



**REGIONAL SPECIALISED METEOROLOGICAL CENTRE-TROPICAL CYCLONES, NEW DELHI
TROPICAL CYCLONE ADVISORY NO. 12**

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TROPICAL CYCLONE ADVISORY NO. 10 FOR NORTH INDIAN OCEAN (THE BAY OF BENGAL AND ARABIAN SEA) VALID FOR NEXT 120 HOURS ISSUED AT 1930 UTC OF 30.11.2024 BASED ON 1800 UTC OF 30.11.2024

SUB: CYCLONIC STORM “FENGAL” [PRONOUNCED AS FEINJAL] OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL CROSSED NORTH TAMIL NADU-PUDHUCHERRY COASTS

THE CYCLONIC STORM “FENGAL” [PRONOUNCED AS FEINJAL] OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL MOVED WEST-SOUTHWESTWARDS WITH A SPEED OF 10 KMPH DURING PAST 6 HOURS, CROSSED NORTH TAMIL NADU & PUDUCHERRY COASTS NEAR LATITUDE 12.05°N AND LONGITUDE 79.9°E, CLOSE TO PUDUCHERRY (43331), BETWEEN 1700 UTC AND 1800 UTC OF TODAY, THE 30TH NOVEMBER 2024 AS A CYCLONIC STORM WITH A WIND SPEED OF 70-80 KMPH GUSTING TO 90 KMPH. IT LAY CENTERED AT 1800 UTC OF THE 30TH NOVEMBER 2024 OVER NORTH COASTAL TAMILNADU & PUDUCHERRY NEAR LATITUDE 12.0°N AND LONGITUDE 79.8°E, CLOSE TO PUDUCHERRY.

IT WILL CONTINUE TO MOVE WEST-SOUTHWESTWARDS SLOWLY AND WEAKEN GRADUALLY INTO A DEEP DEPRESSION DURING THE NEXT 3 HOURS. THE SYSTEM IS BEING CONTINUOUSLY MONITORED BY THE DOPPLER WEATHER RADAR AT CHENNAI & KARAIKAL.

ESTIMATED CENTRAL PRESSURE IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE SYSTEM IS 994 HPA AND ASSOCIATED MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED IS 40 KTS GUSTING TO 50 KTS. HIGH TO VERY ROUGH SEA CONDITIONS IS VERY LIKELY TO PREVAIL OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL AND ADJOINING AREAS OF WESTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL, GULF OF MANNAR AND ALONG & OFF TAMIL NADU-PUDUCHERRY, SOUTH ANDHRA PRADESH AND

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NORTH SRI LANKA COASTS TILL 0000 UTC OF 01ST DECEMBER. IT WILL GRADUALLY IMPROVE BECOMING ROUGH FROM 0600 UTC OF 01ST DECEMBER.

AS PER LATEST SATELLITE IMAGERY, INTENSITY OF THE SYSTEM IS CHARACTERIZED AS T2.0/C.I. 2.5. AREA OF INTENSE CONVECTION IS SEEN TO THE NORTHWEST OF SYSTEM AREA. ASSOCIATED SCATTERED TO BROKEN LOW AND MEDIUM CLOUDS WITH EMBEDDED INTENSE TO VERY INTENSE CONVECTION LAY OVER SOUTH & ADJOINING CENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL AND NEIGHBORHOOD BETWEEN LATITUDE 8.0N TO 18.0N AND LONGITUDE 80.0E TO 90.0E WITH MINIMUM CLOUD TOP TEMPERATURE AS MINUS 70-93°C. MODERATE TO INTENSE CONVECTION LAY OVER COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH, TELANGANA, KARNATAKA, CENTRAL TAMILNADU.

PUDUCHERRY REPORTED MEAN SEA LEVEL PRESSURE OF 996.5 HPA AT 1800 UTC OF 30TH NOVEMBER.

