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DAILY WEATHER REPORT FOR TAMILNADU, PUDUCHERRY & KARAIKAL AREA

Summary of observations over Tamil Nadu and Puducherry recorded at 0830 hrs IST:

Rainfall occurred at one or two places over Tamilnadu and Karaikal area. Very light rainfall occurred over Puducherry.

CHIEF AMOUNT OF RAINFALL IN CENTIMETERS:

KRP Dam (dist Krishnagiri), Keelpennathur (dist Tiruvannamalai) 9 each, Melalathur (dist Vellore), Chengam (dist Tiruvannamalai) 7 each, RSCL-2 Kanjanur (dist Villupuram), Nedungal (dist Krishnagiri), Mettur (dist Salem), RSCL-2 Kedar (dist Villupuram), RSCL-3 Avalurpettai (dist Villupuram), RSCL-2 Nemoor (dist Villupuram) 5 each, Natrampalli (dist Tirupathur), RSCL-2 Soorapattu (dist Villupuram), Hogenekal (dist Dharmapuri), Vellore (dist Vellore), Gudiyatham (dist Vellore), Katpadi (dist Vellore) 4 each, Jamunamarathur (dist Tiruvannamalai), Virinjipuram AWS (dist Vellore), Kalasapakkam (dist Tiruvannamalai), Krishnagiri (dist Krishnagiri), Polur (dist Tiruvannamalai), Rayakottah (dist Krishnagiri), Parangipettai (dist Cuddalore), Tirukoilur ARG (dist Kallakurichi) 3 each, Tirukoilur (dist Kallakurichi), Cuddalore Collector Office (dist Cuddalore), Barur (dist Krishnagiri), TCS Mill Kethandapatti (dist Tirupathur), Chidambaram AWS (dist Cuddalore), RSCL-3 Anandhapuram (dist Villupuram) 2 each, Thandampettai (dist Tiruvannamalai), BASL Manampoondi (dist Villupuram), Cuddalore (dist Cuddalore), Paiyur AWS (dist Krishnagiri), RSCL-2 Koliyanur (dist Villupuram), Jambukuttapatti (dist Krishnagiri), Vilupuram (dist Villupuram), RSCL-2 Mundiampakkam (dist Villupuram), Karaikal (dist Karaikal), Kadavur AWS (dist Karur), Pochampalli ARG (dist Krishnagiri), Tiruvannamalai AWS (Tiruvannamalai), Yelagiri Hill ARG (dist Tirupathur) 1 each.

DESCRIPTION OF TEMPERATURE:

Maximum temperatures observed during the past 24 hours:

During the 24-hr ending 08:30 IST of today (08.05.2024), the maximum temperatures over Tamilnadu were generally **above normal to appreciably above normal** over few places in the plains of interior Tamilnadu and **normal to above normal** over the coastal areas of Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal.

Heat wave condition prevailed at isolated pockets in Interior Tamilnadu.

Highest maximum temperature recorded at **Tiruchirappalli_AP: 42.1°C (+4.0°C) followed**

By Madurai_AP: 41.7°C(+4.1°C),Palayamkottai: 41.5°C (+4.1°C),Madurai City 41.2°C

(+4.7°C),Karur Paramathi41.5°C (+5.2°C),Erode: 40.8°C(+3.3°C),, Vellore: 40.5°C(+1.5°C) and Tiruthani: 40.1°C(+0.2°C).

Plains of the **rest of Interior Tamilnadu** recorded **38-40°C**. The **coastal areas** of Tamilnadu,

Puducherry and Karaikal recorded **35°C to 38°C** and the **hilly areas**, **23°C to 31°C** temperatures.

Chennai recorded normal maximum (MBK:38.6°C, +1.0°C and NBK: 36.1°C, -0.3°C).

MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE (24 HOURS CHANGE):

Markedly rise (4.1° C or more)	-----
Appreciably rise (2.1° C to 4.0° C)	-----
Appreciable fall (-2.1 ° C to -4.0° C)	Over Dharmapuri, Erode, Cuddalore, Salem, Thirupattur, Nilgiris and Vellore districts
Markedly fall (-4.1° C or less)	-----
No large change (-2.1° C to 2.0° C)	Over the rest of the subdivision.

MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE (DEPARTURE):

Markedly above normal (5.1 °C or more)	Over Karur district.
Appreciably above Normal (3.1- 5.0 °C)	Over Erode, Madurai, Tirunelveli, Trichy and Coimbatore (Valparai) districts.
Above normal (1.6° C to 3.0° C)	Over Thanjavur, Coimbatore (AP), Nilgiris, Kanyakumari, Dindigul, Ramanathapuram and Thoothukudi districts.
Below normal (-1.6 ° to -3.0 ° C)	-----
Appreciably below normal (-3.1 to -5.0°C)	-----
Markedly below normal (-5.1 or less)	-----
Normal (-1.5° C to 1.5° C)	Over the rest of the subdivision.

Dharmapuri recorded the lowest minimum temperature of 22.0°C in the plains of the region.

MINIMUM TEMPERATURE (24 HOURS CHANGE):

Markedly rise (4.1° c or more)	Over Salem district.
Appreciable rise (2.1 ° C to 4.0°)	Over Karur, Namakkal districts.
Appreciable fall (-2.1° C to -4.0°)	Over Thirupattur and Vellore districts, Puducherry and Karaikal area.
Markedly fall (-4.1° C or less)	Over Chennai, Cuddalore and Nilgiris district.
No large change (-2.0° C to 2.0° C)	Over the rest of the subdivision.

