



National Weather Forecasting Centre India Meteorological Department Ministry of Earth Sciences

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All India Weather Warning Bulletin

Weather Warnings for next 7 days is given below: (Graphics for warnings & rainfall distribution (Table 1) are given below the text:

28th March (Day 1):

- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30 40 kmph) at isolated places over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Kerala & Mahe; with lightning at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Coastal Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- **\Display Heat wave conditions** very likely at isolated places over Interior Odisha.
- ❖ Hot and Humid Conditions very likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ Strong Surface winds (speed reaching 20 30 kmph gusting to 40 kmph) very likely at isolated places over Northwest India and adjoining Madhya Pradesh.

29th March (Day 2):

- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30 40 kmph) at isolated places over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Goa, Madhya Maharashtra; with lightning at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya.
- **♦ Heat wave conditions** likely at isolated places over interior Odisha, Chhattisgarh, south Jharkhand, south Gangetic West Bengal.
- ❖ Hot and Humid Conditions likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ Strong Surface winds (speed reaching 20 30 kmph gusting to 40 kmph) very likely at isolated places over Northwest India and adjoining Madhya Pradesh.

30th March (Day 3):

- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 30 40 kmph) at isolated places over Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra; with lightning at isolated places over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, South Interior Karnataka.
- **❖ Heat wave conditions** likely at isolated places over interior Odisha, Chhattisgarh, south Jharkhand, south Gangetic West Bengal.
- **\Delta Hot and Humid Conditions** likely at isolated places over coastal areas of Gujarat state.





31st March (Day 4):

- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with gusty winds (speed reaching 40 50 kmph) & lightning very likely at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra, North Interior Karnataka; with gusty winds (speed reaching 30 40 kmph) at isolated places over Konkan & Goa, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam; with lightning likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe, Coastal Karnataka and South Interior Karnataka.
- **\Delta Hot and Humid Conditions** likely at isolated places over coastal areas of Gujarat state.

01st April (Day 5):

- ❖ Thunderstorm accompanied with gusty winds (speed reaching 40 50 kmph) & lightning very likely at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, North Interior Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka; with gusty winds (speed reaching 30 40 kmph) at isolated places over Konkan & Goa, Kerala & Mahe, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam; with lightning likely at isolated places over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Karnataka.
- **\Delta** Hot and Humid Conditions likely at isolated places over coastal areas of Gujarat state.

02nd April (Day 6):

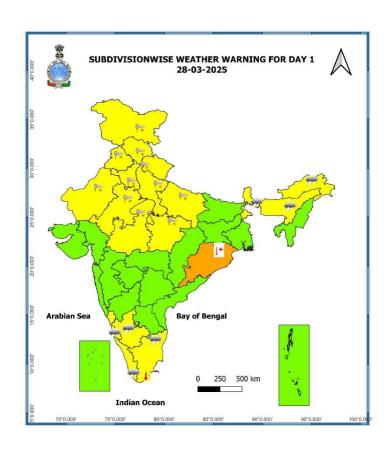
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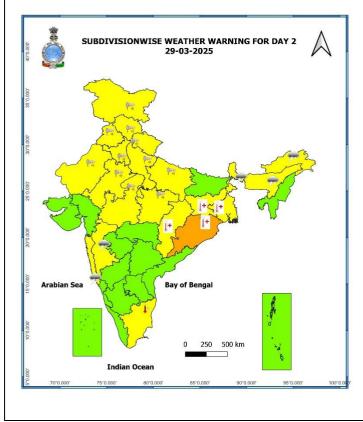
 03^{rd} April (Day 7):

