

Saturday, April 20, 2024
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All India Impact Based Weather Warning Bulletin

20 April (Day 1):

- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Odisha, Vidarbha and Chhattisgarh; with **gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph)** at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Telangana and Karnataka; **with lightning** at isolated places over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema, Arunachal Pradesh, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe.
- ❖ **Heavy to very heavy rainfall/snowfall** very likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh; **Heavy rainfall** at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya.
- ❖ **Hot and humid weather** very likely to prevail over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal, Telangana, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions in some parts with severe heat wave conditions** very likely to prevail in isolated pockets over Gangetic West Bengal; **Heat wave to severe heat wave conditions** in isolated pockets over Odisha; **heat wave conditions** in isolated pockets over Bihar and Jharkhand.
- ❖ **Warm Night conditions** very likely to prevail in isolated pockets over East Uttar Pradesh.

21 April (Day 2):

- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha and Chhattisgarh; **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph)** at isolated places over Odisha, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Karnataka and Telangana; **with lightning** at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Kerala & Mahe, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema.
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall/snowfall** very likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh; **Heavy rainfall** at isolated places over Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
- ❖ **Hot and humid weather** very likely to prevail over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal, Telangana, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions in some parts with severe heat wave conditions** very likely to prevail in isolated pockets over Gangetic West Bengal; **heat wave conditions** in isolated pockets over Bihar, Jharkhand and Odisha.

22 April (Day 3):

- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Uttarakhand, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh and Odisha; **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph)** at isolated places over Vidarbha, Assam & Meghalaya and Telangana; **with lightning** at isolated places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Madhya Maharashtra, Marathwada, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema.
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall/snowfall** very likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh.
- ❖ **Hot and humid weather** very likely to prevail over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions in some parts with severe heat wave conditions** very likely to prevail in isolated pockets over Gangetic West Bengal; **heat wave conditions** in isolated pockets over Bihar and Jharkhand.

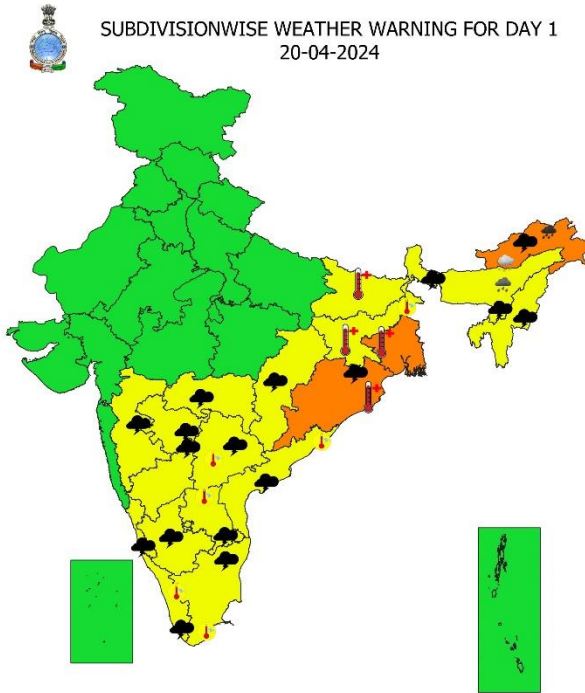
23 April (Day 4):

- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning & gusty winds (speed reaching 40-50 kmph)** likely at isolated places over East Madhya Pradesh; **with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph)** at isolated places over Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh, West Bengal & Sikkim, Assam & Meghalaya and Telangana; **with lightning** at isolated places over Himachal Pradesh, Odisha, Jharkhand, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema.
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall/snowfall** likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh.
- ❖ **Hot and humid weather** likely to prevail over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** likely to prevail in isolated pockets over Gangetic West Bengal and Bihar.

24 April (Day 5):

- ❖ **Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning with gusty winds (speed reaching 30-40 kmph)** likely at isolated places over Vidarbha, Chhattisgarh, West Bengal & Sikkim, Assam & Meghalaya and Telangana; **with lightning** at isolated places over Odisha, Jharkhand, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Rayalaseema.
- ❖ **Heavy rainfall/snowfall** likely at isolated places over northeast Assam and Arunachal Pradesh.
- ❖ **Hot and humid weather** likely to prevail over Sub-Himalayan West Bengal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Rayalaseema and Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.
- ❖ **Heat wave conditions** likely to prevail in isolated pockets over Gangetic West Bengal and Bihar.