FORECAST TRACK AND INTENSITY ARE GIVEN IN THE FOLLOWING TABLE

DATE/ TIME (UTC)	POSITION (LAT. °N/ LONG. °E)	MAXIMUM SUSTAINED SURFACE WIND SPEED (KMPH)	CATEGORY OF CYCLONIC DISTURBANCE
30.11.24/1800	12.0/79.8	65-75 GUSTING TO 85	CYCLONIC STORM
01.12.24/0000	12.0/79.7	55-65 GUSTING TO 75	DEEP DEPRESSION
01.12.24/0600	12.0/79.5	45-55 GUSTING TO 65	DEPRESSION

STORM SURGE WARNING:

STORM SURGE OF ABOUT 0.5 METRE HEIGHT ABOVE THE ASTRONOMICAL TIDE IS LIKELY INUNDATE THE LOW LYING AREAS OF THE COASTAL DISTRICTS OF NORTH TAMIL NADU, PUDUCHERRY AND ADJOINING SOUTH ANDHRA PRADESH DURING NEXT 03 HOURS.

FISHERMAN WARNING:

- TOTAL SUSPENSION OF FISHING OPERATIONS.
- FISHERMEN ARE ADVISED NOT VENTURE INTO SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL ADJOINING AREAS OF WESTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL, GULF OF MANNAR AND ALONG & OFF TAMIL NADU-PUDUCHERRY, SOUTH ANDHRA PRADESH AND EAST SRI LANKA COASTS TILL 01ST DECEMBER.
- FISHERMEN OUT AT SEA ARE ADVISED TO RETURN TO COAST.

REMARKS:

THE SYSTEM IS OVER AN AREA WITH SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE (SST) ABOUT 27°C. THE TOTAL PRECIPITABLE WATER IMAGERY IS INDICATING WARM MOIST AIR AROUND SYSTEM AREA. HOWEVER, COLD DRY AIR INCURSION FROM SOUTHWEST IS REACHING UPTO SOUTHEAST SECTOR. THE TROPICAL CYCLONE HEAT POTENTIAL IS 40-50 KJ/CM² OVER SOUTHWEST & ADJOINING WESTCENTRAL BOB ALONG & OFF SRI LANKA/TAMIL NADU/ ANDHRA PRADESH COASTS

LOW LEVEL POSITIVE CYCLONIC VORTICITY AT 850 HPA LEVEL HAS DECREASED DURING PAST 3 HOURS AND IS AROUND 150X10⁻⁵ S⁻¹ OVER THE SYSTEM AREA WITH VERTICAL EXTENSION UPTO 500 HPA LEVEL. THE AREA OF POSITIVE VORTICITY HAS ALSO DECREASED. THE LOW LEVEL CONVERGENCE IS AROUND 10 X10⁻⁵ S⁻¹ AROUND SYSTEM AREA. UPPER LEVEL DIVERGENCE HAS DECREASED