MINIMUM TEMPERATURE (DEPARTURE):

Markedly above normal (5.0 ° C or more)	-----
Appreciably above Normal (3.1° C to 5.0 ° C)	Over Thanjavur, Madurai and Tirunelveli districts.
Above Normal (1.6 °C to 3.0 °C)	Over Coimbatore, Nilgiris, Kanyakumari, Dindigul, Salem, Trichy, Ramanathapuram and Thoothukudi districts.
Below normal (-1.6 ° to -3.0 ° C)	Over Chennai, Dharmapuri and Thirupattur districts.
Appreciably below normal (- 3.1° C to -5.0°C)	Over Vellore district.
Markedly below normal (- 5.0° C or less)	-----
Normal (-1.5° C to 1.5° C)	Over rest of the subdivision.

Synoptic Meteorological feature:

A cyclonic circulation lies over Tamil Nadu and extends upto 1.5 km above mean sea level. Yesterday's trough/wind discontinuity from East Vidarbha to North Tamil Nadu now runs from Northeast Rajasthan to South Interior Karnataka across Madhya Maharashtra & North Interior Karnataka at 0.9 km above mean sea level.

FORECAST & WARNINGS FOR TAMILNADU AND PUDUCHERRY FOR NEXT SEVEN DAYS

Day 1 (08.05.2024)	Light to moderate rain at a few places with thunderstorm, lightning and gusty winds with speed reaching 30-40 kmph at a few places is likely to occur over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area. Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Theni, Virudhunagar; Hill areas of Tenkasi and Tirunelveli districts of Tamilnadu.
Day 2 (09.05.2024)	Light to moderate rain at a few places with thunderstorm, lightning and gusty winds with speed reaching 30-40 kmph at a few places is likely to occur over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area. Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Karur, Erode, Namakkal and Salem districts of Tamilnadu
Day 3 (10.05.2024)	Light to moderate rain at a few places with thunderstorm, lightning and gusty winds with speed reaching 30-40 kmph at a few places is likely to occur over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area. Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Karur, Erode, Namakkal, Salem, Dharmapuri and Kallakurichi districts of Tamilnadu.
Day 4 (11.05.2024)	Light to moderate rain at a few places with thunderstorm, lightning and gusty winds with speed reaching 30-40 kmph at a few places is likely to occur over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area. Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Hill areas of Coimbatore; Dindigul, Theni, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Tenkasi, Tirunelveli and Kanyakumari districts of Tamilnadu
Day 5 (12.05.2024)	Light to moderate rain at a few places with thunderstorm, lightning and gusty winds with speed reaching 30-40 kmph at a few places is likely to occur over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area.
Day 6 (13.05.2024)	Light to moderate rain is likely to occur at a few places over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area.
Day 7 (14.05.2024)	Light to moderate rain is likely to occur at a few places over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area.

TEMPERATURE FORECAST

Day 1 (08.05.2024) to Day 5 (12.05.2024)	Maximum Temperature: 08.05.2024- 12.05.2024: Maximum temperature is likely to fall gradually upto 2°C during next five days (08.05.2024 to 12.05.2024) over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area.
	08.05.2024- 12.05.2024: Maximum temperature is likely to be generally 2-3°C above normal over the Interior Tamilnadu during the next five days (08.05.2024 to 12.05.2024).
	It is likely to be 40-41°C at a few pockets over the plains of the Interior districts, 38-39°C over the plains of the rest Tamilnadu and 35-37°C over coastal Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area during the next five days. (08.05.2024 to 12.05.2024).
	Relative Humidity 08.05.2024 - 12.05.2024: Humidity is likely to be about 40-55% in the afternoon hours and 50-85% during the rest of the day over the plains of interior districts; and 55-85% over the coastal areas during the next five days (08.05.2024 to 12.05.2024).

HEAVY RAINFALL WARNING

Day 1 (08.05.2024)	Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Theni, Virudhunagar; Hill areas of Tenkasi and Tirunelveli districts of Tamilnadu.
Day 2 (09.05.2024)	Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Karur, Erode, Namakkal and Salem districts of Tamilnadu.
Day 3 (10.05.2024)	Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Karur, Erode, Namakkal, Salem, Dharmapuri and Kallakurichi districts of Tamilnadu.
Day 4 (11.05.2024)	Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Hill areas of Coimbatore; Dindigul, Theni, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Tenkasi, Tirunelveli and Kanyakumari districts of Tamilnadu

THUNDERSTORM WARNING

Day 1 (08.05.2024) to Day 5 (12.05.2024)	Thunderstorm, lightning and gusty winds with speed reaching 30-40 kmph is likely to occur at one or two places over Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area.
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TEMPERATURE WARNING

Day 1 (08.05.2024) & Day 2 (09.05.2024)	Due to humid air & high temperatures, hot & discomfort weather is very likely to prevail at isolated pockets over Interior Tamilnadu, Puducherry and Karaikal area
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LOCAL FORECAST FOR CHENNAI CITY AND NEIGHBOURHOOD

For next 24 hours	Sky condition is likely to be partly cloudy. Light to Moderate rain is likely to occur in some areas during evening/night. Maximum temperature is likely to be 35-36°C and Minimum temperature is likely to be 26-27°C .
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For next 48 hours

Sky condition is likely to be partly cloudy. Light to Moderate rain is likely to occur in some areas during evening/night. Maximum temperature is likely to be **35-36°C** and Minimum temperature is likely to be **26-27°C**.

