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FDP (Cyclone) NOC Report Dated 22nd November, 2021

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Synoptic features (based on 0900 UTC analysis):

- Yesterday's well marked low pressure area over eastcentral Arabian Sea (AS) moved gradually west-southwestwards and lay over southeast & adjoining eastcentral AS at 0000 UTC of today, the 22nd November. Moving further west-southwestwards, it lay over westcentral and adjoining southwest AS at 0300 UTC. It persisted over the same region at 0900 UTC of today. It is likely to move further west-southwestwards during next 2 days and weaken gradually thereafter.
- A trough persists from the cyclonic circulation associated with the Well Marked Low Pressure area over Westcentral & adjoining Southwest Arabian Sea to north Maharashtra coast extending upto 1.5 km above mean sea level.
- Yesterday's cyclonic circulation over south Andaman Sea & neighbourhood lay over southeast Bay of Bengal (BoB) at 0300 UTC of today, the 22nd November. Vertically, it extended upto 5.8 km above mean sea level. It persisted over the same region at 0900 UTC of today.
- Another trough persists from the cyclonic circulation over southeast BoB & neighbourhood to Tamilnadu coast extending upto 3.1 km above mean sea level.

Parameter	Bay of Bengal (BoB)	Arabian Sea (AS)		
Sea Surface	29-31°C over entire BoB region.	28-29°C over eastern parts of AS.		
Temperature (SST)		26-27°C over western parts of AS		
٥C		off Somalia, Yemen & Oman		
		coasts.		
Tropical Cyclone	TropicalCyclone (a) 50-60 over southwest BoB,(a) 50-60			
Heat Potential	(b) 60-80 over major parts of	f central & north AS		
(TCHP) kJ/cm ²	central & north BoB	(b) 60-80 over south AS.		
	(c) 100-120 over eastern	(c) It is less than 50 over western		
	equatorial Indian Ocean and	parts of AS.		
	adjoining south Andaman Sea			
	& southeast BoB.			
Cyclonic Relative	40-50 over southwest BoB with	100 over to the southwest of		
vorticity (X10 ⁻⁶ s ⁻¹)	vertical extension upto 500 hPa	vortex with vertical extension		
	level.	upto 500 hPa level and oriented		
		northeast to southwest.		
		30-40 over Comorin area.		
Low Level	05-10 over southwest BoB	Small zone of 05 over eastcentral		
convergence (X10 ⁻ AS to the north of vortex. And				

Dynamical and thermo-dynamical features

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⁵ s ⁻¹)		zone of 05 over southwest AS to		
		the southwest of system centre		
		Another zone of 05 over		
		southeast AS off Kerala coast.		
Upper Level	30 over southwest BoB.	A large extended zone 20 to the		
divergence (X10 ⁻⁵		southwest of vortex.		
s ⁻¹)				
Vertical Wind	Moderate (15-20) over major	Moderate (15-20 kt) over the		
Shear (VWS knots)	parts of BoB and Andaman Sea.	vortex area and also along the		
	High to the south of 6 ⁰ N. expected track over south			
		and adjoining eastcentral AS.		
Wind Shear	Decreasing over major parts of	Decreasing over the vortex area		
Tendency (knots)	south BoB and Andaman Sea.	and also along the expected		
		track of system.		
Upper	Along 19.5°N.	Along 18.0°N.		
tropospheric				
Ridge				

Satellite observations based on INSAT imagery (0600 UTC):

(a) Associated with well marked low pressure area over eastcentral Arabian Sea

At 0900 UTC, the vortex over westcentral and adjoining southwest AS is characterized with intensity of T 1.0 and is centred near 13.1N and 64.8 E. Scattered low & medium clouds with embedded intense to very intense convection lay over southwest & adjoining westcentral AS between latitude 10.0N & 15.0N and longitude 60.0E & 65.0E. Minimum cloud top temperature is minus 88^oC at 0900 UTC.

(b) Associated with convection over central parts of south Bay of Bengal

At 0900 UTC, convection persisted over southwest BoB and neighbourhood during last 6 hours. Minimum cloud top temperature is minus 840C at 0900 UTC.