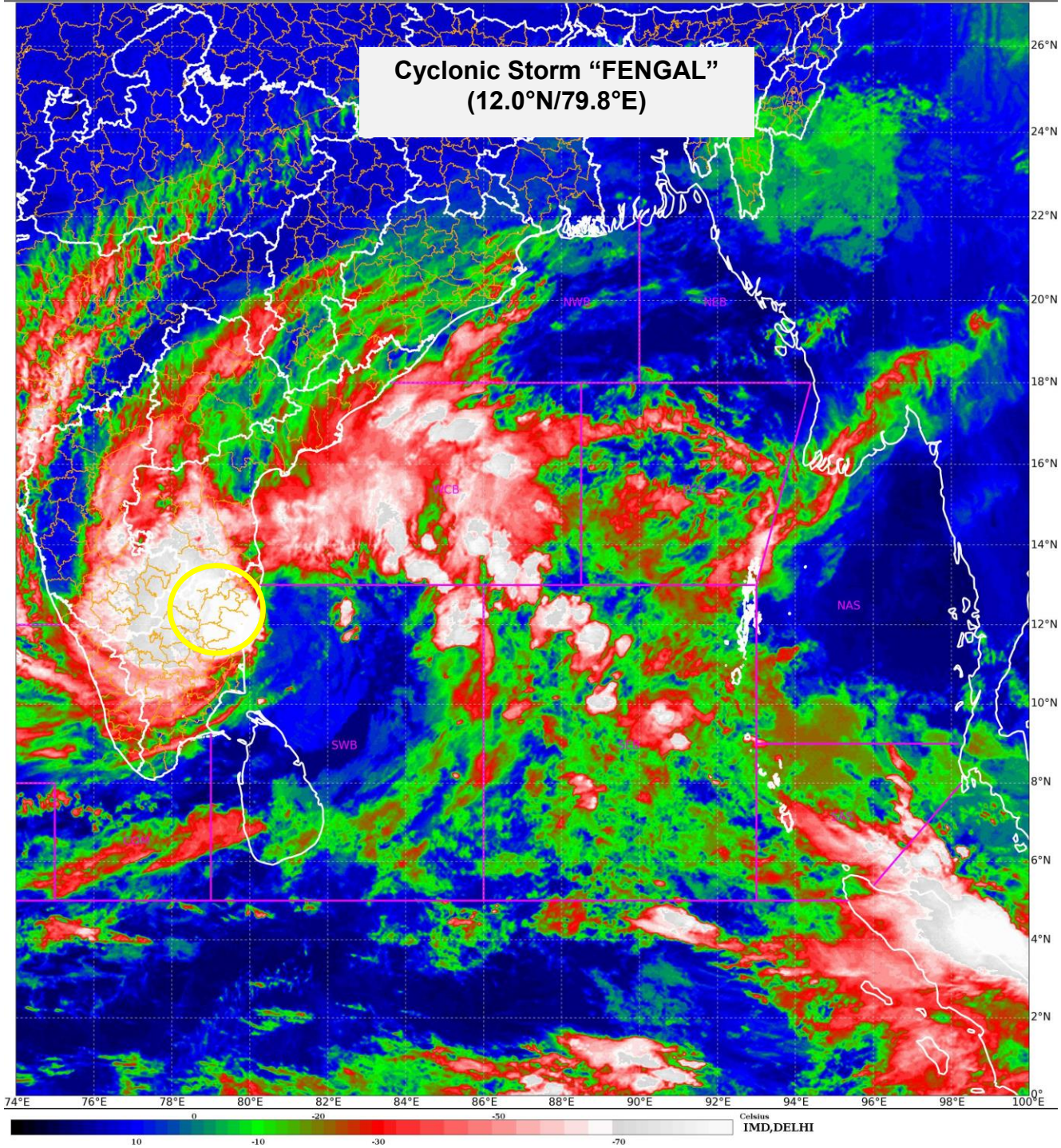
AND IS AROUND $40 \times 10^{-5} \text{ S}^{-1}$ TO THE NORTHEAST OF SYSTEM AREA. VERTICAL WIND SHEAR IS MODERATE (15-20 KT) OVER THE SYSTEM AREA. THE EAST-NORTHEASTERLY WINDS PREVAILING OVER SYSTEM AREA ARE STEERING THE SYSTEM WEST-SOUTHWESTWARDS. THE SYSTEM HAS STARTED WEAKENING DUE TO LAND INTERACTIONS, DECREASE IN VARIOUS FEATURES LIKE LOW LEVEL VORTICITY.

THERE IS CONVERGENCE AMONG VARIOUS MODELS WRT TRACK. HOWEVER, THERE IS LARGE VARIATION AMONG VARIOUS MODELS WRT LANDFALL TIME AND INTENSITY. MOST OF THE MODELS ARE ALSO INDICATING THE SYSTEM TO MOVE VERY SLOW NEAR TO COAST.

HENCE, IT IS INFERRED THAT THE CYCLONIC STORM "FENGAL" OVER NORTH TAMIL NADU-PUDHUCHERRY COASTS WILL CONTINUE TO MOVE WEST-SOUTHWESTWARDS SLOWLY AND WEAKEN GRADUALLY INTO A DEEP DEPRESSION DURING THE NEXT 3 HOURS. THE SYSTEM IS BEING CONTINUOUSLY MONITORED BY THE DOPPLER WEATHER RADAR AT CHENNAI & KARAIKAL.

