

GLOBAL MARITIME 192230 IST  
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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°E TO 12°N 63°E, THENCE TO CAPE GARDAFUI; THE EAST AFRICAN COAST SOUTH TO THE EQUATOR, THENCE TO 95°E, TO 6°N, THENCE NORTHEASTWARDS TO MYANMAR/THAILAND FRONTIER IN 10°N 98°30'E AND NORTHWARDS COVERING ENTIRE BAY OF BENGAL

**VALID FROM 1800 UTC 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2022 TO 12 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER.**

**PART-I STORM WARNING: NIL**

**PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 1200 UTC.**

THE CYCLONIC CIRCULATION OVER NORTH ANDAMAN SEA AND NEIGHBOURHOOD EXTENDING UPTO 3.1 KM ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL PERSISTS. UNDER ITS INFLUENCE, A LOW PRESSURE AREA IS LIKELY TO FORM OVER SOUTHEAST AND ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL DURING NEXT 12 HOURS. IT IS LIKELY TO MOVE WESTNORTHWESTWARDS AND CONCENTRATE INTO A DEPRESSION BY 22<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER MORNING OVER CENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL. IT IS VERY LIKELY TO INTENSIFY FURTHER INTO A CYCLONIC STORM OVER WESTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL DURING SUBSEQUENT 48 HOURS.

**PART-III FORECAST**

AREA: ARB A1 (ARABIAN SEA)-EQUATOR TO 10 DEG. N AND W OF 80 DEG. E (.)  
**ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER TO 12 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT.**

- I) WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: SW/W-LY 10/15 KTS BEC NW/W-LY 10/20 KTS TO THE E OF 60 DEG E.
- II) WEATHER: SCATTERED RA/TS
- III) VISIBILITY: 6-4 NM .
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.2-2.5 MTR.

**ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT TO 12 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> OCT.**

- I) WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: SW/W-LY 10/15 KTS.
- 2) E OF 60 DEG E TO N OF 5 DEGN: NW/W-LY 10/20 KTS.
- 3) REST AREA: SW-LY 10/15 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: SCATTERED RA/TS.
- III) VISIBILITY: 6-4 NM .
- IV) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.2-2.5 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 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER TO 12 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT**

- I) WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: 1) N OF 20 DEG N: NW/N-LY 05/10 KTS.
- 2) REST AREA: NE/N-LY 05/15 KTS.
- II) WEATHER: 1) S OF 20 DEG N: SCATTERED RA/TS.
- 2) REST AREA: FAIR.
- III) VISIBILITY: 1) S OF 20 DEG N: 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 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT TO 12 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> OCT.**

I)WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: NE/N-LY 05/10 KTS.  
II)WEATHER: 1)S OF 20 DEG N: SCATTERED RA/TS.  
2)REST AREA: FAIR.  
III)VISIBILITY: 1)S OF 20 DEG N: 6-4 NM.  
2)REST AREA: 10-8 NM.  
IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-2.0 MTR.

BOB: A3: BAY OF BENGAL N OF 10 DEG N AND E OF 80 DEG E (.)  
**BOB A3 FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER.TO 12 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT**

I)WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: CYCLONIC 10/15 KTS.  
II)WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.  
III)VISIBILITY: 4-3 NM.  
IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 1.5-3.0 MTR.

**BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT TO 12 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> OCT.**

I)WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: CYCLONIC 15/20 KTS.  
II)WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.  
III)VISIBILITY: 3-2 NM.  
IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 1.5-3.5 MTR.

BOB A4-BAY OF BENGAL: EQUATOR TO 10 DEG N BETWEEN E OF 80 DEG E  
AND WEST OF 10 DEG N/98 DEG 30 MIN E TO 6 DEG N/95 DEG E AND THENCE S-WARDS TO  
EQUATOR (.)

**BOB.A4 FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER.TO 12 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT**

I)WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: NE-LY 10/20 KTS.  
II)WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.  
III)VISIBILITY: 4-3 NM.  
IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-3.0 MTR.

**BOB A4- FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> OCT TO 12 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> OCT.**

I)WINDSPEED AND DIRECTION: NE-LY 10/20 KTS.  
II)WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.  
III)VISIBILITY: 4-3 NM.  
IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-3.0 MTR.

ADVISORY: PLEASE BE AWARE.

WIND AND 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 20/0800 UTC

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