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OBSERVATIONS RECORDED AT 0830 HRS IST OF DATE:08-05-2024 (18 Vaisakha 1946 SAKA)

Stations	Temperature Degrees celsius				Humidity percentage		Rainfall					Weather remarks
	Maximum		Minimum		At 0830 Hrs IST	Dep. from normal	Millimeters			Centimeters		
	Past 24 Hrs	Dep. from normal	Past 24 Hrs	Dep. from normal			Past 24 Hrs	Seasons total from	Departure from normal	Year's total from	Annual normal	
	°C	°C	°C	°C	%	%	mm	1-3-2024	mm	1-1-2024	cm	
Adiramapattinam	36.7	2.5	30.1	3.3	73	-2	0.0	17.7	-90.4	5	124	
Chennai	36.1	-0.3	25.9	-2.2	63	-7	0.5	0.5	-30.4	7	140	
Chennai_AP	38.6	1.0	24.8	-2.8	61	-7	1.0	1.0	-40.9	8	138	r*
Coimbatore_AP	38.0	2.9	26.3	2.3	70	-7	0.0	0.0	-61.4	2	59	z*
Coonoor	26.5	2.2	17.8	2.1	85	12	0.0	219.2	-14.3	37	159	r*
Cuddalore	36.4	0.4	25.3	-1.5	96	24	12.8	12.8	-35.7	17	134	r*
Dharmapuri	36.2	-0.3	22.0	-2.5	90	22	6.0	47.2	-49.9	5	91	r*
Erode	40.8	3.3	22.4	-0.8	68	3	0.0	4.6	--	2	--	
Kanyakumari	35.2	2.5	27.9	1.7	67	-9	0.0	82.3	-18.9	9	75	
KarurParamathi	41.5	5.2	26.0	1.0	66	-7	0.0	0.0	-72.4	2	59	
Karaikal	36.0	0.3	25.8	-1.2	100	25	7.6	9.6	-57.1	24	150	r*
Kodaikanal	22.9	2.0	14.6	1.7	87	14	0.0	42.0	-186.9	13	158	
Madurai_City	41.2	4.7	25.0	-0.3	72	-1	0.0	13.5	--	2	--	
Madurai_AP	41.7	4.1	29.2	3.2	59	-7	0.0	16.2	-72.4	3	85	
Nagapattinam	36.1	0.5	27.6	0.5	73	-3	0.0	0.5	-68.9	29	143	
Namakkal	40.0	--	22.5	--	NA	--	0.0	11.0	--	3	--	
Palayamkottai	41.5	4.1	29.6	3.5	66	-6	0.0	2.0	-108.9	5	73	
Pamban	36.4	2.1	29.4	1.3	76	0	0.0	51.9	-29.1	12	91	
Parangipettai	34.5	--	23.0	--	95	--	24.2	24.2	-34.3	17	139	r*
Puducherry	36.2	0.2	26.8	-0.3	80	6	tr	0.0	-56.7	18	134	d*
Salem	38.3	1.1	27.5	2.3	65	-7	0.0	22.4	-64.2	2	102	
Thanjavur	40.0	--	29.0	--	71	--	0.0	1.0	-56.1	6	95	
Thirupattur	37.4	0.2	22.8	-2.3	47	-25	1.4	13.8	-54.4	2	95	r*
Tiruchirappalli_AP	42.1	4.0	29.0	2.3	75	6	0.0	0.0	-59.8	1	87	m*
Tiruthani	40.1	0.2	25.8	-0.6	60	0	0.0	0.0	-52.1	3	101	
Tondi	36.6	2.6	29.5	2.4	68	-7	0.0	18.4	-80.8	5	88	
Thoothukudi	36.0	2.0	28.6	2.4	73	-4	0.0	52.3	-46.0	12	63	
Udagamandalam	23.2	0.8	14.9	2.7	89	13	0.0	33.2	-102.9	9	116	
Valparai	31.0	3.6	16.0	-1.3	91	2	0.0	50.8	-143.0	15	290	
Vellore	40.5	1.5	22.6	-3.2	95	26	38.0	51.9	-10.2	8	103	r*

*Weather at 0830 hours IST. Other remarks refer to preceding 24 hours. NA-Not avble D-Duststorm I-Lightning d-drizzle m-mist s-snow r-rain h-hail f-fog p-shower z-haze t-thunderstorm tr-rainfall not measurable. Tr-rainfall 0.01 to 0.49 cm AP-Airport plus sign omitted when departures above normal.