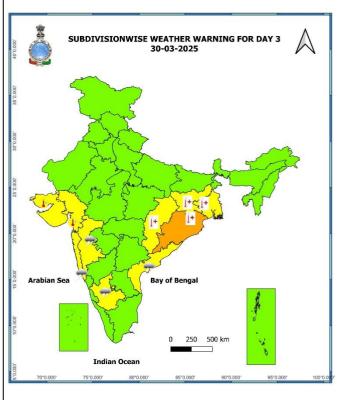
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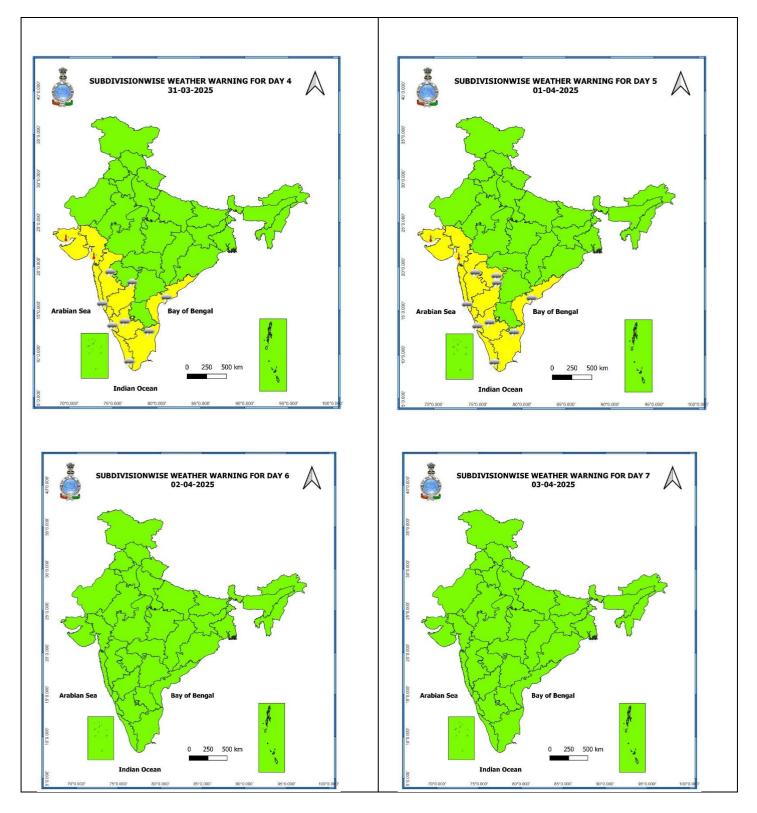








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- Action may be taken based on **ORANGE** AND **RED** COLOUR warnings.
- Vulnerable regions likely urban and hilly areas action may be initiated for heavy rainfall warning.
- As the lead period increases forecast accuracy decreases.





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Table-1

	7 Days Rainfall Forecast							
S. No.	Subdivision	28-Mar	29-Mar	30-Mar	31-Mar	01-Apr	02-Apr	03-Apr
3. NO.	Subdivision	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	SCT	FWS	WS
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	SCT	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT
3	ASSAM & MEGHALAYA	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	ISOL
4	NAGALAND, MANIPUR, MIZORAM & TRIPURA	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
5	SUB-HIMALAYAN WEST BENGAL & SIKKIM	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY
6	GANGETIC WEST BENGAL	DRY						
7	ODISHA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL
8	JHARKHAND	DRY						
9	BIHAR	DRY						
10	EAST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY						
11	WEST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY						
12	UTTARAKHAND	DRY						
13	HARYANA CHANDIGARH & DELHI	DRY						
14	PUNJAB	DRY						
15	HIMACHAL PRADESH	DRY						
16	JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY
17	WEST RAJASTHAN	DRY						
18	EAST RAJASTHAN	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL
19	WEST MADHYA PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
20	EAST MADHYA PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
21	GUJARAT REGION	DRY						
22	SAURASHTRA & KUTCH	DRY						
23	KONKAN & GOA	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
24	MADHYA MAHARASHTRA	ISOL						
25	MARATHAWADA	ISOL						
26	VIDARBHA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
27	CHHATTISGARH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL
28	COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH & YANAM	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
29	TELANGANA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL
30	RAYALASEEMA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	SCT
31	TAMILNADU PUDUCHERRY & KARAIKAL	ISOL	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT
32	COASTAL KARNATAKA	ISOL	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT
33	NORTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL
34	SOUTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	ISOL	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	SCT
35	KERALA & MAHE	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT	FWS	FWS
36	LAKSHADWEEP	DRY						

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Impact expected and action suggested due Heat Wave conditions over Odisha during 28th – 30th; Chhattisgarh, South Gangetic West Bengal and south Jharkhand on 29th & 30th March.

Orange alert Areas

- ➤ High temperature & increased likelihood of heat illness symptoms in people who are either exposed to sun for a prolonged period or doing heavy work.
- ➤ High health concern for vulnerable people e.g. infants, elderly, people with chronic diseases.
- ➤ Avoid heat exposure keep cool. Avoid dehydration.
- > Drink sufficient water- even if not thirsty.
- ➤ Use ORS, homemade drinks like lassi, torani (rice water), lemon water, buttermilk, etc. to keep yourself hydrated.

Yellow alert Areas

- ➤ Moderate temperature & heat is tolerable for general public but moderate health concern likely for vulnerable people e.g. infants, elderly, people with chronic diseases.
- > Avoid heat exposure.
- ➤ Wear lightweight, light colour, loose, cotton clothes.
- Cover your head, use a cloth, hat or umbrella.



