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Heavy Rain, Strong Winds and Rough seas Advisory

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At 10.30 a.m. 08th October 2018 for the period until 10.30 a.m. on 09th October 2018

For the Sea areas

PLEASE BE AWARE

The possibility of the roughness in the sea areas off the coast extending from Mannar to Hambanthota via Puttalam, Colombo, Galle and Matara is still high with the increase of wind speed up to 70-80 kmph particularly during thundershowers.

Naval and fishing communities are requested to be vigilant in this regards.

For Arabian Sea areas (for multiday boats)

The Depression was in the southeast Arabian Sea is now intensified in to a Cyclonic storm, 'LUBAN' and located near latitude 12.3°N and longitude 62.4°E, 2000 km away from Colombo. It is very likely to intensify further into a severe Cyclonic storm in next 24hrs and move west-northwestwards, away from Sri Lanka.

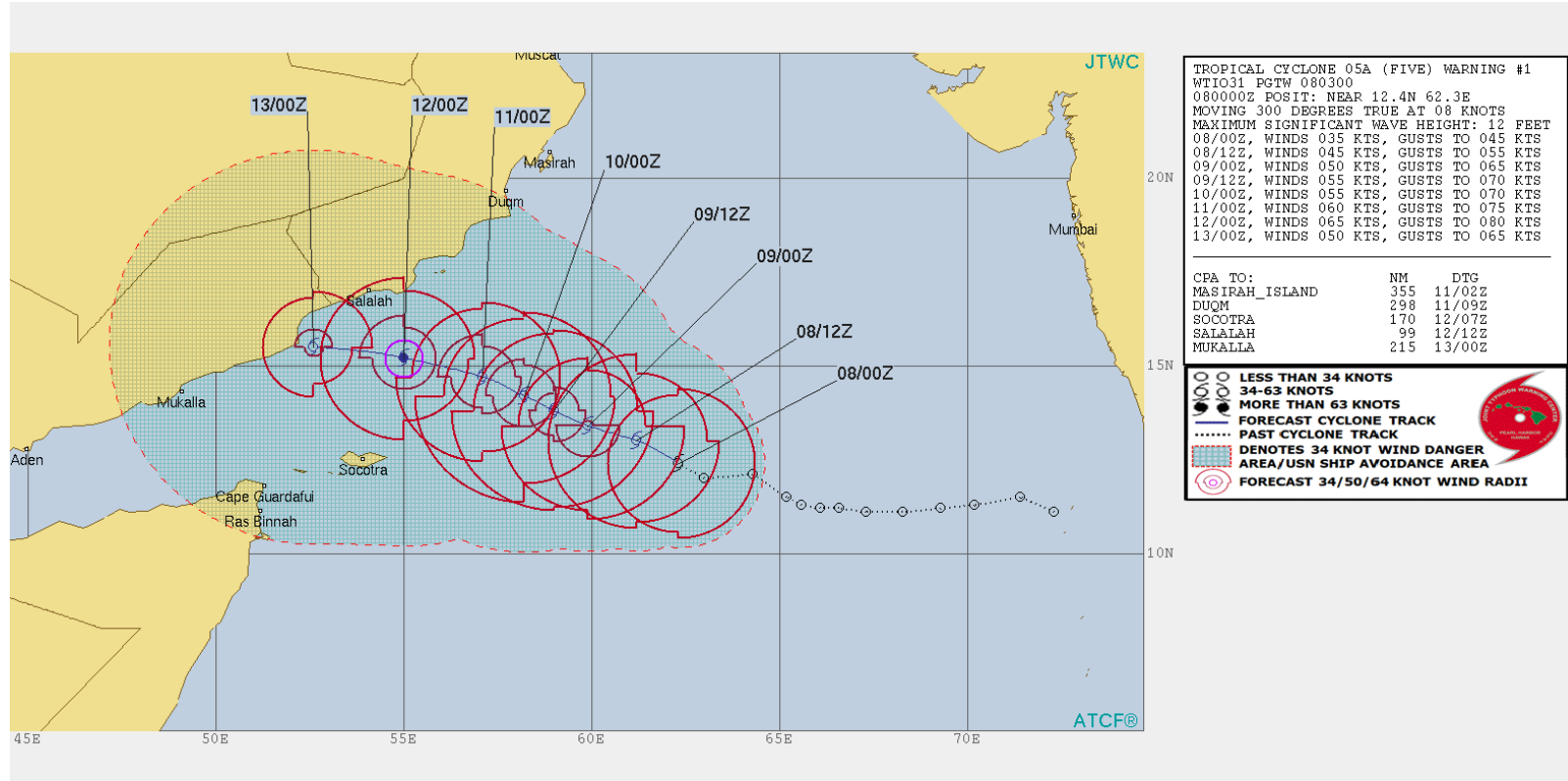
Very heavy showers/thundershowers and very rough seas, very high winds can be expected in the sea areas within 100km to 200 km of the above position.