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REGIONAL METEOROLOGICAL CENTRE, CHENNAI							
Districtwise daily / seasonal rainfall distribution for Tamil Nadu & Puducherry							
PRE-MONSOON RAINFALL 2024		08.05.2024			From 01.03.2024 to 08.05.2024		
CODE	NAME	ACTUAL in mm	NORMAL in mm	PDN*	ACTUAL in mm	NORMAL in mm	PDN*
	STATES						
31	TAMIL NADU	3.1	2.5	24	26.3	77.5	-66
	MET. SUBDIVISIONS						
31	TAMIL NADU & PUDUCHERRY						
534	ARIYALUR	0.0	2.1	-100	1.9	44.9	-96
687	CHENGALPATTU	0.0	2.6	-100	0.0	34.4	-100
461	CHENNAI	0.1	3.2	-95	0.1	26.9	-99
462	COIMBATORE	0.0	2.2	-100	11.4	101.4	-89
463	CUDDALORE	2.6	2.7	-2	2.6	52.0	-95
464	DHARMAPURI	6.3	3.8	65	60.3	87.8	-31
465	DINDIGUL	0.0	2.6	-100	122.6	111.8	10
466	ERODE	0.1	1.8	-93	15.0	85.0	-82
688	KALLAKURICHI	2.4	2.9	-16	2.4	44.4	-95
467	KANCHEEPURAM	0.0	3.0	-100	1.0	38.6	-98
468	KANYAKUMARI	0.0	4.1	-100	73.3	179.6	-59
636	KARAIKAL	7.6	0.6	1167	9.6	66.7	-86
469	KARUR	0.5	1.9	-73	8.3	63.1	-87
470	KRISHNAGIRI	14.5	2.8	417	37.9	76.5	-50
471	MADURAI	0.0	2.6	-100	19.2	90.9	-79
695	MAYILADUTHURAI	0.0	1.2	-100	0.0	56.1	-100
472	NAGAPATTINAM	0.0	1.0	-100	17.0	63.0	-73
473	NAMAKKAL	0.0	1.4	-100	3.4	77.1	-96
474	NILGIRIS	0.0	3.2	-100	50.5	133.4	-62
475	PERAMBALUR	0.0	2.6	-100	0.0	46.1	-100
476	PUDUCHERRY	0.0	1.7	-100	0.0	56.7	-100
477	PUDUKKOTTAI	0.0	2.0	-100	8.5	51.4	-83
478	RAMANATHAPURAM	0.0	1.8	-100	67.0	83.8	-20
689	RANIPET	0.0	1.5	-100	0.0	41.2	-100
479	SALEM	2.8	3.1	-8	16.0	88.6	-82
480	SIVAGANGA	0.0	3.5	-100	8.1	83.4	-90
690	TENKASI	0.0	2.3	-100	35.9	148.3	-76
481	THANJAVUR	0.0	1.7	-100	10.1	62.0	-84
482	THENI	0.0	2.8	-100	34.0	126.6	-73
483	TIRUNELVELI	0.0	1.4	-100	76.2	107.4	-29
691	TIRUPATTUR	10.1	4.1	146	41.3	56.3	-27
535	TIRUPPUR	0.0	2.1	-100	1.2	77.0	-99
484	TIRUVALLUR	0.0	2.8	-100	0.3	36.7	-99
485	TIRUVANNAMALAI	21.5	2.7	696	28.9	51.0	-43
486	TIRUVARUR	0.0	2.1	-100	6.5	65.8	-90
488	TOOTHUKUDI	0.0	1.9	-100	14.9	89.7	-83
487	TRICHY	0.0	3.9	-100	3.7	57.3	-94
489	VELLORE	30.3	3.3	819	51.9	55.0	-6
490	VILLUPURAM	14.9	2.2	576	14.9	36.0	-59
491	VIRUDHUNAGAR	0.0	2.8	-100	36.3	102.9	-65
	SUBDIVISION RAINFALL	3.1	2.5	24	26.2	77.5	-66
LEGEND	PDN*	Percentage Departure from Normal					
		Rainfall for the 24 hrs ending at 0630 hrs of date					



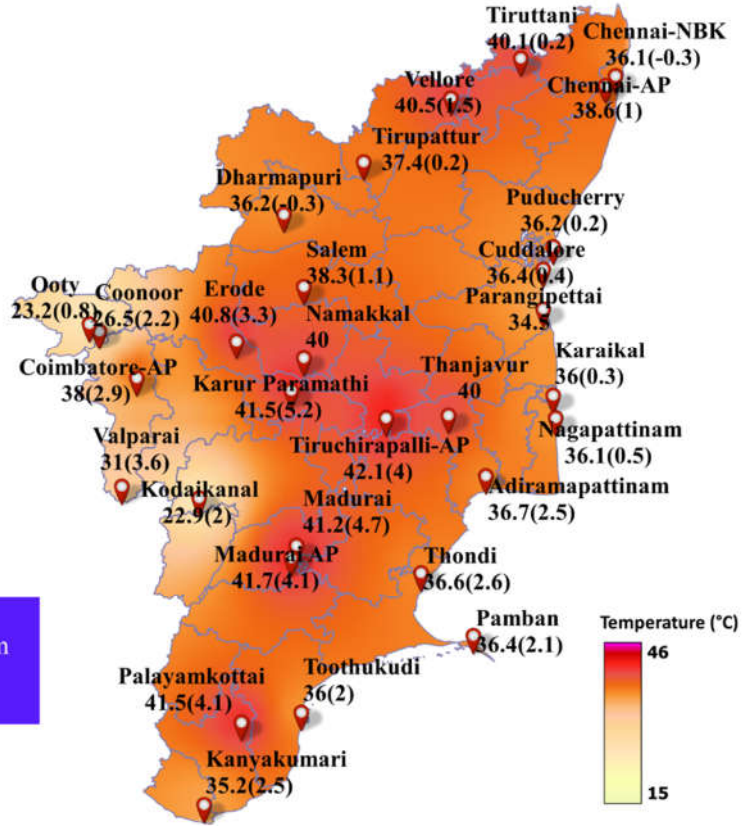
Realised Maximum Temperature (°C) in the past 24 Hrs (upto 0830 IST of 08/05/2024) and its departure from normal(°C)



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The highest temperature recorded : 42.1°C
Place : Tiruchirapalli-AP

N.B. The departure from normal maximum temperature is given in brackets.



