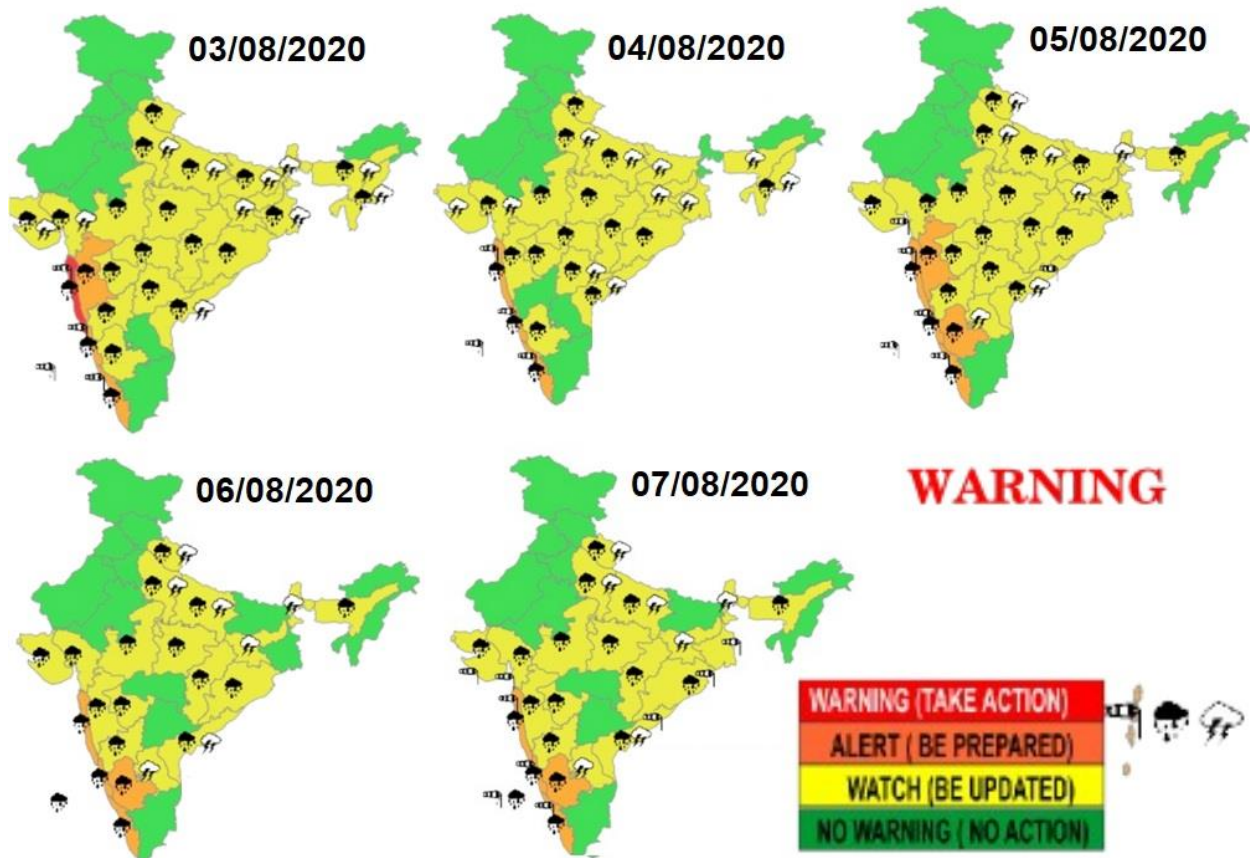


## Extreme rainfall alert for different parts of the country: IMD advisory to stay indoor

New Delhi, August 3 (Vigyan Samachar): India Meteorological Department (IMD) is issuing an alert for Konkan and Goa predicting extremely heavy rainfall during next five days. There is a possibility of very heavy rainfall with isolated extremely heavy rainfalls over coastal district of Gujarat region on 5 August and Gujarat state on 6 August 2020.



As per IMD, The monsoon trough at mean sea level is presently at normal position and likely to shift southwards and strengthen during next 3-4 day is creating conditions that are favorable for heavy to very heavy rainfall with extremely heavy falls over Mumbai and Madhya Maharashtra during 4 August to 5 August 2020. There are also possibilities

of heavy to very heavy falls over Coastal Karnataka, Kerala and Marathwada during 3-5 August 2020.

IMD has issued a strong wind alert for Southwest & west Central Arabian Sea, Gulf of Mannar area and squally weather alert for Lakshadweep , Maldives areas and along off Kerala-Karnataka coasts, Andaman sea, and westcentral Bay of Bengal during next 5 days. Fishermen are advised not to venture into this area during the period mentioned.

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