





REGIONAL SPECIALISED METEOROLOGICAL CENTRE-TROPICAL CYCLONES, NEW DELHI TROPICAL CYCLONE ADVISORY NO. 08

**DEMS-RSMCSPECIAL TROPICAL CYCLONES NEW DELHI DATED 30.11.2024** FROM: RSMC -TROPICAL CYCLONES, NEW DELHI TO: STORM WARNING CENTRE, NAYPYI TAW (MYANMAR) **STORM WARNING CENTRE, BANGKOK (THAILAND) STORM WARNING CENTRE, COLOMBO (SRILANKA)** STORM WARNING CENTRE, DHAKA (BANGLADESH) **STORM WARNING CENTRE, KARACHI (PAKISTAN)** METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE. MALE (MALDIVES) OMAN METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT. **MUSCAT (THROUGH RTH JEDDAH)** YEMEN METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES, **REPUBLIC OF YEMEN (THROUGH RTH JEDDAH)** NATIONAL CENTRE FOR METEOROLOGY. UAE (THROUGH RTH JEDDAH) PRESIDENCY OF METEOROLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT, SAUDI ARABIA (THROUGH RTH JEDDAH) **IRAN METEOROLOGICAL ORGANISATION, (THROUGH RTH JEDDAH) QATAR METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT (THROUGH RTH JEDDAH)** 

TROPICAL CYCLONE ADVISORY NO. 08 FOR NORTH INDIAN OCEAN (THE BAY OF BENGAL AND ARABIAN SEA) VALID FOR NEXT 120 HOURS ISSUED AT 0900 UTC OF 30.11.2024 BASED ON 0600 UTC OF 30.11.2024

SUB: CYCLONIC STORM "FENGAL" [PRONOUNCED AS FEINJAL] OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF *BENGAL* 

THE CYCLONIC STORM "FENGAL" [PRONOUNCED AS FEINJAL] OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL MOVED WEST-NORTHWESTWARDS WITH A SPEED OF 10 KMPH DURING PAST 6 HOURS AND LAY CENTRED AT 0600 UTC OF TODAY, THE 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2024 OVER THE SAME REGION NEAR LATITUDE 12.3°N AND LONGITUDE 80.7°E, ABOUT 100 KM EAST-NORTHEAST OF PUDUCHERRY (43331), 100 KM SOUTHEAST OF CHENNAI (43279), 190 KM NORTH-NORTHEAST OF NAGAPPATTINAM (43347) AND 420 KM NORTH OF TRINCOMALEE (43418).

IT IS LIKELY TO MOVE NEARLY WESTWARDS AND CROSS NORTH TAMIL NADU-PUDUCHERRY COASTS BETWEEN KARAIKAL AND MAHABALIPURAM CLOSE TO PUDUCHERRY AS A CYCLONIC STORM WITH A WIND SPEED OF 70-80 KMPH GUSTING TO 90 KMPH DURING EVENING OF 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER. THERE IS POSSIBILITY OF SLOW MOVEMENT OF THE SYSTEM WHILE APPROACHING THE COASTS.

THE SYSTEM IS BEING CONTINUOUSLY MONITORED BY THE DOPPLER WEATHER RADAR AT CHENNAI.

ESTIMATED CENTRAL PRESSURE IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE SYSTEM IS 994 HPA AND ASSOCIATED MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WIND SPEED IS 45 KTS GUSTING TO 55 KTS. VERY ROUGH TO HIGH SEA CONDITIONS IS VERY LIKELY 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 EAST SRI LANKA COASTS TILL 1200 UTC OF 30TH NOVEMBER. IT WILL GRADUALLY IMPROVE BECOMING VERY ROUGH TO ROUGH TILL 1800 UTC OF 30TH NOVEMBER.

AS PER LATEST SATELLITE IMAGERY, INTENSITY OF THE SYSTEM IS CHARACTERIZED AS T3.0. CLOUDS ARE ORGANISED IN IRREGULAR CDO PATTERN. 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 80-93°C.

