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BACKGROUND

India has along coastline (about 6000 km) and a significant fraction of her population resides in coastal area, the most densely populated being the deltas along the east coast. Flooding and erosion associated with changes in coastal sea level therefore have a major impact on life and property. Other vulnerable areas include offshore drilling platforms, which now account for a large fraction of India's indigenous petroleum and natural-gas resources. The east coast is particularly vulnerable because of the large number of cyclones and storms that form in the Bay of Bengal. For example, the super cyclone that crossed Orissa during October, 1999 caused a loss of about 10,000 lives, besides causing tremendous destruction to property. Though the occurrences of these incidents are more along the east coast, the west coast is also not free from such events. During the onslaught of a cyclone into a coastal region, the maximum damage is created by the storm surges. These damages include destruction to life and property, besides losses in agricultural production due to the intrusion of saline waters into the field. Thus, the study on impacts of extreme sea level in the coastal regions of India becomes extremely important.

Global warming is expected to cause an increase in sea level. The analysis of sea level data in the 20 th century shows an increase in sea level between 1.0 and 2.0 mm/year. However, projections for the future are much higher. A sea level rise of 0.09 to 0.88 m is projected for 1990 to 2100 for different scenarios (Inter Governmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), 2001). Low lying areas in coastal areas will be particularly vulnerable to the sea level rise. Moreover, the increase in mean sea level will cause increased flood risks associated with storm surges.

OBJECTIVES

The present project envisages a study on the impact of climate change on extreme

sea level variability along the coast of India. The main objectives can be listed as follows.

Objective 1

To describe the present scenario on extreme sea level variability along the Indian coasts.

Objective 2

To study the impact of cyclones and storm surges in the coastal regions of India.

Objective 3

To estimate the long term change in mean sea level along the Indian coasts.

Objective 4

To analyse regional climate model data for the northern Indian Ocean for future climate.

Objective 5

To estimate return periods of extreme sea level in the event of sea level rise in future.

INTRODUCTION

Extreme sea level variability along the coast of India" is a part of the Indo-UK project on "Impacts of Climate Change in India". The impacts of climate change in coastal regions can occur mainly due to (i) an increase in mean sea level and (ii) an increase in the extreme sea level events (storm surges) due to a possible increase in the occurrence of tropical cyclones. The present project mainly dealt with the latter aspect. It is of particular concern to India in view of the damages that occur along the east coast of India from the cyclones that form in the Bay of Bengal. Any increase in the frequency or intensity of tropical disturbances in future will cause increased damages to life and property in the coastal regions.

Recent studies on the occurrence of cyclones in the Bay of Bengal has shown no increase in the trend of occurrence of tropical cyclones in the last century, rather shows a slight decrease (Rupa Kumar et al., 2002; Bhaskar Rao et al., 2001). However, on a global scale, Haarsma et al. (1993) examined tropical disturbances in a GCM with 2.5 0 × 3.75 0 grid resolution. They showed that in spite of the coarse resolution, GCM could reveal essential features of the tropical cyclones, and found that the effect of doubling of CO₂ in global climate model simulations showed an increase in the number of tropical disturbances, particularly intense events. In the present work, we examined the frequency distribution of cyclones in future climate by analysing the results of a regional model for the northern Indian Ocean (HadRM2).

In India, studies on storm surges had been mainly based on numerical modelling. These studies started in the 1970's (Das, 1972) and later more sophisticated models were employed (see Murty et al., 1986; Dube and Gaur, 1995) to simulate storm surges using the input of cyclone parameters such as the track of the cyclone and core pressure, besides the bathymetry of the region. However, little effort has gone into analysis of tide gauge records for studying these events along the Indian coasts. Observations of surges will be very useful in validating the present models to improve their prediction capabilities. In the present project, we analyse the past tide gauge records to identify and quantify the extreme sea level events. Though there are instances of break-down of tide gauges during the occurrence of severe cyclonic events, there do exist sufficient data during the analysis period in order to identify surges during many severe cyclonic events. In the present work, we analysed the hourly tide gauge data of 15 years duration to identify extreme sea level events and use statistical methods to determine their return periods (Task 1).

The above analysis covered both west and east coasts of India. The descriptive part of the study and the study of impacts were covered for both the coasts. However, the statistical analysis for estimating the return periods was made to the east coast only. This is mainly because the occurrence of extreme sea level events is much more along the east coast than the west coast. Moreover, the number of extreme events in the stations along the west coast during the period of analysis is not enough to carry out a statistical analysis.

Studies on impact of extreme sea level in the coastal regions form a part of the present project. In the event of an onslaught of a cyclone into a coastal region, the maximum damage is created by storm surges. In the present study, the damages of

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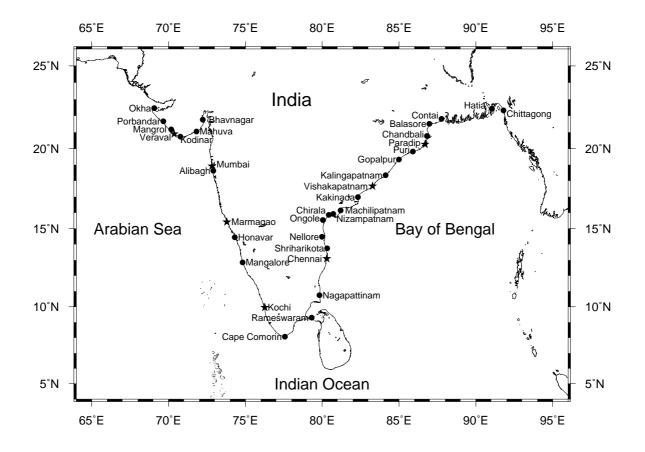


Figure 1. The location map. The stars indicate tide gauge stations.

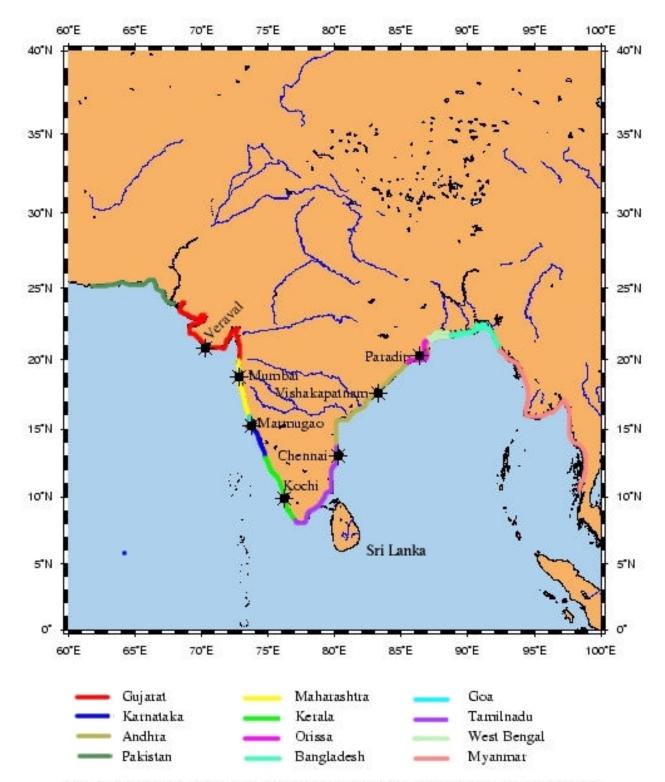


Fig. 2: Coast line of the States of India and adjoining countries, viz., Pakistan, Bangladesh and Myanmar (Burma).

cyclones and storm surges in coastal regions along the Indian coasts during past 50 years were documented (Task 2).

Global warming is expected to cause increase in sea level. Increase in sea level will cause increased risks associated with storm surges, even if the frequency and intensity of storms will remain unchanged. Though the main theme of the present project is on analysis of extreme sea level, we also estimated the mean sea level rise at selected tide gauge stations along the Indian coasts. The monthly mean sea level at selected stations were analysed to estimate long term changes in sea level (Task 3).

The impact of climate change on extreme sea level was addressed by analysing the data from the regional model for the northern Indian Ocean, HadRM2 (Task 4). The parameters analysed were sea level pressure and near surface winds, air temperature and precipitation. The results for a control run of the model and for a simulation with doubled green house gases (GHG) were analysed for the period 2041-2060.

A two-dimensional barotropic model was developed for the Bay of Bengal region for the simulation of storm surges. The model forced with HadRM2 winds were used to analyse the storm surge events in future climate.

The estimates of return periods for a future scenario of sea level rise (Task 5) were made. The estimate of the projected sea level rise for 2050 from global models (HadCM3) was used to calculate the return periods of extreme sea level in future.

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METHODOLOGY

Task 1: Identification of extreme sea level events from tide gauge record and estimation of their return periods

This section deals with the analysis of tide gauge data at six locations along the coasts of India. The main objectives are (i) to identify and describe storm surge events in a record of 15 years and (ii) to estimate their return periods. This provides a qualitative and quantitative description of the present scenario on extreme sea level variability along the Indian coasts. It forms the basic information, on which variability in future climate scenario can be built.

(i) Identification of extreme sea level events along the Indian coasts

The tide gauge locations along the Indian coasts are shown in Fig.1. In Fig.2, the coastal boundary of different States of India are shown. Hourly tide gauge data (1974-1988), provided by the Geodetic and Research (G & R) Branch, Survey of India, Dehra Dun were used for the present analysis. The stations analysed are Paradip, Vishaphapatnam, Chennai (earlier known as Madras), Kochi (earlier known as Cochin), Marmugao and Mumbai (earlier known as Bombay). Though the data set contains 15 years of data, there do exist some gaps in the data due to the non functioning of the tide gauge. The details of the data gaps are provided in Annexure – I (Volume II).

A careful editing of the hourly tide gauge data was done. One problem that is often encountered is what is known as quasi-tidal oscillations, in which there is a leakage of energy from non-tidal signal to tidal frequencies. These kinds of oscillations were reported elsewhere, for example, along the British coasts (Dixon and Tawn, 1994). In the present records, there are a few instances of these oscillations, and data pertaining to them were removed for further analysis. There are also a few cases of datum shifts, which are mentioned in the data records of the Survey of India and these shifts have been incorporated.

Observed sea level consists of tides and 'residuals'. Tides are deterministic and can be predicted. Based on the harmonic constants that are available for the concerned port, the sea level variation due to tides at any location can be computed from

$$H = h_{mean} + \sum H_n f_n \cos \left[\sigma_n t - g_n + (V_n + u_n) \right]$$
(1)

Where n varies from 1 to N. h_{mean} is the mean sea level at a location, t is the time, n refers to the tidal constituent and σ_n , H_n and g_n are the frequency, amplitude and the phase of the constituent n. $(V_n + u_n)$ adjusts the phases to allow for astronomical conditions at the time of origin of the data. f_n is the node factor, which varies from year to year. We used N=58 for our analysis. The analysis of data from a location consisted of using a year long time series of hourly sea level. The data were fitted to the above equation using a least-square technique. The smooth fitted curve was then subtracted from the data to determine the residuals. This was done by using the software package, TASK (Anonymous, 1996).

Residuals, determined by removing the predicted tides from the observed sea level, are mostly due to surges. Sundar et al. (1999) identified three typical storm surge events along the east coast of India from the tide gauge records and studied the evolution of these events along with the corresponding meteorological fields of surface pressure and winds. This preliminary analysis motivated us to look into the entire data set spanning 15 years to make a statistical analysis. The extreme events identified during this period are presented in the form of tables in the first report called "Report on Scenario " (Anonymous, 2002a). They are also presented in Annexure - II (Volume II). In these tables, the parameters listed are the observed maximum sea level during the event, the maximum surge value and a brief description of the meteorological event, such as the track of the cyclone and the core pressure (IDWR and Mausam, 1974 - 1988) that occurred during the surge event.

(ii) Statistical analysis of hourly tide gauge data

The preliminary analysis, in which three storm surges were identified and described by Sundar et al. (1999), motivated us to look into the entire data set and make a statistical analysis. The statistical analysis is primarily meant for determining the probabilities of occurrence of extreme sea level and estimating their return periods. This analysis was done for three stations along the east coast of India, namely, Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai (Unnikrishnan et al., 2004). Two independent methods were applied, namely, (i) annual maximum method and (ii) joint probability method. A brief description of the methods used is given below.

Annual maximum method

This method uses the annual maximum values in several years to fit an extreme value distribution. Based on the cumulative probability distribution, return periods of extreme events can be evaluated. A basic description of the method may be found in Bury, K. (1999). In the present work, we used the Gumbel distribution for extreme sea level analysis. In Gumbel method, cumulative probability density function F(x) can be expressed as

$$F(x; \mu, \sigma) = \exp\left[-\exp\left\{-(x-\mu)/\sigma\right\}\right]$$
(2)

with $\sigma > 0$, $-\infty < x, \mu < \infty$

where μ and σ are the parameters of the distribution.

r-largest method

The classical annual maximum method described above for extreme sea level analysis has a disadvantage that only the highest value of sea level in a year is used and the remaining data are not considered. It is possible that more than one storm occurs in a year. Moreover, a successful application of the annual maximum method requires many years of data, say, at least 30 years (Pugh, 1987). In order to overcome this disadvantage, Smith (1986), Tawn (1988a) extended this theory for the development of r-largest annual maximum method, in which, ' r ' values of extreme sea level are used for each year of observations. This allows incorporating more than one storm event in a year and thereby obtaining more reliable estimates of return periods using less number of years of data than the classical method. The software developed by the Proudman Oceanographic Laboratory, U.K. for r-largest annual maximum method was used in the present work. The details of computations are elaborated in Dixon and Tawn (1994).

Joint probability distribution (JPM)

Joint Probability Method (JPM), introduced by Pugh (1980), was modified later by Tawn and Vassie (1989). The method consists of estimating the joint probability distribution of surge and tide for the entire series. A brief outline is given below.

From the observed sea level series, tides are predicted (Equation 1) and separated. Thus, the hourly series of tides and surges are constructed from observations. Assuming that tides and surges are independent, the joint probability density function can be defined as the product of the individual probability density functions of tides and surges. Thus, joint probability function p(z) can be expressed as

$$p(z) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(z-y) p(y) dy$$
 (3)

where p(z-y) is the probability due to tide and p(y) is the probability due to surge.

From this, the probability that the sea level is less than x is expressed as

$$F(x) =_{-\infty} \int^{x} p(z) dz$$
(4)

The return period is defined as the expected time between independent exceedences of the level x. Based on the previous analysis for British coasts, return period in years may be taken as the inverse of probability (Pugh, 1987).

$$T(x) = [N (1-F(x))]^{-1}$$
(5)

where T(x) is the return period, N is the total number of hourly observations per year (N=8766 for a non-leap year).

Revised Joint Probability method (RJPM)

Tawn and Vassie (1989) introduced the revised joint probability method by modifying the JPM. They introduced a parameter called extremal index (θ) and included an approximation for the tail of the surge distribution by parametric method. If Y₁, Y₂,...Y_n are the sea level in a series of n values,

$$P \{\max(Y_1,...,Y_n) < x\} = F^{n \ \theta(x)}(x)$$
(6)

 $\theta(x)$ is the extremal index, defined as the expected number of hourly observations of the process above the threshold x on each independent excursion above x.

The return periods in RJPM will be

$$\Gamma(x) = [N\theta(x) (1-F(x))]^{-1}$$
(7)

Approximating the tail of the surge distribution

Information of probabilities and return periods may be often required for the extreme sea levels that are beyond the observed values. In RJPM, to determine these probabilities, the tail of the surge distribution is estimated by a parametric method (Tawn and Vassie, 1989). A probability distribution for surges is constructed based on the r-largest method.

The Gumbel distribution H(x) can be expressed as

$$H(x) = \exp \left[-(\exp(x-\mu)/\sigma)\right]$$
(8)

The parameters can be determined from

$$\sigma = r^{-1} \Sigma (X_i - X_r)$$
(9)

$$\mu = \sigma \log (r) + X_r \tag{10}$$

where
$$X_1 > X_2 > \dots > X_r$$

The Gumbel distribution H(x) is related to $F_s(x)$ by

$$H(x) = F_s {}^{Nm\theta}{}_s(x)$$
(11)

$$F_{s}(x) = H^{1/(Nm \theta)}(x)$$
 (12)

where θ_s is the extremal index for surges and m is the total number of years. A probability density distribution for surges is constructed for the tail of the surge distribution based on the r-largest method (Tawn and Vassie, 1989) and for the tail of the distribution $F_s(x)$ is calculated, as

$$F_{s}(x) = (\sigma N m \theta_{s})^{-1} \exp \left[-(x-\mu)/\sigma\right]$$
(13)

To summarise, a non-parametric approach is used for determining the joint distribution, except for the tail of the distribution, where a parametric method is used. From the estimated tail of the distribution, computation of joint probability is repeated. For the RJPM, the software was prepared in the institute based on the theory described above. For Gumbel analysis, the software developed in the Proudman Oceanographic Laboratory was used.

Task 2: Impacts of cyclones and storm surges along the Indian coasts

(i) Source of information

As part of the present project, the information on the damages caused by Lows, Depressions, Cyclones, which are collectively called Low Pressure Systems (LPS), during the period from 1949 to 2000 were assembled into a data base (Annexure –III, Volume II). The source of this information is the journal "Mausam" published by the India Meteorological Department, New Delhi. This journal was started in 1950 and was called "Indian Journal of Meteorology and Geophysics" up to 1974. It was renamed as "Indian Journal of Meteorology, Hydrology and Geophysics" in 1975 and was renamed again in 1979 and since then has been called as "Mausam".

Initially the journal has not been furnishing much information on the low pressure systems. Only events like very heavy rainfall, breach of rail and road links, telecommunication failure and similar were listed. Up to 1959 even this information was only a part of a column called "notes and events". In 1960, an exclusive column called "weather" was started. One could get comprehensive report on summer, monsoon, post monsoon and winter from that column. It was giving the rainfall, low pressure systems, upper air data, etc. In 1973, another feature was started in the journal called "cyclones and depressions", which gives information on the formation, advancement and landfall of the depressions and cyclones and their impacts.

Most of the tide gauges along the coast of India, which are installed by Survey of India and maintained by the respective port trusts, are of the Stilling well-Float type. Through a procedure called the "Zero measurement", the observed sea levels are verified periodically on a routine basis. The clock mechanism in this type of gauge is a mechanical one. During the passage of severe LPS, sometimes the tide gauges collapse or malfunction due to the onslaught of the event. Installation of the acoustic type gauges has started recently and is still on an experimental basis. These new gauges give better data in terms of frequency and accuracy of values. But most of the present gauges render no useful data during the catastrophic events. The necessity of commissioning of robust tide gauges, which are capable of recording the sea levels even at the extreme weather, is often felt while studying the storm surges. During some of the severe cyclones, the instruments in the meteorological observatories break down leading to non-availability of the data during that period.

A Severe Cyclone Storm with a Core of Hurricane winds crossed the Andhra coast near Nizampatnam on 19th November, 1977 and during the landfall even the anemometer of the meteorological observatory in the vicinity was blown off. During another event, a Severe Cyclonic Storm crossed near Sriharikota on 14th November 1984 and the nearest tide gauge at Chennai broke down for several days. It has always been a tough task to get all the information at one place for analysis. Hence better instrumentation support along the east coast, which faces more frequent attacks of the Low Pressure Systems, is essential to get good meteorological and sea level data.

(ii) Salient features of the data base

In this section, the norms followed while assembling the data base and the structure of the data base are mentioned. The changes in terminology used and other features of the data base of past five decades are given below.

As the present study is on the impact of the LPS along the coastal regions of India, the damages caused in the proximity of the area of landfall alone are accounted here. For example, a cyclonic storm crossed Sundarbans on 18th May 1958, weakened to a Depression and due to which there was heavy rainfall in Assam leading to dislocation of normal life and rail and road link was cut-off. Brahmaputra was in spate and many buildings collapsed. But no damage in the landfall area is reported in Mausam. Hence this document reports no damages caused by this low pressure system.

In the present report, LPS which did not cross the coast are not mentioned. However, severe LPS events like Cyclonic Storm and of higher severity are reported here as they had caused considerable damages to the nearby coast. The LPS events that formed and diffused over the land do not figure in this report.

(iii) Structure of the data base

The first column of the report gives the date on which the landfall of the LPS had taken place. The regions mentioned in the data base may be found in Fig.1 & 2. The LPS events that formed and diffused over the land do not figure in this report. The second column gives the description of the event. While describing the event, the formation, development and the landfall details are given. If the system had diffused over the sea itself before landfall, then the details of the diffusion are given with the location of the event. In case of a LPS, which formed and diffused over the sea itself before landfall, the

date on which the LPS attained its maximum severity is given. Loss of human lives and livestock are given in the third and fourth columns respectively. The third column gives the details of the number of the injured persons also. The details of the cattle loss do not figure in the Mausam journal mostly unless the LPS event was a grand one and has caused a big havoc. The fifth column gives the details of the infrastructural damages like collapse of the buildings and telecommunication, disruption of rail and road links, industry damages, harbour damages, etc. The sixth column gives the details of the agricultural losses alone, like loss due to inundation of the crops, loss due to saline water intrusion, sand cast, etc. The financial loss shown in figures in the present document is the same as that is mentioned in Mausam and is based on the estimates at the time of loss. These values need to be normalized for comparison. The seventh column is the remarks column, which gives details such as the surge height, the minimum barometric pressure estimated or observed, the maximum wind speed estimated or observed.

Miscellaneous information

The information contained in this document were compiled from issues printed over a long span of 50 years, during which period not only the format of the journal had changed, but the units of the parameters measured also. We decided to give the figures in the same units as they are found in Mausam. Hence one may find the distance of a LPS from the coast mentioned in "miles" initially and in the later part of the document in "kilometers". Similarly, wind speed was given in "miles per hour" and changed later to "knots". Atmospheric pressure is mentioned in "millibar" (mb) and later in "hPa". Rainfall in "inches" is changed to "cm". The surge levels are found in "feet" and later in "meters". The figures "lakhs" and "crores" are equivalent to "hundred thousands" and "ten millions" respectively.

We have followed the following abbreviations to mention the Low Pressure Systems, which itself is abbreviated as LPS.

LP	Low Pressure
D	Depression
DD	Deep Depression
CS	Cyclonic Storm
SCS	Severe Cyclonic Storm
SCH/	Severe Cyclonic Storm with a core of Hurricane winds/
VSCS	Very Severe Cyclonic Storm
SUCS	Super Cyclonic Storm

The span of 50 years brings changes in political boundaries and names also. After 1971, the part of the world called East Pakistan is mentioned as Bangladesh. Similarly the names Madras state and Tamilnadu state mean the same place. Madras and Chennai are one and the same. At some places in the document, Tamilnadu and West Bengal are abbreviated as TN and WB respectively.

For the period June to December 1971, the details of impact from Mausam could not be obtained fully and hence the information furnished for the above said period is vague and superficial.

Task 3: Estimates of sea level rise along the Indian coasts

One of the methods to get regional estimates of sea level rise is by analysing the past tide gauge data at different ports. Even though the rate of increase in sea level in the past century need not be the same as the rate of increase in the present century, these estimates do serve as indicators of the long term changes in sea level. However, changes in sea level can also occur due to vertical movement of land; these effects have to be included while estimating a net increase in sea level.

Estimation of sea level rise along the Indian coasts is not fully resolved. Some of the coastal regions are known to be tectonically active and measurements on the land subsidence rates are not available in these regions. So a net sea level rise can be estimated only when the rates of vertical movement of land become available.

Analysis of tide gauge data

Emery and Aubrey (1988) analysed the tide gauge data along the Indian coasts. Their analysis included all the stations. However, they considered only five stations for determining the sea level rise, since the results in some stations did not have statistical significance. Moreover, in some stations, which lie in the northern side of the east coast, the occurrence of storm surge events affected the monthly mean sea level data. Excluding these stations, Emery and Aubrey considered only five stations, where the estimates could be considered as indicators of sea level rise. Even for these stations, the problem of estimating a net sea level rise is not resolved. Some of the coastal regions are known to be tectonically active and the land subsidence rates are not available for these regions. So a net sea level rise can be estimated only when the rates of vertical land movement become available.

Present analysis

In the above analysis, the tide gauge data upto the year 1982 were considered. We included the recent data upto the year 1996 and carried out the analysis for a few selected stations. This has been useful for some stations, in particular, where the data record was short in the earlier analysis.

The monthly mean sea level data upto the year 1996 was downloaded from the website of Permanent Service for Mean Sea Level. A five-point moving average was applied to the data and a least square fit was made (Fig. 8).

Task 4: Analysis of regional climate model (HadRM2) data

In the present study, the results of the regional model HadRM2 were analysed to determine the frequency and intensity of tropical disturbances in the northern Indian Ocean. The HadRM2 model output for the northern Indian Ocean region was provided by the Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Pune (Rupa Kumar et al., personal communication). The region of analysis extends from $58.54 \, {}^{0}$ E to $101.4625 \, {}^{0}$ E and $3.273 \, {}^{0}$ N to $36.018 \, {}^{0}$ N and the data are available for each day during 2041-2060. The grid resolution of the model is 0.4425×0.4425 with a total of 98×76 grid points. Two model simulations are available, one for the control run and another for a run with doubled green house gases (GHG). These two results were compared in order to study the possible effects of climate change. The parameters analysed are the sea level pressure, winds at 850 hPa and air temperature (1.5 m.). We also analysed the total precipitation data at some selected coastal stations.

(i) Surface pressure fields

The surface pressure distribution was viewed using ferret (<u>http://ferret.wrc.noaa.gov</u>) for each day and the number of cyclones and depressions found were documented for the entire period 2041-2060. During the period of the evolution of each storm, the minimum sea level pressure in the system and the maximum wind speeds were noted and tabulated. Based on these values, the maximum wind speed and minimum pressure associated with each cyclone were tabulated.

The disturbances identified were classified into Lows, Depressions, Cyclones etc. based on the classification norms of the India Meteorological Department. This information is used to determine the frequency distribution of cyclones in the control run and doubled GHG run.

(ii) Simulation of storm surges using HadRM2 winds

A storm surge model was developed for the Bay of Bengal for simulating the surges forced by HadRM2 winds. The model was developed from the basic code of the barotropic model, developed earlier in the institute (Unnikrishnan et al., 1999) for the simulation of tides and tidal currents. The model uses vertically integrated equations of momentum and the equation of continuity in Cartesian co-ordinate system. This original code, developed for the propagation of barotropic tides in shallow water, was modified by incorporating the wind stress terms in the momentum equations and making use of a radiation boundary condition along the open boundary. The radiation boundary condition used is the same as that given in Flather (1994). The model results for three simulations were tested with observations (not presented in this report). The sea surface elevations simulated by the model were compared with observed sea level during these events at

Paradip and Vishakhapatnam and found that the model reproduced the observed surges fairly well. This prompted us to use the model for the simulation of storm surges forced by HadRM2 winds.