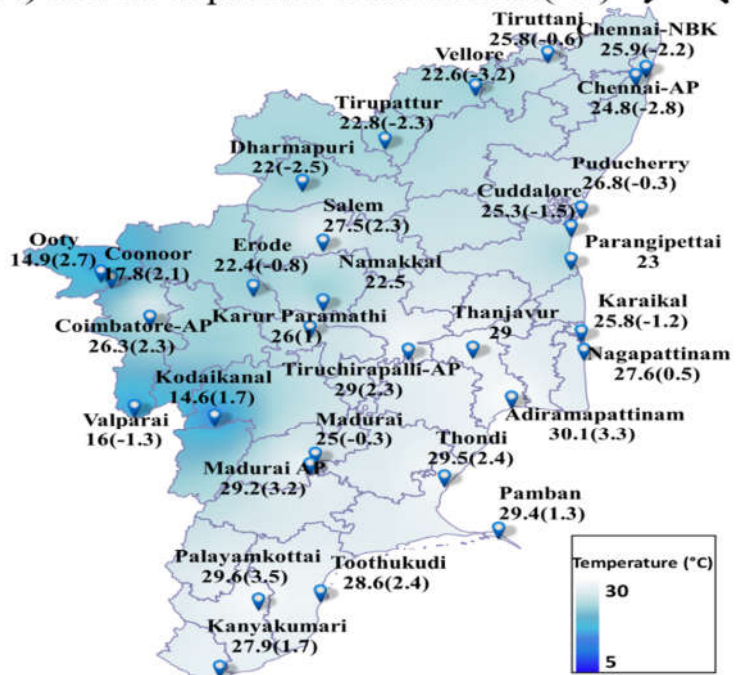
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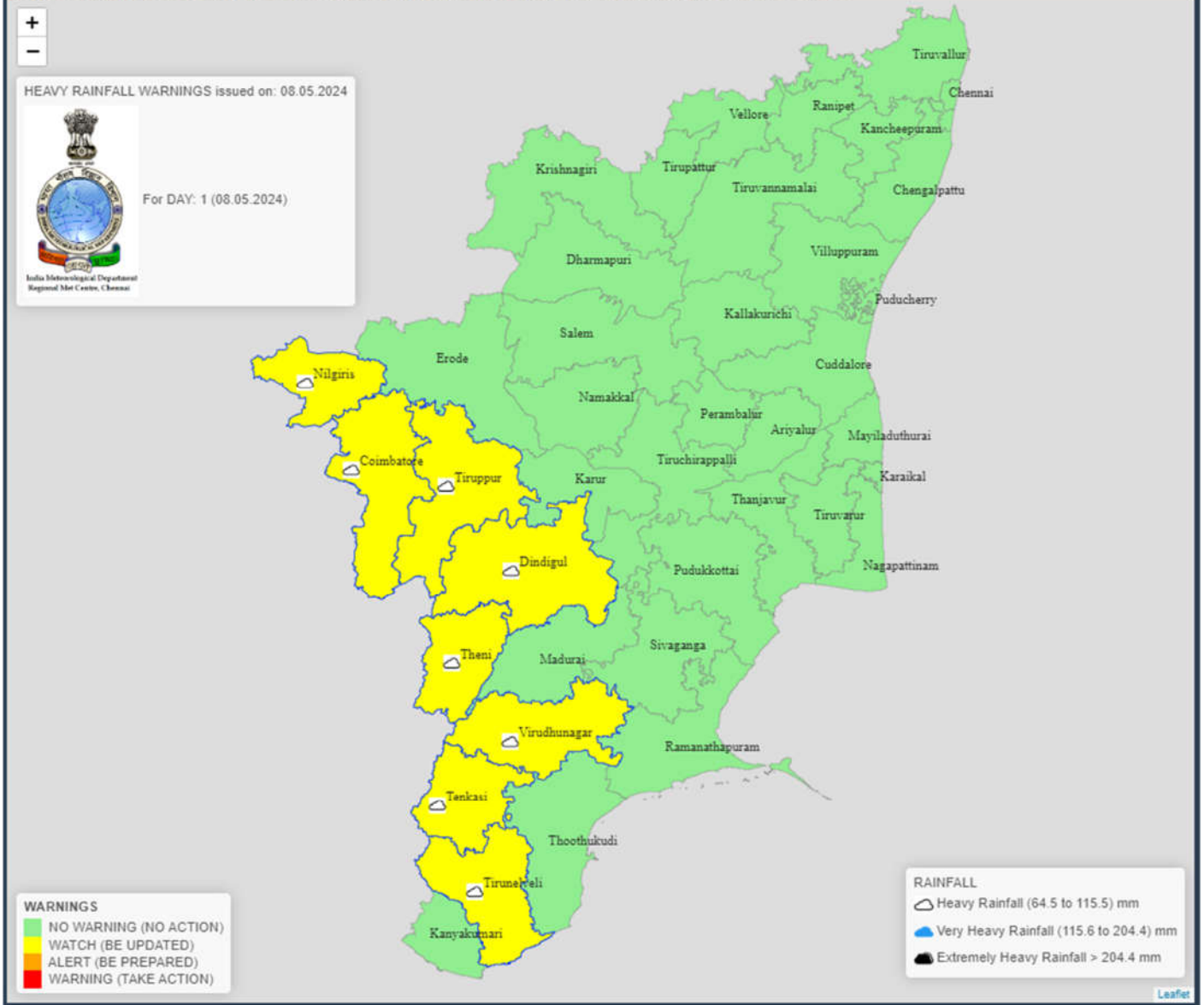
The lowest temperature recorded in the plains : 22° C
Place : Dharmapuri
The lowest temperature recorded in the hilly region : 14.6° C
Place : Kodaikanal