CHENNAI REPORTED MEAN SEA LEVEL PRESSURE OF 995.3 HPA AT 30/0600 UTC. FORECAST TRACK AND INTENSITY ARE GIVEN IN THE FOLLOWING TABLE

DATE/ TIME (UTC)	POSITION (LAT. <sup>0</sup> N/ LONG. <sup>0</sup> E)	MAXIMUM SUSTAINED SURFACE WIND SPEED (KMPH)	CATEGORY OF CYCLONIC DISTURBANCE
30.11.24/0600	12.3/80.7	75-85 gusting to 95	Cyclonic Storm
30.11.24/1200	12.2/80.1	70-80 gusting to 90	Cyclonic Storm
30.11.24/1800	12.1/79.8	55-65 gusting to 75	Deep Depression
01.12.24/0000	12.0/79.5	50-60 gusting to 70	Deep Depression

### **STORM SURGE WARNING:**

STORM SURGE OF ABOUT 1 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 THE TIME OF LANDFALL.

### 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 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMEBR.
- FISHERMEN OUT AT SEA ARE ADVISED TO RETURN TO COAST.

### **REMARKS:**

THE SYSTEM IS OVER AN AREA WITH SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE (SST) ABOUT 27<sup>0</sup>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/CM<sup>2</sup> OVER SOUTHWEST & ADJOINING WESTCENTRAL

BOB ALONG & OFF SRI LANKA/TAMIL NADU/ ANDHRA PRADESH COASTS

MADDEN JULIAN OSCILLATION (MJO) IS IN PHASE 5 WITH AMPLITUDE MORE THAN 1 AND WOULD MOVE ACROSS PHASE 5 DURING NEXT 5 DAYS. PRESENCE OF EQUATORIAL ROSSBY WAVES OVER SOUTH BOB, MJO, STRONG WESTERLY WIND ANOMALY OVER SOUTH BOB AND EASTERLY WIND ANOMALY TO ITS NORTH OVER SOUTH & ADJOINING CENTRAL BOB DURING 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER TO 1<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER, INDICATE A FAVOURABLE ENVIRONMENT FOR MAINTENANCE OF INTENSITY OF THE SYSTEM.

LOW LEVEL POSITIVE CYCLONIC VORTICITY AT 850 HPA LEVEL IS THE SAME DURING PAST 3 HOURS AND IS AROUND  $200\times10^{-5}$  S<sup>-1</sup> OVER THE SYSTEM AREA WITH VERTICAL EXTENSION UPTO 200 HPA LEVEL AND NO TILTING. THE LOW LEVEL CONVERGENCE IS 30  $\times10^{-5}$  S<sup>-1</sup> TO THE SOUTHEAST AND ANOTHER ZONE OF 10-15  $\times10^{-5}$  S<sup>-1</sup> TO THE NORTHWEST OF SYSTEM AREA. UPPER LEVEL DIVERGENCE IS AROUND  $30\times10^{-5}$  S<sup>-1</sup> AND IS NORTH-SOUTH ORIENTED. IT IS ALSO INDICATING EQUATORWARD OUTFLOW. VERTICAL WIND SHEAR IS LOW TO MODERATE (10-15 KT) OVER THE SYSTEM AREA. THE SYSTEM IS STEERED WEST-NORTHWESTWARDS UNDER THE INFLLUENCE OF EAST-SOUTHEASTERLY WINDS PREVAILINING IN THE WESTERN PERIPHERY OF ANTICYCLONIC CIRCULATION OVER EASTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL.

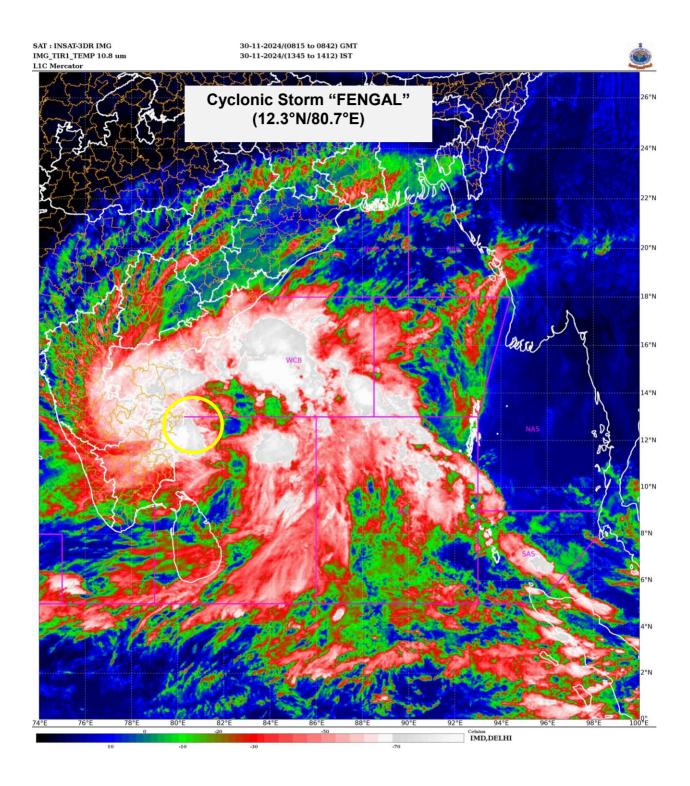
VARIOUS ENVIRONMENTAL FEATURES ARE INDICATING FAVOURABLE ENVIRONMENT (HIGH SST, LOW WIND SHEAR, CONVERGENCE, DIVERGENCE AND POSITIVE VORTICITY, MJO & EQUATORIAL WAVES) FOR MAINTENANCE OF INTENSITY OF THE SYSTEM.