The vertically integrated equation of continuity (14) and equations of momentum (15, 16) in Cartesian co-ordinates x and y can be written as

$$\frac{\partial \eta}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = 0$$
(14)

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial (uU)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (vU)}{\partial y} - fV = -g (h+\eta) \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial x}$$
$$+ \frac{\tau_{sx}}{\rho_0} - g U \frac{(U^2 + V^2)^{1/2}}{C^2 H}$$
(15)

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial (uV)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (vV)}{\partial y} + fU = -g (h+\eta) \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial y}$$
(16)
$$+ \frac{\tau_{sy}}{\rho_0} - g V \frac{(U^2 + V^2)}{C^2 H}^{1/2}$$

Where η is the surface elevation with reference to the undisturbed water level; u,v are depth averaged velocity components in x and y directions and U and V are the corresponding transports. H=h+ η , where h is still water depth. τ_{sx} and τ_{sy} are the wind stress components in x and y directions. C is the Chezy coefficient and g is the acceleration due to gravity. ρ_0 is the density of water.

Task 5: Return period estimates in future scenario

This section deals with the flood risks associated with sea level rise. We estimated the changes in return periods of extreme sea level that could occur in future in the event of sea level rise.

For evaluating the impacts of sea level rise on the return period estimates, we made calculations of return periods assuming that an increase of sea level, say, 24.1 cm, occurs by 2050, obtained from HadCM2 and HadCM3 projections of sea level rise (see Fig.7). As a first approximation, assuming that the occurrence of cyclones remains the same in future, the r-largest analysis described (Task 2) was performed again by adding this uniform increase of sea level to all values. In this calculation, we did not incorporate the trends from year to year. Fig.20 shows a comparison of the return period estimates for Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai respectively during the present scenario and for the year 2050.

The impacts associated with flood risks was studied by Nicholls et al. (1999) by estimating a term called flood envelope, defined as $E_{flood} = H_{1000} - H_{1}$, where H_{1000} and H_{1} are the return levels for 1000 year and 1 year return periods respectively. Nicholls et al. (1999) noted that for most coastal regions, E_{flood} is less than 1 m. An increase in sea level of similar magnitude will imply that an extreme event occurring once in 1000 year at present will occur once in 1 year after the sea level rise.

KEY RESULTS

Task 1: Identification of extreme sea level events from tide gauge record and estimation of their return periods

(i) Identification of extreme sea level events

The extreme events identified during the period (1974-1988) are presented in the form of tables in the first report called "Report on Scenario" (Anonymous, 2002a). They are also presented in Annexure- II (Volume II) of this report. In these tables, the parameters listed are the observed maximum sea level during the event, the maximum surge value and a brief description of the corresponding meteorological event, such as the track of the cyclone and the core pressure (IDWR and Mausam, 1974-1988) that occurred during the surge event.

A typical storm surge event and the corresponding meteorological fields are shown in Fig.3a, b & c. Fig.3a shows the track of the cyclone and Fig.3b shows the evolution of surface meteorological fields during this period from the NCEP/NCAR reanalysis data. When a severe cyclone crossed the coast of Orissa at Puri, south of Paradip on 7 August, 1981, the signatures of surges are seen not only in Paradip, but at Vishakhapatnam as well, with Chennai record showing insignificant magnitudes. The maximum magnitudes of surges at Paradip and Vishakhapatnam are 95.0 cm and 30.0 cm respectively. However, for all the events identified during this period, some do not have signatures at more than one station. For example, in the cyclone during June 1982 (Fig.4a,b), the surges occurred in Paradip only with practically no signatures found in Vishakhapatnam (Fig.4c).

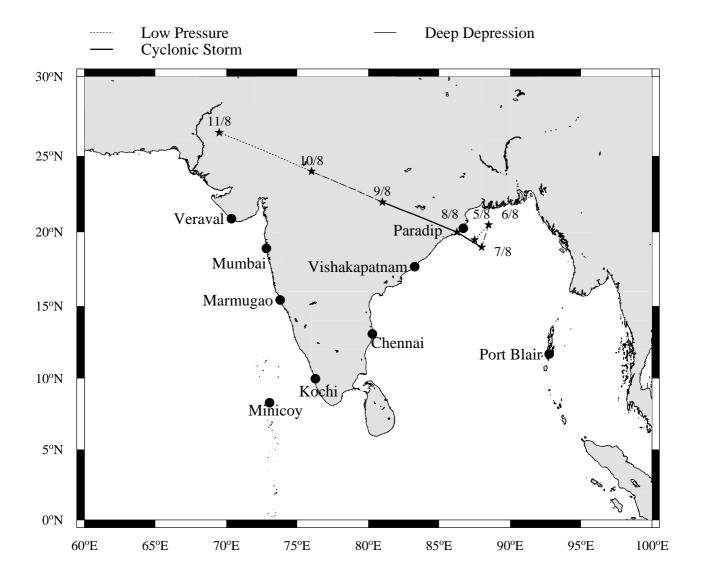


Fig. 3a. The track of the Cyclonic Storm which had the landfall near Puri on 7-8-1981.

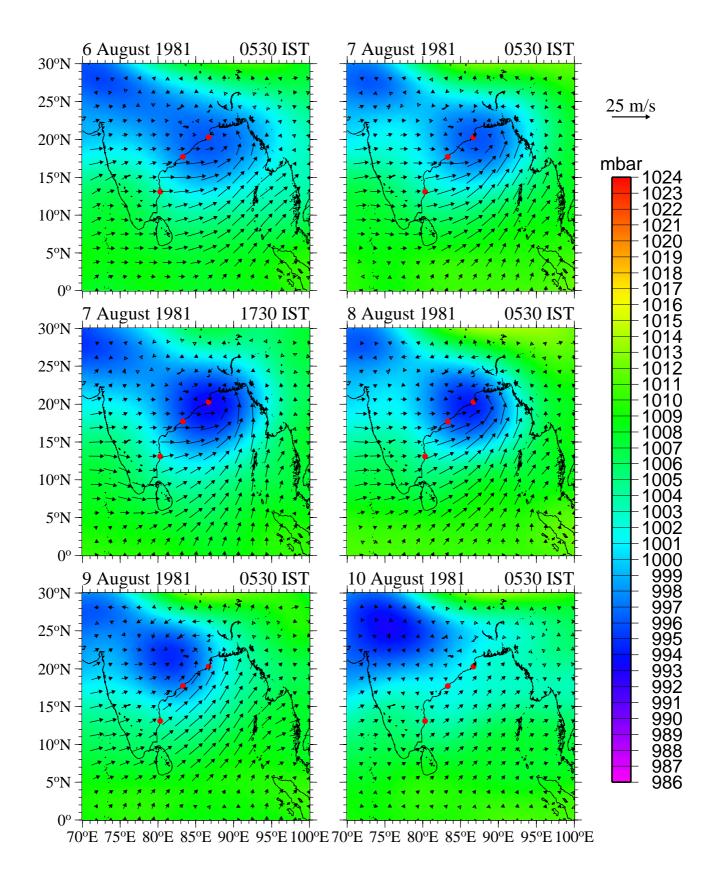


Fig. 3b. Atmospheric pressure at mean sea level and winds at 10m (NCEP/NCAR Reanalysis Data) during the period of landfall of Cyclonic Storm near Puri on 7-8-1981.

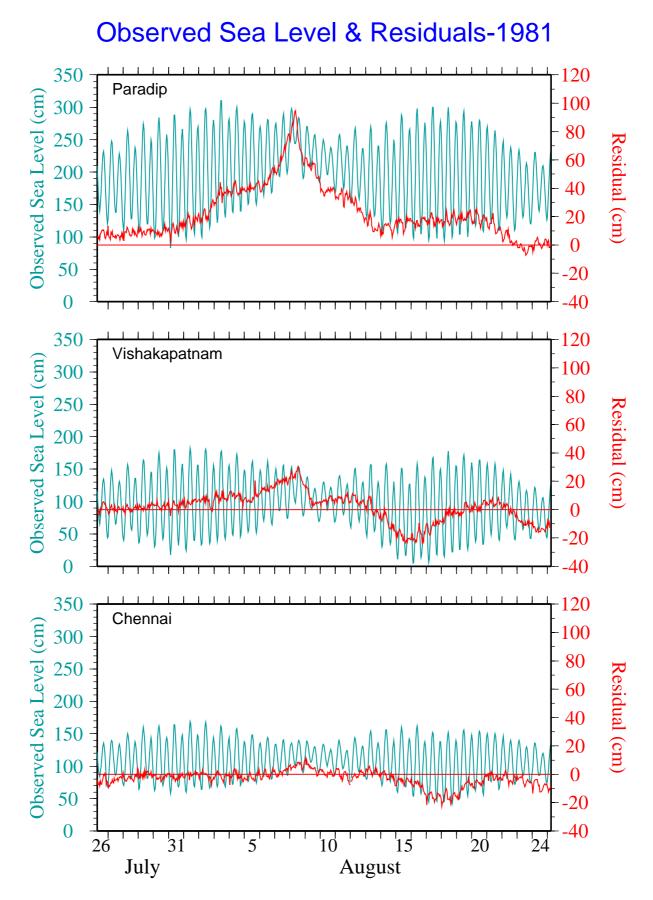


Fig. 3c. Observed Sea Level and Residual at the three stations on the east coast during the Cyclonic Storm which had landfall near Puri on 7-8-1981.

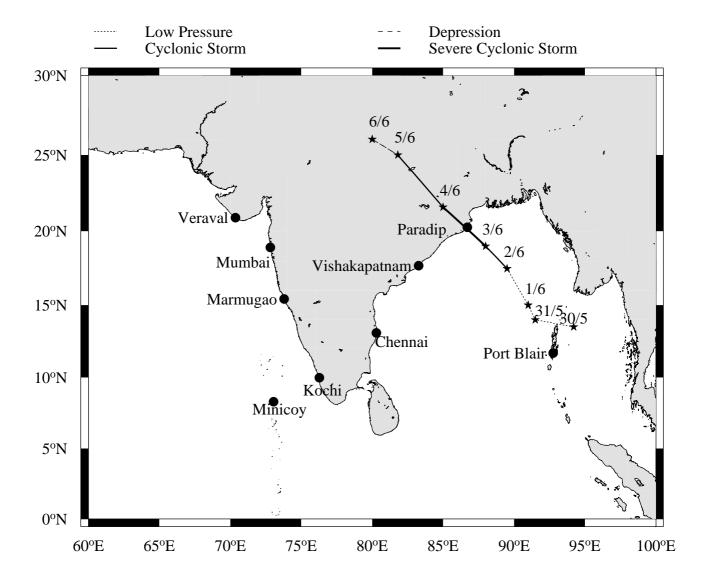


Fig. 4a. The track of the Severe Cyclonic Storm which had the landfall near Paradip on 3-6-1982.

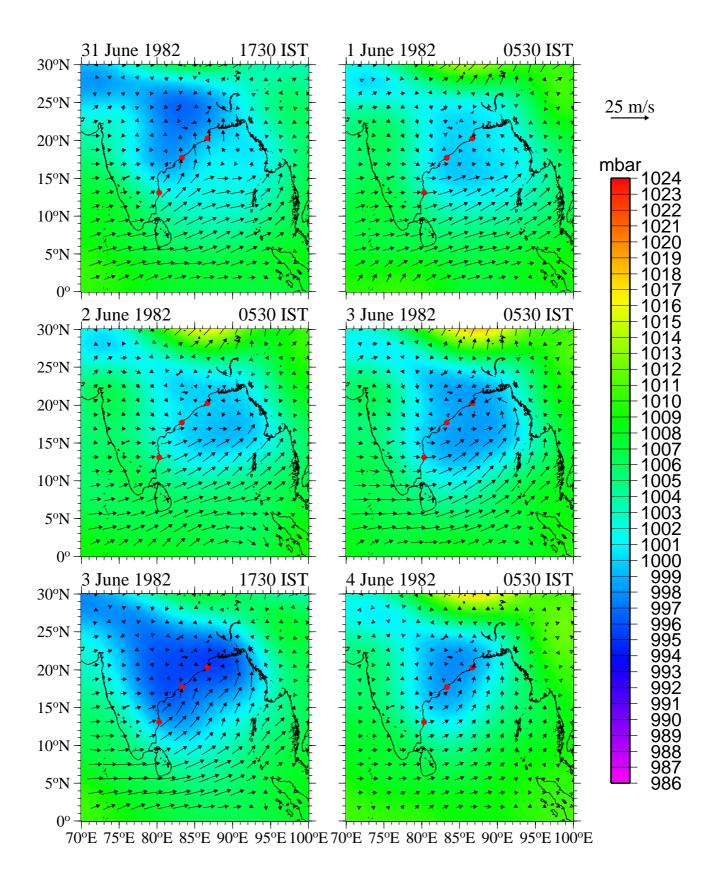


Fig. 4b. Atmospheric pressure at mean sea level and winds at 10m (NCEP/NCAR Reanalysis Data) during the period of landfall of Severe Cyclonic Storm near Paradip on 3-6-1982.

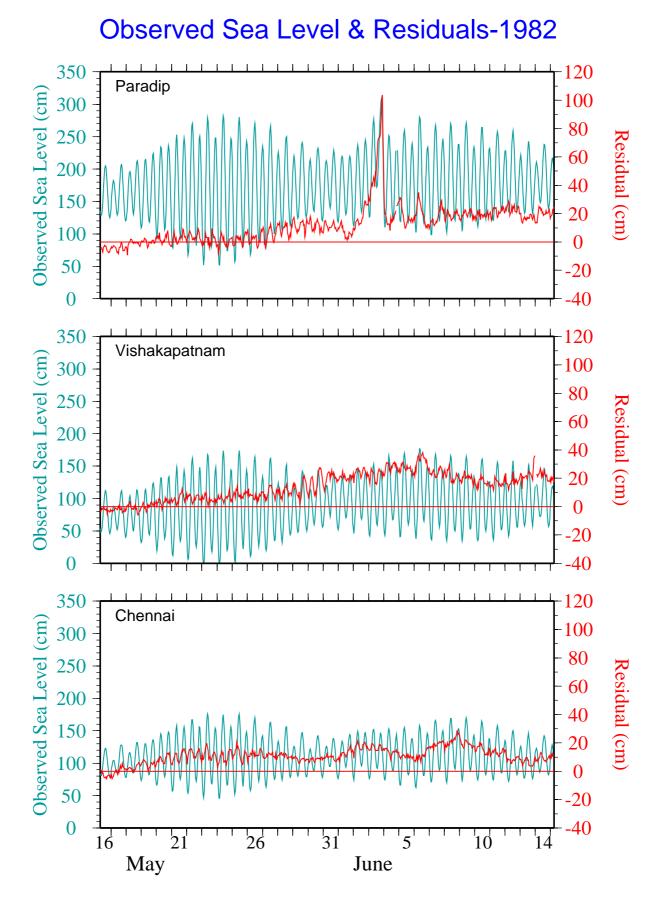


Fig. 4c. Observed Sea Level and Residual at the three stations on the east coast during the Severe Cyclonic Storm which had landfall near Paradip on 3-6-1982.

One of the problems associated with the identification of very high surges from long term records is that in some cases, during the crossing of cyclones to the land, the tide gauge becomes non-functional. There are instances of break-down of tide gauges during catastrophic cyclones. However, we believe that long records of tide gauges do have sufficient number of events for making a qualitative and statistical analysis.

(ii) Statistical analysis of tide gauge data - Application to the east coast of India

The maximum values of observed sea level and surges during storm surge events are given in Annexure –II (Volume II). In the present application, we considered three stations for the analysis. (i) Paradip (ii) Vishakhapatnam and (iii) Chennai. The station Marmugao has only 4 years of data during this period. At Kochi, there are only about 11 events during this period, in which 4 of them show negative surges. The number of surge events at Mumbai also is relatively low. Since there is no sufficient number of observed events during the available data, the statistical analysis was not performed for these stations. It should be noted that these stations lie on the west coast, where the probability of occurrence of a storm is rather small. So, only the stations along the east coast were considered for the statistical analysis.

Application of r-largest method

In the present work, for the r-largest analysis, Gumbel distribution was chosen for the sake of simplicity. Moreover, we examined the validity of the Gumbel fit by plotting the values of annual maxima plotted against –ln(-ln P) for the three stations and found that there was no significant departure from the linearity, thereby justifying its application. The software prepared in the Proudman Oceanographic Laboratory, U.K. for r-largest annual maximum method was used.

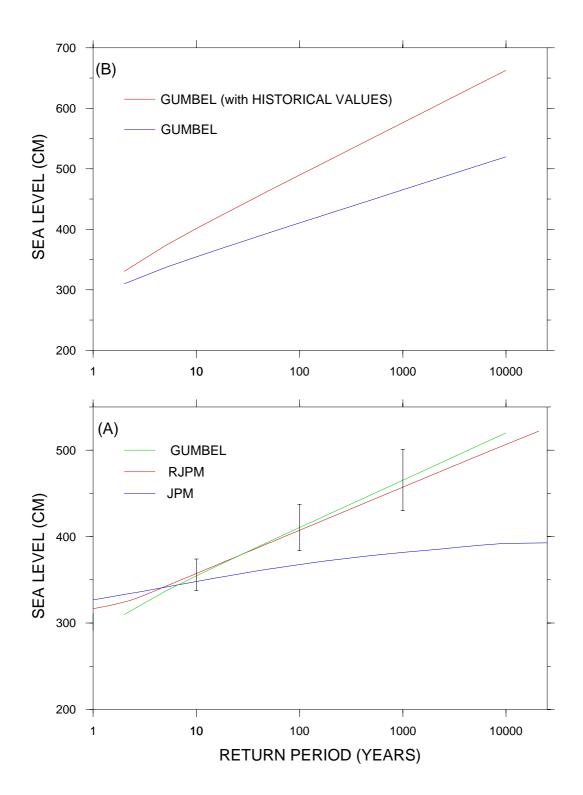


Fig. 5: Return period estimates at Paradip (A) without historical values (B) with historical values included.

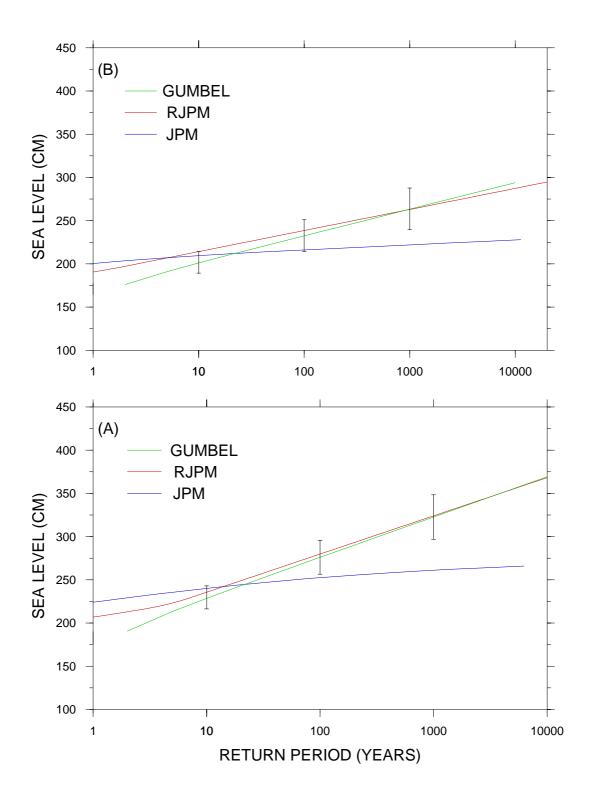


Fig. 6: Return period estimates at (A) Vishakhapatnam (B) Chennai.

r-largest values for each year were chosen by examining the entire series of hourly data along with the corresponding meteorological events. It was found that, the number of storm surge events at each station varied between 2 to 4 in different years. While picking up extreme values, care was taken not to include the highest spring tides, which are not associated with any meteorological events and could be mistaken as storm surge events. Among the observed surge events at Paradip, two events that occurred in May and October, 1985 (Annexure -II, Volume II) have observed sea levels of 2.26 and 2.28 m. During these events, the observed surges have magnitudes of 42 cm and 55 cm respectively. Since these events do not fall in the tail of the distribution, they were not considered for the r-largest analysis. Tawn and Vassie (1989), while fitting r-largest Gumbel fit to the observed surge distribution, observed that the choice of 'r' must be such that there are sufficient values to obtain a reasonable estimate of the fitted parameters and that the lowest value remains in the extreme tail of the distribution. In the present application, 'r' varies from 2 to 4. For Vishakhapatnam, no values were rejected, while for Chennai, two events that occurred in November, 1987 with observed sea levels of 1.36 m and 1.24 m and surges of 37 cm and 27 cm were not considered for the rlargest analysis.

Along the east coast of India, tidal range increases towards north, in general. Among the three stations, Paradip has the highest tidal ranges, followed by Vishakhapatnam and least in Chennai. The mean spring tidal ranges at Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai are about 2.0, 1.5 and 1.0 m respectively. The surges that were identified during this period also show the highest values (60 - 105 cm) in Paradip, followed by about 30 to 75 cm in Vishakhapatnam and 30 to 65 cm in Chennai. Here, one word of caution is needed. Extremely rare events do occur, for instance, the super cyclone of October 1999, which produced about 300 cm of surge at Paradip. This kind of an event did not fall in the present analysis period. However, the r-largest method allows to use historical values and inclusion of this event in the present analysis is discussed in the next section. At Paradip, during the analysis period, at least, two events in a year are present with some years having 3 events. In the Gumbel analysis performed, the standard errors for μ and σ are 0.063 and 0.042 respectively. Vishakhapatnam has the maximum number of surge events; r = 3 was taken for most of the years and r = 4 for two years. Since the software allows using of variable number of r for different years, it does not pose a problem in including as many as possible. For Vishakhaptnam, the estimated standard errors are 0.037 and 0.023 for μ and σ respectively. In Chennai, the highest recorded sea level is about 2.0 m only during this period. The tidal ranges are low in Chennai (between 0.40 and 1.0 m approximately) and the observed surges during this period are of about 30 and 60 cm. The standard errors in the r-largest method are 0.047 and 0.033 for μ and σ respectively. 95 % confidence intervals were determined based on the estimated parameters. The 100 year return period estimates are found to be consistent for varying 'r'.

JPM and RJPM

The return period estimates for extreme sea level using the JPM for Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai are given in Fig.5a and 6a,b respectively. It is found that JPM gave an underestimate for long return periods in all the stations. This drawback was found for stations elsewhere, for instance, for the British coasts (Tawn and Vassie, 1989). This is due to the deficiencies of the JPM, such as the assumption of the independence of sea level in the series and inadequate representation of the tail of the surge distribution.

In order to overcome this, RJPM was employed. RJPM requires extremal indices for the sea level and surge. They were determined for different values of threshold, and an average was obtained (Tawn and Vassie, 1989). For this estimation, the sea level and surge distributions in about 15 surge events were taken. For sea level, the estimated value for Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai are 1.9, 2.4 and 2.0 respectively. Similarly, for surges the estimated value for Paradip, Vishakhapatnam, and Chennai are 3.0, 3.5 and 3.5 respectively. The tail of the surge distribution was approximated by Gumbel probability distribution and joint probability was performed again. The resulting cumulative probability does not sum exactly to 1; however, Tawn and Vassie (1989) affirm this difference to be insignificant.

The return period estimates using the RJPM for Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai are shown in Fig.5a and Fig.6a,b respectively. The RJPM estimates lie within 95 % confidence intervals for all the stations.

Inclusion of historical storm surge events

The r-largest method allows inclusion of historical values in the analysis. The main difficulty lies in the fact that only visual estimates are available. We looked into available information during the last 50 years and there are two events of very severe cyclones that crossed Paradip on 30 October 1971 and 28-30 October 1999. The former caused storm surges of 4.0 m with tide of 0.9 m (Murty et al., 1986), while the latter, referred to as super cyclone, caused a surge height of 3.0 m and tide of 3.0 m resulting in a total sea level of 6.0 m. Water level was found to be about 2 m above the ground in

Paradip. Since Paradip lies 4 m above the mean sea level, the total sea level was estimated to be 6 m (Paradip Port Trust, 1999). When Gumbel analysis was performed again by including these events (Fig. 5b), it is found that the 100 year return period is increased by about 79 cm. In addition to the present data, Vishakhapatnam had one incidence of storm surges in 1969, when a cyclone crossed Kakinada, when historical values were considered in the last 50 years. This storm surge event had a total sea level of 2.6 m (Murty et al., 1986). The r-largest analysis performed again by including this value did not show any significant difference in the return levels.

Task 2: Impact of cyclones and storm surges along the Indian coasts

The impacts associated with Low pressure systems (LPS) along the Indian coasts during the period 1950-2000 were documented in this report (Annexure –III). Each LPS is unique in terms of its impact. It need not have to be an explosive event to cause great damage; sometimes, even a mild depression, if sustained for a long time can cause heavy damage by incessant prolonged rainfall or if it has hit the right area at the right time can cause heavy loss due to storm surge at high water. For instance, if the damage caused by the Severe Cyclonic Storm (24-11-'79), which crossed near Sriharikota is compared with the damage caused by the Deep Depression (17-9-'80) that crossed near Puri, we find that the latter caused more damages than the former. Even a Depression which crossed the Bangladesh coast (4-10-'80) caused more damages than the SCS mentioned above. A Low Pressure became a DD and crossed Saurashtra coast (20-6-'83). This caused very severe damage because the heavy rainfall associated with the DD resulted in overflowing of rivers and dams inundating vast area. A Depression that

crossed the Andhra coast near Kakinada (23-8-2000) caused the damage to the tune of 776 crores. The intensity of the damages is not directly proportional to the severity of the LPS alone but many other factors also.

Some LPS events of very high severity

As mentioned above, the details of the impacts caused by all the LPS events are described in Annexure – III (Volume II). In this section, impact created by three LPS events of very high severity, which had caused great destruction at the landfall point, are discussed.

(i) Severe Cyclonic Storm with a core of Hurricane Winds in the Bay of Bengal (23-30 November 1988)

This meteorological system originated from South China Sea, moved westwards and entered into the south Andaman Sea as a Low Pressure area on 22nd November. The system became intensified to a Depression on 23rd evening, moved in a northerly direction for next 24 hours and thereafter took a westerly course until 26th morning. From 26th morning onwards, it took a northerly course and headed towards West Bengal, Bangladesh coast. The system was intensified to a Cyclone on 25th morning, and became a Severe Cyclonic Storm at noon. During the northerly course, it further intensified into a Severe Cyclonic Storm with a core of Hurricane winds on 27th morning. It crossed West Bengal – Bangladesh coast around 1730 hrs. IST of 29th November.

