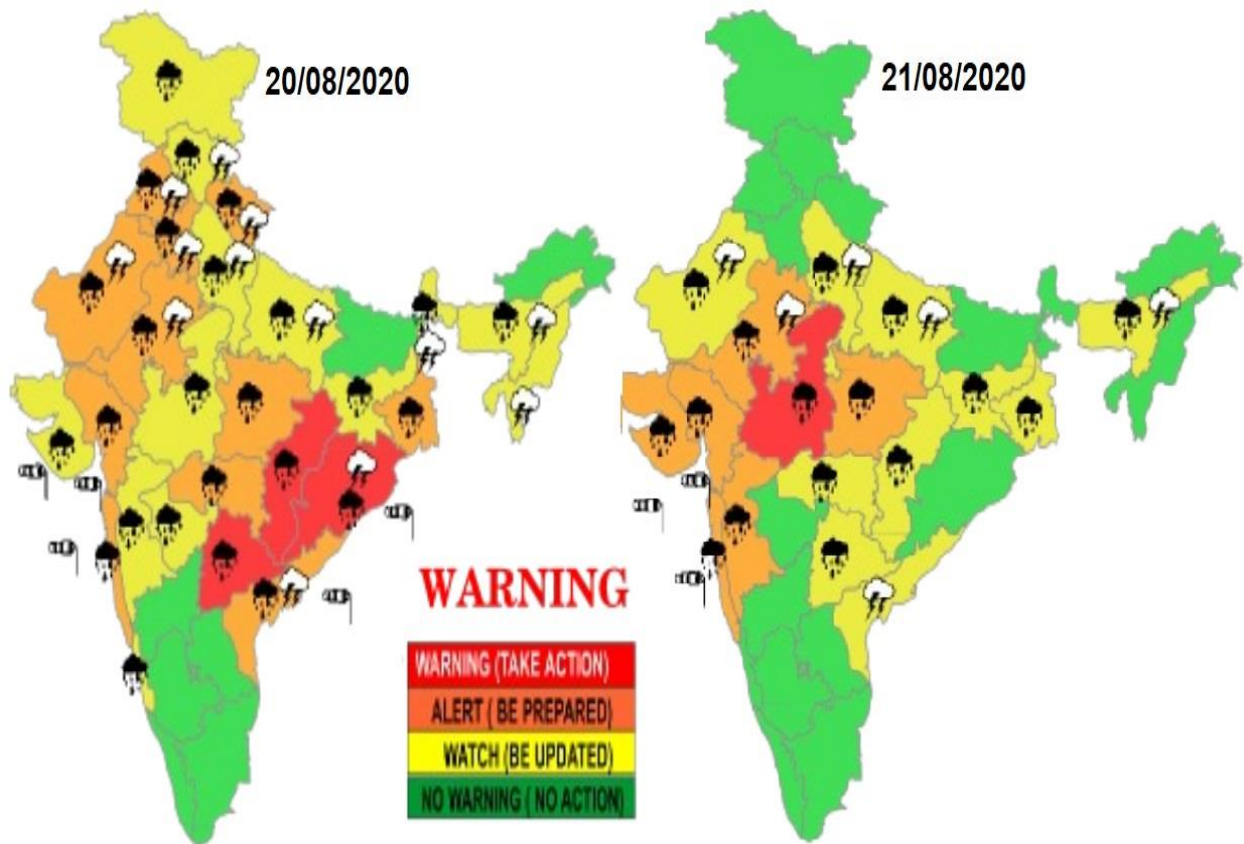


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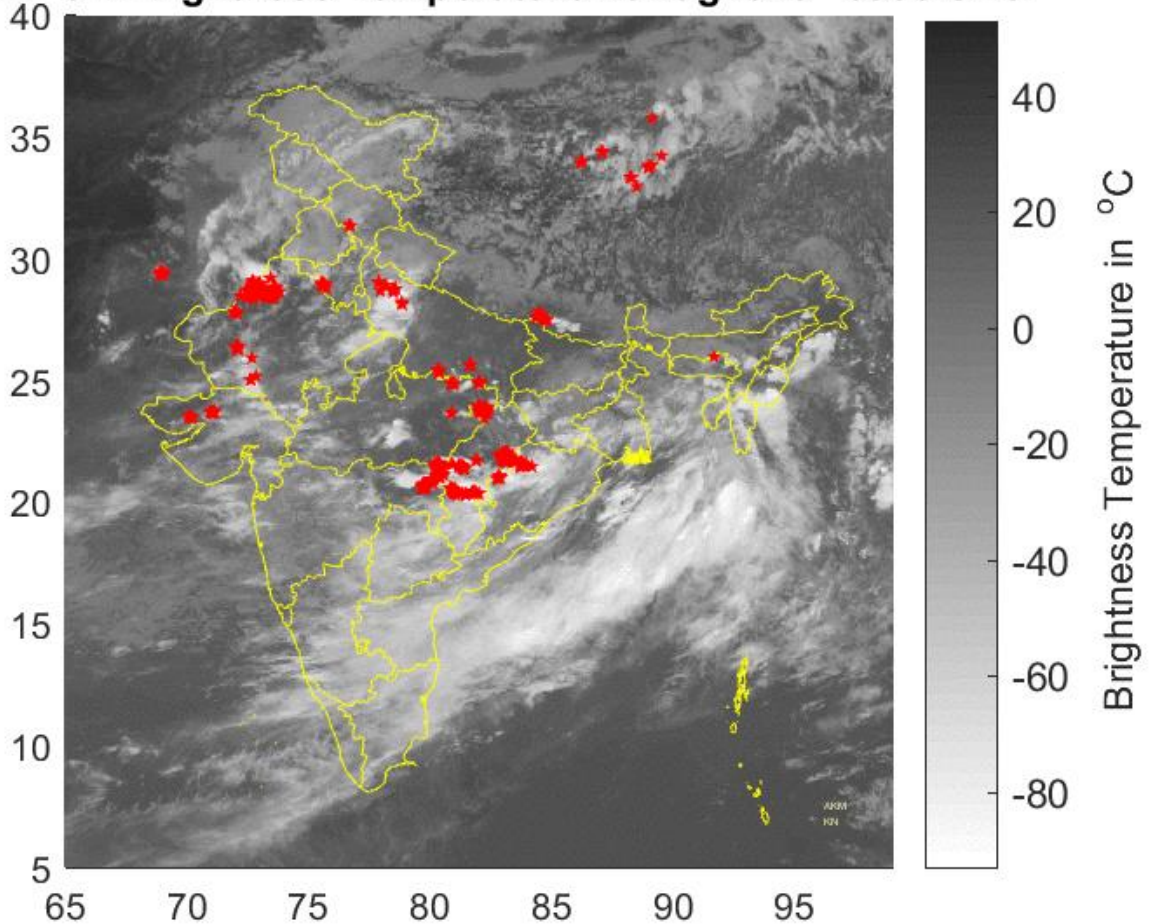
New Delhi, August 20 (Vigyan Samachar): India Meteorological Department (IMD) is issuing an alert for Odisha, Chhattisgarh & Telangana predicting extremely heavy rainfall on 20 August 2020. There is a possibility of very heavy rainfall with isolated extremely heavy rain falls in West Madhya Pradesh on 21st August, East Rajasthan on 22nd August and over Gujarat state during 22nd and 23th August 2020.



As per IMD, monsoon trough is active and lies south of its normal position and likely to shift near south wards and strengthen during next 2-3 day is creating conditions that are favorable for heavy to very heavy rainfall over Odisha on today, the 20 August, over

Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha and Telangana during 20-21 August 2020 and over Gujarat and Rajasthan during next 23 August, 2020. There are also possibilities of heavy to very heavy falls over northwest India including Western Himalayan region on today, the 20 August, 2020 and its intensity & distribution decrease significantly thereafter.

INSAT 3D Brightness Temperature 20Aug2020 0930 UTC



As per the National Weather Forecasting Centre, IMD forecast, there is a heavy probability of thunderstorms with lightning in Uttar Pradesh, Rajasthan, Assam and Meghalaya during 21-22 August 2020. There are also possibilities of moderate thunderstorm accompanied with lightning in Coastal Andhra Pradesh and Yanam during next five days.

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