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

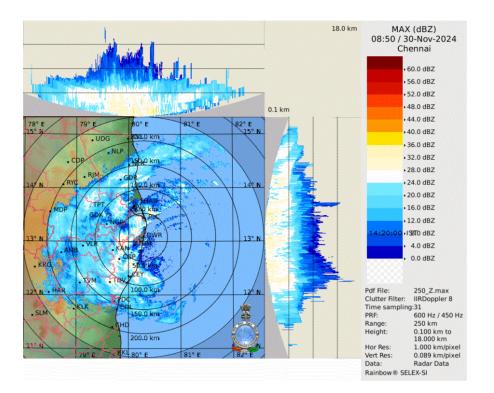
HENCE, IT IS INFERRED THAT THE CYCLONIC STORM "FENGAL" OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL IS LIKELY TO MOVE NEARLY WESTWARDS AND CROSS NORTH TAMIL NADU-PUDUCHERRY COASTS BETWEEN KARAIKAL AND MAHABALIPURAM CLOSE TO PUDUCHERRY AS A CYCLONIC STORM WITH A WIND SPEED OF 70-80 KMPH GUSTING TO 90 KMPH AROUND 1200 UTC OF 30TH NOVEMBER. THERE IS POSSIBILITY OF SLOW MOVEMENT OF THE SYSTEM WHILE APPROACHING THE COASTS.

## NEXT BULLETIN WILL BE ISSUED AT 1200 UTC OF 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2024.

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### MAXIMUM REFLECTIVITY IMAGERY FROM DOPPLER WEATER RADAR, CHENNAI





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30.11.24/1200

30.11.24/1800

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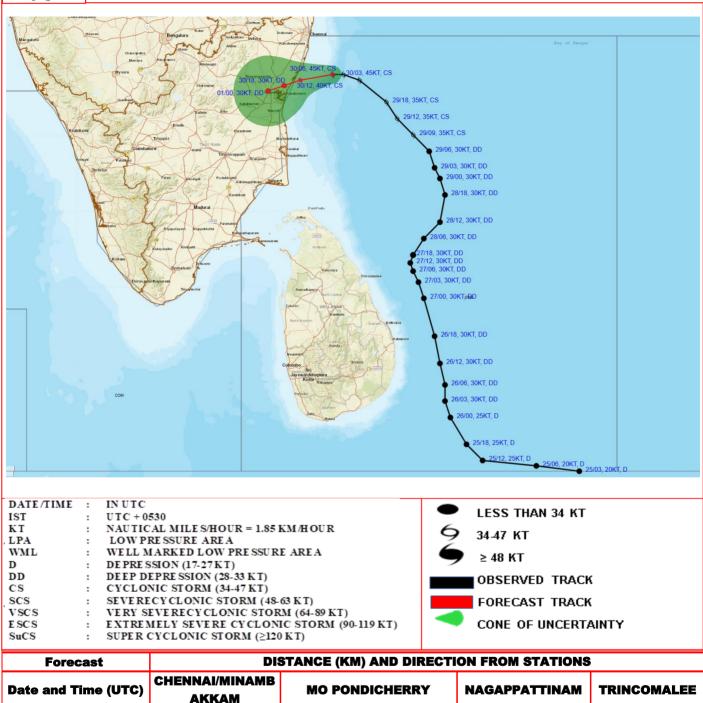
100, SE

90, S

110, SSW

130, SW

# OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONG WITH CONE OF UNCERTAINITY OF CYCLONIC STORM "FENGAL" OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 0600 UTC (1130 HRS. IST) OF 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2024.