During the landfall, wind speed observed at Sandheads and Calcutta was 40 and 30 knots respectively. The lowest estimated central pressure was 942 hPa at 1730 hrs. IST on 29th November. As per the reports, maximum winds of 150 to 180 kmph. were reported.

As per the government reports, the storm affected a population of 28.29 lakhs in 3893 villages in North and South 24 Parganas of several districts of West Bengal. It took a toll of 532 human lives and perished 57,600 cattle heads. It also damaged about 3,45,530 houses and crops in 1,93,780 hectares of land. The estimated cost of damage to crops and properties in West Bengal was Rs. 137.77 crores. About 794 fishermen were missing. The storm sank the ship M.V. Punneri of Singapore with 19 crew onboard. Drowned two launches of the forest department and a light vessel with 18 persons was missing.

In Bangladesh, over two thousand people were killed and 6,000 were missing. About 15,000 deer, 9 Royal Bengal tigers were killed and about 65,000 cattle heads were perished. The estimated cost of crops damaged in Bangladesh was worth about 9,400 million taka.

(ii) Very Severe Cyclonic Storm in the Arabian Sea (4-10 June 1998)

A Low Pressure area formed over southeast Arabian Sea and Lakshadweep area on 2nd June evening and became well marked on 4th. The system was intensified to a depression at 1430 hrs. IST on the same day and further intensified to a deep depression at 1730 hrs. It became a cyclonic storm in the evening of 5th and further intensified into a severe cyclonic storm at 1430 hrs. IST of 6th. It turned into a Very Severe Cyclonic Storm on 7th at 1730 hrs. IST and crossed the coast of Gujarat near Porbandar on 9th morning. The estimated core pressure was 962 hPa and a maximum wind speed of 98 knots was recorded at Jamnagar. The government of Gujarat reported a death toll of 1173 persons and reported that 1774 persons were missing. More than 2.5 lakhs of houses were destroyed. The total estimate of loss as per the government was Rs.190 crores.

(iii) Super Cyclonic Storm in the Bay of Bengal (25-31 October 1999)

A well marked low pressure area from Gulf of Siam became a depression in the Andaman Sea and intensified into a cyclonic storm on 26th. It further intensified to a Severe cyclonic storm on 27th and became a Very Severe Cyclonic Storm in the evening. It turned in to a Super Cyclonic Storm at 2330 hrs. of IST of 28th. It crossed the Orissa coast on 29th October in between 0930 hrs. and1200 hrs. IST.

The maximum wind of 80 knots was recorded at 0930 hrs. on 29th at Paradip and since then the instrument was out of order. A wind speed of 95 knots was estimated at Puri at 1230 hrs. on 29th. According to the Port Authorities, a total sea level of 6 m. was reported at Paradip. Storm surge penetrated into the land and a tidal inundation up to 35 km. from the coast was observed.

The system was of unprecedented intensity and it caused very heavy damage and devastation along the coastal districts of Orissa and adjoining districts of West Bengal. Very heavy rainfall was recorded at the coastal districts of Orissa and West Bengal on 29th to 31st October. As per the government of Orissa, the loss is given as follows.

Population affected	: 129.22 lakhs
Villages affected	: 14643
Blocks affected	: 97
Crop area affected	: 18.42 lakhs hectares
Houses	: 16.49 lakhs

Loss of life	: 9887
Persons missing	: 40
Persons injured	: 2507
Lives stock perished	: 4.44 lakhs
Fishing boats lost	: 9085
Fishing nets lost	: 22143

According to the press reports the damage caused in West Bengal is as follows.

Chandipur district	: 10,000 people affected
South 24 Paraganas district	: 100 houses damaged, two
	children died
Tamluk & Kontai	: 250 fishermen missing, who
	later on returned.
Miniport district	: Many houses damaged, 50
	persons injured

Task 3: Mean sea level rise along the Indian coasts

(i) Global sea level rise

One of the ways of examining long term variations of mean sea level is by analysing the past tide gauge records. The estimates obtained from tide gauges along with the data on vertical land movements in those locations can be used to get the net sea level changes. Though the tide gauge estimates can be considered as indicators of sea level rise in the last century, the projected sea level rise in the current century is much higher than these estimates (Fig. 7). It is believed that even if the emission of green house gases stabilises, sea level will continue to rise for a long term.

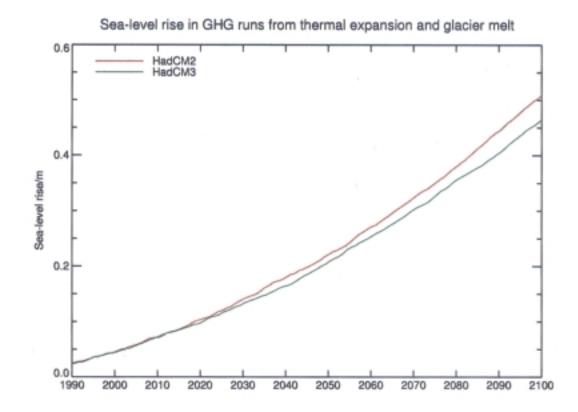


Fig. 7: Sea level rise (m) from the models HadCM2 (red) and HadCM3 (green)

(ii) Regional estimates of sea level rise

One of the methods to get regional estimates of sea level rise is by analysing the past tide gauge data at different ports. There are only very few ports in the world such as Mumbai, where records of more than 100 years are available. Even though the rate of increase in sea level in the past century need not be the same as the rate of increase in the present century, these estimates do serve as indicators of the long term changes in the sea level. However, changes in sea level can also occur due to vertical movement of land. These effects have to be included while estimating a net increase in sea level.

Estimation of sea level rise along the Indian coasts is not fully resolved. Some of the coastal regions are known to be tectonically active and the land subsidence rates are not available in these regions. A net sea level rise can be estimated only when the rates of vertical movement of land become available.

(iii) Analysis of tide gauge data along the Indian coasts

Emery and Aubrey (1988) analysed the tide gauge data along the Indian coasts. Their analysis included all the stations. However, they considered only five stations for determining the sea level rise, since the results in some stations did not have statistical significance. Moreover, in some stations, which lie in the northern side of the east coast, the occurrence of storm surge events affected the monthly mean sea level data. Excluding these stations, Emery and Aubrey considered only five stations, where the estimates could be considered as indicators of sea level rise. Even for these stations, the problem of estimating a net sea level rise is not resolved. Some of the coastal regions are known to be tectonically active and the land subsidence rates are not available for these regions. So a net sea level rise can be estimated only when the rates of vertical land movement become available.

The stations considered were Mumbai, Mangalore, Kochi, Chennai and Vishakhapatnam. The estimated sea level rise for these stations are -0.9, 1.3, -2.1, -0.4 and -0.7 mm/year with negative sign indicating a sea level rise, as Emery and Aubrey preferred to attribute the changes to vertical land movements.

(iv) Present analysis

In the above analysis, the tide gauge data upto the year 1982 were considered. We included the recent data upto the year 1996 and carried out the analysis only for a few selected stations. This has been useful for some stations, in particular, where the data record was short in the earlier analysis.

The monthly mean sea level data upto the year 1996 was downloaded from the website of Permanent Service for Mean Sea Level. A five-point moving average was applied to the data and a least square fit was made (Fig. 8). The results are shown only for some selected stations, namely, Mumbai, Kochi, Chennai and Vishakhapatnam. The duration of data length and the estimates of sea level rise obtained are given in Table 1.

Station	Number of years of data	Sea level rise (mm/year)
	used	
Mumbai	111.5	0.78
Kochi	52.917	1.14
Chennai	75.5	-0.98
Vishakhapatnam	54.334	0.75

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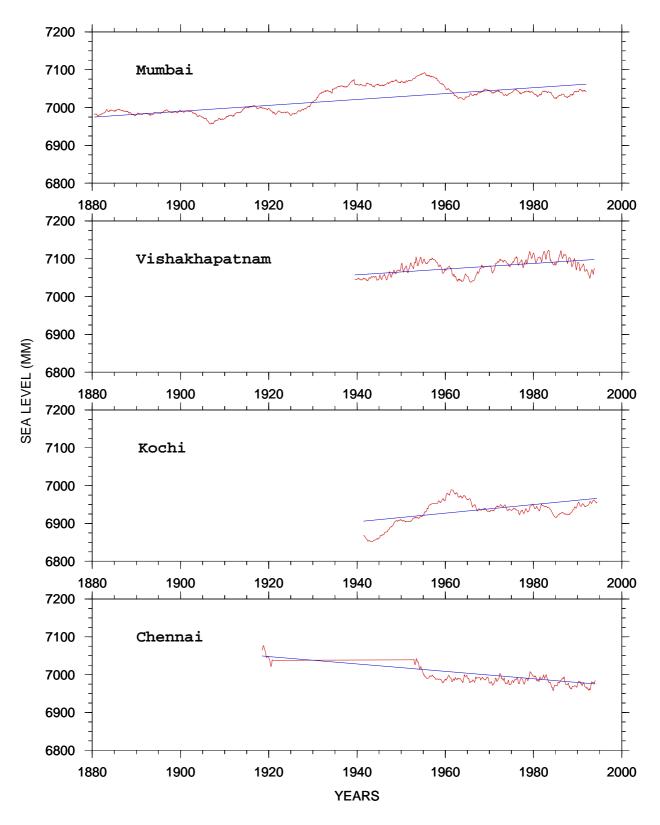


Fig. 8: Estimates of sea level rise (mm) at selected stations along the coast of India.

Table 1: Estimated sea level rise at selected stations along the Indian coast (positive sign indicates increase in sea level)

Out of the four stations chosen, rate of increase of sea level in three stations indicate about 1 mm/year or slightly less, with one station indicating a rate of decrease of sea level. Since the land subsidence measurements are not available, it is difficult to derive final conclusions from these estimates. Out of these four stations, three, namely, having the longest records of more than 50 years indicate a sea level rise of slightly less than about 1 mm/year. Mumbai, has a particularly the longest record of above 100 years duration, which shows a sea level rise of less than 1 mm/year.

The analysis provides the estimates of about 1 mm/year, which is observed elsewhere. However, in this part of the globe, the coastal region is not tectonically stable pointing out the fact that the changes found (rise in sea level) could be associated with either a sinking of the land or rise in sea level due to global warming. Another problem is that along the east coast of India, particularly northern side, there are many extreme events caused by storm surges. The monthly mean data could be affected by these signals and the estimates obtained for these stations may not be real indicators of the long term changes in sea level. So, the stations along the northeast coast of India were not considered for the present analysis.

Task 4: Analysis of regional climate model (HadRM2) data

(i) Surface pressure distribution

The surface pressure distribution from the HadRM2 model output was viewed using Ferret (http://ferret.wrc.noaa.gov) for each day to identify low pressure systems. During the period of the evolution of each storm, the minimum sea level pressure in the system and the maximum wind speeds were noted and tabulated.

The disturbances identified were classified into Lows, Depressions, Cyclones etc. based on the classification norms of the India Meteorological Department. This information was used to determine the frequency distribution of cyclones in the control run and doubled GHG run. A typical cyclone identified during the doubled GHG run is shown in Fig. 9.

Fig.10 and Fig.11 indicate the frequency distribution diagram for the Arabian Sea and the Bay of Bengal respectively for the tropical disturbances (T.D.) by including all the disturbances from Depressions to severe cyclones for the Arabian Sea and the Bay of Bengal respectively. Fig.10 shows a decrease in the number of TD s in the Arabian Sea from April to August during the doubled GHG run and the number of TD s remain nearly the same from September to December in both cases. In Fig.11, there is no appreciable change in the number of TD s between the control run and the doubled GHG run, except for a marginal increase for the latter from the beginning of June to mid July.

Figs.12 and 13 show the frequency distribution (2041-2060) of the number of cyclones in the Arabian Sea and the Bay of Bengal respectively for both the model runs. Fig.13 shows that for the doubled GHG run, there is a sharp increase in the number of cyclones from mid September to mid October and a marginal decrease in the number

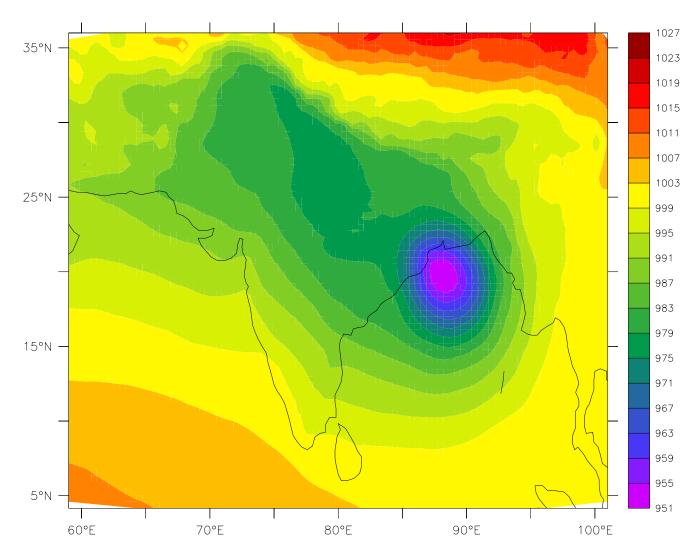


Fig. 9: A typical cyclone crossing the land on June 3, 2051 from HadRM2 simulation of double GHG scenario

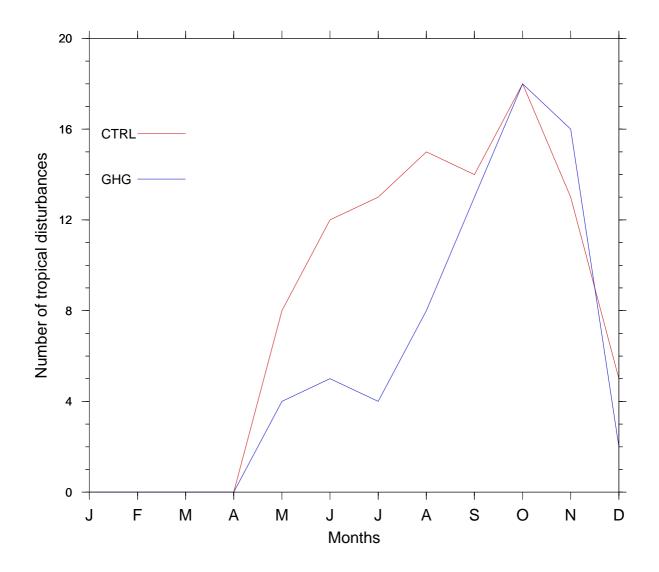


Fig. 10: Frequency distribution of depressions and cyclones in the Arabian sea for a period of 20 years (2041-2060) for the HadRM2 model run. Red line shows CTRL simulation and blue line shows doubled GHG simulation.

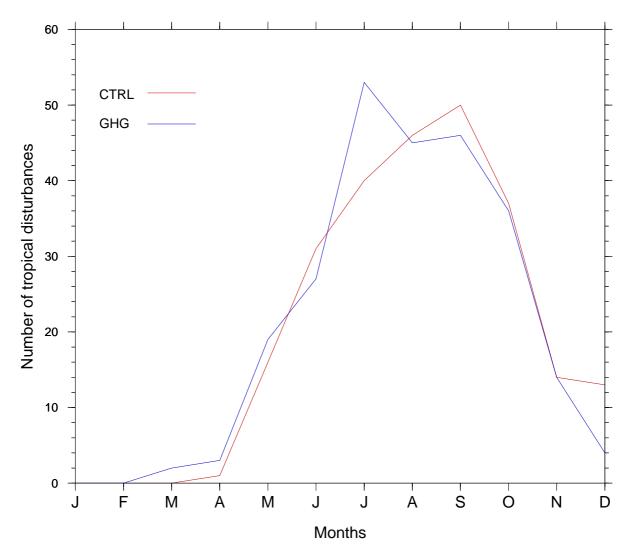


Fig. 11: Frequency distribution of depressions and cyclones in the Bay of Bengal for a period of 20 years (2041-2060) for the HadRM2 model run. Red line shows CTRL simulation and blue line shows doubled GHG simulation.

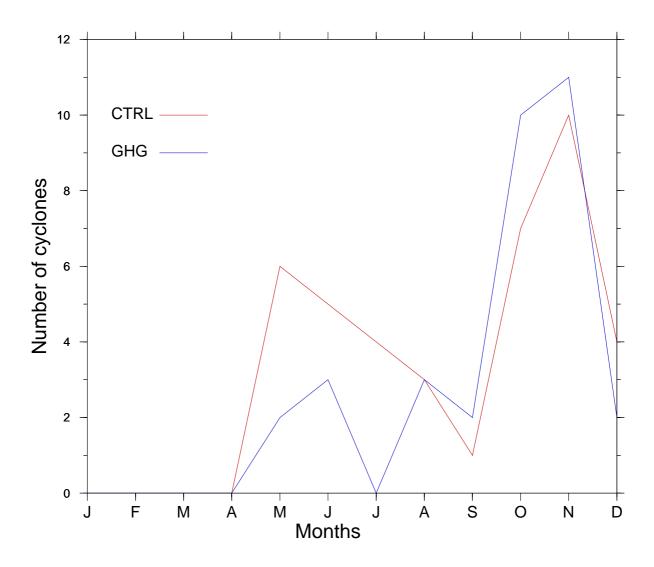


Fig. 12: Frequency distribution of cyclones in the Arabian Sea for a period of 20 years (2041-2060) for the HadRM2 model run. Red line shows CTRL simulation and blue line shows doubled GHG simulation.

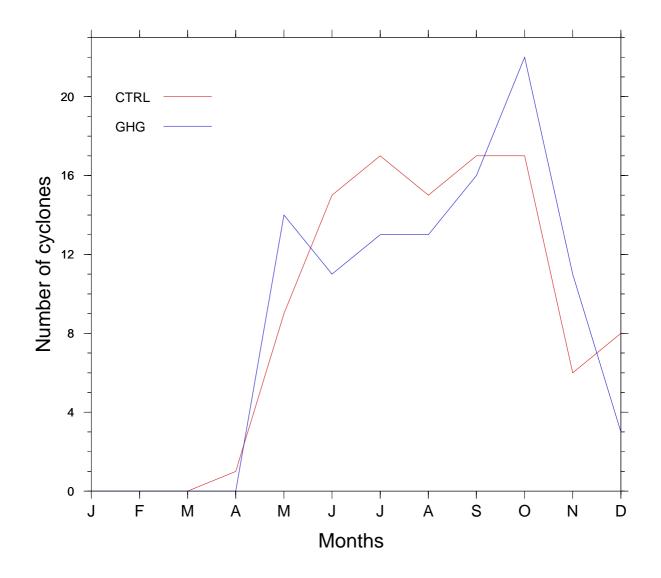


Fig. 13: Frequency distribution of cyclones in the Bay of Bengal for a period of 20 years (2041-2060) for the HadRM2 model run. Red line shows CTRL simulation and blue line shows doubled GHG simulation.

from mid May to middle of August when compared to the control run. Fig 12 shows an increase in the number of cyclones from middle of September to November in doubled GHG run. There is also a decrease in the number of cyclones from April to July.

The number of intense events, such as cyclones, shows an increase in the Bay of Bengal during the post monsoon season, with a peak in October (Fig. 13), indicating that though the number of total disturbances may not vary much due to increased greenhouse gases, the number of intense events may increase. In the case of the Arabian Sea, no such changes are noticed.

(ii) Wind fields

The track of the cyclones for a five year period (2041-'45) is shown in Fig 14a,b for the control simulation and the doubled GHG simulation respectively. The simulated tracks between the two runs does not show any significant difference. The maximum wind speeds associated with each storm were compiled and the ensemble of all during the 20 year period is presented in Fig 15. The frequency of cyclones having maximum wind speed, particularly in the range of (30-35 m/sec), is much higher in the doubled GHG run than in the control run.

(iii) Simulation of storm surges using HadRM2 winds

The domain of the storm surge model, developed for the Bay of Bengal, is shown in Fig.16. The grid resolution is about 18 km and the time step used is 30 seconds. The open boundary is along 6.58 ⁰N on the southern side. The HadRM2 winds were interpolated to the model grid using a two-dimensional linear interpolation method. Since the winds are on a daily time scale, the wind field is kept constant for 24 hours and made to change after every 24 hours. The storm surge model was run for a period of 20 years

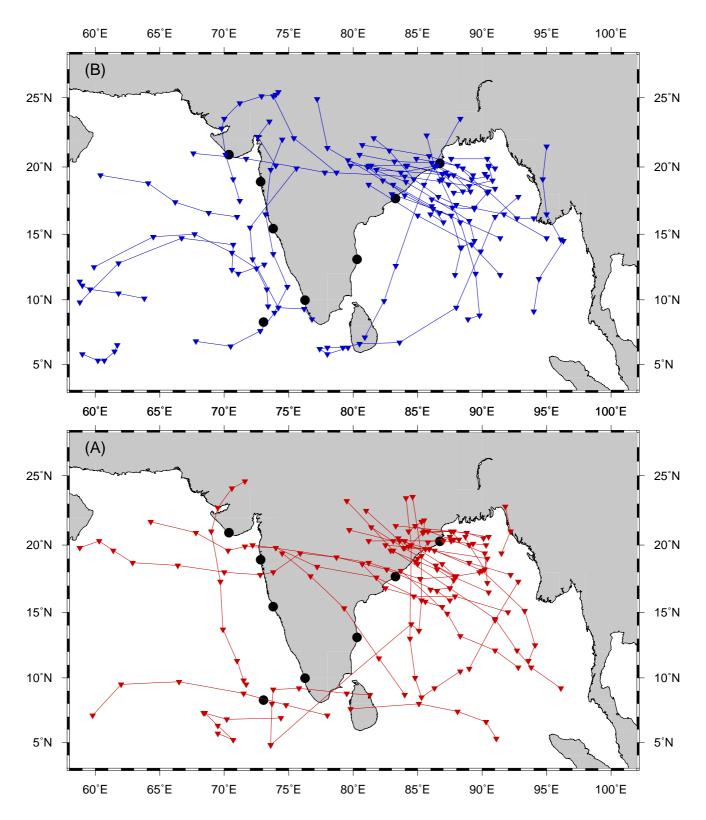


Fig. 14: Composite track of cyclones (2041-2045). (A) control run and (B) doubled GHG run of HadRM2.

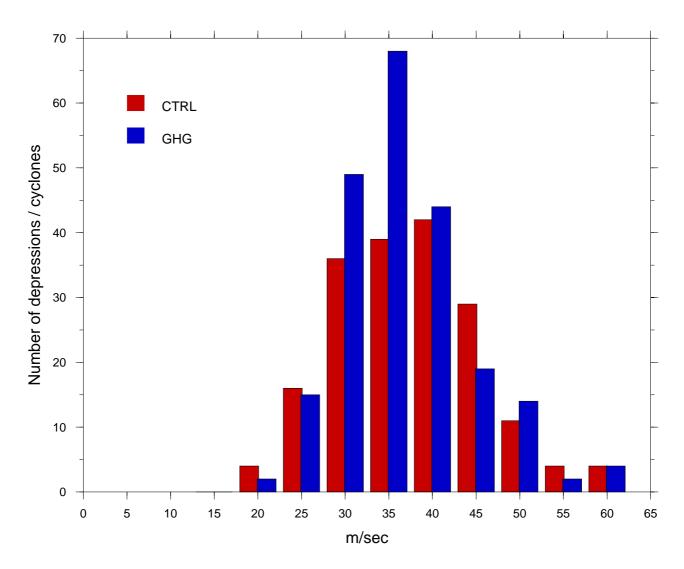


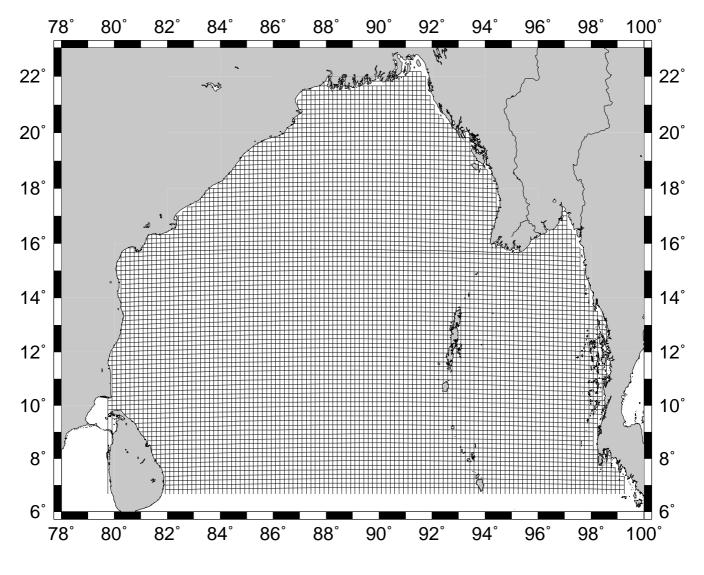
Fig. 15: Frequency distribution of maximum wind speeds associated with cyclones in the control run and doubled GHG run of HadRM2 (2041-2060).

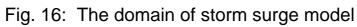
by forcing the model with winds from HadRM2 for the (i) control run and (ii) doubled GHG run.

Along the open boundary, tides were prescribed using the global tidal model output (Le Provost et al., 1994). Surface elevations at five equidistant points from 82 0 E to 99 0 E along the southern open boundary (6.58 0 N) were extracted from the global model at each model time step (30 second) for the 20 year period. These values were linearly interpolated to different grid points along the open boundary.

A typical example of the storm surges generated by the storm surge model is shown in Fig.17. The storm surges generated by the cyclone, which crossed the land north of Paradip (Fig.9), are shown for two stations Paradip and Sagar. The simulated sea levels are with respect to mean sea level and they were adjusted with respect to the chart datum (Fig.17). As the crossing of the cyclone is north of Paradip, negative surges are found at Paradip, where as high surges are found at Sagar.