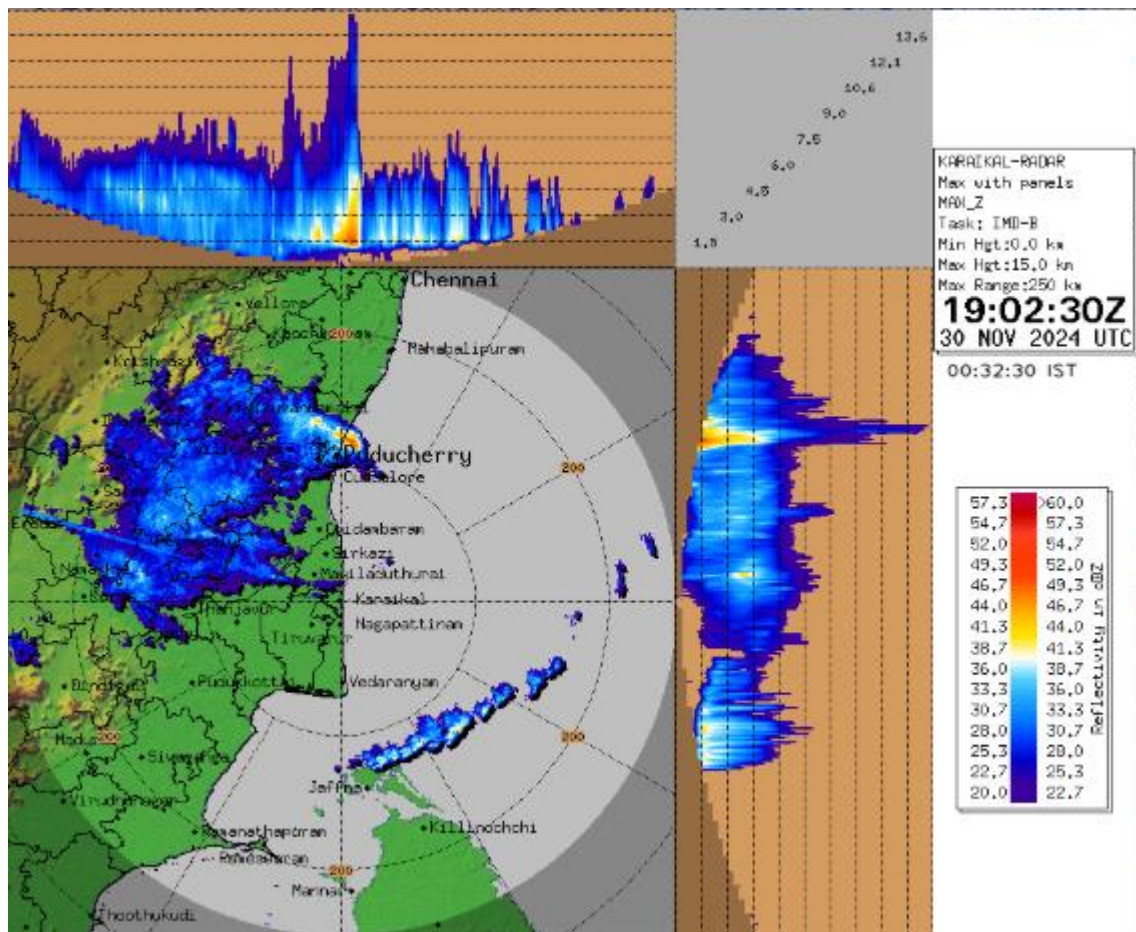
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