

GLOBAL MARITIME 281530 IST
DATE/TIME OF ISSUE: 28-11-2025/1000 UTC
SPL GMDSS BULLETIN NO-08 281000
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 10 UTC OF 28TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 30TH NOVEMBER 2025.

PART-I STORM WARNING:

SUBJECT: CYCLONIC STORM DITWAH [PRONUNCIATION: DITWAH] OVER COASTAL SRI LANKA & ADJOINING SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL: CYCLONE ALERT FOR NORTH TAMIL NADU & PUDUCHERRY AND ADJOINING SOUTH ANDHRA PRADESH COASTS (ORANGE MESSAGE)

THE **CYCLONIC STORM DITWAH [PRONUNCIATION: DITWAH]** OVER COASTAL SRI LANKA AND ADJOINING SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL MOVED SLOWLY NORTH-NORTHWESTWARDS WITH THE SPEED OF 4 KMPH DURING PAST 6 HOURS AND LAY CENTERED AT 0600 UTC OF TODAY, THE 28TH NOVEMBER 2025 OVER THE SAME REGION, NEAR LATITUDE 8.4 DEG N AND LONGITUDE 81.0 DEG E, ABOUT 30 KM SOUTHWEST OF TRINCOMALEE (SRI LANKA), 110 KM NORTHWEST OF BATTICALOA (SRI LANKA), 310 KM SOUTH-SOUTHEAST OF KARAIKAL (INDIA), 420 KM SOUTH-SOUTHEAST OF PUDUCHERRY (INDIA) AND 520 KM SOUTH OF CHENNAI (INDIA).

IT IS VERY LIKELY TO CONTINUE TO MOVE NORTH-NORTHWESTWARDS ACROSS SRI LANKA COAST & ADJOINING SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL AND REACH OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL NEAR NORTH TAMIL NADU, PUDUCHERRY AND ADJOINING SOUTH ANDHRA PRADESH COASTS BY EARLY MORNING OF 30TH NOVEMBER.

FORECAST TRACK AND INTENSITY ARE GIVEN IN TABLE BELOW

DATE/TIME (UTC)	POSITION (LAT. °N/ LONG. °E)	MAXIMUM SUSTAINED SURFACE WIND SPEED (KMPH)	CATEGORY OF CYCLONIC DISTURBANCE
28.11.25/0600	8.4/81.0	65-75 GUSTING TO 85	CYCLONIC STORM
28.11.25/1200	8.8/80.8	65-75 GUSTING TO 85	CYCLONIC STORM
28.11.25/1800	9.1/80.7	65-75 GUSTING TO 85	CYCLONIC STORM
29.11.25/0000	9.5/80.6	70-80 GUSTING TO 90	CYCLONIC STORM
29.11.25/0600	9.9/80.5	70-80 GUSTING TO 90	CYCLONIC STORM
29.11.25/1800	10.7/80.4	70-80 GUSTING TO 90	CYCLONIC STORM
30.11.25/0600	11.6/80.4	60-70 GUSTING TO 80	CYCLONIC STORM
30.11.25/1800	12.5/80.4	55-65 GUSTING TO 75	DEEP DEPRESSION
01.12.25/0600	13.5/80.4	45-55 GUSTING TO 65	DEPRESSION

30.11.2025/1200:

WINDSPEEDS REACHING 30 KT AT AROUND 90 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE SE AND SW, AROUND 95 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NE QUADRANTS, AROUND 85 NM FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NW QUADRANTS RESPECTIVELY.

WINDSPEEDS REACHING 34 KT AT AROUND 60 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE SE AND SW, AROUND 65 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NE QUADRANTS, AROUND 50 NM FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NW QUADRANTS RESPECTIVELY.

01.10.2025/0000:

WINDSPEEDS REACHING 30 KT AT AROUND 90 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE SE AND SW, AROUND 95 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NE QUADRANTS, AROUND 85 NM FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NW QUADRANTS RESPECTIVELY.

01.12.2025/1200:

WINDSPEEDS REACHING 30 KT AT AROUND 90 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE SE AND SW, AROUND 95 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NE QUADRANTS, AROUND 85 NM FROM THE CENTRE IN THE NW QUADRANTS RESPECTIVELY.

PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 0600 UTC: SEASONAL WEATHER.

PART-III AREA FORECAST:

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

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 10 UTC OF 28TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 29TH NOV 2025.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: NE/N-LY 10/25 KTS BEC NW/W-LY 10/15 KTS TO THE S OF 3 DEG N.
2) E OF 60 DEG E TO THE S OF 5 DEG N: SW-LY 10/15 KTS
3) REST AREA: NE/N-LY 10/15 KTS.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.5-3.5 MTR.

III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 60 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: SCATTERED RA/TS.

IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 60 DEG E: VERY POOR.
2) REST AREA: MODERATE.

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 29TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 30TH NOV 2025.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: NE/N-LY 10/25 KTS.
2) E OF 60 DEG E TO THE S OF 5 DEG N: SW-LY 10/20 KTS
3) REST AREA: NE/N-LY 10/15 KTS BEC NW/W-LY 05/15 KTS TO THE S OF 8 DEG N.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.5-3.5 MTR.

III) WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.

IV) VISIBILITY: VERY POOR.

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 10 UTC OF 28TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 29TH NOV 2025.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: NE/N-LY 10/15 KTS.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 MTR.

III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 60 DEG E TO THE S OF 15 DEG N: ISOLATED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.

IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 60 DEG E TO THE S OF 15 DEG N: GOOD.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 29TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 30TH NOV 2025.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: NE-LY 10/15 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 58 DEG E TO THE S OF 20 DEG N: ISOLATED RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 58 DEG E TO THE S OF 20 DEG N: GOOD.
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 10 UTC OF 28TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 29TH NOV 2025.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 85 DEG E: CYCLONIC 35/40 KTS AT 81.0 DEG E AND 8.4 DEG N.
2) REST AREA: NE-LY 10/15 KTS BEC CYCLONIC 10/20 KTS AT 101 DEG E AND 3.6 DEG N.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 6.0-9.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
- IV) VISIBILITY: VERY POOR.

BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 29TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 30TH NOV 2025.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 85 DEG E: CYCLONIC 35/40 KTS AT 80.6 DEG E AND 9.5 DEG N.
2) REST AREA: NE-LY 10/15 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 6.0-9.0 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 10 UTC OF 28TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 29TH NOV 2025.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: NE/E-LY 10/20 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-3.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) W OF 90 DEG E: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) W OF 90 DEG E: POOR.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 29TH NOVEMBER 2025 TO 00 UTC OF 30TH NOV 2025.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: NE/E-LY 10/20 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-3.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) W OF 89 DEG E: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) W OF 89 DEG E: POOR.
2) REST AREA: GOOD.

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 28/1700 UTC.

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TOO: 28/1530.