The maximum value of simulated sea level during a storm surge event for each grid point along the coastline was compiled for all the events in the 20 year simulation. These values were picked up by defining a window, which consists of 48 hours before and 48 hours after the crossing of the cyclone over the land. Thus, for each storm, one highest value was chosen and this information was compiled for the 20 years. The number of storm events varied between in the control run and doubled GHG run. While picking up the highest sea level during a storm surge event, care was taken not to include the highest spring tides, which could be mistaken as storm surges. Since the model results are over the mean sea level, the results presented in Fig.18 are with respect to the mean sea level. The level of chart datum has to added to the simulated sea level to obtain the





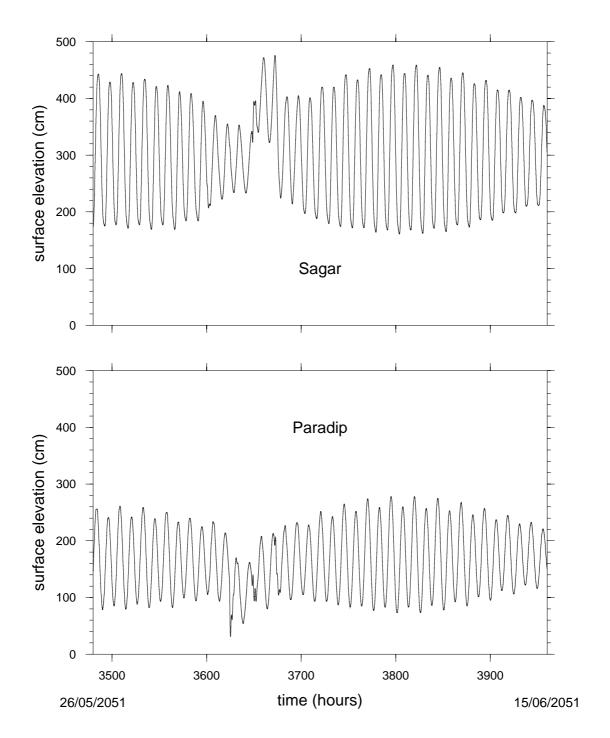


Fig. 17: Sea surface elevation simulated by storm surge model associated with the cyclone of June 3, 2051 (doubled GHG run of HadRM2).

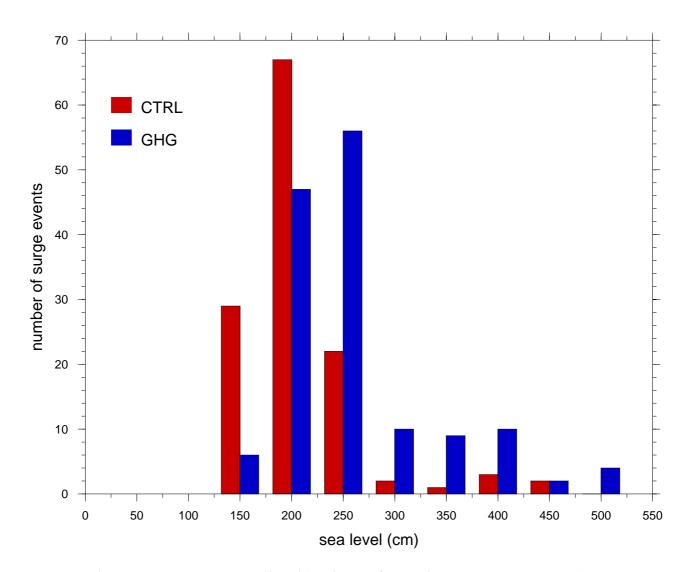


Fig. 18: Frequency distribution of maximum surges (2041-2060) associated with the storm surges simulated by winds in the control run and doubled GHG run. The surface elevations are with respect to the mean sea level.

actual sea level in that location. This is not very critical as far as the interpretation of this result is concerned (Fig 18), as it is intended to make a comparison between the two model simulations. Occurrence of highest sea levels is found to be more in the storm surge simulations forced by winds from doubled GHG than in the simulation forced by winds from the control run. This is consistent with the frequency distribution of maximum wind speeds associated with cyclones (Fig. 15).

(iv) Precipitation

Extreme rainfall events occur in the coastal regions in association with the crossing of cyclones over the land. The daily rainfall data from HadRM2 were analysed using Gumbel extreme value distribution to estimate the return periods of extreme rainfall events. Results are shown for six selected points along the east coast (Fig.19 A,B,C,D,E &F). It is found that the return levels for different periods are higher in doubled GHG estimates than those in the control run. This is particularly conspicuous for the points, which lie in the northernmost part of the coast. The tracks of the cyclones indicate (Fig. 14) that most of the cyclones cross the land in this region. As discussed in the previous section, in HadRM2 simulations, the frequency of cyclones in the Bay of Bengal are found to be higher in the doubled GHG run than in the control run, particularly in the post monsoon season. For the points which lie in the southern side (Fig. 19F), the return levels of intense rainfall are lower and there is no significant difference between the control run and doubled GHG run. For these points, the 100 year return period of intense rainfall is slightly less than 300 mm. This compares well with the estimates made by Mukherji et al. (1991), in which the authors performed Gumbel extreme value analysis for different points along the coast of India and estimated the 100 year rainfall to be about 250 to 350

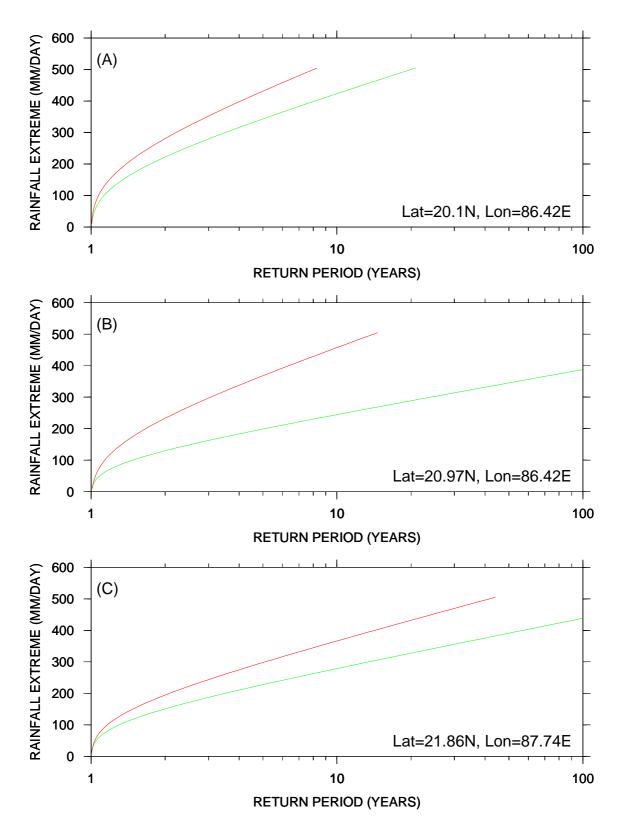


Fig. 19(A,B,C): The return period of Extreme daily Rain fall at different locations along the coast of India for HadRM2 data. Red line indicates double GHG run, Green line indicates Control run.

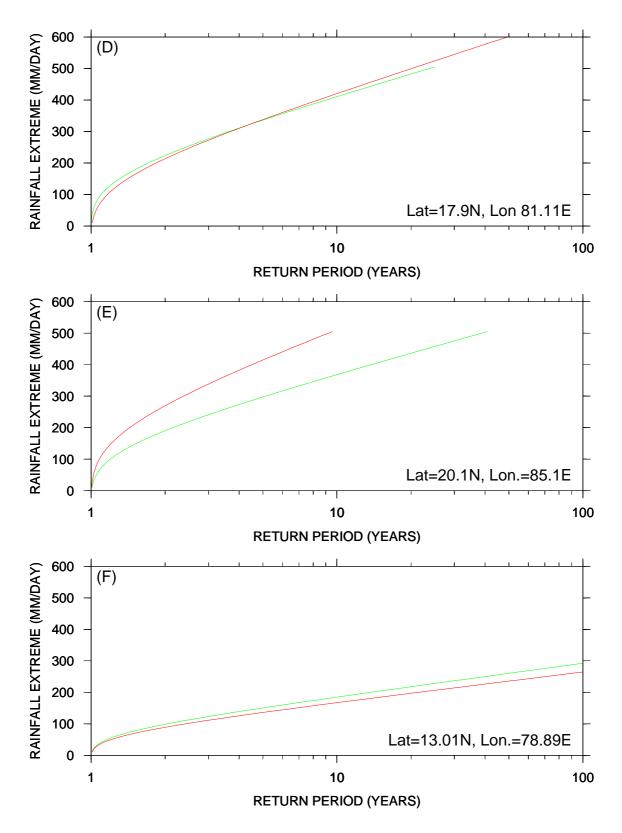


Fig. 19(D,E,F): The return period of Extreme daily Rain fall at different locations along the coast of India for HadRM2 data. Red line indicates double GHG run, Green line indicates Control run.

mm. This value is comparable to the estimates for the points lying in the southern part of the coast. However, for the points along the northern part of the coast, the 100 year return levels of rainfall are higher, varying between 400 to 500 mm.

Task 5: Return periods of extreme sea level in a future sea level rise

scenario

(i) Flood risks associated with sea level rise

In this section, we estimated the changes in return periods of extreme sea level that could occur in future in the event of future sea level rise. For evaluating the impacts of sea level rise on the return period estimates, we made calculations of return periods assuming that an increase of sea level, say, 24.1 cm, occurs by 2050, obtained from HadCM2 and HadCM3 estimates of sea level rise for the year 2050 (see Fig.7). As a first approximation, assuming that the occurrence of cyclones remains the same in future, the r-largest analysis described in Task 2, was performed again by adding this uniform increase of sea level to all values. In this calculation, we did not incorporate the trends from year to year. Fig. 20 shows a comparison of the return period estimates between the present scenario and the for the year 2050 for Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai.

The impacts associated with flood risks was studied by Nicholls et al. (1999) by estimating a term called flood envelope, defined as $E_{flood} = H_{1000} - H_1$, where H_{1000} and H_1 are the return levels for 1000 year and 1 year return periods respectively. Nicholls et al. (1999) noted that for most coastal regions, E_{flood} is less than 1 m. A sea level rise of similar magnitude as that of E_{flood} will imply that an extreme event occurring once in 1000 year at present will occur once in 1 year after the sea level rise.

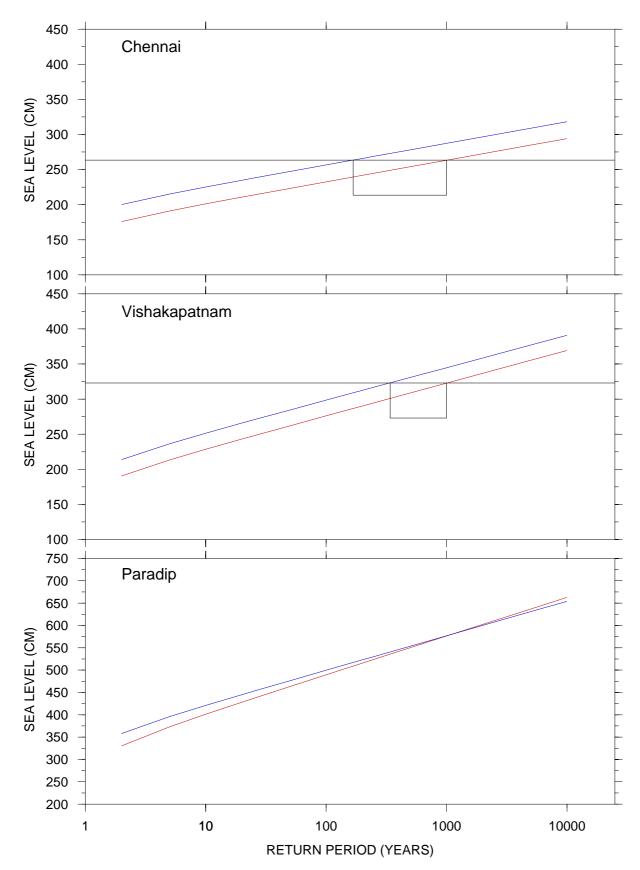


Fig. 20: Return period estimates, red indicates the present scenario and blue indicates the sea level rise scenario for 2050.

We calculated the parameter flood envelope for Paradip, Vishakhapatnam and Chennai. They are approximately 1.56, 1.32 and 0.88 m respectively. The characteristics of the return period curves, which are also known as port diagram curves, are important. Fig. 20 shows a steep curve for Paradip, followed by Vishakhpatnam and for Chennai, it is flatter. If the return period curve is relatively flat, then the value of E_{flood} decreases and it becomes comparable to the projected sea level rise by the turn of the century. This is the case for Chennai and the effect of sea level rise is maximum felt at Chennai and least in Paradip, as far as the occurrence of floods due to storm surges are concerned.

(ii) Sea level rise and tidal ranges along the Indian coasts

Along the Indian coasts, the tidal range increases in general, gradually from south to north. Along the west coast of India, the mean spring tide tidal ranges at Kochi, Marmugao and Mumbai are about 0.6, 1.7 and 3.7 m. respectively (Indian Tide Tables, 2004). Along the east coast, the mean spring tidal ranges at Chennai, Vishakhapatnam, and Paradip are 1.0, 1.4 and 1.9 m respectively. In the regions where the tidal ranges are low, say less than 1 m., the increase in sea level projected by the turn of the century, becomes comparable to the magnitudes of tidal ranges. Thus, flood risks will be greater in a region where the tidal ranges are lower than in regions of higher tidal ranges.

(iii) Sea level rise and mangrove distribution along the Indian coasts

When the tidal ranges are low and become comparable to the sea level rise, the impacts will be more. A project conducted by the National Institute of Oceanography (Anonymous, 2002b) studied the mangrove distribution along the west coast of India and found it to be sensitive to sea level rise. Along the coast of Kerala, the tidal ranges are low (\sim 1m). An increase in sea level coupled with limitations in landward margins in this

region may cause severe damage to the mangrove ecosystem (Jagtap et al., 2004, communicated).

CONCLUSION

Extreme sea level analysis using tide gauge data is new to the Indian coasts. The estimates of return periods of storm surge events are useful for the design of sea walls, offshore structures and for planning an optimal tide gauge network. The statistical analysis of tide gauge data is complimentary to the existing work on storm surge modelling in the country.

For studying the impacts of surges in the coastal zone, a database on the damage and destruction caused by cyclones and storm surges along the Indian coasts was created for the period 1950-2000.

The analysis of regional climate model of the Hadley Centre, HadRM2 provided indications of the possible changes that could occur in future due to an increase in green house gases. A comparison between the results of two simulations, namely, the control run and a run with doubled green house gas showed (i) an increased occurrence of cyclones in the Bay of Bengal, particularly in the post-monsoon period (ii) increased maximum wind speeds associated with cyclones and (iii) a decrease in the return period of intense rainfall events along the north east part of the coast.

The storm surge model for the Bay of Bengal region, developed during the present study, was run using the winds from HadRM2 model. The simulations showed greater number of high surges in the doubled GHG run than in the control run.

Impact of flood risk associated with storm surges was estimated for the year 2050, assuming that the occurrence of cyclones will remain the same, as a first approximation. Gumbel analysis was performed for the extreme sea levels for the present scenario and for the year 2050 assuming a sea level rise of 24.1 cm (Fig. 7). The results indicated that the regions where the return period curves are steep, for example, for Paradip (Fig. 20), the impact will be minimum and vice versa for Chennai, where the return period curve is relatively flat.

Estimates of sea level rise along the Indian coast were made for selected tide gauge stations. The analysis for the stations, Mumbai, Vishakhapatnam and Kochi showed a sea level rise of less than 1mm/year; however, the analysis for Chennai showing a rate of decrease. However, these estimates need to be corrected by subtracting the vertical land movements in order to get the net sea level rise. When the data on vertical land movements become available, the trend in sea level rise along the Indian coasts can be understood.

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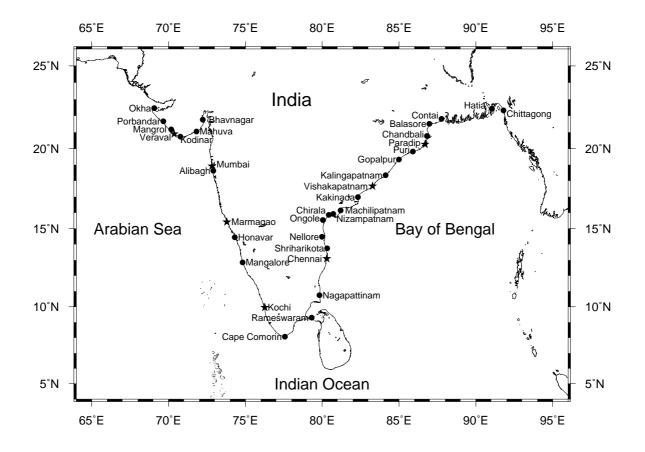


Figure 1. The location map. The stars indicate tide gauge stations.

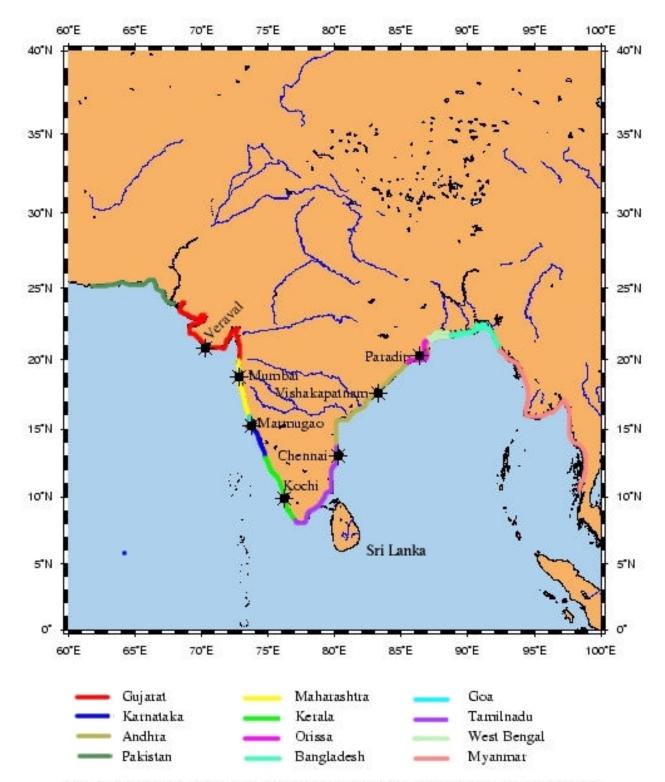


Fig. 2: Coast line of the States of India and adjoining countries, viz., Pakistan, Bangladesh and Myanmar (Burma).

ANNEXURE - I

For the recently concluded project at the National Institute of Oceanography on " Sea-level variability in the coastal region of India ", the Survey of India, Dehra Dun made available 15 years (1974- '88) of hourly tide gauge data for six stations along the coast of India. (See Fig.1), namely, Paradip, Vishakhapatnam, Chennai, Kochi, Marmagoa and Mumbai. These data were in the digital form and were fed into the computer during this project. Thus a computer accessible data set was prepared during this project. This data set does contain some gaps. These gaps are listed below.

The years listed in parentheses against the name of each station are those for which the Survey of India supplied data. When months are listed, data are missing for the listed months; if only the year is listed, data are missing for the entire year; when a year is missing in the list below, data are available for all months in that year.

• Paradip (1974-1988)

Feb 1974; Feb-Jun, Sep-Nov 1975; 1976; 1977; Feb 1978; Nov 1982; Aug 1988.

- Vishakhapatnam (1974-1988) Dec 1978; Mar-Apr 1981; Feb, Apr 1987.
 - Chennai (1974-1988)

Apr-May 1977; Feb 1980; Sep 1984; Jan-Feb, Dec 1985; 1986; Sep 1987; Nov-Dec

1988.

• Kochi (1974-1988)

Nov-Dec 1978; May-Jul 1979; May 1982

• Marmugao (1974-1988)

Jan-Mar 1974; May-Dec 1979; Jun-Dec 1980; 1981; 1982; 1983; 1984; 1985;

1986;Sep-Dec 1987; Nov-Dec 1988.

• Mumbai (1974-1988)

May 1983.

ANNEXURE -- II

Date	Maximum sea level	Maximum surge		1	Associated meteorological events		Remarks
	(cm)	level (cm)					
28 September, 1974	304.0	69.1	· •		992 hPa) crossed Orissa coast, so	uth off Paradip on 28	
			September	evening.			
			Details:				
			24 Sep	LP	Andaman Sea		
			25 Sep	LP	Southeast Bay		
			26 Sep	DD	16.0 N / 92.0 E	< 1002	
			27 Sep	CS	17.5 N / 88.5 E	< 1000	
			28 Sep	CS	19.0 N / 87.5 E	< 998	
28 November, 1974	312.0	52.4	SCH (core	pressure <			
			November	noon and v			
			Details:				
			22 Nov	LP	Southwest bay		
			24 Nov	DD	11.5 N / 87.0 E	< 1000	
			25 Nov	SCS	12.5 N / 85.0 E		
			26 Nov	SCS	13.5 N / 87.0 E	< 998	
			27 Nov	SCS	17.5 N / 88.0 E	< 996	
			28 Nov	SCH	21.5 N / 91.0 E	< 996	
6 August, 1975	262.0	26.2	D (core p	ressure <	994 hPa) crossed Orissa bet	tween Balasore and	
			Chandbali o	on 6 Augu	st afternoon.		
			Details:				
			3 Aug	LP	South Orissa, north Andhr	ra Coast	
			4 Aug	LP	18.5 N / 87.8 E	< 998	
			5 Aug	D	19.5 N / 87.5 E	< 994	
			6 Aug	D	21.2 N / 87.2 E	< 996	
			7 Aug	LP	23.5 N / 82.5 E	< 998	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	ssociated meteorological events		Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
15 May, 1978	254.0	33.9		1	992 hPa) crossed Burma coas	t near Akyab on 17	
			May at nigl	ht.			
			Details:				
			13 May	LP	Southeast Bay.		
			14 May	DD	10.0 N / 89.0 E	< 1000	
			15 May	CS	13.5 N / 91.2 E	< 994	
			16 May	CS	16.1 N / 92.0 E	< 992	
			17 May	SCH	18.2 N / 92.2 E	< 992	
			18 May	D	Over North Burma		
12 July, 1978	266.0	34.6	DD (core p	95 hPa) crossed Orissa coast ne	ear Bhubaneshwar in		
			early hours				
			Details:				
			10 Jul	LP	19.0 N / 87.0 E	< 1000	
			11 Jul	LP	18.5 N / 87.0 E	< 998	
			12 Jul	DD	20.3 N / 85.5 E	< 995	
			13 Jul	DD	Near Mandla (U.P)	< 998	
15 August, 1978	312.0	65.3	DD (core p	bressure < 98	88 hPa) crossed Orissa coast be	tween Gopalpur and	
			Puri on 15	May afterno	on.		
			Details:				
			12 Aug	LP	21.0 N / 89.4 E	< 997	
			13 Aug	D	19.5 N / 89.0 E	< 994	
			14 Aug	DD	19.2 N / 87.7 E	< 992	
			15 Aug	DD	19.2 N / 87.2 E	< 988	
			16 Aug	DD	Near Mandla (U.P)	< 994	

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8 Date	Maximum	Maximum		٨	Associated meteorological even	ate	Remarks
Date	sea level			P	issociated meteorological even	115	Remarks
	(cm)	surge level (cm)					
23 June, 1979	308.0	50.1	DD (aora r	r_{0}	90 hPa) crossed Orissa coast r	oar Cuttaals on 24 Juna	
25 Julie, 1979	508.0	50.1	evening.	nessure < 9	lear Cullack off 24 June		
			Details:				
			22 Jun	LP	19.0 N / 88.5 E	< 998	
			22 Jun 23 Jun	D	19.5 N / 88.5 E	< 998 < 994	
			23 Jun 24 Jun	DDD		< 994 < 990	
					19.5 N / 87.5 E		
0.1.1.1070	200.0	44.5	25 Jun	DD	Over M.P	< 992	
8 July, 1979	300.0	44.5	· ·	essure $< 99^{2}$	4 hPa) crossed Orissa coast in	the early morning of 8	
			July.				
			Details:	ID	21 2 N / 90 5 F	. 000	
			6 Jul	LP	21.2 N / 89.5 E	< 998	
			7 Jul	D	19.5 N / 90.0 E	< 994	
			8 Jul	D	20.5 N / 86.2 E	< 996	
			9 Jul	LP	Over M.P	< 998	
7 August, 1979	280.0	-5.77			980 hPa) crossed Orissa coa	st near Balasore in the	A negative surge. Balasore
			early night	of 7 Augus	t.		recorded the lowest MSL
							pressure of 970 hPa at 2100 hrs
			Details:				of 7 August.
			5 Aug	LP	22.1 N / 90.0 E	< 996	
			6 Aug	D	21.0 N / 90.0 E	< 990	
			7 Aug	SCS	21.5 N / 87.5 E	< 980	
			8 Aug	SCS	22.3 N / 85.0 E	< 984	