N.B. The departure from normal minimum temperature is given in brackets.



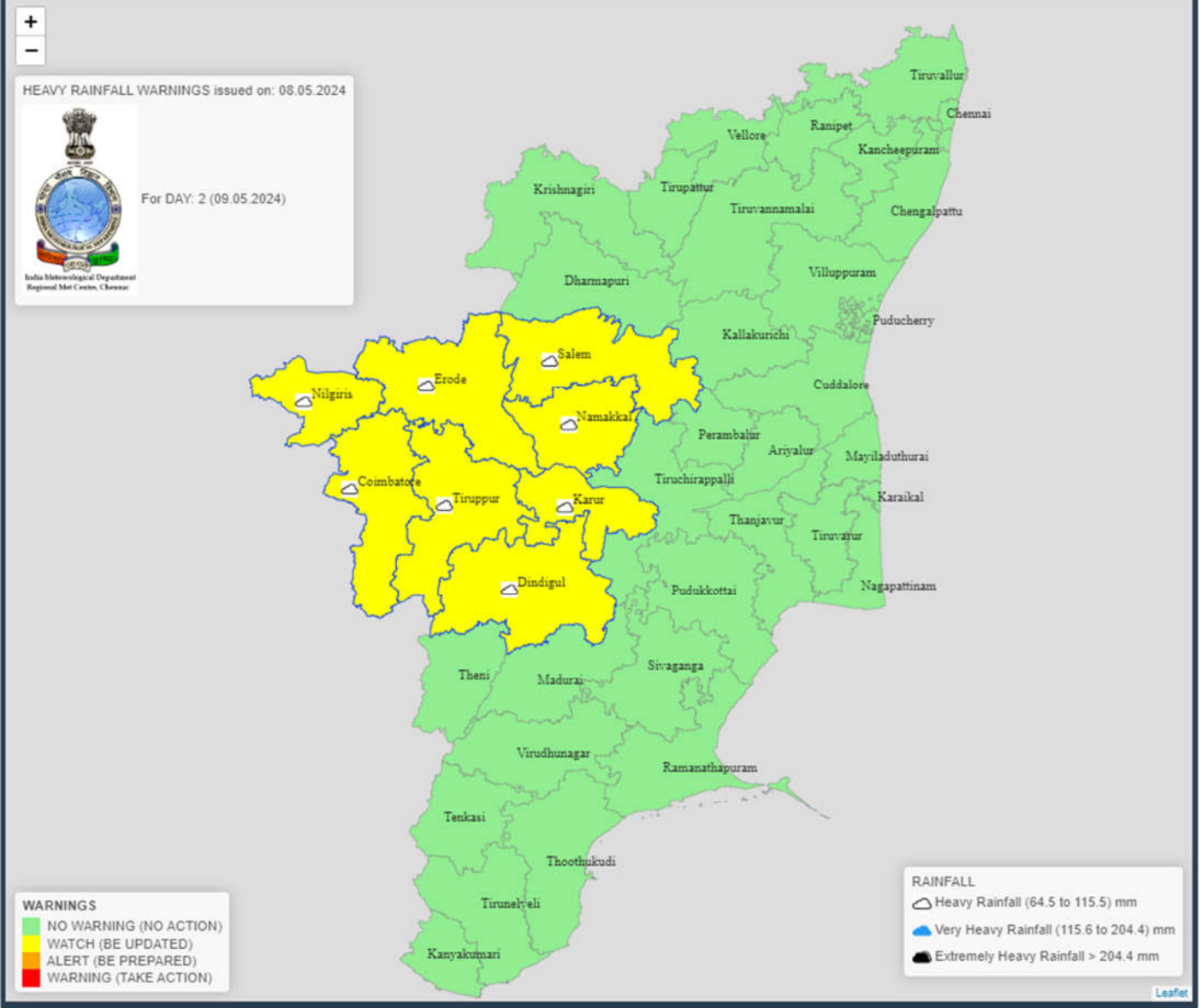
Heavy Rainfall Warning for Day 1 (08.05.2024)

Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Theni, Virudhunagar, Tenkasi and Tirunelveli.



