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HIGH SEA FORECAST FOR MET. AREA VIII (N)

AREA OF COVERAGE: AREA OF THE INDIAN OCEAN ENCLOSED BY LINES FROM THE INDO-PAKISTAN FRONTIER AT 23°45'N 68 DEG E TO 12 DEG N 6 DEG E, THENCE TO CAPE GARDAFUI; THE EAST AFRICAN COAST SOUTH TO THE EQUATOR, THENCE TO 95 DEG E, TO 6 DEG N, THENCE NORTHEASTWARDS TO MYANMAR/THAIL FRONTIER IN 10 DEG N 98 DEG 30'E NORTHWARDS COVERING ENTIRE BAY OF BENGAL.

VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 4TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 06TH JANUARY 2024.

PART-I NO STORM WARNING

PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 1200 UTC:

THE CYCLONIC CIRCULATION OVER SOUTHEAST ARABIAN SEA AND ADJOINING LAKSHADWEEP AREA EXTENDING UPTO 3.1 KM ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL PERSISTS.

THE SOUTHWEST-NORTHEAST ORIENTED TROUGH FROM CYCLONIC CIRCULATION OVER SOUTHEAST ARABIAN SEA AND ADJOINING LAKSHADWEEP AREA TO SOUTH KARNATAKA EXTENDING UPTO 1.5 KM ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL PERSISTS.

AREA: ARB A1 (ARABIAN SEA)-EQUATOR TO 10 DEG. N W OF 80 DEG.E (.)

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 04TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION SPEED: 1) W OF 65 DEG E: NE/N-LY 15/20 KTS.
2) E OF 65 DEG E TO 74 DEG E: CYCLONIC 15/25 AT 9 DEG N AND 72 DEG E.
3) E OF 74 DEG E AND N OF 5 DEG N :SE-LY 10/15 KTS .
- 4) REST AREA :N-LY 05/10 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: 1) E OF 60 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: SCATTERED RA/TS.
- III) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 60 DEG E: 3-2 NM.
2) REST AREA: 6-4 NM.
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 MTR.

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 06TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: NE/N-LY 10/20 KTS.
2) E OF 60 DEG E TO 75 DEG E: NE/N-LY 10/25 KTS BEC NW-LY 05/10 KTS TO THE S OF 5 DEG N.
- 3) REST AREA: NE/N-LY 05/10 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: 1) E OF 52 DEG E: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- III) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 52 DEG E: 4-3 NM.
2) REST AREA: 10-8 NM.
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.5-2.5 MTR.

ARB A2-ARABIAN SEA: -23 DEG 45 MIN N 68 DEG E TO 12 DEG N 63 DEG E TO CAPE GARDAFUI TO N OF 10 DEG N (.)

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 04TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION SPEED: N/NE-LY 10/15 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: 1) S OF 14 DEG N TO THE E OF 69 DEG E: SCATTERED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- III) VISIBILITY: 1) S OF 14 DEG N TO THE E OF 69 DEG E: 6-4 NM.
2) REST AREA: 10-8 NM.
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-2.0 MTR.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 06TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION SPEED: N/NE-LY 10/15 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: ISOLATED RA/TS.
- III) VISIBILITY: 8-6 NM.
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-2.0 MTR.

BOB A3-BAY OF BENGAL: EQUATOR TO 10 DEG N BETWEEN E OF 80 DEG E WEST OF 10 DEG N/98 DEG 30 MIN E TO 6 DEG N/95 DEG E THENCE S-WARDS TO EQUATOR (.)

BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 04TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION SPEED: NE/E-LY 10/15 KTS BEC CYCLONIC 05/10 KTS AT 86 DEG E AND 3 DEG N.
- II) WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
- III) VISIBILITY: 3-2 NM.
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 MTR.

BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 06TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION SPEED: NE/E-LY 10/15 KTS BEC CYCLONIC 05/10 KTS AT 86 DEG E AND 3 DEG N.
- II) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
- III) VISIBILITY: 4-3 NM
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 MTR.

BOB: A4: BAY OF BENGAL N OF 10 DEG N E OF 80 DEG E (.)

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 04TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: N/NE-LY 10/15 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: 1) S OF 13 DEG N: SCATTERED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- III) VISIBILITY: 1) S OF 13 DEG N: 6-4 NM.
2) REST AREA: 10-8 NM.
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-1.5 MTR.

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 05TH JANUARY 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 06TH JANUARY 2024.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: N/NE-LY 10/20 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: 1) S OF 15 DEG N AND W OF 90 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- III) VISIBILITY: 1) S OF 15 DEG N AND W OF 90 DEG E: 3-2 NM.
2) REST AREA: 10-8.
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-1.5 MTR.

ADVISORY: PLEASE BE AWARE. WIND WAVE FORECASTS ARE AVERAGES. WIND GUSTS CAN BE 40 PER CENT STRONGER THAN THE FORECAST. MAXIMUM WAVE HEIGHT CAN BE TWICE THE FORECAST WAVE HEIGHT.

NEXT FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 05/0800 UTC

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