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Date	Maximum	Maximum		А	ssociated meteorological e	events			Remarks
	sea level	surge							
	(cm)	level (cm)							
17 September, 1980	272.0	51.6	,	1	998 hPa) crossed Orissa	a coast b	etween]	Puri and	
			Gopalpur o	n 17 Septen	nber morning.				
			Details:						
			15 Sep	LP	19.6 N / 88.5 E			< 1002	
			16 Sep	D	18.0 N / 86.5 E			< 1002	
			17 Sep	DD	19.8 N / 84.8 E			< 998	
			18 Sep	DD	21.5 N / 82.3 E			< 998	
17 September, 1980	272.0	51.6	DD (core	pressure <	998 hPa) crossed Orissa	a coast b	etween 1	Puri and	
			Gopalpur o	n 17 Septen	nber morning.				
			Details:	_	-				
			15 Sep	LP	19.6 N / 88.5 E			< 1002	
			16 Sep	D	18.0 N / 86.5 E			< 1002	
			17 Sep	DD	19.8 N / 84.8 E			< 998	
			18 Sep	DD	21.5 N / 82.3 E			< 998	
18 October, 1980	248.0	34.1	CS (core	pressure	< 1000 hPa) crossed	Andhra	Coast	between	This was only a border case of
			Machilipati	nam and Ka	kinada on 18 October mor	ning.			a cyclone. Machilipatnam
			_			-			reported the lowest pressure of
									997.4 hPa at 0430 of 18
			Details:						October.
			15 Oct	LP	10.0 N / 88.0 E			< 1009	
			16 Oct	D	10.0 N / 88.0 E			< 1006	
			17 Oct	CS	14.5 N / 82.5 E			< 1000	
			18 Oct	CS	16.2 N / 81.7 E			< 1000	
			19 Oct	D	16.8 N / 81.5 E			< 1004	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	Associated meteorological even	its	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
7 August, 1981	298.0	94.7			982 hPa) crossed Orissa coast	close to and North of	
			Puri on 8 A	ugust in the	e Morning.		
			Details				
			5 Aug	LP	19.5 N / 87.5 E	< 996	
			6 Aug	LP	20.5 N / 88.5 E	< 996	
			7 Aug	DD	19.0 N / 88.0 E	< 992	
			8 Aug	CS	20.0 N / 86.0 E	< 982	
			9 Aug	CS	22.0 N / 81.2 E	< 990	
26 September, 1981	344.0	89.4	SCS (core	pressure <	992 hPa) crossed Orissa coast	near Puri on the early	Puri reported the lowest
			morning of	26 Septem	ber.		pressure of 983.1 hPa at 0530
			Details:				hrs of 26 September.
			24 Sep	LP	17.0 N / 91.0 E	< 1002	
			25 Sep	CS	18.0 N / 88.5 E	< 994	
			26 Sep	SCS	20.5 N / 85.5 E	< 992	
			27 Sep	DD	22.8 N / 80.5 E	< 998	
3 June, 1982	310.0	103.5	SCS (core	pressure <	986 hPa) crossed Orissa Coas	t close to and North of	Ship M.V Renusagar anchored
			Paradip aro	ound 2200 I	ST on 3 June.		at Paradip port recorded the
							lowest pressure 952.0 hPa and
			Details:				northerly wind of 120 Knots.
			31 May	LP	13.0 N / 91.5 E	< 1002	
			1 Jun	D	15.0 N / 91.0 E	< 994	
			2 Jun	CS	17.5 N / 89.5 E	< 994	
			3 Jun	SCS	19.0 N / 88.0 E	< 986	
			4 Jun	CS	21.5 N / 85.5 E	< 990	
			5 Jun	D	25.0 N / 82.0 E	< 998	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Ass	sociated meteorological events		Remarks				
	sea level	surge									
10.1.1.1000	(cm)	level (cm)									
19 July, 1982	296.0	34.0		DD (core pressure < 992 hPa) crossed Orissa coast between Gopalpur and							
			•	Puri by early night on 19 July.							
			Details:								
			17 Jul	LP	16.6 N / 89.8 E	< 998					
			18 Jul	D	18.4 N / 88.5 E	< 992					
			19 Jul	DD	18.7 N / 86.5 E	< 994					
			20 Jul	D	21.0 N / 83.3 E	<996					
28 August, 1982	236.0	43.4	D (core pressure < 996 hPa) crossed Orissa coast near Balasore on 28								
			August nigh	nt.							
			Details:								
			26 Aug	LP	20.5 N / 88.5 E	< 1000					
			27 Aug	D	19.0 N / 88.5 E	< 998					
			28 Aug	D	21.0 N / 87.5 E	< 996					
			29 Aug	D	22.0 N / 86.0 E	< 996					
10 September, 1982	276.0	31.1	D (core pres	ssure < 998 h	Pa) crossed Orissa coast near Puri o	on 10 morning.					
			Details:			-					
			8 Sep	LP	18.0 N / 88.0 E	< 1002					
			9 Sep	D	18.0 N / 89.0 E	< 998					
			10 Sep	D	20.3 N / 85.0 E	< 998					

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Ass	sociated meteorologi	cal events		Remarks
	sea level	surge						
	(cm)	level (cm)						
24 June, 1983	294.00	40.4	DD (core pr	essure < 994	hPa) crossed south	pur on		
			the forenoor	n of 25 June.				
			Details:					
			23 Jun	LP	18.5 N / 87.5 E	<	< 999	
			24 Jun	DD	18.0 N / 85.6 E	<	\$996	
			25 Jun	DD	19.0 N / 85.4 E	<	< 994	
			26 Jun	D	20.3 N / 84.0 E	<	< 994	
9 November, 1983	310.0	44.8	SCH (core	pressure <	996 hPa) crossed	Bangladesh coast near	Cox's	The system did not affect the
			Bazaar on 9			-		weather over India.
			Details:	-				
			6 Nov	LP	12.5 N / 89.0 E	<	< 1008	
			7 Nov	CS	15.0 N / 89.0 E	<	< 1000	
			8 Nov	SCS	17.0 N / 89.5 E	<	\$996	
			9 Nov	SCH	20.0 N / 90.5 E	<	\$996	
			10 Nov	D	24.0 N / 95.0 E	<	< 1006	
1 August, 1984	346.0	68.4	DD (core p	pressure < 9	92 hPa) crossed O	Prissa coast between Pur	ri and	
			Paradip on	l August.				
			Details:	-				
			30 Jul	LP	19.5 N / 88.5 E	<	< 998	
			31 Jul	D	19.8 N / 88.0 E	<	996	
			1 Aug	DD	20.5 N / 84.0 E	<	< 992	

20° 16' N 86° 42' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Asso	ociated meteorological event	ts	Remarks
	sea level	surge			-		
	(cm)	level (cm)					
15 August, 1984	300.0	36.2	DD (core pr	essure < 992	hPa) crossed North Orissa c	coast near Balasore on	Balasore reported a MSL
			16 morning.				pressure of 989.6 hPa at the
			Details:				time of landfall.
			13 Aug	LP	19.5 N / 90.5 E	< 998	
			14 Aug	LP	20.0 N / 90.0 E	< 996	
			15 Aug	D	20.0 N / 90.0 E	< 992	
			16 Aug	DD	21.5 N / 87.0 E	< 992	
			17 Aug	DD	23.0 N / 84.0 E	< 994	
14 October, 1984	314.0	61.8			00 hPa) crossed Orissa coast	near Chandbali on the	This system very rapidly
			forenoon of	14 October.			intensified into a hurricane
							from a stage of Depression
			Details:				within twelve hours.
			11 Oct	LP	18.0 N / 88.5 E	< 1006	
			12 Oct	LP	19.0 N / 88.5 E	< 1006	
			13 Oct	SCS	19.5 N / 88.0 E	< 1000	
			14 Oct	SCH	20.7 N / 86.8 E	< 1000	
			15 Oct	DD	22.5 N / 85.0 E	< 1006	
25 May, 1985	226.0	42.3	· •		0 hPa) crossed Bangladesh c	coast near Hatia in the	Caused tidal waves of 4.5
			early hours of	of 25 May.			meters.
			Details:				
			22 May	D	15.5 N / 88.0 E	< 998	
			23 May	DD	16.5 N / 87.5 E	< 994	
			24 May	SCS	19.0 N / 89.0 E	< 980	
			25 May	SCS	23.0 N / 91.5 E	< 986	
			1 Aug	D	20.0 N / 88.0 E	< 996	
			2 Aug	LP	22.5 N / 83.0 E	< 998	

Date	Maximum	Maximum			Associated meteorological	l events	Remarks		
	sea level	surge							
	(cm)	level (cm)							
20 September, 1985	228.0	55.0	CS (core pr	essure < 9	998 hPa) crossed Orissa co	oast near Puri in the evening			
			of 20 Septer	of 20 September.					
			Details:						
			19 Sep	LP	18.5 N / 90.0 E	<1004			
			20 Sep	CS	19.5 N / 87.0 E	< 998			
			21 Sep	D	21.5 N / 82.5 E	< 1004			
16 October, 1985	296.0	65.1	SCS (core	pressure <	Lowest Pressure at Balasore				
			early hours	of 16 Oct	ober.		987.8 hPa at 0330 hours of 16		
			Details:				October.		
			13 Oct	LP	14.0 N / 95.0 E	< 1006			
			14 Oct	DD	16.0 N / 89.5 E	< 1002			
			15 Oct	SCS	19.5 N / 87.5 E	< 994			
			16 Oct	CS	21.2 N / 87.0 E	< 996			
			17 Oct	CS	24.5 N / 85.5 E	< 998			
12 August, 1986	303.0	46.0	DD (core	pressure	< 992 hPa) crossed	North Andhra coast near			
			Kalingapatr	nam in the	night of 12 August.				
			Details:						
			9 Aug	LP	18.5 N / 85.0 E	<1000			
			10 Aug	LP	17.5 N / 87.5 E	< 998			
			11 Aug	DD	18.0 N / 86.5 E	< 994			
			12 Aug	DD	18.0 N / 84 5 E	< 992			
			13 Aug	DD	19.5 N / 83.5 E	< 992			

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	ssociated meteorological events	5	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
20 August, 1986	304.0	40.8	D (core pr	essure < 998	hPa) crossed Orissa coast in	the early hours of 20	
			August.				
			Details:				
			18 Aug	LP	21.0 N / 88.5 E	<1000	
			19 Aug	LP	20.0 N / 88.5 E	< 998	
			20 Aug	D	21.5 N / 86.0 E	< 998	
			21 Aug	LP	23.0 N / 85.0 E	< 1000	
25 September, 1986	265.0	36.8	D (core pr	essure < 100	04 hPa) crossed Orissa coast	near Balasore before	Lowest pressure recorded at
			noon of 25	September.			Balasore was 1000 hPa at 1730
			Details:				hours of 25 September.
			23 Sep	LP	18.4 N / 85.5 E	<1008	
			24 Sep	LP	19.6 N / 87.5 E	<1006	
			25 Sep	D	21.4 N / 86.5 E	<1004	
			26 Sep	D	21.7 N / 87.0 E	<1002	
3 November, 1987	226.0	-17.3	SCS (core	pressure < 9	996 hPa) crossed south Andhu	a coast just North of	
			Nellore in	the early hou	rs of 3 November.		
			Details:				
			31 Oct	D	11.5 N / 86.0 E	< 1006	
			1 Nov	CS	14.0 N / 84.5 E	< 1002	
			2 Nov	SCS	13.5 N / 82.0 E	< 996	
			3 Nov	CS	14.9 N / 79.5 E	< 1000	
			4 Nov	LP	15.0 N / 76.5 E	< 1000	

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Date	Maximum	Maximum		Ass	ociated meteorological events	5	Remarks
	sea level	surge			-		
	(cm)	level (cm)					
13 November, 1987	250.0	46.8	SCS (core j	pressure <100	00 hPa) crossed South Andh	ra coast just south of	Became SCS at 1730 hours of
			Machilipatn	am in the ear	ly hours of 13 November.		12 November and after
							crossing the coast weakened to
			Details:				DD.
			9 Nov	LP	10.0 N / 94.0 E	< 1008	
			10 Nov	LP	12.0 N / 90.0 E	< 1006	
			11 Nov	DD	13.0 N / 92.0 E	< 1006	
			12 Nov	CS	14.5 N / 84.5 E	< 1000	
			13 Nov	DD	16.0 N / 80.6 E	< 1002	
17 July, 1988	302.0	46.3	D (core pres	ssure < 993 hl	Pa) crossed Orissa coast near	Gopalpur in the night	
			of 17 July.				
			Details:				
			15 Jul	LP	19.0 N / 86.5 E	< 1002	
			16 Jul	LP	18.5 N / 87.0 E	< 1000	
			17 Jul	D	18.0 N / 86.0 E	< 994	
			18 Jul	D	19.5 N / 83.5 E	< 993	
18 November, 1988	309.0	40.9	SCS (core	pressure < 99	96 hPa) dissipated over Nort	h East and adjoining	
			East Central	l Bay of Arak	an coast by the midnight of 1	8 November.	
			Details:				
			14 Nov	LP	07.0 N / 88.5 E	< 1009	
			15 Nov	D	08.0 N / 87.0 E	< 1008	
			16 Nov	CS	10.5 N / 89.0 E	< 1002	
			17 Nov	SCS	16.0 N / 90.5 E	< 1000	
			18 Nov	SCS	19.0 N / 93.0 E	< 996	
			19 Nov	LP	22.0 N / 93.0 E	< 1012	

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Date	Maximum	Maximum		As		Remarks	
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
28 November, 1988	289.0	34.8			88 hPa) crossed West Bengal an		This was one of the super
			50 kms eas	t of Sagar isl	ands on 29 November afternoon.		storms that affected the Indian
							Coast. The lowest estimated
							core pressure was 942 hPa at
							1730 hrs of 29 November
							however Sagar island
							lighthouse recorded 990 hPa as
			Details:				the lowest.
			22 Nov	LP	06.5 N / 98.5 E	< 1008	
			23 Nov	D	09.8 N / 95.0 E	< 1008	
			24 Nov	DD	10.0 N / 94.0 E	< 1008	
			25 Nov	CS	11.5 N / 92.0 E	< 998	
			26 Nov	SCS	12.0 N / 86.5 E	< 996	
			27 Nov	SCH			
			28 Nov	SCH	16.0 N / 87.0 E	< 988	
			29 Nov	SCH	< 1000		
			30 Nov	LP	Over Assam and Meghalaya	1	

Annexure- II

Vishakhapatnam

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Ass	ociated meteorological ev	vents	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
28 September, 1974	194.0	42.6			2 hPa) crossed Orissa co	ast close to and south of	Paradip reported 989 hPa at
			Paradip on 2	28 evening.			1930 hrs of 28 September.
			Details:				
			24 Sep	LP	14.2 N / 94.7 E	< 1007	
			25 Sep	LP	13.2 N / 90.0 E	< 1000	
			26 Sep	D	16.2 N / 92.2 E	< 1002	
			27 Sep	CS	17.5 N / 88.5 E	< 1000	
			28 Sep	CS	19.0 N / 87.2 E	< 998	
			29 Sep	CS	22.2 N / 86.6 E	< 994	
			30 Sep	DD	25.0 N / 88.0 E	< 1000	
8 October, 1974	190.0	56.6			4 hPa) crossed Andhra co	bast near Vishakhapatnam	
			on 8 Octobe	er evening.			
			Details:				
			5 Oct	LP	17.0 N / 87.0 E	< 1006	
			6 Oct	LP	13.5 N / 90.5 E	< 1008	
			7 Oct	DD	16.5 N / 86.0 E	< 1004	
			8 Oct	DD	17.2 N / 84.2 E	< 1004	
			9 Oct	LP	17.6 N / 79.5 E	< 1004	
14 October, 1974	232.0	59.5			1002 hPa) crossed		
				tnam and Ka	kinada during the early m	orning of 15 October.	
			Details:				
			10 Oct	LP	14.0 N / 94.0 E	< 1009	
			11 Oct	D	16.0 N / 92.0 E	< 1004	
			12 Oct	D	17.5 N / 90.5 E	< 1004	
			13 Oct	D	17.5 N / 87.5 E	< 1004	
			14 Oct	DD	17.5 N / 86.5 E	< 1002	
			15 Oct	DD	18.5 N / 81.5 E	< 1004	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		А	ssociated meteorological event	S	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
18 August, 1975	168.0	-9.2			94 hPa) crossed west Bengal co	bast near Sagar islands	A negative surge.
				ust forenoor	1.		
			Details:				
			16 Aug	LP	20.2 N / 89.0 E	< 1000	
			17 Aug	D	20.0 N / 89.3 E	< 1000	
			18 Aug	DD	21.5 N / 87.8 E	< 994	
			19 Aug	DD	23.8 N / 86.0 E	< 996	
9 September, 1975	202.0	7.75	D (core pre	essure < 996	6 hPa) crossed Orissa coast betw	ween Paradip and Puri	
-			on 9 Septer	mber evenin	lg.	-	
			Details:		-		
			7 Sep	LP	21.5 N / 87.5 E	< 1002	
			8 Sep	LP	18.6 N / 86.0 E	< 1000	
			9 Sep	D	19.1 N / 86.0 E	< 997	
			10 Sep	D	21.2 N / 83.5 E	< 996	
2 November, 1975	252.0	60.1		ressure < 10	06 hPa) crossed Andhra coast o		The estimated pressure at the
,			× 1		,		center of the storm is about
			Details:				1000 hPa.
			30 Oct	LP	12.0 N / 88.5 E	< 1009	
			31 Oct	LP	13.5 N / 87.0 E	< 1006	
			1 Nov	D	15.0 N / 84.5 E	< 1008	
			2 Nov	CS	15.5 N / 83.0 E	< 1006	
			3 Nov	LP	14.8 N / 81.5 E	< 1000	
	1		51101		17.0 IV / 01.J L	< 1000	

Date	Maximum sea level	Maximum surge		As	ssociated meteorological event	S	Remarks
	(cm)	level (cm)					
9 November, 1975	200.0	53.5	DD (core p	ressure < 10	004 hPa) crossed Bangladesh	coast near Chittagong	The cyclonic storm weakened
			on 11 Nove	mber night.	· · · · ·		into a DD by the morning of 10
			Details:				November.
			5 Nov	LP	12.0 N / 95.0 E	< 1010	
			6 Nov	LP	11.0 N / 89.5 E	< 1008	
			7 Nov	D	11.5 N / 88.5 E	< 1006	
			8 Nov	CS	13.8 N / 84.2 E	< 1004	
			9 Nov	CS	17.5 N / 84.5 E	< 1004	
			10 Nov	DD	17.0 N / 86.5 E	< 1004	
			11 Nov	DD	21.0 N / 89.5 E	< 1004	
			12 Nov	LP	22.5 N / 93.0 E	< 1010	
27 November, 1975	197.0	44.2	SCS (core	pressure <	1002 hPa) passed off Tamil	nadu coast during 24	The SCS weakened and
				to 1 Decemb	per.		diffused over the central Bay.
			Details:				
			23 Nov	LP	South East Bay	< 1010	
			24 Nov	DD	09.0 N / 84.5 E	< 1006	
			25 Nov	CS	11.2 N / 82.0 E	< 1002	
			26 Nov	SCS	12.5 N / 81.0 E	< 1004	
			27 Nov	CS	14.0 N / 82.0 E	< 1004	
			28 Nov	CS	14.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1004	
			29 Nov	CS	15.5 N / 86.8 E	< 1004	
			30 Nov	D	18.0 N / 91.2 E	< 1006	
			1 Dec	D	14.0 N / 87.0 E	< 1006	
13 August, 1976	137.0	-11.23			94 hPa) crossed Orissa coast l	between Balasore and	A negative surge.
				he early mor	ning of 13 August.		
			Details:				
			11 Aug	LP	21.5 N / 89.5 E	< 998	
			12 Aug	D	20.5 N / 89.0 E	< 996	
			13 Aug	DD	22.1 N / 87.0 E	< 994	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		А	ssociated meteorological even	nts	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
19 October, 1976	154.0	30.4			00 hPa) crossed Bangladesh c	coast near Chittagong in	
			the early ho	ours of 21 C	October.		
			Details:				
			12 Oct	LP	08.5 N / 88.5 E	< 1010	
			13 Oct	D	10.5 N / 84.0 E	< 1010	
			14 Oct	DD	08.0 N / 90.0 E	< 1009	
			15 Oct	DD	09.0 N / 85.4 E	< 1004	
			16 Oct	CS	12.3 N / 83.0 E	< 1000	
			17 Oct	DD	13.5 N / 80.7 E	< 1000	
			18 Oct	CS	14.8 N / 81.0 E	< 1000	
			19 Oct	CS	16.0 N / 85.0 E	< 1000	
			20 Oct	CS	20.0 N / 88.0 E	< 1000	
			21 Oct	CS	23.0 N / 92.5 E	< 1000	
4 November, 1976	170.0	40.5	SCS (core	pressure <	1004 hPa) crossed coast just N	North of Machilipatnam	A cyclone of narrow core (less
			around 203	0 hrs on 4 M	November.	-	than a degree in diameter).
							Lowest pressure of 985 hPa
							was recorded at Machilipatnam
							was recorded at 2100 hrs of 4
			Details:				November.
			3 Nov	D	13.0 N / 87.5 E	< 1009	
			4 Nov	DD	15.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1004	
			5 Nov	SCS	17.2 N / 79.0 E	< 1006	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	Associated meteorological even	ts	Remarks
	sea level	surge			_		
	(cm)	level (cm)					
25 November, 1976	176.0	1.09			< 996 hPa) skirted Andhra coas		The D seems to have become
				vards to Ar	akan coast and weakened on 30) November morning.	CS on 27 morning for a short
			Details:				time.
			22 Nov	LP	07.0 N / 91.5 E	< 1006	
			23 Nov	DD	09.0 N / 88.2 E	< 1004	
			24 Nov	DD	10.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1000	
			25 Nov	DD	13.6 N / 80.5 E	< 996	
			26 Nov	DD	14.0 N / 80.2 E	< 1006	
			27 Nov	CS	16.3 N / 82.2 E	< 1004	
			28 Nov	DD	18.0 N / 87.0 E		
			29 Nov	DD	North West Bay		
13 May, 1977	126.0	20.6		pressure -	< 994 hPa) crossed Banglade	esh coast on 13 May	
			morning.				
			Details:				
			9 May	LP	08.2 N / 85.0 E	< 1006	
			10 May	D	10.2 N / 83.5 E	< 1004	
			11 May	D	15.4 N / 86.5 E	< 998	
			12 May	CS	19.5 N / 89.4 E	< 994	
			13 May	SCS	22.5 N / 90.6 E	< 994	
25 July, 1977	158.0	33.4		essure < 99	94 hPa) crossed Orissa coast ne	ear Balasore on 24 July	
			night.				
			Details:				
			23 Jul	LP	19.5 N / 87.0 E	< 996	
			24 Jul	D	20.0 N / 88.0 E	< 994	
			25 Jul	D	22.0 N / 85.5 E	< 994	
			26 Jul	D	23.6 N / 82.0 E	< 994	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	Associated meteorological event	S	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
30 October, 1977	174.0	38.5			dhra coast between Nellore and	d Ongole around noon	This emerged into the Arabian
			of 31 Octob	ber.			sea off Maharashtra coast as a
			Details:				LP.
			27 Oct	D	13.0 N / 91.5 E		
			28 Oct	D			
			29 Oct	CS			
			30 Oct	CS			
			31 Oct	SCS	15.0 N / 81.0 E		
18 November, 1977	150.0	44.8	SCH (core 1730 hrs of	-	960 hPa) crossed coast near N ber.	Vizampatnam at about	Interacted with another SCS in the Arabian sea. They turned cyclonically around each other. Lowest pressure recorded in the 'eye' was 941 hPa. This is the infamous '1977 Andhra cyclone'. The tide guage at Chennai did not function after
			Details:				17 November 1977.
			13 Nov	LP	07.0 N / 95.0 E	< 1010	
			14 Nov	DD	06.0 N / 92.0 E	< 1008	
			15 Nov	CS	06.8 N / 90.0 E	< 1000	
			16 Nov	SCH	06.6 N / 85.4 E	< 1000	
			17 Nov	SCH	10.0 N / 85.0 E	< 960	
			18 Nov	SCH	12.5 N / 82.5 E	< 960	
			19 Nov	SCH	15.2 N / 81.2 E	< 970	
			20 Nov	LP	Over Telangana	< 1004	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		А	associated meteorological events		Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
17 May, 1978	174.0	28.9		e pressure <	< 992 hPa) crossed Burma coas	t on 17 May in the	
			evening.				
			Details:				
			13 May	LP	South east Bay		
			14 May	DD	10.5 N / 88.5 E	< 1000	
			15 May	CS	13.5 N / 91.2 E	< 994	
			16 May	CS	16.1 N / 92.0 E	< 992	
			17 May	SCH	18.2 N / 92.2 E	< 992	
			18 May	LP	Over Burma		
17 June, 1978	167.0	33.2	DD (core	pressure < 9	994 hPa) crossed coast south of	Vishakhapatnam on	
			17 June aft	ernoon.		-	
			Details:				
			15 Jun	LP	16.6 N / 85.6 E	< 1001	
			16 Jun	D	17.0 N / 86.0 E	< 998	
			17 Jun	DD	17.2 N / 84.2 E	< 994	
			18 Jun	LP	20.5 N / 81.5 E	< 998	
15 August, 1978	171.0	37.8	DD (core p	pressure < 9	988 hPa) crossed Orissa coast be	tween Gopalpur and	
				May afterno			
			Details:	-			
			12 Aug	LP	21.0 N / 89.4 E	< 997	
			13 Aug	D	19.5 N / 89.0 E	< 994	
			14 Aug	DD	19.2 N / 87.7 E	< 992	
			15 Aug	DD	19.2 N / 87.2 E	< 988	
			16 Aug	DD	Near Mandla (U.P)	< 994	

Date	Maximum	Maximum			Associated me	eteorological ev	ents		Remarks
	sea level	surge							
	(cm)	level (cm)							
28 August, 1978	108.0	-18.1					orissa coast	between	
			Chandbali	and Balas	ore by about n	oon on 27 Augu	ist.		recorded 985.4 hPa at 0930 hrs
									on 27 August near the storm
			Details:						center.
			25 Aug	LP	19.8 N	/ 89.5 E		< 1000	
			26 Aug	DD	20.0 N	/ 89.0 E		< 992	
			27 Aug	CS	21.2 N	/ 87.5 E		< 990	
			28 Aug	DD	21.5 N	/ 82.8 E		< 992	
18 November, 1978	160.0	35.5	SCH (core	pressure «	< 996 hPa) cros	ssed SriLanka c	oast on 23 night	. Crossed	Pamban observatory reported
			Tamilnadu	coast nea	r Rameshwara	m on 24 Novem	ber evening.		lowest pressure of 993.4 hPa at
									0345 hrs on 25 November.
									Emerged into the Arabian sea
									off Kerala coast as DD on 25
			Details:						November morning.
			17 Nov	D	06.5 N	/ 92.5 E		< 1008	
			18 Nov	LP	06.5 N	/ 92.0 E		< 1008	
			19 Nov	LP	07.0 N	/ 92.0 E		< 1008	
			20 Nov	CS	08.0 N	/ 91.0 E		< 1008	
			21 Nov	SCH	07.5 N	/ 88.5 E		< 1002	
			22 Nov	SCH	07.5 N	/ 86.0 E		< 1000	
			23 Nov	SCH	08.0 N	/ 83.5 E		< 998	
			24 Nov	SCH	08.7 N	/ 80.5 E		< 996	
			25 Nov	DD	11.5 N	/ 75.0 E		< 1006	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	sociated meteorological even	ts	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
12 May, 1979	180.0	24.9	SCS crosse	d Andhra coa	ast south of Ongole by the ev	ening of 12 May.	This is the first time during the last 100 yrs that in the month of May an SCH formed at such a low latitude and also very heavy rain along and to the left of it's track is noteworthy. Nellore recorded the lowest pressure of about 980 hPa on 12 May evening.
					No details available.		12 1.149 0 Volume.
2 July, 1979	112.0	-15.5	DD (core) night. Details:	-	86 hPa) crossed Bangladesl		A negative surge.
			28 Jun	D	21.5 N / 90.0 E	< 992	
			29 Jun	D	22.5 N / 89.8 E	< 988	
			30 Jun	DD	24.0 N / 90.2 E	< 986	
			01 Jul	DD	25.0 N / 91.0 E	< 988	
7 August, 1979	148.0	-30.4		pressure < 9 of 7 August.	80 hPa) crossed Orissa coas	st near Balasore in the	A negative surge. Balasore recorded the lowest MSL pressure of 970 hPa at 2100 hrs of 7 August.
			5 Aug	LP	22.1 N / 90.0 E	< 996	
			6 Aug	D	21.0 N / 90.0 E	< 990	
			7 Aug	SCS	21.5 N / 87.5 E	< 980	
			8 Aug	SCS	22.3 N / 85.0 E	< 984	