(c) Associated with convection over Bay of Bengal

At 0900 UTC, scattered to broken low & medium clouds with embedded intense to very intense convection lay over southwest & adjoining southeast BoB. Scattered to broken low & medium clouds with embedded isolated weak to moderate convection lay over rest southeast Bob and Andaman Sea.

(d) Associated with convection over Arabian Sea

At 0900 UTC, scattered low & medium clouds with embedded intense to very intense convection lay over westcentral & adjoining southwest AS between latitude 9.0N & 19.0N and longitude 55.0E & 680.0E.

M.J.O. Index:

MJO index is currently in Phase 4 with amplitude close to 1. It will move in phase 3 and 4 with amplitude close to 1 during next next 7 days.

Storms and Depression over South China Sea/ South Indian Ocean:

Tropical Storm "PADDY" is located near 13.3⁰S/108.2⁰E with associated maximum sustained wind speed of 35 kts.

NWP Input for FDP Cyclone based on 0000 UTC for the next 7 days

Model	ВоВ	AS			
IMD-GFS	No cyclogenesis is indicated over the				
	BoB region during next 7 days.	pressure area over central			
	However, IMD GFS is indicating an	parts of AS with west-			
	LPA over southeast BoB on 22 nd with	southwestwards movement			
	gradual westwards movement towards	becoming less marked on 25 th			
	southwest BoB off sriLanka coast till				
	25 th . Thereafter, extended low is seen	extended low pressure area is			

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	over southwest BoB and adjoining north SriLanka & TamilNadu during 26 th to 28 th .	seen over southeast AS on 29 th .		
IMD-GEFS	AN LPA over southwest BoB on 22 nd with gradual westwards movement towards southwest BoB off Sri lanka coast till 25 th . Seen as an extended low pressure area over southwest BoB and adjoining Sri lanka and TamilNadu during 26 th to 27 th .	It is indicating LPA over westcentral AS on 22 nd becoming less marked on 23 rd .		
IMD-WRF	An LPA over southeast BoB on 22 nd , becoming less marked on 23 rd & 24 th and again seen as an LPA over southwest BoB off Sri lanka coast on 25 th .	Indicates a WML over eastcentral AS on 22 nd , LPA over westcentral AS on 23 rd , becoming less marked on 24 th .		
NCMRWF-NCUM	A cyclonic circulation over southeast BoB and adjoining on 22 nd moving west-northwestwards towards Sri Lanka till 25 th . Therafter weak circulation persisting over southwest BoB and adjoining SriLanka and southern Peninsular region during 26 th to 29 th .	Indicates a WML over westcentral AS on 22 nd with west southwestwards movement towards southwest AS till 24 th and becoming less marked thereafter.		
NCMRWF-NEPS	Indicating extended low pressure area over southwest BoB moving gradually westwards towards southwest BoB off Sri Lanka till 26 th .	Indicating similar trends in movement of system as other models. However, this model is also indicating slight intensification during 23 rd to 25 th over southwest AS. Further, it is also indicating system to reach Somalia coast on 26 th as an LPA. Becoming less marked thereafter.		
NCMRWF-UM (Regional)	Extended low pressure area over southwest BoB and adjoining Sri Lanka and southern Peninsular region during 24 th to 27 th .	Indicates a WML over eastcentral AS on 22 nd with west southwestwards movement towards westcentral AS till 23 rd and becoming less marked thereafter.		
ECMWF	Indicates Cyclonic Circulation/LPA over southeast BoB on 22 ^{nd,} southwest BoB on 23 rd , close to Sri Lanka on 24 th with overall west-northwestwards movement.	Indicates WML over east- central AS on 22 nd with west- southwestward movement and gradual weakening from 23 rd onwards becoming insignificant on 26 th .		
ECMWF-EPS	70-80 % probability of cyclogenesis over southwest BoB during 25 th to 27 th .	70-80 % probability of cyclogenesis over westcentral and adjoining southwest BoB during 22 nd to 25 th		
NCEP-GFS	No significant cyclogenesis zone over BoB	Similar trends as IMD GFS.		
IMD-GPP	A feeble potential zone over southwest BoB off Tamil Nadu coast on 27 th & 28 th .	No significant potential zone for cyclogenesis over AS during next 7 days.		

GPP- Genesis Potential Parameter based on Dynamical Statistical model developed by IMD.

