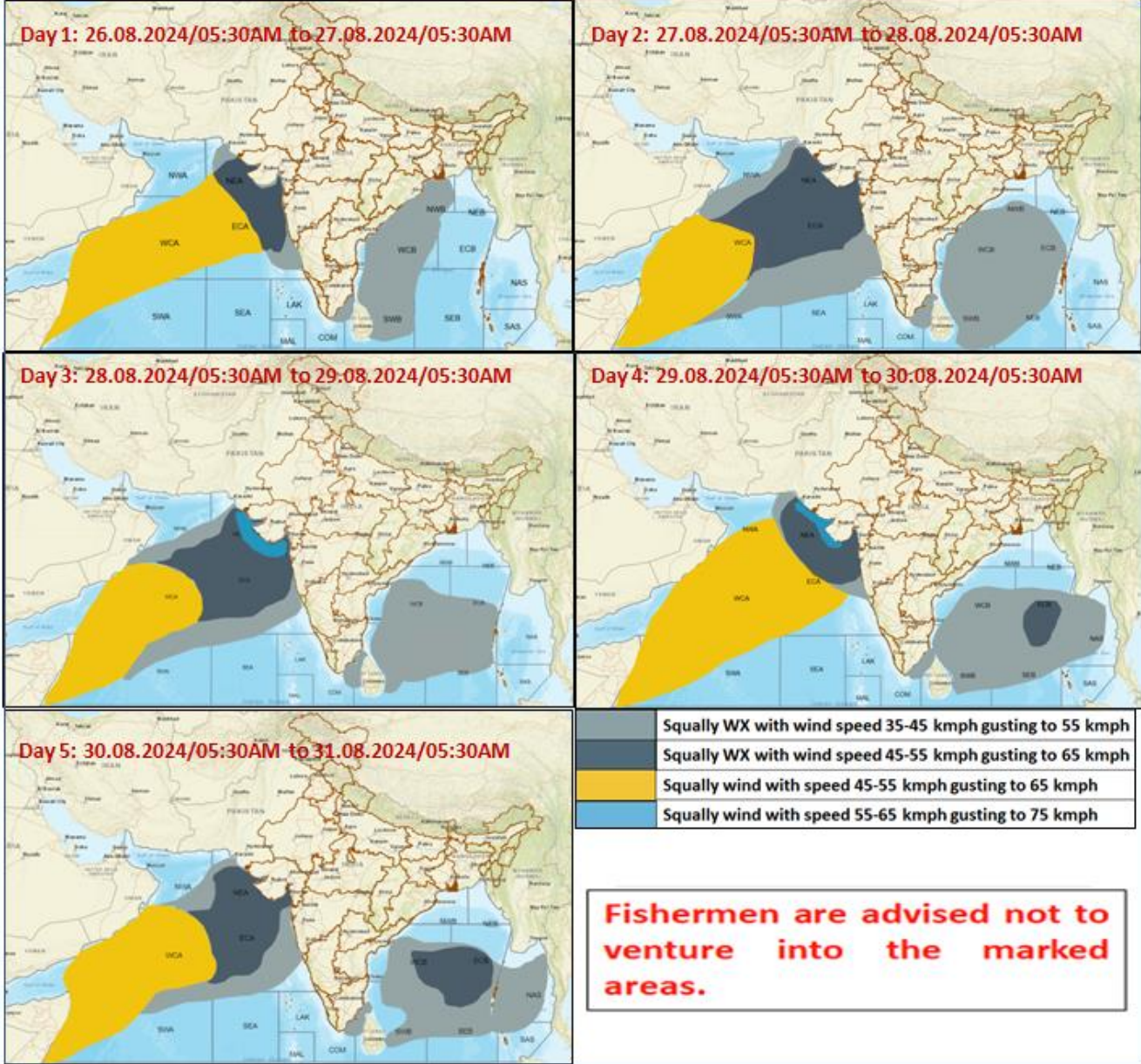


DATE/TIME IN UTC
IST=UTC + 0530

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
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