Date	Maximum	Maximum			Associated meteorological	events			Remarks
	sea level	surge							
	(cm)	level (cm)							
18 October, 1980	164.0	46.4			< 1000 hPa) crossed		Coast b	between	This was only a border case of
			Machilipati	nam and K	akinada on 18 October mo	orning.			a cyclone. Machilipatnam
									reported the lowest pressure of
			5.1						997.4 hPa at 0430 of 18
			Details:	τD				1000	October.
			15 Oct	LP	10.0 N / 88.0 E			< 1009	
			16 Oct	D	10.0 N / 88.0 E			< 1006	
			17 Oct	CS	14.5 N / 82.5 E			< 1000	
			18 Oct	CS	16.2 N / 81.7 E			< 1000	
5 4 0.01	1.52.0	20.4	19 Oct	D	16.8 N / 81.5 E			< 1004	
7 August, 1981	153.0	30.4			982 hPa) crossed Orissa	coast close	e to and N	orth of	
			Puri on 8 A	ugust in th	ne Morning.				
			Details 5	LP	10 5 N / 97 5 E			< 00C	
			5 Aug		19.5 N / 87.5 E			< 996	
			6 Aug	LP	20.5 N / 88.5 E			< 996	
			7 Aug	DD	19.0 N / 88.0 E			< 992	
			8 Aug	CS CS	20.0 N / 86.0 E			< 982	
20 Marca 1001	179.0	40.0	9 Aug		22.0 N / 81.2 E	D1 00 N		< 990	
20 November, 1981	178.0	40.8			994 hPa) weakened into a	D by 20 N	ovember e	evening	The estimated lowest pressure at the core of the storm is 983
			Details:	leu in silu	the next day.				hPa.
			16 Nov	D	11.0 N / 93.0 E			< 1009	III a.
			10 Nov 17 Nov	DD	12.0 N / 91.5 E			< 1009	
			17 Nov 18 Nov	CS	13.5 N / 90.0 E			< 1002	
			18 Nov 19 Nov	SCS	16.0 N / 90.5 E			< 994	
			20 Nov	SCS	19.0 N / 92.0E			< 998	
			20 Nov 21 Nov	LP	17.5 N / 92.0 E			< 1010	
			21 INOV	LF	17.3 IN / 92.0 E			< 1010	

Date	Maximum	Maximum	Associated meteorological events				Remarks
	sea level	surge	č				
	(cm)	level (cm)					
10 December, 1981	187.0	27.9	SCH (core pressure < 992 hPa) crossed west Bengal coast near Sagar islan				The lowest pressure recorded
			around 1830 hrs of 10 December.				at Sagar was 983.5 hPa at 1745
			Details:				hrs on 10 August.
			3 Dec	LP	07.0 N / 90.0 E	< 1010	
			4 Dec	D	09.0 N / 92.0 E	< 1011	
			5 Dec	DD	10.0 N / 88.0 E	< 1008	
			6 Dec	DD	11.0 N / 88.0 E	< 1004	
			7 Dec	CS	12.0 N / 85.2 E	< 992	
			8 Dec	SCS	13.5 N / 86.0 E	< 992	
			9 Dec	SCH	16.0 N / 86.4 E	< 992	
			10 Dec	SCH	19.5 N / 97.0 E	< 994	
			11 Dec	D	24.2 N / 90.4 E	< 1008	
2 May, 1982	113	-7.5					A negative surge.
			May.				
			Details:				
			1 May	D	14.0 N / 82.5 E	< 1009	
			2 May	CS	16.5 N / 83.5 E	< 1004	
			3 May	SCH	17.5 N / 86.5 E	< 996	
			4 May	SCH	18.5 N / 91.5 E	< 994	
			5 May	D	Over Thailand		
19 July, 1982	176.0	25.1	DD (core pressure < 992 hPa) crossed Orissa coast between Gopalpur and Puri by early night on 19 July.				
			Details:				
			17 Jul	LP	16.6 N / 89.8 E	< 998	
			18 Jul	D	18.4 N / 88.5 E	< 992	
			19 Jul	DD	18.7 N / 86.5 E	< 994	
			20 Jul	D	21.0 N / 83.3 E	<996	

Date	Maximum sea level	Maximum surge		Asso	ociated meteorological	events	Remarks
	(cm)	level (cm)					
10 September, 1982	166.0	40.0	D (core pres Details:	ssure < 998 hI	Pa) crossed Orissa coas	st near Puri on 10 morning.	
			8 Sep	LP	18.0 N / 88.0 E	< 1002	
			9 Sep	D	18.0 N / 89.0 E	< 998	
			10 Sep	D	20.3 N / 85.0 E	< 998	
*16 October, 1982 and **18 October, 1982	186.0	36.5	morning of **SCS (con	17 October. re pressure «	·	of Kakinada in the early south Andhra coast near	Two events around the same period of Surge. *A narrow core system. SCS weakened to a LP. **Lowest pressure of 982.8 hPa was recorded at Sriharikota at 2000 hrs on 18 October. A narrow core system.
			Details: *14 Oct	LP	13.0 N / 91.5 E	< 1012	
			*15 Oct	DD	15.5 N / 86.5 E	< 1008	
			*16 Oct	SCS	16.0 N / 83.0 E	< 1002	
			*17 Oct	LP	16.0 N / 78.5 E	< 1008	
			**17 Oct	D	11.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1008	
			**18 Oct	SCS	13.1 N / 81.2 E	< 1002	
			**19 Oct	DD	14.8 N / 79.0 E	< 1005	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Asso	ociated meteorological eve	ents	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
25 June, 1983	166.0	23.5	DD (core pr	ressure < 994	hPa) crossed south Orissa	coast near Gopalpur on	
			the forenoon	n of 25 June.			
			Details:				
			23 Jun	LP	18.5 N / 87.5 E	< 999	
			24 Jun	DD	18.0 N / 85.6 E	< 996	
			25 Jun	DD	19.0 N / 85.4 E	< 994	
			26 Jun	D	20.3 N / 84.0 E	< 994	
4 October, 1983	198.0	53.1	CS (core pr	essure < 996	hPa) crossed north Andhra	a coast around 0100 hrs	Lowest pressure recorded at
			of 4 Octobe	r.			Vishakhapatnam was 989.5
			Details:				hPa at 2000 hrs.
			1 Oct	LP	17.5 N / 88.0 E	< 1004	
			2 Oct	D	19.5 N / 86.5E	< 998	
			3 Oct	CS	18.0 N / 84.0 E	< 996	
			4 Oct	CS	17.8 N / 83.0 E	< 996	
			5 Oct	LP	17.5 N / 80.5 E	< 998	
15 August, 1984	176.0	19.4			hPa) crossed North Orissa	a coast near Balasore on	Balasore reported a MSL
			16 morning.				pressure of 989.6 hPa at the
			Details:				time of landfall.
			13 Aug	LP	19.5 N / 90.5 E	< 998	
			14 Aug	LP	20.0 N / 90.0 E	< 996	
			15 Aug	D	20.0 N / 90.0 E	< 992	
			16 Aug	DD	21.5 N / 87.0 E	< 992	
			17 Aug	DD	23.0 N / 84.0 E	< 994	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Ass	ociated meteorological eve	ents	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
14 October, 1984	183.0	40.6			00 hPa) crossed Orissa coa	st near Chandbali on the	This system very rapidly
			forenoon of	14 October.			intensified into a hurricane
							from Depression stage within
							twelve hours. Paradip reported a pressure of 996.1 hPa at 0830
			Details:				hrs on 14 October.
			11 Oct	LP	18.0 N / 88.5 E	< 1006	
			12 Oct	LP	19.0 N / 88.5 E	< 1000	
			12 Oct	SCS	19.5 N / 88.0 E	< 1000	
			13 Oct 14 Oct	SCH	20.7 N / 86.8 E	< 1000	
			15 Oct	DD	22.5 N / 85.0 E	< 1006	
25 May, 1985	166.0	33.0		ressure < 98	0 hPa) crossed Bangladesh		Caused high tidal waves of 4.5
5,			early hours		, C		meters.
			Details:	•			
			22 May	D	15.5 N / 88.0 E	< 998	
			23 May	DD	16.5 N / 87.5 E	< 994	
			24 May	SCS	19.0 N / 89.0 E	< 980	
			25 May	SCS	23.0 N / 91.5 E	< 986	
6 August, 1985	120.0	-15.1	D (core pre	essure < 994]	hPa) crossed west Bengal	coast near Sagar Island	A negative surge.
			around noo	n on 6 August	t.		
			Details:				
			4 Aug	LP	22.5 N / 89.5 E	< 1004	
			5 Aug	LP	21.5 N / 88.5 E	< 1000	
			6 Aug	D	21.0 N / 88.0 E	< 996	
			7 Aug	D	22.5 N / 84.0 E	< 994	

Date	Maximum	Maximum			Associated meteorologica	al events		Remarks
	sea level	surge						
	(cm)	level (cm)						
11 October, 1985	184.0	53.5			< 998 hPa) crossed		coast near	Vishakhapatnam recorded the
			Vishakhapa	atnam in tl	ne early hours of 11 Octol	ber.		lowest pressure 994.2 hPa at
			Details:					0330 hrs of 11 October.
			8 Oct	LP	13.5 N / 90.5 E		< 1006	
			9 Oct	D	12.5 N / 90.0 E		< 1006	
			10 Oct	D	16.0 N / 85.5 E		< 998	
			11 Oct	CS	18.0 N / 82.0 E		< 1000	
			12 Oct	DD	20.5 N / 80.0 E		< 1002	
16 October, 1985	208.0	34.4	SCS (core	pressure -	< 994 hPa) crossed Oriss	sa coast near Bal	asore in the	Lowest Pressure at Balasore
			early hours	of 16 Oct	ober.			987.8 hPa at 0330 hours of 16
								October. Tidal waves of 1.5 to
								2 mts height were reported
			Details:					from Balasore district.
			13 Oct	LP	14.0 N / 95.0 E		< 1006	
			14 Oct	DD	16.0 N / 89.5 E		< 1002	
			15 Oct	SCS	19.5 N / 87.5 E		< 994	
			16 Oct	CS	21.2 N / 87.0 E		< 996	
			17 Oct	CS	24.5 N / 85.5 E		< 998	
12 August, 1986	189.0	70.4	DD (core	pressure	< 992 hPa) crossed	North Andhra	coast near	985.2 hPa at Kalingapatnam at
			Kalingapat	nam in the	e night of 12 August.			1730 hrs of 12 August was the
			Details:					lowest pressure recorded.
			9 Aug	LP	18.5 N / 85.0 E		<1000	
			10 Aug	LP	17.5 N / 87.5 E		< 998	
			11 Aug	DD	18.0 N / 86.5 E		< 994	
			12 Aug	DD	18.0 N / 84 5 E		< 992	
			13 Aug	DD	19.5 N / 83.5 E		< 992	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Ass	ociated meteorological eve	ents	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
9 November, 1986	164.0	27.9) hPa) crossed Bangladesh	coast in the forenoon of	
			9 November				Paradip at 2000 hrs of 8
			Details:				November.
			6 Nov	LP	12.5 N / 84.0 E	< 1009	
			7 Nov	D	14.0 N / 82.0 E	< 1004	
			8 Nov	D	18.0 N / 85.5 E	< 1002	
			9 Nov	CS	22.0 N / 89.5 E	< 1000	
			10 Nov	D	Over Bangladesh	< 1010	
16 October, 1987	132.0	35.4	CS (core pr	essure < 100	0 hPa) crossed Andhra co	ast just north of Ongole	Ongole reported The lowest
			on 16 Octob	er morning.			pressure of 995.1 hPa at 0730
			Details:				hrs on 16 October.
			13 Oct	LP	10.0 N / 92.0 E	< 1010	
			14 Oct	D	13.0 N / 87.5 E	< 1006	
			15 Oct	CS	14.5 N / 83.5 E	< 1000	
			16 Oct	DD	15.8 N / 79.5 E	< 1008	
3 November, 1987	172.0	39.0	SCS (core p	bressure < 99	96 hPa) crossed south And	dhra coast just North of	Nellore recorded the lowest
			Nellore in th	e early hours	s of 3 November.		pressure of 984.3 hPa at the
							time of landfall. The remnant
							of the system entered the
							Arabian sea to become SCH
			Details:				later.
			31 Oct	D	11.5 N / 86.0 E	< 1006	
			1 Nov	CS	14.0 N / 84.5 E	< 1002	
			2 Nov	SCS	13.5 N / 82.0 E	< 996	
			3 Nov	CS	14.9 N / 79.5 E	< 1000	
			4 Nov	LP	15.0 N / 76.5 E	< 1000	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	sociated meteorological eve	ents	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
13 November, 1987	190.0	70.1	SCS (core)	pressure <10	000 hPa) crossed South An	dhra coast just south of	Machilipatnam recorded the
			Machilipatn	am in the ea	rly hours of 13 November.		lowest pressure of 994.8 hPa at
							the time of landfall. The
							remnant emerged into the
			Details:				Arabian sea and dissipated.
							The tide guage did not function
							for about 2 days after the surge
			0.11	LD	100N/040F	. 1000	event.
			9 Nov	LP	10.0 N / 94.0 E	< 1008	
			10 Nov	LP	12.0 N / 90.0 E	< 1006	
			11 Nov	DD	13.0 N / 92.0 E	< 1006	
			12 Nov	CS	14.5 N / 84.5 E	< 1000	
			13 Nov	DD	16.0 N / 80.6 E	< 1002	
17 July, 1988	174.0	25.4	· •	ssure < 993 ł	nPa) crossed Orissa coast ne	ear Gopalpur in the night	Gopalpur recorded the lowest
			of 17 July.				pressure of 990.5 hPa at 0500
			Details:				hrs of 18 July.
			15 Jul	LP	19.0 N / 86.5 E	< 1002	
			16 Jul	LP	18.5 N / 87.0 E	< 1000	
			17 Jul	D	18.0 N / 86.0 E	< 994	
			18 Jul	D	19.5 N / 83.5 E	< 993	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Ass	ociated meteorological events		Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
29 November, 1988	186.0	34.9			88 hPa) crossed West Bengal an		This was one of the super
			50 kms east	t of Sagar isla	nds on 29 November afternoon		storms that affected the Indian
							Coast. The lowest estimated
							core pressure was 942 hPa at
							1730 hrs of 29 November
							however Sagar island
							lighthouse recorded 990 hPa as
			Details:				the lowest.
			22 Nov	LP	06.5 N / 98.5 E	< 1008	
			23 Nov	D	09.8 N / 95.0 E	< 1008	
			24 Nov	DD	10.0 N / 94.0 E	< 1008	
			25 Nov	CS	11.5 N / 92.0 E	< 998	
			26 Nov	SCS	12.0 N / 86.5 E	< 996	
			27 Nov	SCH	13.5 N / 87.0 E	< 988	
			28 Nov	SCH	16.0 N / 87.0 E	< 988	
			29 Nov	SCH	19.5 N / 88.0 E	< 1000	
			30 Nov	LP	Over Assam and Meghalaya		

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13° 06' N 80° 18' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum			Associated meteorological events	8	Remarks
	sea level	surge			-		
	(cm)	level (cm)					
2 November, 1975	202.0	43.0	CS (core pr	essure <	1006 hPa) crossed Andhra coast o	on 3 November.	The estimated pressure at the
							center of the storm is about
			Details:				1000 hPa.
			30 Oct	LP	12.0 N / 88.5 E	< 1009	
			31 Oct	LP	13.5 N / 87.0 E	< 1006	
			1 Nov	D	15.0 N / 84.5 E	< 1008	
			2 Nov	CS	15.5 N / 83.0 E	< 1006	
			3 Nov	LP	14.8 N / 81.5 E	< 1006	
27 November, 1975	166.0	33.4	SCS (core	pressure	e < 1002 hPa) passed off Tamila	nadu coast during 24	The SCS weakened and
			November	to 1 Dece	ember.	-	diffused over the central Bay.
			Details:				
			23 Nov	LP	South East Bay	< 1010	
			24 Nov	DD	09.0 N / 84.5 E	< 1006	
			25 Nov	CS	11.2 N / 82.0 E	< 1002	
			26 Nov	SCS	12.5 N / 81.0 E	< 1004	
			27 Nov	CS	14.0 N / 82.0 E	< 1004	
			28 Nov	CS	14.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1004	
			29 Nov	CS	15.5 N / 86.8 E	< 1004	
			30 Nov	D	18.0 N / 91.2 E	< 1006	
			1 Dec	D	14.0 N / 87.0 E	< 1006	
2 November, 1976	139.0	23.3	SCS (core	oressure «	< 1004 hPa) crossed coast just No	orth of Machilipatnam	A cyclone of narrow core (less
			around 203	0 hrs on 4	4 November.	-	than a degree in diameter).
							Lowest pressure of 985 hPa
							was recorded at Machilipatnam
							at 2100 hrs of 4 November.
			Details:				
			3 Nov	D	13.0 N / 87.5 E	< 1009	
			4 Nov	DD	15.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1004	
			5 Nov	SCS	17.2 N / 79.0 E	< 1006	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	Remarks		
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
27 November, 1976	172.0	39.4			996 hPa) skirted Andhra coa		The D seems to have become
			North eastw	vards to Arak	can coast and weakened on 3	80 November morning.	CS on 27 morning for a short
			Details:				time.
			22 Nov	LP	07.0 N / 91.5 E	< 1006	
			23 Nov	DD	09.0 N / 88.2 E	< 1004	
			24 Nov	DD	10.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1000	
			25 Nov	DD	13.6 N / 80.5 E	< 996	
			26 Nov	DD	14.0 N / 80.2 E	< 1006	
			27 Nov	CS	16.3 N / 82.2 E	< 1004	
			28 Nov	DD	18.0 N / 87.0 E		
			29 Nov	DD	North West Bay		
22 August, 1977	150.0	4.3	DD (core p	bressure < 99	96 hPa) crossed Orissa coas	st near Gopalpur on 22	The pressure departure from
			August earl	y morning.			normal at the core was about
			Details:				-12 .0 hPa.
			19 Aug	D	19.0 N / 91.0 E	< 1000	
			20 Aug	DD	18.4 N / 89.6 E	< 996	
			21 Aug	DD	19.5 N / 87.0 E	< 996	
			22 Aug	DD	18.8 N / 85.0 E	< 996	
			23 Aug	DD	19.1 N / 82.2 E	< 998	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	sociated meteorological ever	nts	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
12 November, 1977	183.0	36.4			1000 hPa) crossed Tamilna		Later emerged into
			Nagapattin	am in the ear	ly morning of 12 November.		Lakshadweep as a DD. The eye
							had a diameter of 10 km. The
							estimated lowest sea level
							pressure is 979.0 hPa at the
			Details:			1010	time of landfall.
			8 Nov	LP	08.0 N / 93.0 E	< 1010	
			9 Nov	D	08.0 N / 91.5 E	< 1008	
			10 Nov	CS	11.0 N / 87.5 E	< 1000	
			11 Nov	SCS	11.0 N / 82.3 E	< 1000	
			12 Nov	CS	10.9 N / 79.5 E	< 1002	
15 August, 1978	144.0	-8.7	· · ·		8 hPa) crossed Orissa coast	between Gopalpur and	A negative surge.
				May afternoo	on.		
			Details:				
			12 Aug	LP	21.0 N / 89.4 E	< 997	
			13 Aug	D	19.5 N / 89.0 E	< 994	
			14 Aug	DD	19.2 N / 87.7 E	< 992	
			15 Aug	DD	19.2 N / 87.2 E	< 988	
			16 Aug	DD	Near Mandla (U.P)	< 994	
4 November, 1978	185.0	36.1	DD (core p	bressure < 10	02 hPa) crossed Tamilnadu	coast around noon of 4	Weakened into a D; emerged
			November	near Cuddalo	ore.		into Arabian sea on 5
			Details:				November.
			3 Nov	D	10.5 N / 82.0 E	< 1004	
			4 Nov	DD	12.5 N / 80.4 E	< 1002	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		А	Remarks		
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
7 August, 1979	164.0	-22.0	SCS (core) early night of	L	980 hPa) crossed Orissa coas	t near Balasore in the	A negative surge. Balasore recorded the lowest MSL pressure of 970 hPa at 2100 hrs
			Details:				of 7 August.
			5 Aug	LP	22.1 N / 90.0 E	< 996	C
			6 Aug	D	21.0 N / 90.0 E	< 990	
			7 Aug	SCS	21.5 N / 87.5 E	< 980	
			8 Aug	SCS	22.3 N / 85.0 E	< 984	
2 November, 1979	173.0	23.3	LP (core pr	essure < 10	08 hPa) crossed north Tamilna	adu coast by noon of 2	
			November.				
			Details:				
			29 Oct	D	10.0 N / 89.5 E	< 1010	
			30 Oct	D	10.0 N / 86.5 E	< 1008	
			31 Oct	DD	12.0 N / 84.0 E	< 1008	
			1 Nov	DD	12.3 N / 81.5 E	< 1006	
			2 Nov	LP	12.5 N / 80.2 E	< 1008	
24 November, 1979	180.0	36.8	Sriharikota		1000 hPa) crossed Tamilnad 130 hrs on 25 November.	u Andhra coast near	The lowest MSL pressure recorded at Sriharikota was 1001.2 hPa at 1430 hrs on 25
			Details:				November.
			22 Nov	LP		< 1010	
			23 Nov	D	08.5 N / 87.5 E	< 1008	
			24 Nov	CS	10.5 N / 83.5 E	< 1000	
			25 Nov	CS	13.4 N / 81.0 E	< 1004	
			26 Nov	LP	12.0 N / 74.2 E	< 1011	

Date	Maximum	Maximum			Associated me	teorological	events		Remarks
	sea level	surge							
	(cm)	level (cm)							
5 December, 1980	160.0	27.3		pressure	< 1002 hPa)	passed off	Tamilnadu	coast about 5	Estimated pressure at the core
			December.						was 998 hPa.
			Details:						
			2 Dec	LP	07.0 N	/ 87.2 E		< 1008	
			3 Dec	D	09.4 N	/ 84.8 E		< 1006	
			4 Dec	DD	11.4 N	/ 83.0 E		< 1004	
			5 Dec	CS	13.5 N	/ 83.0 E		< 1002	
			6 Dec	CS	14.0 N	/ 84.0 E		< 1006	
17 December, 1980	160.0	26.1	CS (core p	ressure <	1002 hPa) cros	sed SriLanka	a coast near	Trincomalee on	The core pressure on 17
			17 Decemb	per forend	oon. Weakened	into a depre	ssion, emerg	ged into Gulf of	December morning is
			Mannar on	the same	e evening, and v	weakened fur	ther to a lov	w over Comorin	estimated to be about 998 hPa.
			on 18 Dece	ember mo	orning.				
			Details:						
			12 Dec	D	10.5 N	/ 91.5 E		< 1008	
			13 Dec	DD	11.0 N	/ 93.5 E		< 1006	
			14 Dec	DD	10.5 N	/ 93.6 E		< 1006	
			15 Dec	DD	09.0 N	/ 91.0 E		< 1006	
			16 Dec	CS	08.5 N	/ 87.0 E		< 1002	
			17 Dec	CS	08.5 N	/ 81.5 E		< 1002	
			18 Dec	LP	Over C	omorin			
21 June, 1981	180.0	24.2	DD (core p	ressure <	(988 hPa) cross	ed West Ber	ngal coast ne	ear Contai on 21	
			June morni				-		
			20 Jun	D	21.0 N	/ 89.0 E		< 992	
			21 Jun	DD	22.5 N	/ 87.5 E		< 988	
			22 Jun	DD	22.5 N	/ 85.2 E		< 990	

Date Maximum Maximum Associated meteorological events Remarks sea level surge (cm) level (cm) SCS (core pressure < 992 hPa) crossed Orissa coast near Puri on the early 26 September, 1981 Puri reported the 162.0 12.0 lowest pressure of 983.1 hPa at 0530 morning of 26 September. hrs of 26 September. Details: 24 Sep LP 17.0 N / 91.0 E < 1002 CS 25 Sep 18.0 N / 88.5 E < 994 26 Sep SCS 20.5 N / 85.5 E < 992 27 Sep < 998 DD 22.8 N / 80.5 E 2 November, 1981 180.0 33.3 D (core pressure < 1006 hPa) persisted off Tamilnadu coast for a few days and merged with the seasonal low over the Bay. Details: 31 Oct D 12.0 N / 87.5 E < 1009 1 Nov D 12.5 N / 86.0 E < 1006 2 Nov D 12.5 N / 84.0 E < 1009 LP 3 Nov 12.5 N / 83.5 E < 1008 4 Nov LP 13.0 N / 84.0 E < 1009 LP 5 Nov 14.5 N / 84.0 E < 1006 18 October, 1982 186.0 38.8 SCS (core pressure < 1004 hPa) crossed south Andhra coast near Lowest pressure of 982.8 hPa Sriharikota around 2200 hrs of 18 October. was recorded at Sriharikota at 2000 hrs on 18 October. A Details: narrow core system. 17 Oct D 11.0 N / 84.0 E < 1008 18 Oct SCS 13.1 N / 81.2 E < 1004 19 Oct DD < 1005 14.8 N / 79.0 E

< 1008

< 1004

< 1008

Date Maximum Maximum Associated meteorological events Remarks sea level surge (cm) level (cm) DD (core pressure < 992 hPa) crossed North Orissa coast near Balasore on 15 August, 1984 Balasore reported a MSL 162.0 05.1 pressure of 989.6 hPa at the 16 morning. Details: time of landfall. 13 Aug LP 19.5 N / 90.5 E < 998 14 Aug LP 20.0 N / 90.0 E < 996 15 Aug D 20.0 N / 90.0 E < 992 < 992 16 Aug DD 21.5 N / 87.0 E < 994 17 Aug DD 23.0 N / 84.0 E SCS (core pressure < 998 hPa) crossed land near Sriharikota at about 0800 14 November, 1984 206.0 57.2 Sriharikota recorded lowest hrs on 14 November. pressure 984.1 hPa at 0840 hrs Details: on 14 November. Tide guage did not function after the surge. 9 Nov LP 09.0 N / 88.0 E < 1008 10 Nov DD 10.0 N / 86.0 E < 1002 11 Nov CS 10.5 N / 82.0 E < 998 SCS < 1002 12 Nov 12.0 N / 80.8 E 13 Nov SCS 13.7 N / 80.5 E < 1004 14 Nov SCS 14.0 N / 80.2 E < 1006 15 Nov LP 14.0 N / 80.0 E < 1010 D (core pressure < 1004 hPa) formed and diffused off Tamilnadu coast on 12 November, 1985 165.0 Tide guage break down on 15 41.5 12 November. November.