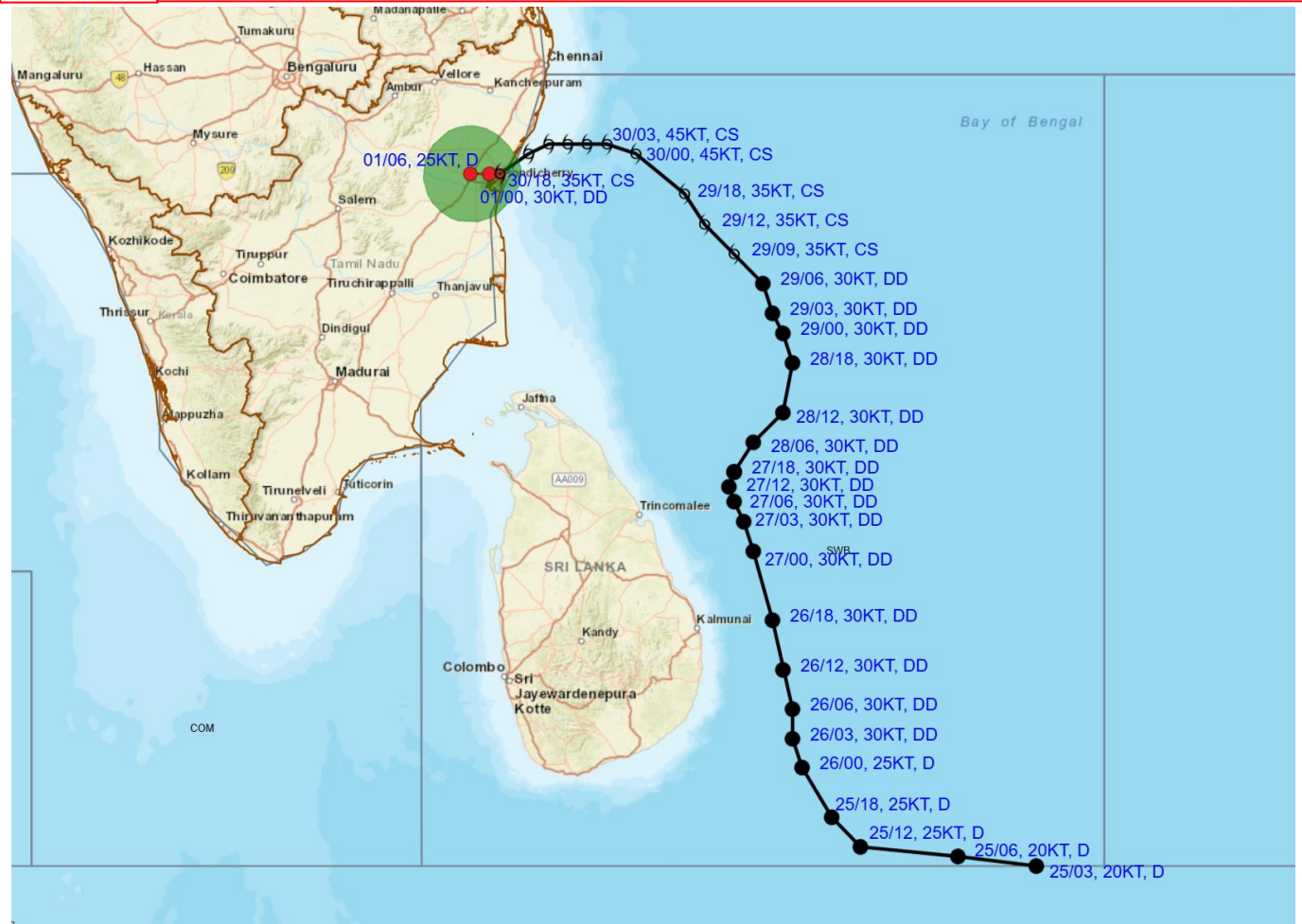
MAXIMUM REFLECTIVITY IMAGERY FROM DOPPLER WEATER RADAR, KARIKAL