Summary and Conclusion:

- For the Bay of Bengal: Majority of the models indicate no cyclogenesis during next seven days. However, most of the models are indicating development of low pressure area over southeast BoB from 22nd onwards with subsequent west-northwestwards movement towards North SriLanka coast and no significant intensification.
- 2. For the Arabian Sea: Most of models indicate that the well marked low pressure area would move west-southwestwards for next 2 days towards southwest AS and become less marked thereafter.

It may thus be concluded that,

- 1. No cyclogenesis is expected over the BoB and AS region during next 7 days.
- 2. The Well Marked Low Pressure Area over westcentral and adjoining southwest Arabian Sea would move west-southwestwards for next 2 days and weaken gradually. The movement and intensification of the system is being continuously monitored.
- 3. The movement and intensification of cyclonic circulation over southeast BoB is being monitored.

Probability of cyclogenesis (formation of depression and above intensity systems) over the Bay of Bengal and Andaman Sea during next 168 hours:

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

Probability of cyclogenesis (formation of depression and above intensity systems) over the Arabian Sea during next 168 hours:

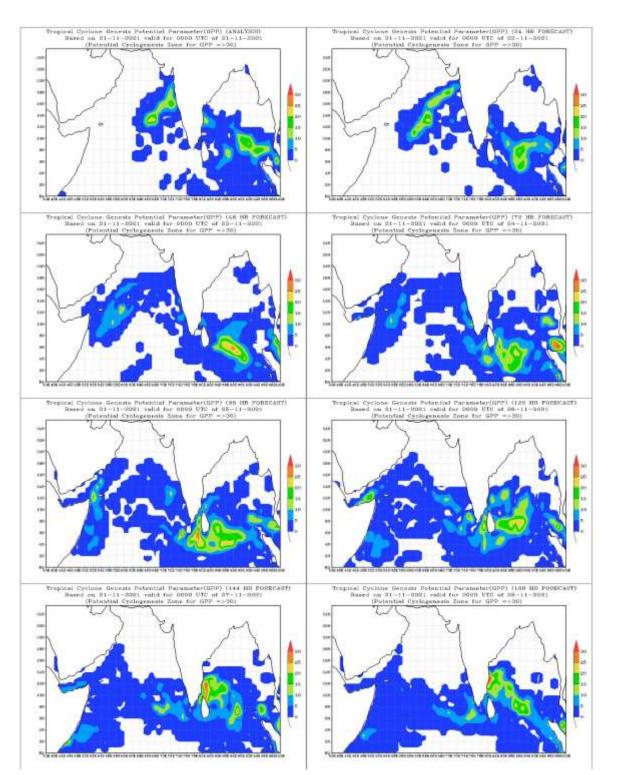
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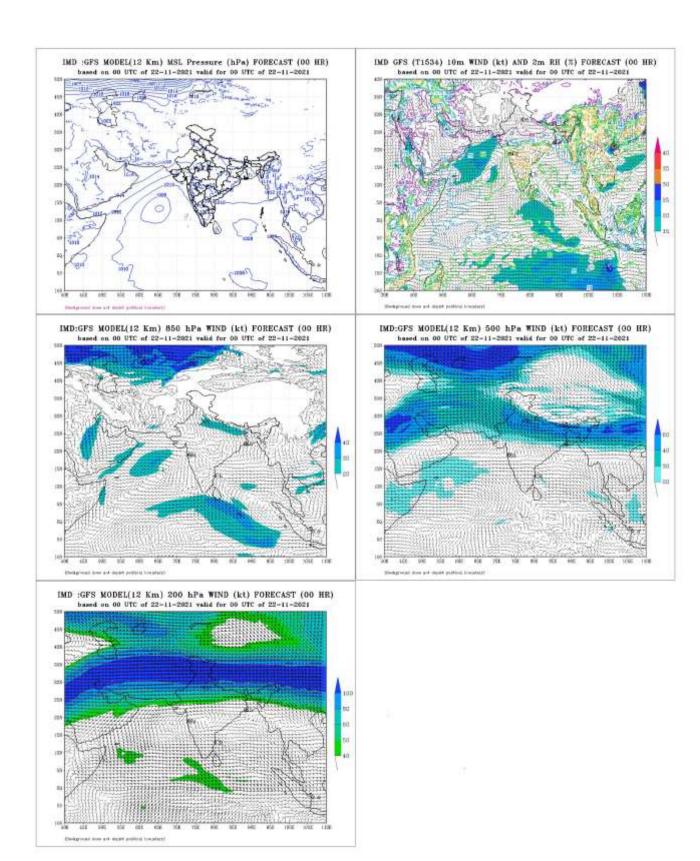
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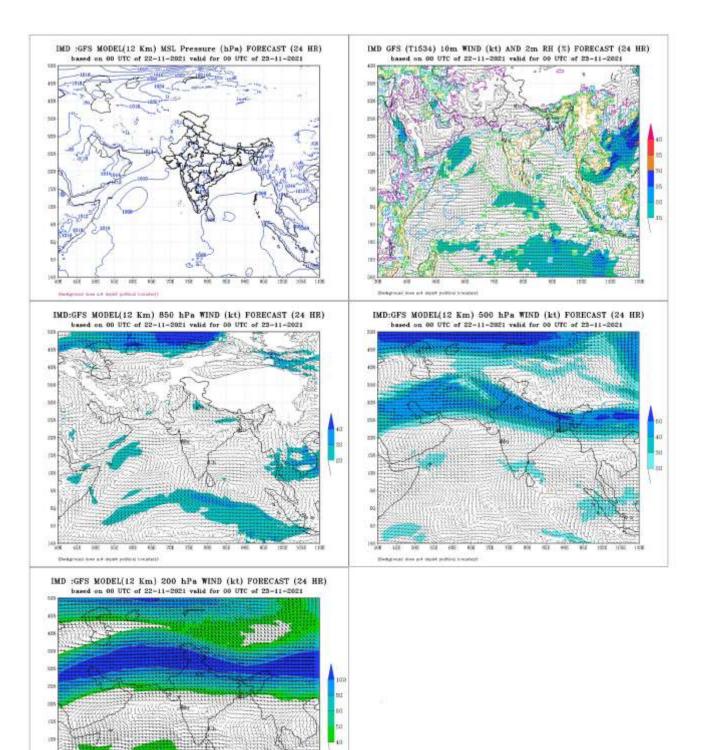
- 1. The Well Marked Low Pressure Area over westcentral and adjoining southwest Arabian Sea would move west-southwestwards for next 2 days and weaken gradually. Continuous monitoring of the movement and intensification of the system required.
- 2. Continuous monitoring of the movement and intensification of cyclonic circulation over southeast BoB is required.