Details: 11 Nov

12 Nov

13 Nov

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Chennai

11.5 N / 82.0 E

12.5 N / 81.5 E

12.8 N / 81.5 E

Associated meteorological events Date Maximum Maximum Remarks sea level surge level (cm) (cm) 3 November, 1987 SCS (core pressure < 996 hPa) crossed south Andhra coast just North of 136.0 27.0 Nellore recorded the lowest Nellore in the early hours of 3 November. pressure of 984.3 hPa at the time of landfall. The remnant of the system entered the Arabian sea to become SCH Details: later. 31 Oct D 11.5 N / 86.0 E < 1006 1 Nov CS < 1002 14.0 N / 84.5 E 2 Nov SCS 13.5 N / 82.0 E < 996 3 Nov CS < 1000 14.9 N / 79.5 E 4 Nov LP 15.0 N / 76.5 E < 1000 Machilipatnam recorded the 12 November, 1987 124.0 38.1 SCS (core pressure <1000 hPa) crossed South Andhra coast just south of Machilipatnam in the early hours of 13 November. lowest pressure of 994.8 hPa at the time of landfall. The remnant emerged into the Arabian sea and dissipated. Details: 9 Nov LP < 1008 10.0 N / 94.0 E 10 Nov LP 12.0 N / 90.0 E < 1006 11 Nov < 1006 DD 13.0 N / 92.0 E 12 Nov CS 14.5 N / 84.5 E < 1000 < 1002 13 Nov DD 16.0 N / 80.6 E

Annexure -II

Kochi

09° 58' N 76° 16' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		1	Associated meteorological event	ts	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
25 November, 1974	109.0	23.3	LP (core pr	essure < 1	010 hPa) formed and dissipated	on 25 November.	
			Details:				
			25 Nov	LP	09.0 N / 73.5 E	< 1010	
29 May, 1975	109.0	11.2	DD (core p	ressure < 1	004 hPa) crossed Maharashtra c	coast near Alibagh on	
			May late e	vening.			
			Details:				
			28 May	LP	07.0 N / 75.0 E	< 1006	
			29 May	LP	07.2 N / 74.8 E	< 1007	
			30 May	DD	12.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1006	
			31 May	DD	16.3 N / 70.2 E	< 1004	
12 October, 1976	78.0	-8.5	SCS weake	ened into a	D on 17 October near Socotra a	nd dissipated later.	A negative surge. System
							became a CS on 14 evening,
							became SCS on 15 evening
							and later dissipated near
			Details:				Socotra.
			11 Oct	LP	08.0 N / 69.5 E	< 1011	
			12 Oct	LP	09.8 N / 70.2 E	< 1010	
			13 Oct	D	12.0 N / 69.0 E	< 1008	
			14 Oct	D	13.0 N / 66.0E	< 1008	

Kochi

09° 58' N 76° 16' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		Asso	ociated meteorologica	al events	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
20 November, 1977	108.0	30.1	CS (core pr	essure < 100	0 hPa) crossed the c	oast between Mangalore and	The SCS, which crossed
					ning of 22 November		Tamilnadu coast on 12
				•	C		November, merged into the
							Arabian sea on 13 as DD. This
							intensified to a SCS. Interacted
							with the cyclone in the Bay,
							made a loop and weakened to a
							CS in the early hours of 22
							November before landfall. The
							estimated core pressure is 974
			Details:				hPa.
			13 Nov	DD	11.0 N / 75.0 E	< 1000	
			14 Nov	CS	12.0 N / 71.5 E	< 1002	
			15 Nov	SCS	13.1 N / 69.3 E	< 1002	
			16 Nov	SCS	13.8 N / 66.0 E	< 1002	
			17 Nov	SCH	10.0 N / 84.0 E	< 960	
			18 Nov	SCH	12.6 N / 82.5 E	< 960	
			19 Nov	SCS	15.2 N / 81.0 E	< 960	
			20 Nov	SCS	10.3 N / 71.5 E	< 1000	
			21 Nov	SCS	11.5 N / 75.0 E	< 1000	
<u>(1)</u>	07.0	7.0	22 Nov	DD	14.5 N / 75.0 E	< 1004	
6 June, 1980	97.0	-7.0		ssure < 998	hPa) crossed North	Maharashtra coast by 6 June	A negative surge.
			afternoon. Details:				
			3 Jun	LP	14.5 N / 72.5 E	< 1004	
			3 Jun 4 Jun	LP D		< 1002	
				D D	15.0 N / 70.5 E	< 1002	
			5 Jun		16.5 N / 70.5 E		
			6 Jun	D	19.0 N / 72.0 E	< 998	

09° 58' N 76° 16' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	ssociated meteorological event	ts	Remarks	
	sea level	surge						
	(cm)	level (cm)						
19 December, 1980	112.0	22.0		•	sed SriLankan coast, emerged i	into southeast Arabian		
			sea on 18 I	December.				
			Details:					
			18 Dec	LP	08.0 N / 75.5 E	< 1008		
			19 Dec	LP	08.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1008		
			20 Dec	LP	09.5 N / 69.0 E	< 1010		
28 October, 1981	106.0	15.1	SCH (core	pressure <	992 hPa) crossed Saurashtra c	coast close to Mangrol	The estimated core press	ure
			after midni	ght of 1 No	vember.		was 983 hPa.	
			Details:					
			28 Oct	LP	12.6 N / 71.5 E	< 1008		
			29 Oct	DD	12.0 N / 70.8 E	< 1004		
			30 Oct	CS	13.5 N / 68.0 E	< 1002		
			31 Oct	SCH	16.5 N / 68.0 E			
			1 Nov	SCH	19.5 N / 69.5 E	< 996		
			2 Nov	SCS	22.2 N / 69.7 E	< 992		
			3 Nov	DD	27.0 N / 75.0 E	< 1002		
9 August, 1983	102.0	-6.46	A land dep	pression ove	r Bangladesh on 4 August, trav	veled across India and	A negative surge.	
					sea on 9 August morning, inte			
			crossed Or	nan coast ar	ound noon on 10 August.			
			Details:		_			
			8 Aug	D	21.7 N / 73.0 E	< 994		
			9 Aug	DD	22.5 N / 62.5 E	< 994		
			10 Aug	DD	21.5 N / 61.5 E	< 988		
12 November, 1985	108.0	-11.7	LP (core p	ressure < 10	06 hPa) formed and dissipated	over sea.	A negative surge.	
			Details:		*			
			9 Nov	LP	11.0 N / 73.0 E	< 1010		
			10 Nov	LP	08.0 N / 70.0 E	< 1006		
			11 Nov	LP	10.0 N / 69.0 E	< 1007		

Kochi

09° 58' N 76° 16' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	Associated meteorological event	s	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
8 November, 1986	94.0	15.7	DD (core p	pressure <	1004 hPa) dissipated over west	central and adjoining	LP persisting over east central
			southwest .	Arabian sea	a on 11 November.		Arabian sea since 1 November
			Details:				rapidly intensified to DD.
			8 Nov	LP	13.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1006	
			9 Nov	DD	13.0 N / 70.0 E	< 1004	
			10 Nov	DD	12.0 N / 66.0 E	< 1008	
7 December, 1987	121.0	17.4	LP (core p	ressure < 1	008 hPa) persisted off west coa	ast of India for a long	
			time and di	issipated.			
			Details:				
			5 Dec	LP	09.0 N / 74.5 E	< 1010	
			6 Dec	LP	10.0 N / 74.0 E	< 1008	
			7 Dec	LP	08.5 N / 75.0 E	< 1008	
			8 Dec	LP	10.0 N / 73.0 E	< 1010	
			9 Dec	LP	10.5 N / 72.0 E	< 1009	

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Kochi

Annexure- II

Marmagao

15° 25' N 73° 48' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	sociated meteorological even	ts	Remarks
	sea level	surge			-		
	(cm)	level (cm)					
31 May, 1975	216.0	23.4	DD (core p	ressure < 10	004 hPa) crossed Maharashtra	coast near Alibagh on	
			31 May late	e evening.			
			Details:				
			28 May	LP	07.0 N / 75.5 E	< 1006	
			29 May	LP	07.2 N / 74.8 E	< 1007	
			30 May	DD	12.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1006	
			31 May	DD	16.3 N / 70.2 E	< 1004	
31 May, 1976	235.0	24.1	SCH (core	pressure <	994 hPa) crossed Saurashtra	near Mahuva on the	Bhavnagar reported MSL
			morning of	3 June and	again near port Cambay on 4 Ju	une morning.	pressure of 983.4 hPa at 2300
			Details:				hrs on 3 June.
			29 May	LP	12.0 N / 70.0 E	< 1006	
			30 May	D	13.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1002	
			31 May	CS	14.2 N / 72.0 E	< 1000	
			1 Jun	SCS	17.0 N / 71.0 E	< 996	
			2 Jun	SCH	18.5 N / 71.0 E	< 994	
			3 Jun	SCH	20.5 N / 72.0 E	< 996	
8 June, 1977	228.0	14.1	SCH (core	pressure <	984 hPa) passed through Masi	rah island on 13 June	Masirah at the time of landfall
			morning an	d entered O	man.		reported lowest pressure of
			Details:				959.0 hPa.
			8 Jun	LP	15.5 N / 71.5 E	< 1004	
			9 Jun	DD	16.5 N / 70.2 E	< 1000	
			10 Jun	CS	18.5 N / 69.3 E	< 984	
			11 Jun	SCH	19.7 N / 64.3 E	< 984	

Marmagao

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	ssociated meteorological event	S	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
14 November, 1977	250.0	19.1	The SCS (c	core pressure	e < 960 hPa) from the Bay mov	ved over the Peninsula	The estimated core pressure is
			and emerge	ed into Laks	hadweep on 13 November mo	orning as a DD which	974 hPa.
22 November, 1977	206.0	14.2	became a S	SCS, interac	ted with another cyclone in t	he Bay, made a loop.	
			Weakened	into a CS	and crossed the coast near 1	Honavar in the early	
			morning of	22 Novemb	er.		
			Details:				
			13 Nov	DD	11.0 N / 75.0 E	< 1006	
			14 Nov	CS	12.0 N / 71.5 E	< 1002	
			15 Nov	SCS	13.1 N / 69.3 E	< 1002	
			16 Nov	SCS	13.8 N / 66.0 E	< 1002	
			17 Nov	SCH	10.0 N / 84.0 E	< 960	
			18 Nov	SCH	12.6 N / 82.5 E	< 960	
			19 Nov	SCS	15.2 N / 81.0 E	< 960	
			20 Nov	SCS	10.3 N / 71.5 E	< 1000	
			21 Nov	SCS	11.5 N / 75.0 E	< 1000	
			22 Nov	DD	14.5 N / 75.0 E	< 1004	
7 November, 1978	214.0	19.3	SCH (core	pressure <	986 hPa) weakened to DD (core pressure < 1004	The estimated core pressure on
			hPa) crosse	ed Gujarat co	oast near Okha on the forenoon	of 12 November.	8 November morning is 959
			Details:				hPa.
			5 Nov	D	11.5 N / 74.5 E	< 1004	
			6 Nov	CS	12.2 N / 72.0 E	< 998	
			7 Nov	SCS	13.0 N / 68.5 E	< 1002	
			8 Nov	SCH	15.2 N / 64.6 E	< 992	
			9 Nov	SCH	17.5 N / 62.3 E	< 986	
			10 Nov	SCH	21.3 N / 64.5 E	< 996	
			11 Nov	SCH	23.0 N / 67.0 E	< 998	
			12 Nov	DD	23.0 N / 68.7 E	< 1004	

Annexure- II

Mumbai

18° 55' N 72° 50' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	Associated meteorological even	ts	Remarks
	sea level	surge			-		
	(cm)	level (cm)					
5 May, 1975	367.0	41.2	SCS (core	pressure <	1000 hPa) weakened into a LP a	and diffused over sea.	The estimated lowest pressure
			Details:				is 979 hPa on 8 May.
			30 Apr	LP			
			1 May	DD	09.0 N / 71.5 E	< 1006	
			2 May	CS	10.5 N / 71.0 E	< 1004	
			3 May	CS	10.8 N / 69.8 E	< 1002	
			4 May	CS	11.8 N / 71.2 E	< 1002	
			5 May	SCS	14.0 N / 70.5 E	< 1000	
			6 May	CS	14.5 N / 69.5 E	< 1006	
			7 May	CS	13.8 N / 67.5 E	< 1004	
			8 May	CS	14.5 N / 65.0 E	< 1002	
			9 May	CS	15.5 N / 64.2 E	< 1002	
			10 May	D	16.5 N / 64.5 E	< 1000	
			11 May	LP	18.0 N / 65.0 E	< 1006	
31 May, 1975	405.0	39.9	DD (core p	pressure < 1	004 hPa) crossed Maharashtra	coast near Alibagh on	
			31 May lat	e evening.			
			Details:				
			28 May	LP	07.0 N / 75.5 E	< 1006	
			29 May	LP	07.2 N / 74.8 E	< 1007	
			30 May	DD	12.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1006	
			31 May	DD	16.3 N / 70.2 E	< 1004	
24 June, 1975	412.0	27.1			4 hPa) moved over Saurashtra		
			and dissipa	ted over No	orth Arabian sea by 25 June eve	ening.	
			Details:				
			23 Jun	LP	20.5 N / 71.8 E	< 996	
			24 Jun	D	22.0 N / 69.5 E	< 994	
			25 Jun	D	23.0 N / 67.5 E	< 994	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	sociated meteorological event	S	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
19 October, 1975	409.0	-16.5	SCH (core	pressure < 1	000 hPa) crossed Saurashtra	coast near Porbandar	The estimated lowest core
			on 22 Octob	ber afternoor	1.		pressure of the cyclone on 22
							October was 967 hPa, while
			Details:				Porbandar reported 972 hPa.
			18 Oct	LP	14.0 N / 71.8 E	< 1005	
			19 Oct	LP	17.0 N / 72.3 E	< 1002	
			20 Oct	D	18.0 N / 70.0 E	< 1002	
			21 Oct	CS	19.5 N / 68.5 E	< 1004	
			22 Oct	SCH	20.8 N / 68.5 E	< 1002	
			23 Oct	SCS	23.8 N / 71.5 E	< 1000	
2 June, 1976	480.0	63.9	SCH (core	pressure <	994 hPa) crossed Saurashtra	near Mahuva on the	Bhavnagar reported MSL
			morning of	3 June and a	gain near port Cambay on 4 J	une morning.	pressure of 983.4 hPa at 2300
							hrs on 3 June.
			Details:				
			29 May	LP	12.0 N / 70.0 E	< 1006	
			30 May	D	13.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1002	
			31 May	CS	14.2 N / 72.0 E	< 1000	
			1 Jun	SCS	17.0 N / 71.0 E	< 996	
			2 Jun	SCH	18.5 N / 71.0 E	< 994	
			3 Jun	SCH	20.5 N / 72.0 E	< 996	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	Associated meteorological even	nts	Remarks
	sea level	surge			-		
	(cm)	level (cm)					
7 September, 1976	432.0	31.1	CS (core	pressure <	996 hPa) weakened to a D,	, intensified to CS and	The system made a loop along
			weakened	again. Dissi	pated over the sea.		the track.
			Details:				
			31 Aug	CS	23.0 N / 69.0 E		
			1 Sep	D	23.5 N / 65.5 E	< 996	
			2 Sep	D	24.0 N / 64.0 E	< 998	
			3 Sep	D	21.0 N / 66.0 E	< 1000	
			4 Sep	D	21.5 N / 67.0 E	< 1002	
			5 Sep	CS	21.0 N / 69.0 E	< 996	
			6 Sep	D	23.5 N / 66.5 E	< 998	
			7 Sep	D	23.0 N / 63.0 E	< 1000	
			8 Sep	D	22.0 N / 60.0 E		
10 June, 1977	387.0	56.0			984 hPa) passed through Ma	sirah island on 13 June	Masirah at the time of landfall
			-	and entered (Oman.		reported lowest pressure of
			Details:				959.0 hPa.
			8 Jun	LP	15.5 N / 71.5 E	< 1004	
			9 Jun	DD	16.5 N / 70.2 E	< 1000	
			10 Jun	CS	18.5 N / 69.3 E	< 984	
			11 Jun	SCH	19.7 N / 64.3 E	< 984	
17 June, 1979	438.0	52.5	SCS (core	e pressure <	992 hPa) crossed African coa	st by the morning of 20	A ship 150 kms away from the
			June.				storm center reported the
			Details:				lowest pressure of 989.1 hPa.
			15 Jun	LP	13.0 N / 71.5 E	< 1002	
			16 Jun	D	14.0 N / 70.5 E	< 1000	
			17 Jun	DD	16.5 N / 69.5 E	< 996	
			18 Jun	CS	18.0 N / 65.0 E	< 994	
			19 Jun	SCS	19.5 N / 62.5 E	< 992	

Date	Maximum	Maximum		ł	Associated meteorological even	ts	Remarks	
	sea level (cm)	surge level (cm)						
16 November, 1979	412.0	46.6	DD (core	nressure <	1002 hPa) weakened into a	LP and diffused near		
	412.0	+0.0			ember evening.	Li and annused near		
			Details:	0111/11000	ember evening.			
			13 Nov	D	09.5 N / 72.0 E	< 1008		
			14 Nov	D	11.5 N / 70.5 E	< 1006		
			15 Nov	DD	14.0 N / 69.0 E	< 1002		
			16 Nov	DD	17.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1002		
			17 Nov	LP	19.5 N / 70.5 E	< 1006		
22 November, 1979	460.0	22.8	LP (core pi	ressure < 10	008 hPa) formed and diffused o	ff west coast of India.		
			Details:					
			21 Nov	LP	15.0 N / 70.0 E	< 1008		
			22 Nov	LP	18.5 N / 71.0 E	< 1008		
			23 Nov	LP	18.5 N / 70.0 E	< 1011		
6 June, 1980	424.0	37.6	· •	essure < 9	98 hPa) crossed North Mahara	ashtra coast by 6 June		
			afternoon.					
			Details:					
			3 Jun	LP	14.5 N / 72.5 E	< 1004		
			4 Jun	D	15.0 N / 70.5 E	< 1002		
			5 Jun	D	16.5 N / 70.5 E	< 1002		
			6 Jun	D	19.0 N / 72.0 E	< 998		
31 October, 1981	455.0	70.4			(992 hPa) crossed Saurashtra	coast close to Mangrol	The estimated cor	e pressure
			after midni	ght of 1 No	ovember.		was 983 hPa.	
			Details:	I D		1000		
			28 Oct	LP	12.6 N / 71.5 E	< 1008		
			29 Oct	DD	12.0 N / 70.8 E	< 1004		
			30 Oct	CS	13.5 N / 68.0 E	< 1002		
			31 Oct	SCH	16.5 N / 68.0 E			
			1 Nov 2 Nov	SCH SCS	19.5 N / 69.5 E	< 996 < 992		
					22.2 N / 69.7 E			
			3 Nov	DD	27.0 N / 75.0 E	< 1002		

Date	Maximum	Maximum			Associated meteorological events			Remarks		
	sea level	surge								
	(cm)	level (cm)								
7 November, 1982	409.0	80.2	SCS (core	pressure	< 992 hPa) crossed Gujarat coast	west of Kodinar at	Veraval	reported	lowe	est
			about 1700	hrs on 8	November.		pressure	of 963.7	hPa jı	ust
			Details:				before lan	dfall.		
			3 Nov	LP	10.0 N / 72.0 E	< 1009				
			4 Nov	LP	11.0 N / 65.5 E	< 1008				
			5 Nov	CS	12.5 N / 62.5 E	< 1000				
			6 Nov	SCS	14.0 N / 64.0 E	< 998				
			7 Nov	SCS	15.5 N / 66.5 E	< 992				
			8 Nov	SCS	19.0 N / 69.5 E	< 998				
			9 Nov	CS	23.0 N / 73.5 E	< 1000				
28 May, 1985	402.0	30.8	Cs (core pre	essure < 9	996 hPa) dissipated over northeast A	rabian sea.				
			Details:							
			28 May	D	15.0 N / 67.0 E	< 998				
			29 May	D	17.5 N / 67.0 E	< 996				
			30 may	CS	20.0 N / 68.0 E	< 996				
			31 May	LP	22.0 N / 65.0 E	< 998				
5 October, 1985	364.0	23.4	D (core pre	ssure < 1	002 hPa) crossed Saurashtra coast n	near Mahuva, made				
			a loop, ente	ered the s	ea and crossed the Gujarat coast sou	uth of Bulsar in the				
			forenoon of	8 Octob	er.					
			Details:							
			5 Oct	LP	18.5 N / 71.5 E	< 1004				
			6 Oct	D	19.5 N / 71.5 E	< 1004				
			7 Oct	D	21.5 N / 72.0 E	< 1002				
			8 Oct	D	20.5 N / 72.5 E	< 1000				

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	sociated meteorological event	S	Remarks
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
5 November, 1987	424.0	-35.2	SCS from t	the Bay cross	sed the east coast on 2 Novem	nber, moved over land	A negative surge.
			and emerge	ed into Arab	ian sea as LP on 5 Novembe	er and dissipated over	
			sea.				
			Details:				
			2 Nov	SCS	13.5 N / 82.0 E	< 996	
			3 Nov	CS	14.9 N / 79.5 E	< 1000	
			4 Nov	LP	15.0 N / 76.5 E	< 1000	
			5 Nov	LP	15.5 N / 71.0 E	< 1008	
10 December, 1987	405.0	43.3	LP (core pr	ressure < 100	8 hPa) diffused over the sea.		
			Details:				
			9 Dec	LP	10.0 N / 72.0 E	< 1009	
			10 Dec	LP	11.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1010	
			11 Dec	LP	13.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1008	
			12 Dec	LP	12.0 N / 69.0 E	< 1010	

Veraval

20° 54' N 70° 22' E

Date	Maximum	Maximum		As	Remarks		
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
22 September, 1979	229.0	22.3		-	1000 hPa) weakened to a D	DD and crossed Oman	
				September	night.		
			Details:				
			17 Sep	LP	13.0 N / 73.5 E	< 1008	
			18 Sep	D	12.0 N / 73.0 E	< 1006	
			19 Sep	D	13.5 N / 71.5 E	< 1004	
			20 Sep	D	15.2 N / 70.5 E	< 1004	
			21 Sep	D	17.5 N / 70.0 E	< 1004	
			22 Sep	CS	18.5 N / 66.5 E	< 1004	
			23 Sep	SCH	20.5 N / 62.4 E	< 1000	
			24 Sep	DD	Over Oman	< 1006	
18 November, 1979	228.0	42.8	DD (core	pressure <	1002 hPa) weakened into a	LP and diffused near	
			Saurashtra	on 17 Nove	mber evening.		
			Details:				
			13 Nov	D	09.5 N / 72.0 E	< 1008	
			14 Nov	D	11.5 N / 70.5 E	< 1006	
			15 Nov	DD	14.0 N / 69.0 E	< 1002	
			16 Nov	DD	17.0 N / 71.0 E	< 1002	
			17 Nov	LP	19.5 N / 70.5 E	< 1006	
22 November, 1979	244.0	27.2	LP (core p	pressure < 1	1008 hPa) crossed Gujarat co	oast on 22 November	
			evening.				
			Details:				
			21 Nov	LP	16.5 N / 69.5 E	< 1008	
			22 Nov	LP	18.5 N / 71.0 E	< 1008	
			23 Nov	LP	18.5 N / 70.5 E	< 1011	

20° 54' N 70° 22' E

Veraval

Date	Maximum	Maximum		A	Remarks		
	sea level	surge					
	(cm)	level (cm)					
20 June, 1983	200.0	39.1	DD (core p	ressure < 9	94 hPa) moved over Saurashtra	on 20 June morning.	System lasted for 3 ½ days over
			Details:				Saurashtra.
			19 Jun	LP	20.5 N / 71.0 E	< 998	
			20 Jun	DD	21.5 N / 70.0 E	< 994	
			21 Jun	DD	22.0 N / 70.5 E	< 994	
			22 Jun	DD	22.5 N / 71.5 E	< 996	

Date Description of the		Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
22-11-48	SCS crossed near Dahanu, 50 miles north of Bombay at 1000 hrs. on 22 nd November.					Gust wind speed at Juhu was 94 mph at 0940 hrs. on 22 nd November. No reports on the damages in the coastal region.
21-09-49	DD crossed the east coast just north of Masulipatnam in the morning on 21 st October.					Bombay had 28.73 " of rainfall in 24 hrs. and 31.69 " in 48 hrs.
28-10-49	SCS crossed the Andhra coast near Masulipatnam on 28 th October at 0130 hrs.	800 human lives perished.		Severe damage to about 3 lakh houses. Heavy breach of road and railway lines. Breakdown of telecommunica tion links in four districts.	Damage to million acres of crops. The estimated loss to property, livestock and crops is several crores of rupees.	Masulipatnam recorded a pressure departure of 30 mb. from normal (976.9 mb). High wind speed of 85 mph. Surge level of 10-15 ft was reported. Net loss is estimated at several crores of rupees. 20 " rainfall in 12 hrs. at Machilipatnam.
10-6-50	CS crossed the coast near Saugor islands on 10 th afternoon.			Estimated property loss was at several lakhs of rupees.		Landslides at Darjeeling due to heavy rains (17.9" in 24 hrs.)

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
13-09-50	CS crossed Orissa coast on 13 th September night.					No reports
05-06-51	D crossed the Orissa coast near Balasore on 5 th June afternoon					No reports
11-06-51	D in east Arabian sea off Kathiawar coast moved in NW direction on 11 th June			Due to squally weather a 1600 ton cargo vessel sunk near Bhatkal on 10 th June.		No reports on the coastal region.
26-06-51	D crossed Orissa coast near Balasore on 26 th June on the evening.					No reports
21-07-51	D crossed Andhra coast to the south of Kalingapatnam on 22 nd July.					No reports
25-07-51	CS crossed Orissa coast between Puri and Gopalpur on 25 th July.					No reports
10-08-51	D formed in the evening of 10 th Oct. off the Orissa coast,	Heavy rains caused severe	Some loss of cattle.	Some loss of property		The system did not cross the coast.