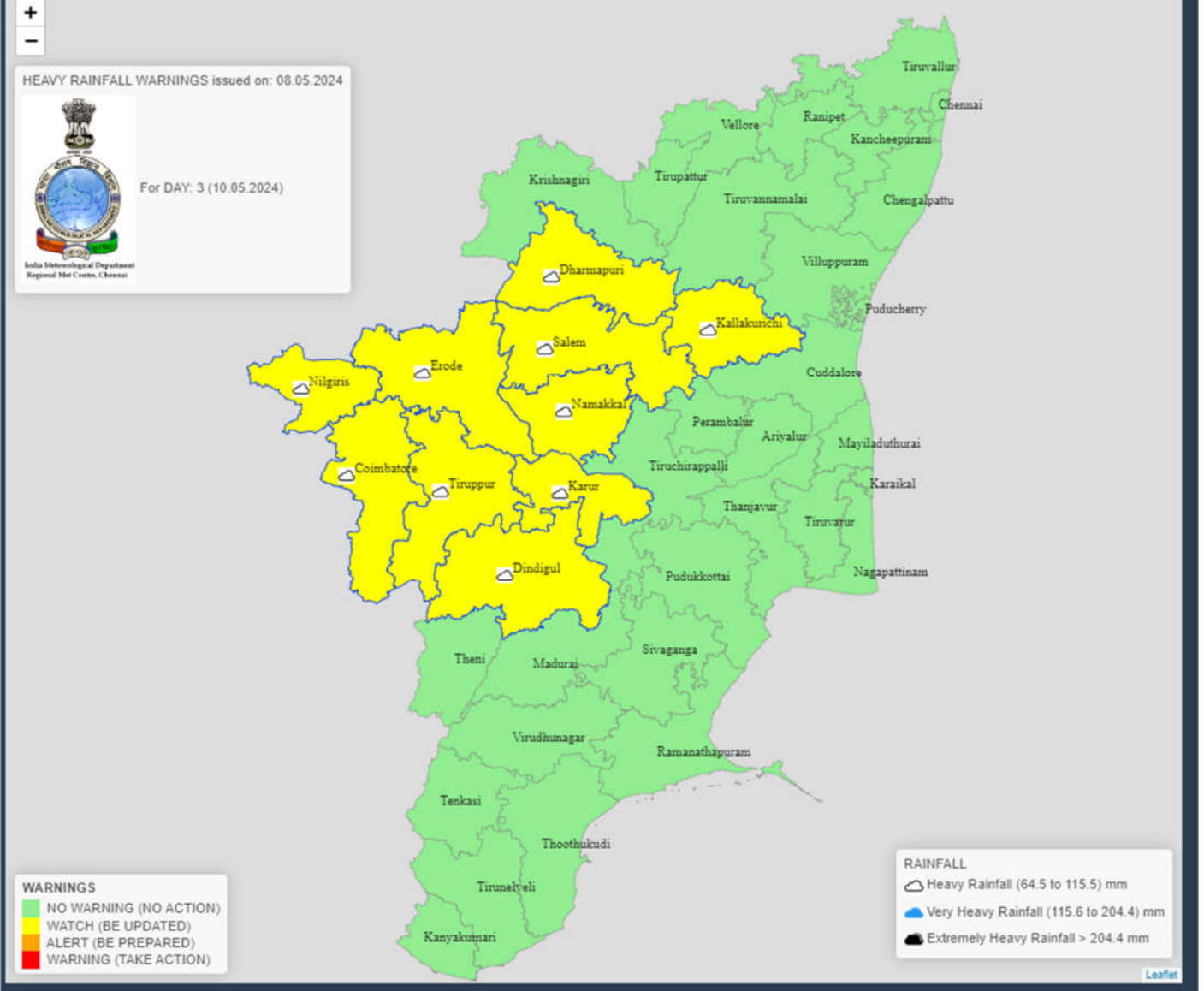
Heavy Rainfall Warning for Day 2 (09.05.2024)

Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Erode, Tiruppur, Salem, Namakkal, Karur and Dindigul.



