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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 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 09 UTC OF 30TH AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 01ST SEPTEMBER 2026.

PART-I STORM WARNING: NIL.

PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 0300 UTC:

THE LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER NORTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL & ADJOINING WEST BENGAL-NORTH ODISHA COASTS LAY AS A WELL-MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER THE SAME REGION AT 0830 IST OF TODAY 30TH AUGUST 2026. THE ASSOCIATED CYCLONIC CIRCULATION EXTENDS UPTO 7.6 KM ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL. IT IS LIKELY TO MOVE WEST-NORTHWESTWARDS ACROSS NORTH ODISHA-GANGETIC WEST BENGAL 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 09 UTC OF 30TH AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 31ST AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: SW/S-LY 10/25 KTS.
2) N OF 04 DEG N: SW/W-LY 10/15 KTS BEC W/NW-LY 10/15 KTS TO THE E OF 70 DEG E.
3) REST AREA: SE/S-LY 05/10 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.5-4.0 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 31ST AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 01ST SEPTEMBER 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: SW/S-LY 10/25 KTS.
2) W OF 70 DEG E: SE/S-LY 10/15 KTS BEC S/SW-LY 10/15 KTS TO THE N OF 05 DEG E.
3) REST AREA: NW/W-LY 10/20 KTS.
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.5-4.0 MTR.
- III) WEATHER: 1) S OF 05 DEG N: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
2) REST AREA: SCATTERED RA/TS.
- IV) VISIBILITY: 1) S OF 05 DEG N: POOR.
2) REST AREA: MODERATE.

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 09 UTC OF 30TH AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 31ST AUGUST 2026.

- I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 15/25 KTS BEC W/NW-LY 10/15 KTS TO THE E OF 72 DEG E
- II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-4.0 MTR.

III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
IV) VISIBILITY: POOR.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 31ST AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 01ST SEPTEMBER 2026.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 10/25 KTS.
II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-4.0 MTR.
III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
IV) VISIBILITY: POOR.

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 09 UTC OF 30TH AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 31ST AUGUST 2026.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW/W-LY 10/25 KTS.
II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-4.0 MTR.
III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
IV) VISIBILITY: POOR.

BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 31ST AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 01ST SEPTEMBER 2026.

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

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

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 30TH AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 31ST AUGUST 2026.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 15/25 KTS BEC SE-LY 05/15 KTS TO THE N OF 21 DEG N.
II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-4.0 MTR.
III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
IV) VISIBILITY: POOR.

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 31ST AUGUST 2026 TO 00 UTC OF 01ST SEPTEMBER 2026.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 15/25 KTS BEC CYCLONIC 05/15 KTS AT 87 DEG E AND 21 DEG N.
II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0.-4.0 MTR.
III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.
IV) VISIBILITY: 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 30/1700 UTC.

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TOO: 30/1330.