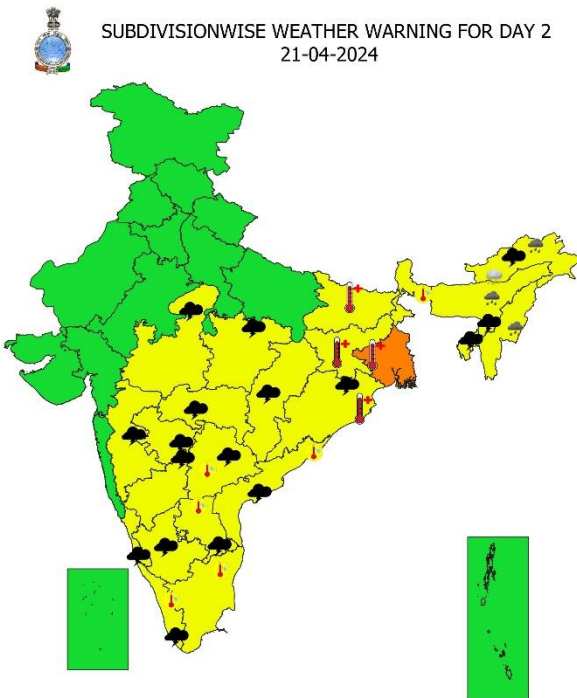
**SUBDIVISIONWISE WEATHER WARNING FOR DAY 1
 20-04-2024**



Subdivision Warning

Fog	Heavy Snow	Cold Day	Subdivision Colour
Heavy Rain	Hailstorm	Ground Frost	NO WARNING
Very Heavy Rain	Dust Storm	Strong Surface Winds	WATCH(BE UPDATED)
Extremely Heavy Rain	Heat Wave	Thunder & Lightning	ALERT (BE PREPARED)
	Cold Wave	Hot and Humid	WARNING (TAKE ACTION)

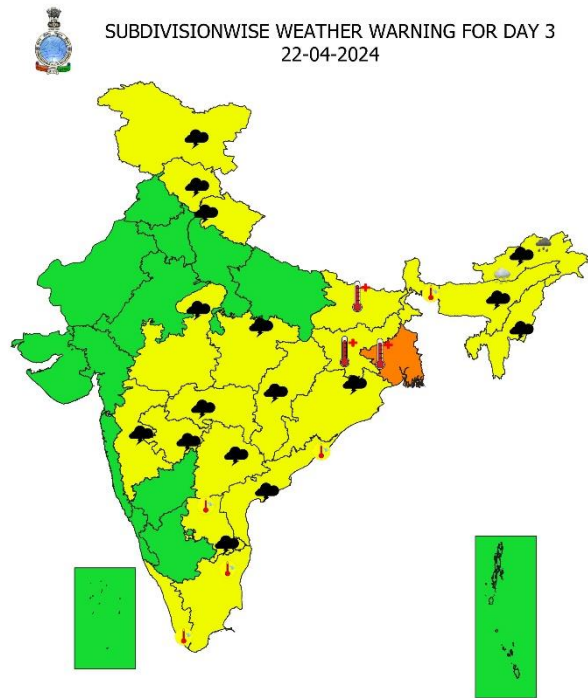
**SUBDIVISIONWISE WEATHER WARNING FOR DAY 2
 21-04-2024**



Subdivision Warning

Fog	Heavy Snow	Cold Day	Subdivision Colour
Heavy Rain	Hailstorm	Ground Frost	NO WARNING
Very Heavy Rain	Dust Storm	Strong Surface Winds	WATCH(BE UPDATED)
Extremely Heavy Rain	Heat Wave	Thunder & Lightning	ALERT (BE PREPARED)
	Cold Wave	Hot and Humid	WARNING (TAKE ACTION)

