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Deep Depression (remnant of Cyclonic Storm 'JAWAD') over northwest and adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal

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The **Deep Depression (remnant of Cyclonic Storm 'JAWAD')** over northwest and adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal moved north-northeastwards with a speed of 20 kmph during past 06 hours, and lay centered at 0830 hrs IST of today, the 05th December 2021, over northwest and adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal near Lat. 18.7°N and Long. 85.6°E, about 270 km east-northeast of Vishakhapatnam (Andhra Pradesh), 90 km east-southeast of Gopalpur (Odisha), 120 km southsouthwest of Puri (Odisha) and 210 km south-southwest of Paradip (Odisha).

It is likely to move north-northeastwards, weaken further into a Depression and reach Odisha coast near Puri during next 6 hours. Subsequently, it is likely to continue to move north-northeastwards along Odisha coast towards West Bengal coast and weaken into a well marked low pressure area around mid-night of 5th December 2021.

Coastal Odisha received heavy to very heavy rainfall during past 24 hours ending at 0830 hrs IST of today, the 5^{th} December 2021.

Warnings

(i) Rainfall warning

5th Dec.: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places likely over north coastal & adjoining areas of Odisha & Gangetic West Bengal. Heavy rainfall at isolated places is also likely over south coastal Odisha during next 12 hours.

6th Dec.: Light to moderate rainfall at many places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places likely over south Assam & Meghalaya, Mizoram and Tripura and heavy rainfall at isolated places over eastern districts of Gangetic West Bengal.

(ii) Wind Warning

➤ Squally wind speed reaching 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph prevails over northwest and adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal. It would gradually decrease becoming 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph over northwest and adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal by evening of today, the 5th December. It would decrease further becoming 30-40 kmph gusting to 50 kmph over northwest Bay of Bengal by night of today, the 5th December.

➤ Squally winds speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph likely to prevail along & off North Andhra Pradesh coast during next 06 hours and along & off Odisha — West Bengal coasts during next 24 hours.

(iii) Sea condition

➤ Rough to very rough Sea conditions likely to prevail over northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Odisha & West Bengal coasts during next 24 hours and adjoining west-central Bay of Bengal and along & off North Andhra Pradesh coast during next 12 hours.

(iv) Fishermen Warning

Fishermen are advised not to venture into northwest Bay of Bengal, along & off Odisha-West Bengal coasts during next 24 hours and along and adjoining west-central Bay of Bengal along & off north Andhra Pradesh coast during next 12 hours.

(v) Advisory to along & off shore Installations

➤ The off-shore & alongshore operations along & off Odisha & West Bengal coasts are advised to be to be regulated till evening of today, the 5th December 2021

Special Agromet Advisories

Andaman & Nicobar Islands

- Remove water from the paddy field and harvest all the fallen rice plants to avoid sprouting in the field.
- ➤ Clear all the channels and improve drainage in vegetable field. Apply Pseudomonas in the soil @ 400 g/acre.
- ➤ Clear the weeds from papaya and banana and do earthing up around tree/plants.
- ➤ Clean the coconut garden and collect all the fallen fruits to avoid sprouting in the field itself.
- Close the bund in BBF and Fish ponds to maintain water dept.

North Coastal Andhra Pradesh

Visakhapatnam, Vizainagaram and Srikakulam

- > Postpone sowing of rice fallow pulses.
- ➤ Provide extensive drainage in already sown rice fallow pulses, sugarcane, cotton, red gram, vegetables and fruit orchards.
- Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

East Godavari

- ➤ Provide drainage to rajmash, ginger, vegetables and fruit orchards (banana and papaya).
- Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

Odisha: Cover vegetable seedlings with white polythene and make necessary drainage arrangements.

Koraput, Nabarangpur & Malkangiri

- Arrange drainage facility to avoid water logging in *Rabi* crops *viz.*, Green gram, Red gram, Pulses, maize, Wheat, Groundnut and Mustard which are in Vegetative/Flowering stage and fruit crops.
- Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

Jagatsinghpur, Ganjam

- ➤ Tie sugarcane leaves from four to five plants together to prevent lodging and provide staking.
- Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

Khorda, Puri, Kendrapada, Cuttack, Nayagarh

- ➤ Postpone the harvest of Black Gram.
- After receding of rain water, tie the panicles of paddy in bundles and keep straight.
- ➤ Withheld sowing Groundnut/Green Gram and make provision for draining out rain water in already sown crops.
- ➤ After receding of rainwater, wash the muddy leaves of vegetables or remove them from plants.
- Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

Kandhamal

- ➤ Provide drainage to vegetables, fruit crops and already sown mustard.
- ➤ Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

Keonjhar

- ➤ Postpone sowing of Greengram, Blackgram and Chickpea.
- ➤ Drain out excess water from Linseed, Mustard Capsicum Chilli & Tomato, Field pea, potato and already sown Greengram, Blackgram and Chickpea.
- Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

Jajpur & Balasore

- > Postpone sowing of groundnut.
- > Provide drainage in vegetables.
- Monitor for pest and diseases in the standing crops.

Bhadrak

> Postpone sowing of mustard.

Dhenkanal, Malkangiri

- ➤ Drain out excess water from Pigeon pea, Sesame, Sugarcane and vegetables.
- > Stacking may be provided to vegetables if feasible.

Gajapati, Mayurbhanj

➤ Withheld sowing of Groundnut, Green Gram, Lentil, Castor, Niger, Mustard, Sunflower, Black gram, Field pea. Drain out excess water from already sown crops.

➤ If paddy plants lie down due to heavy wind, make them straight and wash away mud. Drain out excess water from paddy and non-paddy crop.

Rayagada

- ➤ Postpone sowing of *rabi* crops like Green gram, black gram and Mustard and potato, Onion and coriander.
- ➤ Open drainage channels in vegetable fields to facilitate drainage of excess water Mustard, arhar and vegetables.
- Monitor for pest and disease infection in standing crops.

West Bengal

East Midnapore, South 24 Parganas

- Provide drainage in seed bed of Boro paddy and Vegetables.
- > Postpone sowing of Sunflower, Mustard and Potato.

Paschim Medinipur, Jhargram and Bankura

- Postpone sowing of Mustard, Pulses (Lentil, Chick Pea) and Potato.
- ➤ Postpone the irrigation, spray of the pesticides & herbicides.
- Maintain proper drainage in the field for the planted vegetables.

Hooghly, Paschim Bardhaman, Nadia and Howrah

- ➤ Postpone sowing of Potato, Mustard and Lentil. Drain out excess water from already sown crops and vegetables.
- Avoid irrigation and any kind of chemical spray.
- > Strengthen macha of betel vine.

Purilia

- ➤ Make proper drainage channels in the vegetable field to avoid crop damage due to excess water accumulation.
- ➤ Postpone sowing of Mustard.

Assam

Cachar

- ➤ Postpone sowing of boro rice seeds in the nursery bed during heavy rains and arrange for drainage facility.
- > Postpone sowing of Field pea in the rice fields as a relay crop.
- Undertake earthing up in Potato to keep it stable in windy.
- > Do not spray any chemicals in the *rabi* crops and vegetables.