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% This is a guidance Bulletin for WMO/ESCAP Panel Member countries. Visit respective National websites for Country specific Bulletins

100, ENE

40, NE

10. N

30, W

**190, NNE** 

160, N

150. N

140. NNW

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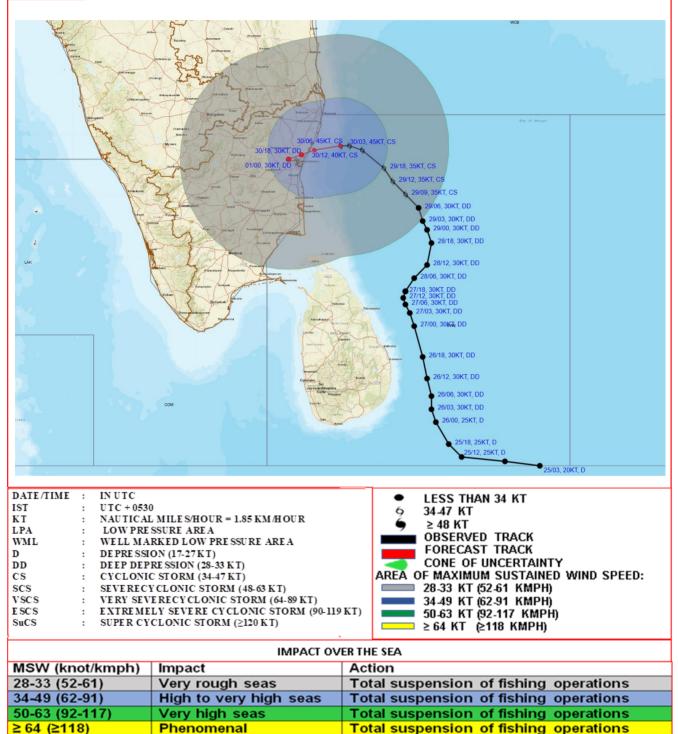
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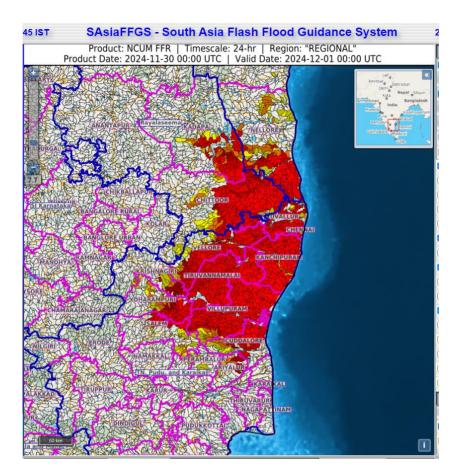
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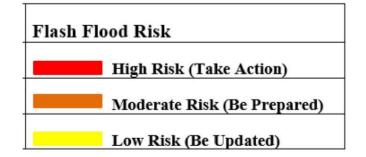


OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK ALONGWITH QUADRANT WIND DISTRIBUTION OF CYCLONIC STORM "FENGAL" OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL BASED ON 0600 UTC (1130 HRS. IST) OF 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER. 2024.

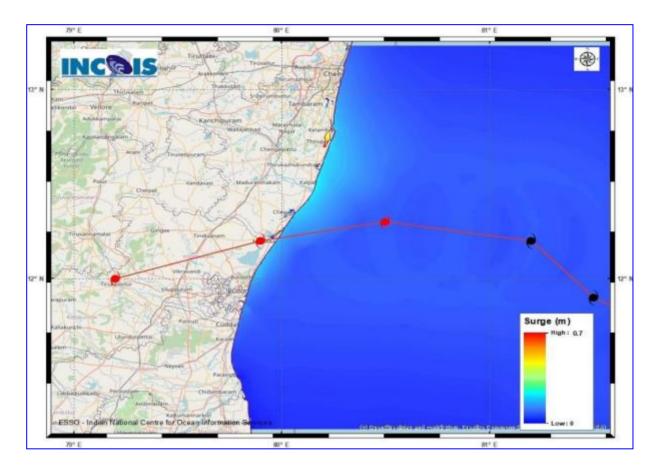


# **Flash Flood Guidance**





#### Storm Surge Guidance



#### STORM SURGE HEIGHT INFORMATION:

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

MANDAL/ TALUK	DISTRICT			STORM SURGE (m)*	EXPECTED INUNDATION EXTENT (km)
Chengalpattu	Kancheepuram	Tamil Nadu	Muthukadu	0.2-0.7	Upto 0.13