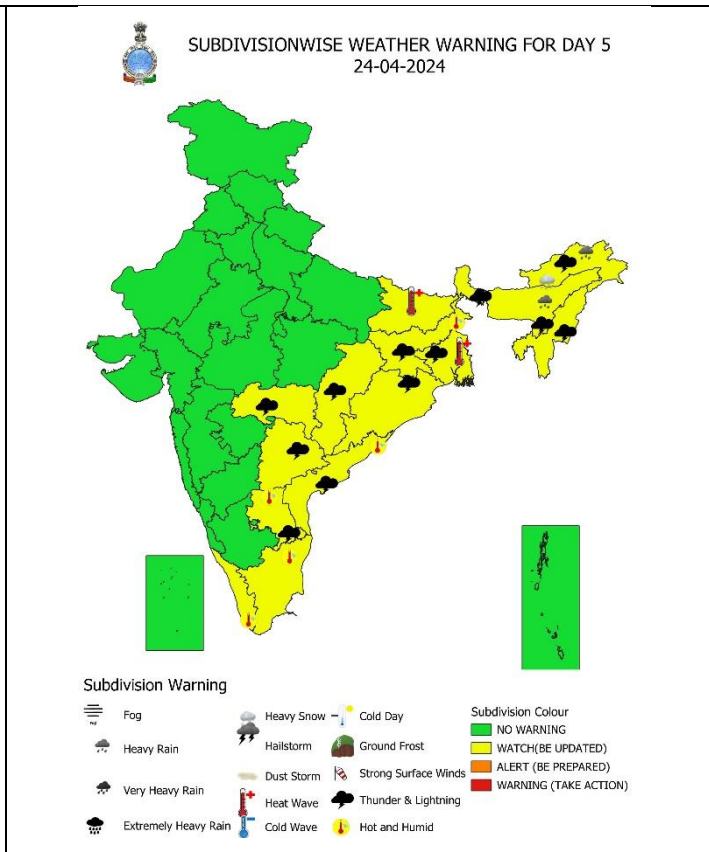
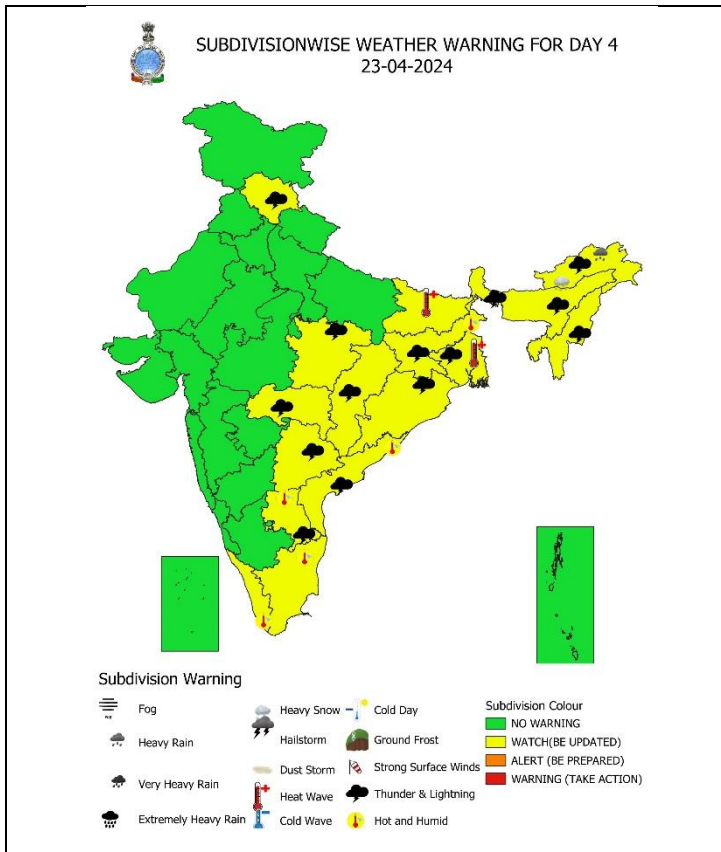
**SUBDIVISIONWISE WEATHER WARNING FOR DAY 3
 22-04-2024**