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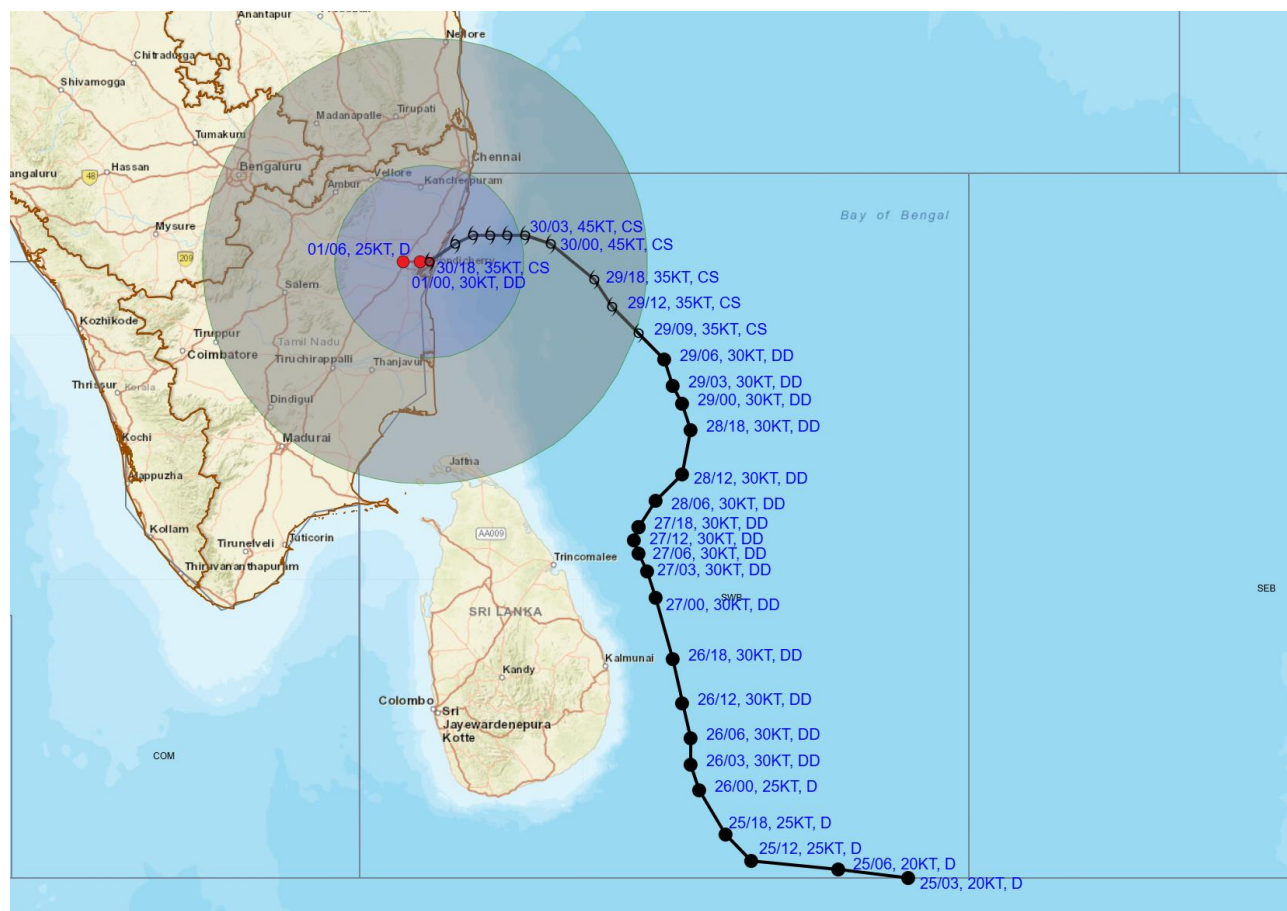
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 OBSERVED TRACK
 FORECAST TRACK
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Forecast	DISTANCE (KM) AND DIRECTION FROM STATIONS		
	MAHABALIPURAM	MO PONDICHERRY	CHENNAI/MINAMB AKKAM
30.11.24/1800	80, SSW	0, NNW	120, SSW
01.12.24/0000	90, SW	10, WNW	120, SSW
01.12.24/0600	100, SW	30, W	130, SW