No IOP is suggested for next 24 hours.

Annexure

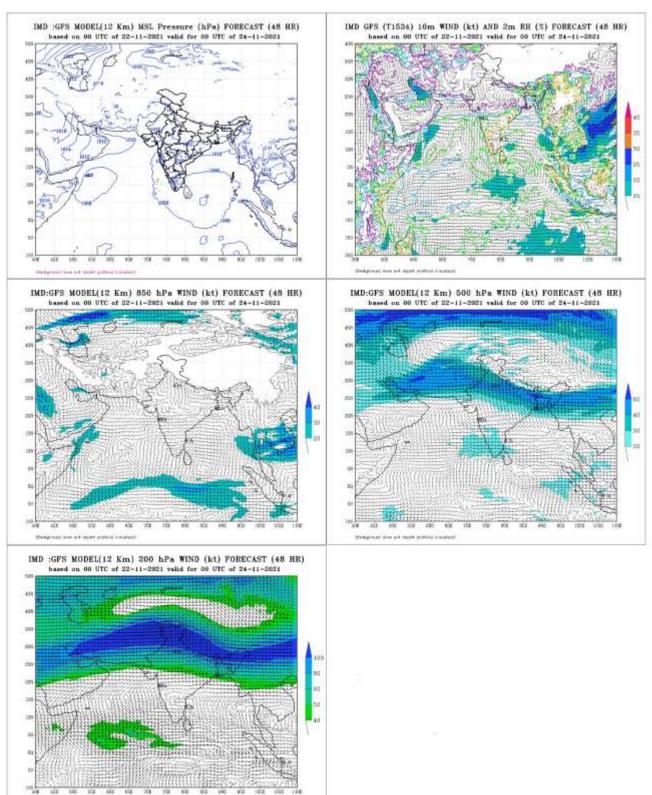






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