

GLOBAL MARITIME 132230 IST
DATE/TIME OF ISSUE: 13-08-2026/1700 UTC
GMDSS BULLETIN II 131800
ISSUED BY: INDIA METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT, NEW DELHI
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 00 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 NORTH EASTWARDS TO MYANMAR/THAIL FRONTIER IN 10 DEG N 98 DEG 30'E NORTHWARDS COVERING ENTIRE BAY OF BENGAL.

VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 13TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 15TH AUGUST 2026.

PART-I STORM WARNING: NIL.

PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 1200 UTC:

THE DEPRESSION OVER COASTAL WEST BENGAL MOVED WEST-NORTHWESTWARDS WITH A SPEED OF 12 KMPH DURING PAST 6 HOURS AND LAY CENTRED AT 1200 UTC OF TODAY, THE 13TH AUGUST, 2026, OVER THE SAME REGION NEAR LATITUDE 22.6°N AND LONGITUDE 87.8°E, ABOUT 50 KM EAST-NORTHEAST OF MEDINIPUR (WEST BENGAL), 60 KM WEST OF KOLKATA (WEST BENGAL), 110 KM SOUTHEAST OF BANKURA (WEST BENGAL), 160 KM EAST-SOUTHEAST OF PURULIA (WEST BENGAL) AND 170 KM EAST OF JAMSHEDPUR (JHARKHAND).

IT IS VERY LIKELY TO CONTINUE TO MOVE WEST-NORTHWESTWARDS ACROSS GANGETIC WEST BENGAL AND JHARKHAND DURING NEXT 24 HOURS.

PART-III AREA FORECAST:

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

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 13TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 10/30 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-4.5 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 68 DEG E: SCATTERED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: ISOLATED RA/TS.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 68 DEG E: MODERATE.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 15TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 10/25 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 3.0-4.5 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 72 DEG E: SCATTERED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: ISOLATED RA/TS.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 72 DEG E: MODERATE.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A2-ARABIAN SEA: -23 DEG 45 MIN N 68 DEG E TO 00 DEG N 63 DEG E TO CAPE GARDAFUI TO N OF 10 DEG N. 55.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 13TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 15/30 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-4.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 68 DEG E: SCATTERED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 68 DEG E: MODERATE.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 15TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 15/25 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 3.0-4.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 69 DEG E: SCATTERED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 69 DEG E: MODERATE.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

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 13TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 10/25 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.5 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
- IV) VISIBILITY: POOR.

BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 15TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 10/25 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
- IV) VISIBILITY: VERY POOR.

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

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 13TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 10/20 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-4.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 83 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 83 DEG E: VERY POOR.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 14TH AUGUST 2026 TO 12 UTC OF 15TH AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 15/20 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.5 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
- IV) VISIBILITY: VERY POOR.

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 14/0800 UTC.

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TOO: 13/2230.