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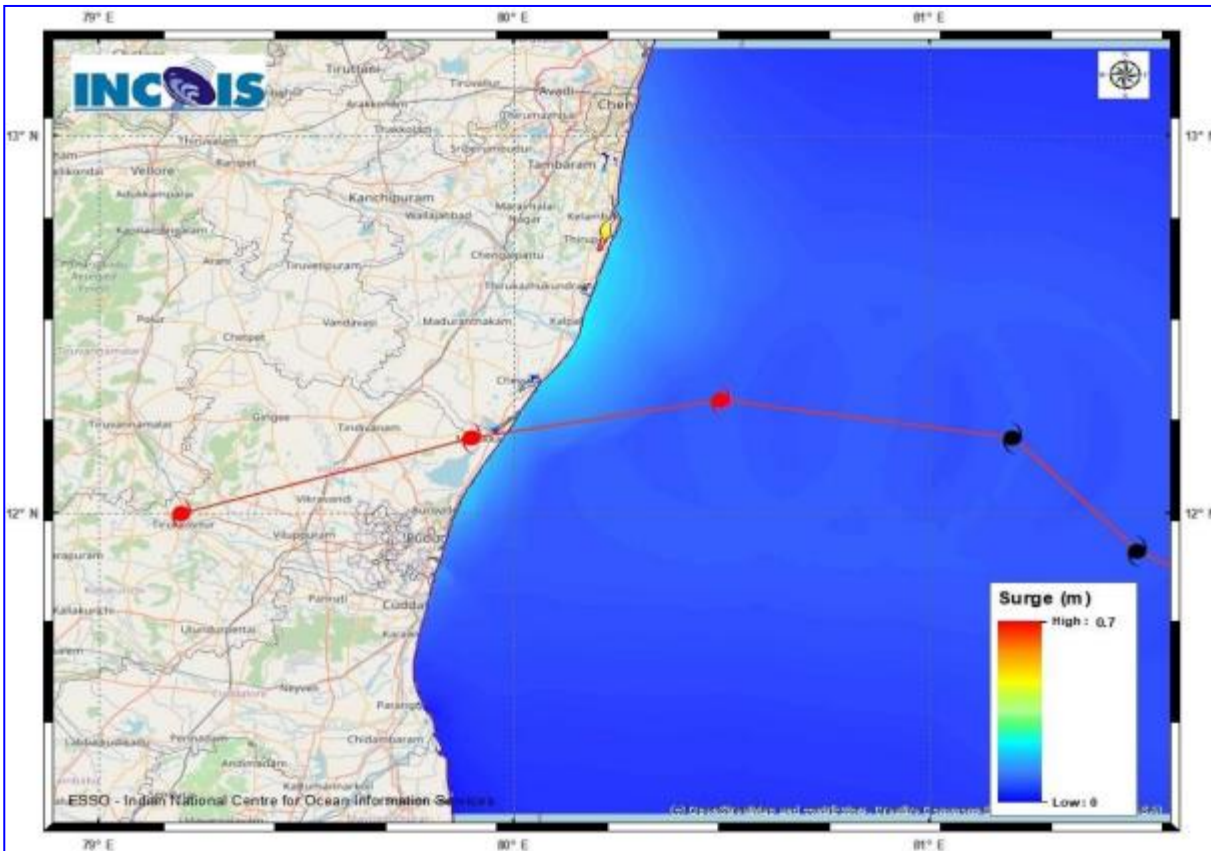
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 ⊕ CONE OF UNCERTAINTY
 AREA OF MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED:
 ■ 28-33 KT (52-61 KMPH)
 ■ 34-49 KT (62-91 KMPH)
 ■ 50-63 KT (92-117 KMPH)
 ■ ≥ 64 KT (≥118 KMPH)

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

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Storm Surge Guidance



STORM SURGE HEIGHT INFORMATION:

* The below listed surge heights are over and above astronomical tide.

MANDAL/ TALUK	DISTRICT	STATE / UNION TERRITORY	NEAREST PLACE OF HABITATION	STORM SURGE (m)*	EXPECTED INUNDATION EXTENT (km)
Chengalpattu	Kancheepuram	Tamil Nadu	Muthukadu	0.2-0.7	Upto 0.13

Fishermen Warning Graphics