Subdivision Warning

Fog	Heavy Snow	Cold Day	Subdivision Colour
Heavy Rain	Hailstorm	Ground Frost	NO WARNING
Very Heavy Rain	Dust Storm	Strong Surface Winds	WATCH(BE UPDATED)
Extremely Heavy Rain	Heat Wave	Thunder & Lightning	ALERT (BE PREPARED)
	Cold Wave	Hot and Humid	WARNING (TAKE ACTION)

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Impact & Action Suggested due to heavy rainfall/snowfall heavy rainfall/snowfall over Arunachal Pradesh during 20th-24th; Assam & Meghalaya during 20th, 21st & 24th and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura on 21st April, 2024:

Impacts Expected for Rainfall/Snowfall over above regions:

- Disruption of Electricity.
- Landslide, rock fall and mudslides, Blocking/washout of roads/highways/bridges Nallahs.
- Disruption of traffic flow.
- Damage to Kuccha and unsecured structures.

Suggested Actions

- Avoid roadway underpasses, drainage ditches, low lying areas and areas where water collects – they can unexpectedly flood or overflow.
- Stay away from power lines or electrical wires.
- Don't stay in kuccha houses during heavy rainfall as it may collapse anytime soon.
- Drive carefully.

IMPACT & ACTION SUGGESTED due to Heat Wave Conditions:

Orange alert Areas (Odisha & Gangetic West Bengal)

- ❖ 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– 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 (Jharkhand & Bihar)

- ❖ 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

WARNING

WARNING (TAKE ACTION)
ALERT (BE PREPARED)
WATCH (BE UPDATED)
NO WARNING (NO ACTION)

Probabilistic Forecast

Terms	Probability of Occurrence (%)
Unlikely	< 25
Likely	25 - 50
Very Likely	50 - 75
Most Likely	> 75



Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm *
Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm *
Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm *



When maximum temperature of a station reaches $\geq 40^\circ\text{C}$ for plains and $\geq 30^\circ\text{C}$ 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 $\geq 6.5^\circ\text{C}$

(b). Based on Actual maximum temperature

Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature $\geq 45^\circ\text{C}$.
Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature $\geq 47^\circ\text{C}$

(c). Criteria for heat wave for coastal stations

When maximum temperature departure is $> 4.5^\circ\text{C}$ from normal. Heat Wave may be described provided maximum temperature $\geq 37^\circ\text{C}$



When maximum temperature remains 40°C

Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure 4.5°C to 6.4°C .
Severe Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure $> 6.4^\circ\text{C}$.



When minimum temperature of a station $\leq 10^\circ\text{C}$ for plains and $\leq 0^\circ\text{C}$ for hilly regions.
(a). Based on departure

Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5°C to -6.4°C .
Severe Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal $\leq -6.5^\circ\text{C}$

(b) Based on actual Minimum Temperature (for Plains only)

Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is $\leq 4.0^\circ\text{C}$
Severe Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is $\leq 2.0^\circ\text{C}$

(c) For Coastal Stations

When Minimum Temperature departure is $\leq -4.5^\circ\text{C}$ & actual Minimum Temperature is $\leq 15^\circ\text{C}$



When minimum temperature of a station $\leq 10^\circ\text{C}$ for plains and $\leq 0^\circ\text{C}$ for hilly regions
Based on departure

Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5°C to -6.4°C .
Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal $\leq -6.5^\circ\text{C}$



Phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air and the horizontal visibility $< 1\text{km}$

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



Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder)



An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and turbulent wind.



Ice deposits on ground

Air temperature $\leq 4^\circ\text{C}$ (over Plains)



A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute.

Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph
Severe: Wind speed 62-87 kmph
Very Severe: Wind speed > 87 kmph



Effect of various waves in the sea over specific area

Rough to very rough: Wind speed 41-62 kmph (22-33 knots) & Wave height 2.5-6 metre
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



Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 62-87 kmph (34-47 knots)

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)

Super Cyclone Storm: Wind speed > 220 kmph (> 119 knots)

Kindly download MAUSAM APP for location specific forecast & warning, MEGHDOOT APP for Agromet advisory and DAMINI APP for Lightning Warning & visit state MC/RMC websites for district wise warning.

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