Legends & abbreviations:

- **♦ Heavy Rain:**64.5-115.5mm; **Very Heavy Rain:**115.6-204.4mm; **Extremely Heavy Rain:** >204.4mm.
- ❖ Obsy.: Observatory; AWS: Automatic Weather Station; ARG: Automatic Rain Gauge; dist.: District: NH: National Highway; KVK: Krishi Vigyan Kendra; DVC: Damodar Valley Corporation; PTO: Part Time Office, Aero: Aerodrome, IAF: Indian Air Force.
- **Region wise classification of meteorological Sub-Divisions:**
 - Northwest India: Western Himalayan Region (Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand); Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi; West Uttar Pradesh, East Uttar Pradesh, West Rajasthan and East Rajasthan.
 - **Central India:** West Madhya Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha and Chhattisgarh.
 - **East India:** Bihar, Jharkhand, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim; Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
 - Northeast India: Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
 - **West India:** Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra and Marathawada.
 - **South India:** Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka, Kerala & Mahe, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Lakshadweep.



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LEGENDS



SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION (% of Stations reporting)

76-100 Wides		Widespread (WS/Most Places)	26-50	Scattered (SCT/A Few Places)	
	51-75	Fairly Widespread (FWS/Many Places)	1-25	Isolated (ISOL)	
	Fog	Reavy Snow	_ Cold Wa	COLOUR CODED WARNING	
Heavy Rain			Ů.	No Warning (No Action)	
		nin 👙 Dust Storm	Cold Da	Watch (Be Aware)	İ
7	Nery Hea	yy Rain + Heat Wave	Ground	Alert (Be Prepared To Take Action)	

% Stations

Very Heavy Rain

Fytromoly Heavy Rain

Warm Night

Category

Extremely Heavy Rain + Warm Night

Thunder & Lightning + Hot Day

% Stations

Probabilistic Forecast

Warning (Take Action)

Category



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Hot and Humid: When

	(DEFINITION/CRITERIA)
4.	Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm *
Rain/ Snow *	Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm* Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm *
	When maximum temperature of a station reaches ≥40° C for plains and ≥30° C for hilly regions (a) Based on Departure from normal
	Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal 4.5° C to 6.4° C.
	Severe Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal ≥6.5° C
Heat Wave	(b). Based on Actual maximum temperature
	Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥45°C.
	Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥47°C
	(c). Criteria for heat wave for coastal stations When maximum temperature departure is >4.5°C from normal. Heat Wave may be described provided maximum temperature ≥37°C
	When maximum temperature remains 40°C
Varm Night	Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure 4.5 °C to 6.4 °C.
	Severe Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure >6.4 °C.
	When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°C for hilly regions.
	(a). Based on departure
	Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -6.4 °C.
Cold Wave	Severe Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal ≤ -6.5 °C
	(b) Based on actual Minimum Temperature (for Plains only) Cold Wave : When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 4.0 °C
	Severe Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 2.0 °C
	(c) For Coastal Stations
	When Minimum Temperature departure is ≤-4.5 °C & actual Minimum Temperature is ≤ 15 °C
	When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°C for hilly regions
Cold Day	Based on departure
Cold Day	Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -6.4 °C. Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal ≤ -6.5 °C
	Phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air and the horizontal visibility < 1km
Fog	Moderate Fog: When the visibility between 500-200 metres Dense Fog: when the visibility between 50-200 metres
	Very Dense Fog: when the visibility < 50 metres
nunderstorm	Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder)
Dust/Sand Storm	An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and turbulent wind.
	Ice deposits on ground
Frost	Air temperature ≤4°C (over Plains)
	A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute.
	Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph
Squall	Severe: Wind speed 62-87 kmph
	Very Severe: Wind speed >87 kmph
	Effect of various waves in the sea over specific area
Son State	Rough to very rough: Wind speed 41-62 kmph (22-33 knots) & Wave height 2.5-6 metre
Sea State	High to very high: Wind speed 63-117 kmph (34-63 knots) & Wave height 6-14 metre Phenomenal: Wind speed >117 kmph (>63 knots) & Wave height >14 metre
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	Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 62-87 kmph (34-47 knots)
Cyclone	Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 88-117 kmph (48-63 knots)
	Very Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 118-165 kmph (64 - 89 knots) Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 166-220 kmph (90 -119 knots)
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* Red colour warning does not mean "Red Alert", Red colour warning means "Take Action".

Forecast and Warning for any day is valid from 0830 hours IST of day till 0830 hours IST of next day.

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Hot and Humid: When maximum temperatures remains 3°C above normal along with the above normal relative humidity.