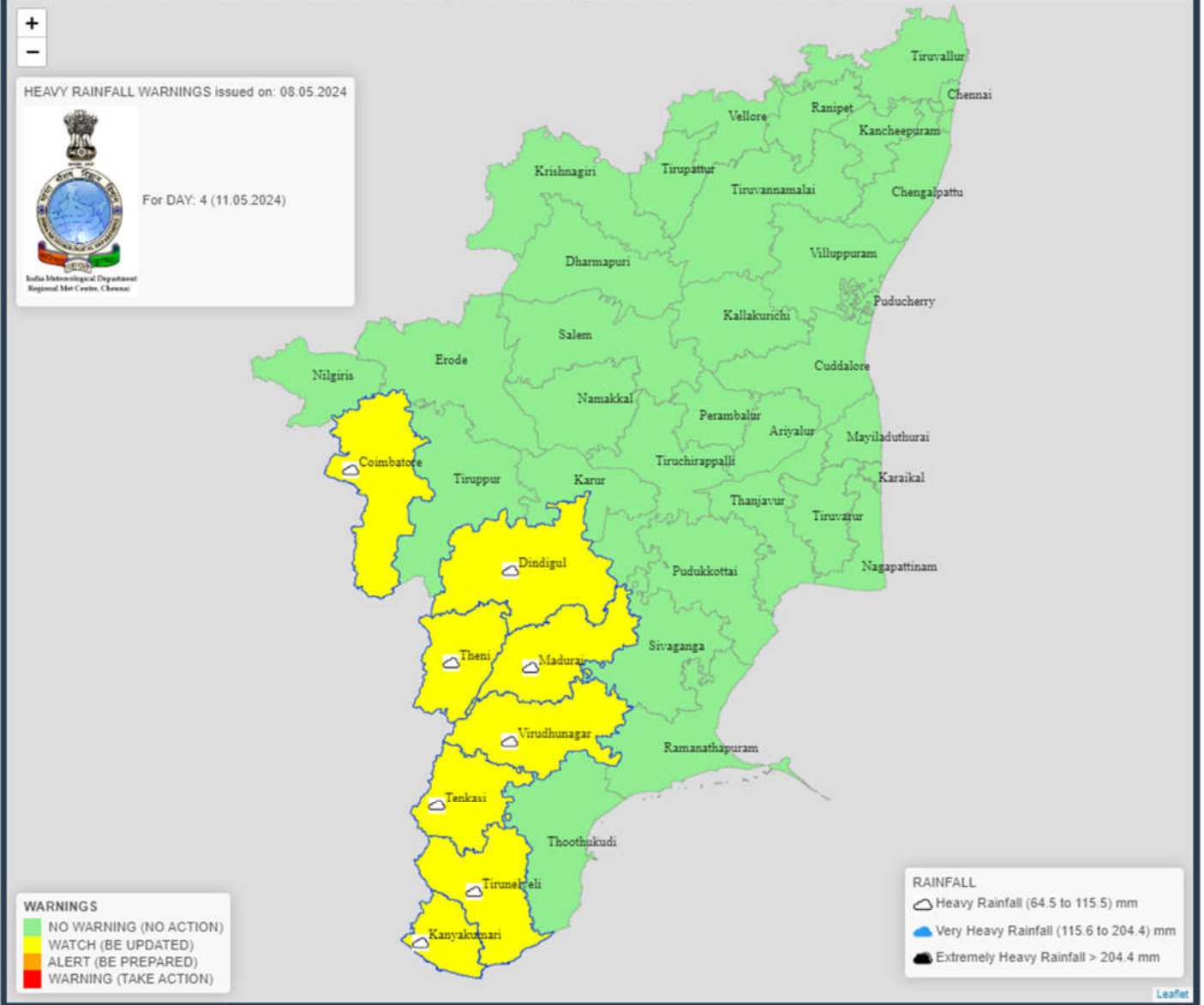
Heavy Rainfall Warning for Day 3 (10.05.2024)

Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Nilgiris, Tiruppur, Coimbatore, Erode, Dindigul, Karur, Namakkal, Salem, Dharmapuri and Kallakurichi.



Heavy Rainfall Warning for Day 4 (11.05.2024)

Heavy rain is likely to occur at isolated places over Coimbatore, Dindigul, Theni, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Tenkasi, Tirunelveli and Kanyakumari.



Legends:

North Tamil Nadu (NTN) districts	Chennai, Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Cuddalore, Villupuram, Tirupattur, Vellore, Ranipet, Kallakurichi, Tiruvannamalai, Krishnagiri, Dharmapuri, Salem, Namakkal, Karur, Erode, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Mayiladuthurai, Nagapattinam, Pudukottai, Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Tiruchirapalli, Ariyalur, Perambalur.
South Tamil Nadu (STN) districts	Dindigul, Theni, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Sivagangai, Ramanathapuram, Thoothukudi, Thenkasi, Tirunelveli, Kanyakumari.
Interior Tamil Nadu (ITN) districts	Tirupattur, Vellore, Ranipet, Kallakurichi, Tiruvannamalai, Kancheepuram, Krishnagiri, Dharmapuri, Salem, Namakkal, Karur, Erode, Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Tiruchirapalli, Ariyalur, Perambalur, Sivagangai, Virudhunagar, Theni, Dindigul, Madurai, Thenkasi.
North interior Tamil Nadu (NITN) districts	Tirupattur, Vellore, Ranipet, Kallakurichi, Tiruvannamalai, Kancheepuram, Krishnagiri, Dharmapuri, Salem, Namakkal, Karur, Erode, Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Tiruchirapalli, Ariyalur and Perambalur.
South interior Tamil Nadu (SITN) districts	Sivagangai, Virudhunagar, Theni, Dindigul, Madurai, Thenkasi.
Coastal Tamil Nadu (CTN) districts	Tiruvallur, Chennai, Chengalpattu, Villupuram, Cuddalore, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Mayiladuthurai, Nagapattinam, Pudukottai, Ramanathapuram, Thoothukudi, Tirunelveli, Kanyakumari.
North Coastal Tamil Nadu (NCTN) districts	Tiruvallur, Chennai, Chengalpattu, Villupuram, Cuddalore, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Mayiladuthurai, Nagapattinam, Pudukottai.
South Coastal Tamil Nadu (SCTN) districts	Ramanathapuram, Thoothukudi, Tirunelveli, Kanyakumari.
Delta Districts	Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Pudukottai and Karaikal area.
Delta and Adjoining districts	Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Pudukottai, Karaikal and Tiruchirapalli, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Cuddalore.
Western Ghat districts	Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Theni, Dindigul, Thenkasi, Virudhunagar
PDC	Puducherry and Karaikal

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