It is requested to refrain naval and fishing activities in this areas.



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Source: Joint Typhoon Warning Centre

For the Bay Of Bengal Sea areas (for multiday boats)

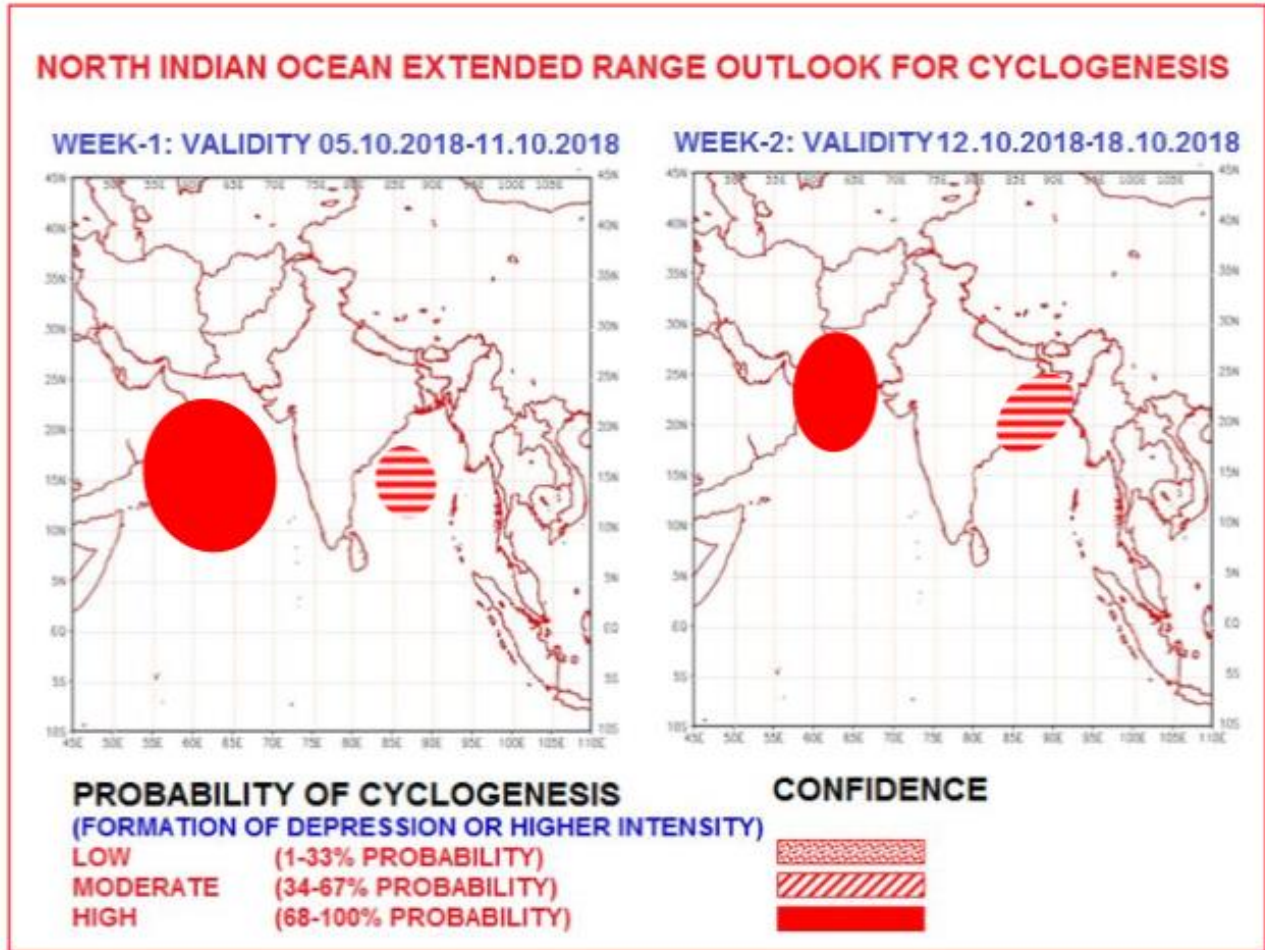
A Low Pressure Area over the central and adjoining South-east Bay of Bengal is now intensified into a well-marked low pressure area and now located near 12.9N, 90.4E. It is very likely to concentrate in to a Depression during next 24hrs and very likely to move northwestwards next few days.

SITUATION AT 9.00 a.m.

The active clouds which were developed in the South-Western and Southern sea area is active over the mentioned sea areas.



FORECAST



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