Date	Description of the	Loss of		Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	merged on the 15 th	floods and				
	into another trough of	loss of life.				
	LP, which existed off					
	Konkan.					
14-11-51	D on 12 th Nov. in the	14 persons		Breaches		Wind speed 50mph
	SE Arabian sea	were		occurred in		occasionally in Dwarka.
	intensified into a CS	drowned in		railway tracks		Heavy rainfall of 14 " in 24
	by 14 th and became	Dwarka.				hrs in Saurashtra.
	SCS by 15 th evening,					The system did not cross
	500 miles WSW of					the coast.
	Bombay. Weakened					
	later.					
25-11-51	DD, 50 miles south of					Heavy rainfall in Andhra
	Vishakapatnam,					and Orissa. The system
	weakened later.					did not cross the coast.
07-12-51	D in SE bay on 5 th			Low lying		Despite the large distance
	Dec, intensified into a			coastal areas		from the system the entire
	CS on 6 th , became			were inundated		east coast of India was
	SCS on 7 th ,			and damage to		affected with large swells.
	weakened rapidly as			light vessels		The system did not cross
	a LP off Chittagong-			was reported.		the coast.
	Arakan coast on 13 th					
	evening					
19-05-52	DD formed in the			Low-lying		The system did not cross
	southwest bay on			areas of		the coast.
	19 th evening near 13 ⁰			Madras city		
	N 87 ⁰ E, deepened			were flooded		

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	rapidly, became SCS			and traffic was		
	on 21 st and rapidly			dislocated.		
	weakened to a DD			Breaches		
	with its core close to			occurred in		
	the coast of			railway lines.		
	Masulipatnam					
24-06-52	D moved from head					No reports in the coastal
	bay to SW Uttar					region.
	Pradesh between the					
	24 th and 28 th June					
	giving abnormally					
	heavy rains.					
04-07-52	CS in head bay on					No reports
	4 th July, landfall at					
	Contai					
20-08-52	D in NW bay on 20 th					No reports
	August. Landfall					
	near Orissa coast.					
10-09-52	D was formed in NW					No reports
	bay by 10 th Sep. The					
	landfall details are					
	not available					
09-10-52	D on 9 th Oct 1952 in					No reports
	SE bay crossed					
	Orissa coast					
16-10-52	D in west central bay					No reports
	on the 14 th of Oct.					

Date	Description of the	Loss of		Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Landfall near south Circars coast between Ongole and Masulipatnam on 16 th night.					
24-10-52	DD in north Andaman sea concentrated into a CS on 23 rd evening, centered about 100 miles west of Bassein. Landfall near Akyab on 24 th morning					No reports
12-11-52	CS on 9 th November centered near 18 ⁰ N and 88 ⁰ E, weakened to a depression and landfall near Chittagong on 12 th November.					No reports.
30-11-52	SCS on 29 th Nov. about 400 miles southeast of Madras. Landfall on 30 th Nov. afternoon, at south of Nagapattinam.	168 human lives lost	7570 cattle were reported lost.	Strong winds uprooted a large no of trees. 11,954 huts and mud houses	Destroyed 10,000 acres of plantation and gardens.	The core pressure was 970 mb. 40 mb less than surroundings. Nagapattinam observatory measured a wind speed of 50 mph at

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
				damaged. Caused dislocation of road, rail, telegraph and other communication in that area.		1130 hrs IST on the 30 th , after which the wind instrument got damaged.
01-05-53	D in SE bay on 29 th April, intensified into a SCS, landfall near Burma coast on 1 st May.					No report.
19-06-53	D in west central bay on 15 th June intensified into a CS on 19 th , landfall at Orissa coast on same afternoon.			Rail communication was temporarily dislocated between Bombay and Gujarat.		
30-06-53	D in northwest bay on 29 th June with its core near Sandheads, landfall on 30 th evening.					No reports

Date	Description of the	Loss of		Proper	ty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
02-08-53	D formed in the head bay on 1 st August and intensified into CS on same night. Landfall near Balasore at night.					No reports
14-08-53	D formed at head bay on 10 th August, became DD then D and landfall near Chandbali on 14 th at night.			The river Dudh washed away the bridge over it. 300 villages on the banks of Ganges were inundated.		
23-08-53	D over the head bay, 40 miles south of Calcutta and landfall at night.					No reports
07-09-53	D on 7 th September about 220 miles south of Calcutta, landfall at night.					No reports.
26-09-53	D on 21 st Sep. in north bay turned to CS on 26 th morning, weakened to D and crossed coast near Contai at night.					No reports.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
22-10-53	D on 21 st October about 200 miles SE of Madras crossed coast near Nellore on 22 nd .					No reports
28-10-53	D formed in west central bay on 26 th October evening at 13.5 ⁰ N & 84.5 ⁰ E and weakened to a LP off circars coast.			About 20 irrigation tanks (12 major and 8 minor) were breached.	Thousands of acres of standing crops were affected.	
10-11-53	D on 3 rd Nov in SE bay; intensified into DD by 8 th Nov. and became a LP on 10 th evening.					No reports.
10-06-54	D in east Arabian Sea on 8 th June, about 160 miles west of Bombay. Crossed Saurashtra coat between Veraval and Porbandar on 10 th afternoon.			All India Radio station got flooded and temporarily stopped functioning		
06-07-54	D on 5 th July about 100 miles east of					No reports.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Puri crossed the					
	Orissa coast on 6 th .					
08-08-54	D in northwest bay					No reports.
	on 7 th August and					
	landfall near Orissa					
	coast on 8 th evening.					
02-09-54	D from NW bay					No reports.
	moved over land.					
28-09-54	CS in west central					No reports.
	bay on 26 th Sept					
	crossed coast on 28 th					
	near Circars coast.					
21-10-54	D in SE bay on 20 th			Destruction of	Standing crops	Heavy rainfall in
	Oct. Landfall near			about 2000	were submerged	Tamilnadu and Andhra.
	Cuddalore as DD on			huts due to	in Guntur area.	
	21 st evening.			floods in		
	Weakened and then			Guntur in		
	intensified again to a			Andhra.		
	D on the 24 th , later					
	weakened and					
	crossed Sundarbans					
	coast between					
	Barisal and					
	Chittagong on 27 th					
	early hours.					
08-12-54	D formed over					Heavy rainfall activity in
	southwest bay on 8 th					Tamilnadu.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Dec., about 150 miles east of Madras, weakened into a LP on 12 th and diffused later.					
16-12-54	CS on 16 th November at 7.5 ⁰ N and 86 ⁰ E moved northwestwards and diffused later near the Orissa coast on 19 th .					Did not cross the coast. Good rains in Orissa and Gangetic West Bengal.
07-05-55	D in SW and adjoining WC bay on 5 th May intensified into a CS on 6 th . Weakened to DD and the landfall near Kakinada on 7 th .			Breaches occurred in southern railway.		
18-05-55	D in SW bay on 17 th May about 200 miles east of Nagapattinam. Landfall near Cuddalore on 18 th .					Thunder showers in Tamilnadu.
03-09-55	D formed in the north bay on 1 st September	Lakhs of people were				Floods in Orissa; worst in 100 years.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Intensified to CS and	reported				
	crossed Orissa coast	marooned.				
	on 3 rd .					
21-09-55	D formed in NW bay					No reports.
	on 21 st Sept. and					
	crossed the Orissa					
	coast.					
30-09-55	CS formed in the					No reports.
	north bay on 30 th					
	Sept. and crossed					
	the Orissa coast near					
	Chandbali.					
09-10-55	D in east central bay					Estimated max. wind
	on 5 th Oct 1955,					speed at Kalingapatnam
	weakened and later					was about 60 knots.
	intensified into a CS					Whatever damages
	on 9 th Oct. Landfall					caused to the state were
	near Kalingapatnam					due to the associated
	on 11 th early hours.					rainfall and not due to the
10.10.55						associated surge.
16-10-55	LP on 14 th Oct. over					No reports.
	SW bay became D					
	and diffused later off					
	Andhra coast.					
21-10-55	D off Kalingapatnam					No reports.
	diffused later off					

Date	Description of the	Loss of		Property loss		Remarks	
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural		
	Gangetic West Bengal.						
06-11-55	SCS with its center at 0830 hrs IST of 6 th about 150 miles to the east southeast of kakinada, became a DD on 7 th and diffused gradually.					Did not cross the coast. No reports.	
28-11-55	D in SW bay on 28 th Nov., became DD and intensified into a SCH, crossed the coast near Rajamadam in Tanjore district on 1 st December 1955 in the early hours.	About 200 saltpan workers were washed away. Total 500 human lives were lost.	1 lakh cattle heads were killed.	Heavy damage to property, seriously dislocating rail, road and telegraphic communication in the southern districts of Tamilnadu.		Estimated core wind speed was 80-120 mph. The tidal wave coincided with the epoch of the high tide.	
29-04-56	D in bay at 10° N and 89° E on 27^{th} , intensified into CS on 28^{th} and crossed Nellore on 29^{th} night.					After landfall traveled over land and emerged into Arabian sea near Karwar on 30 th April and diffused off Bombay on 3 rd May.	
31-05-56	D over NW bay near Saugor island on 29 th May, intensified into	More than a million people were		More than 10000 persons rendered	More than 30000 acres of paddy fields in the		

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	SCH on 31 st May centered about 60 miles to the south of Calcutta and hit the coast near Contai.	affected by the cyclone in West Bengal.		homeless in Midnapore district. Many buildings and houses collapsed in	coastal West Bengal were inundated by the saline waters, due to breaches in embankments.	
				Calcutta.		
24-06-56	D in west central bay on 24 th June, crossed coast near Kalingapatnam on					No reports.
	25 th at night.					
01-07-56	D formed off Orissa coast and crossed coast between Puri and Chandbali at night on 2 nd .					No reports.
01-08-56	D formed in bay, about 100 miles southeast of Cuttack on 1 st August and crossed the coast on 3 rd .					No reports.
07-08-56	D near Saugor island on 7 th August moved westwards.					No reports.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
16-08-56	D about 200 miles ESE of Gopalpur on 13 th August, crossed coast on 16 th Aug.					No reports.
09-09-56	D on 9 th September about 100 miles SE of Calcutta. Landfall between Contai and Balasore on 10 th .		Heavy loss of cattle.	Extensive floods caused collapse of 15,000 houses. Rail traffic was interrupted in east Uttar Pradesh and adjoining Bihar	Standing crops on 2 lakh acres of land were severely damaged in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar.	The damages caused were due to the heavy downpour.
30-10-56	D at 10 ⁰ N and 87 ⁰ E on 27 th October concentrated into a CS on 28 th . Landfall between Masulipatnam and Ongole on 30 th October as a DD.					No reports.
20-11-56	D on 18 th November at 8.5 ⁰ N and 84.5 ⁰ E. crossed coast between Nagapattinam and Cuddalore.	154 persons were reported killed.		Madras – Tuticorin express train met with tragic accident At Ariyalur as		

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	rty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
				one embankment was washed away by the flood.		
22-08-57	D on 18 th August at 20.5 ⁰ N and 90.5 ⁰ E, intensified into DD on 21 st morning, became a CS and crossed coast between Puri and Gopalpur on 22 nd morning.					No reports.
11-09-57	LP on 8 th September in north bay, intensified to a D which crossed the coast between Gopalpur and Kalingapatnam on 11 th September.					No damages in the coastal region.
10-11-57	D over southwest Bay on 8^{th} at 11.5^{0} N and 69.0^{0} E, turned to a DD on 9^{th} , a CS in the evening, to a					Heavy rains and no reports on the damages in the coastal region.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	SCS on 10 th and					
	weakened gradually.					
25-12-57	DD at south bay on					Did not cross the coast.
	25th became a CS of					No reports.
	small extent in the					
	evening, weakened					
	to a D on 27 th moved					
	over to Arabian Sea					
	and diffused later.					
18-05-58	D at the central bay					No reports on damages in
	on 16 th evening, 640					the coastal region. Heavy
	km south of Calcutta					rainfall in Assam.
	became a CS on 17 th					
	May and crossed					
	east Sunderbans					
	coast on the night of					
	18 th May.					
30-08-58	D on 29 th August in					No reports.
	NW Bay, crossed					
	coast near Puri on					
	30 th Aug.					
08-09-58	D in NW Bay on 8 th					No reports.
	Sept., crossed coast					
	near Chandbali on 9 th					
13-09-58	D in NW bay on 13 th			Several		
	September, crossed			houses were		
	west Bengal coast			destroyed in		

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Proper	rty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	near Contai on same evening.			the Kakdwip area and country boats sunk at Diamond Harbour due to heavy rains and squally weather. Dislocation of southeastern railway is		
21-09-58	LP over north and adjoining central bay on 21 st Sept. which moved over Orissa.			reported.		No report on the damages near the landfall. Caused copious rains in UP, Rajastan and Punjab and flood.
07-10-58	DD by 7 th October about 200 km. to eastsoutheast of Madras, weakened same evening and moved over land.			Breaches in railway track of southern railway.		Widespread rainfall. No reports on damages on the landfall. This emerged in Arabian sea and became a CS.
10-10-58	D in Arabian sea intensified rapidly into a SCS on 10 th					Did not cross the coast. No report on loss.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	October about 400 km. to the WSW of Bombay. Moved to area off Gujarat on 15 th morning and diffused later.					
17-10-58	LP concentrated into a D in the west central bay on 17 th Oct. about 300 km. to the southeast of Masulipatnam. Weakened and moved over Andhra.	20,000 people rendered homeless		Breaches in railway tracks by heavy rains.		Heavy rains in Andhra. No report on the coastal area.
23-10-58	D about 400 km. SSE of Calcutta intensified rapidly into a CS by 23 rd ; landfall at Sunderbans coast between Barisal and Noakhali on same night.			Railway communication between Dacca and Chittagong was dislocated.		No report on the Indian coast.
08-11-58	D on 6 th Nov. with its core about 250 km. southeast of Vishakapatnam					Did not cross the coast. No report.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	intensified into a CS					
	on 8 th about 450 km.					
	to the west of					
	Sandoway in Burma.					
	Later it weakened.					
18-11-58	D with center at 7.5 ⁰ N and 91.0 ⁰ E on 18 th became DD on 19 th and rapidly turned into a CS storm on 20 th at 400 km. to southeast of Madras. Weakened later and landfall over Madras coast as a D on 22 nd			Heavy rains in Madras resulted flood in low-lying areas rendering 5000 families homeless.		This emerged in Arabian sea and intensified later.
26-11-58	morning. D on 23 rd 150 km. NW of Mangalore became DD on 26 th with its center at 15.0 ⁰ N and 66.5 ⁰ E, intensified into a CS on 27 th and weakened thereafter					Caused rains in Maharashtra state. No report on the damages in coastal area.
20.05.50	a DD and further as LP off Gujarat coast.			Qualla from the		Did not group the eccet
20-05-59	D on 19 th at 10.0 ⁰ N			Swells from the		Did not cross the coast.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	and 70.0 ⁰ E, turned a			storm caused		
	DD on 20 th intensified			the destruction		
	into a CS on 21 st and			of many		
	became SCS on			saltpans		
	same evening and			around		
	weakened gradually			Bombay.		
	from next day.					
28-06-59	D on 25 th June in					No reports.
	east central Arabian					
	sea turned a DD on					
	28 th and intensified					
	into SCS in the					
	evening.					
29-06-59	D in north bay on 27 th					No reports.
	evening, became a					
	CS at 280 km. to the					
	SE of Puri and					
	crossed coast					
	between Puri and					
	Chandbali on 29 th					
10.07.50	June.			0 "		
10-07-59	D on 10 th July over			Collapse of		No reports on the
	the Sunderbans			several		damages in coastal
	coast moved over			buildings and		region.
	land and emerged in			houses in Bhuj.		
	NE Arabian Sea on					
	15th.					

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
01-10-59	D on 28 th September at 18.0 N and 89.0 E, intensified into SCS on 30 th morning about 250 km. south of Calcutta. Landfall near Balasore on 1 st October.	75 persons lost their lives.	1000 heads of cattle perished.	The storm blew off rooftops and uprooted electric and telegraphic poles, disrupted power supply in many districts of West Bengal, Bihar and Orissa.	About 8 lakh acres of standing paddy crops were destroyed in Balasore. Large number of trees uprooted.	At Calcutta, Hugli river has reached a all time tide record on 5 th October.
10-10-59	D in east central Arabian sea, south of Kathiawar coast on 10 th October crossed Saurashtra coast near Mahuva on 11 th and emerged in the Arabian sea as a DD on 15 th rapidly became CS at about 100 km. SSW of Veraval in the evening. Moving westward, became	Many human lives were lost.	Several cattle heads perished.	Several houses collapsed. One cargo vessel Premasavai and a few ferryboats and country craft were tossed by the winds and perished.		

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	SCH and landfall on					
	18 th night in Arabia.					
30-10-59	D in SW bay on 27 th					Caused noteworthy
	October about 100					amounts of rainfall all
	km. NE of					along the east coast of
	Trincomalee, crossed					India.
	Sunderbans coast					
	between Noakhali					
	and Chittagong on					
	30 th .					
28-11-59	D in SW bay about			Railway tracks		Causing heavy rains all
	300 km. ESE of			were flooded.		along the system
	Nagapattinam on 28 th					emerged into the Arabiar
	November. Crossed					sea.
	coast between					
	Nagapattinam and Pamban on 28 th					
	night.					
08-12-59	D on 5 th December in					No report on domagoe
00-12-59						No report on damages.
	SE bay about 300 km. WNW of car					
	Nicobar had landfall					
	over Andhra coast.					
10-10-60	LP entered the bay					Considerable loss of life
10 10 00	on 7^{th} , became a D,					and property (not
	turned to SCS and					quantified).
	crossed East					

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Pakistan coast on 10 th near Noahkali.					
31-10-60	D developed in the SE and SW bay on 29 th , intensified to SCS and crossed the East Pakistan coast near Chittagong.					The conditions in the landfall point due to the earlier storm were aggravated.
20-11-60	D developed in south bay at 10.5 ° N and 85.0 ° E and crossed coast near Madras on 20 th afternoon.	Some loss of life was reported. 20,000 people were rendered homeless.		Heavy damage to buildings and huts.	Numerous trees were uprooted in Madras and its suburbs.	
17-11-60	D at 11.5 [°] N and Long 66.5 [°] E intensified into a CS by the 19 th at 13 ° N and 62 ° E and weakened near Arabian coast.					No report on loss.
13-01-61	D developed in SW bay about 100 km. NNE of Trincomalee on 9 th evening. It crossed extreme			Squally weather near Tuticorin sank ten cargo boats off		Heavy rains in Madras state.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	south peninsula weakened and moved to SE Arabian sea.			Tuticorin port.		
09-05-61	D on 5 th May with centre about 350 km. ESE of Port Blair, intensified into a CS by 6 th , became a SCS on 7 th , crossed Sunderbans coast near Barisal on 9 th .	Over 1000 deaths were reported from ten districts of Bangladesh.		Several thousand houses were destroyed and scores of vessels laden with valuable cargo were sunk. At Agartala airport extensive damage was caused by winds of 90 knots.		Wind velocity was 100 mph. A tidal bore of 16 ft. high was seen. One ship reported 982 mb. atm. press. , 96 kmph of wind speed and mountainous swell and poor visibility on 8 th . On 9 th another ship reported a pressure of 994.5 mb. and a wind speed of 30 knots. The bay islands and Assam received heavy rainfall.
24-05-61	SCS crossed coast near Devgad on night of 24-25 th May			About 1700 houses were completely destroyed and 25,000 houses partly damaged.	The gales razed 5 lakh fruit trees to ground.	Caused good rainfall on the west coast of India and the advancement of the monsoon.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	rty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
30-05-61	D developed over north Andaman sea on 27 th , turned to CS in bay on 28 th , and a SCS on 29 th and crossed the East Pakistan coast on 30 th . May struck E. Pakistan near Chittagong.					No detailed report on loss. Heavy rains with gales and squalls occurred in the coastal districts of East Pakistan. Winds reached a speed of 100 mph and tidal waves were reported.
23-06-61	D about 200 km. WNW of Bombay on 21 st , turned to a CS on 23 rd , 150 km. West of Porbander, crossed Kutch coast near Naliya on same night.					No report on loss.
28-06-61	D formed in east central bay on 27 th became DD and crossed Sunderbans coast on 28 th afternoon.					No report on loss.
01-07-61	D over NW bay on 1 st July, crossed coast near Balasore.					No reports.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
01-09-61	LP crossed the Sunderbans and North Orissa coast.					No reports.
06-09-61	DD crossed Orissa coast near Contai on 6 th September.					No reports.
13-09-61	LP intensified into a CS on 12 th Sept. Landfall near Contai on 13 th morning.					No reports.
28-09-61	DD from NW bay crossed Sunderbans on 28 th .	Nearly 900 people lost their lives		100 feet of railway line was washed away. 2500 sq. miles with a population of 10 lakhs was affected by floods in Orissa. 3500 houses were completely destroyed and 5000 houses damaged.	Over 1 lakh acres of agricultural land was washed away.	
22-10-61	LP from east central bay on 22 nd ,					No reports.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	concentrated into a D					
	on 24 th morning and					
	crossed coast near					
	Noakhali on 25 th					
	October night.					
16-05-62	LP from SW bay on					No reports.
	13 th May, intensified					This emerged into
	into a CS by 15 th					Arabian sea as a DD.
	evening, 100 km. NE					
	of Cuddalore; later					
	crossed coast near					
	Cuddalore on 16 th in					
	the early hours.					
31-05-61	D formed in the					No reports.
	central Arabian Sea					
	at 17 $^{\circ}$ N and 64 $^{\circ}$ E,					
	moved westwards					
	and crossed Arabia					
08-06-62	coast. D formed in the north					
08-06-62	bay on 6^{th} , 200 km.					Caused very heavy rains in Assam and Sub-
	ESE of Puri, crossed					
	coast at Sunderbans.					Himalayan West Bengal.
12-06-62	LP over north and					The system merged with
12-00-02	central bay turned to					a D hovering over
	D by 11 th morning					Saurashtra and this
	and crossed coast					combination enhanced
	and 0103360 00451					complitation enhanced

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	near Gopalpur on 12 th .					the monsoon activity and caused heavy spells of rain, which caused heavy damages.
3 rd to 7 th & 7 th to 18 th August '62	A series of LPs from the North and NW bay moved inland causing heavy rains and serious flood in Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and Assam.	75 human lives lost.		10000 villages were affected and 38823 houses were damaged.		
08-09-62	D formed in the bay on 8 th and crossed the coast near Kakinada at night.					
17-09-62	D formed in the West Central bay and became DD and crossed the coast near Gopalpur.					
21-09-62	D from north bay on 20 th intensified to CS and crossed the coast at Sunderbans on 21 st .					Heavy flood in West Bengal and Uttar Pradesh.
26-10-62	LP from SW and SE bay on 19 th became					Heavy rains in Tamilnadu and Andhra. Low-lying

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	D on 23 rd , intensified to DD. Crossed the coast near Nellore on 26 th at night.					areas of Vishakapatnam were inundated. Emerged into Arabian sea.
30-10-62	D formed in the bay by 26 th evening, 150 km. south of Port Blair, intensified to CS on 29 th at 200 km. east of Masulipatnam and crossed East Pakistan coast near Chittagong by 30 th evening.					Caused heavy rains and gales in Andhra, Orissa, West Bengal and Assam, which aggravated the conditions in Andhra due to the earlier D.
30-11-62	D from east moved into Andaman sea on 26 th , moving westwards intensified to CS on 27 th evening, became a SCH and crossed coast near Nellore on 29 th night.					No details on damages.
08-12-62	D from SE bay on 8 th evening intensified to SCS on 10 th and					Very heavy rainfall in the bay islands.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	stayed so up to 12 th					
	and weakened.					
26-05-63	LP from SE Arabian					No damages recorded.
	sea, became D on					Heavy rainfall activity in
	18 th morning.					Kerala.
	Became CS at 10 ° N					
	& 68.5 ° E on 20 th					
	morning and SCH in					
	the evening. Crossed					
	Arabia coast.					
28-05-63	D formed in the SE					Flood in Brahmaputra; a
	bay on 24 th , became					all weather bridge in
	a SCH on 27 th					Dikronj river washed
	evening. Crossed the					away.
	coast on 28 th night					
	near Chittagong.					
09-08-63	D formed over the					Heavy rainfall in the
	head bay on 9 th and					coastal Orissa. No
	crossed the coast					damages reported in the
	near Contai at night.					vicinity of landfall.
11-09-63	D in the bay became					Heavy rainfall in the
	DD on 9 th at 80 km.					coastal Orissa, UP and
	ESE of Sandheads.					Punjab. Major rivers
	Crossed the coast					flooded and caused
	near Balasore at					damage to public proper
	night of 11 th .					and loss of life.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
27-09-63	D moved into bay from the east turned to DD and crossed coast near Balasore in the early hours of 27 th .	15 persons lost their lives.		Serious damage to property in Orissa due to rains.		Heavy rainfall in Orissa and Bihar.
06-10-63	LP from east moved into bay, turned to D, intensified to DD and crossed the East Pakistan coast on 6 th night.					Heavy rains in Bay islands and Assam.
13-10-63	D on 13 th in the East Central Arabian sea became a CS on 14 th weakened later.					Did not cross the coast. No damages reported.
21-10-63	D formed over the SE bay at 9.5 ° N & 91.5 ° E intensified to SCS by 20 th and crossed the coast near Cuddalore during afternoon of 21 st . The weakened system recurved and emerged into the bay near Gopalpur on			Disruption of telecommunica tion, rail and air services in the Madras state.	Flood caused serious damage to standing crops in Andhra and Orissa.	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	26 th . Became a SCS,					
	moved towards					
	Burma and					
	weakened.					
26-10-63	D formed in the bay					No report on damages.
	on 24 th at 150 km.					
	SSW of Port Blair					
	and crossed the					
	South Arakan coast					
	on 26 th morning.					
07-12-63	D over SE Arabian					No reports on damages.
	sea intensified to CS					
	on 2 nd and crossed					
	Kuria-Muria coast on					
	7 th .					
03-12-63	D over SE bay turned			Severe	37000 acres of	The reported damages
	to a CS on 3 rd and			damage to	paddy field	are due to the heavy
	weakened on 6 th .			public property.	submerged in	rainfall associated with
					flood.	the CS in the bay.
08-05-64	LP from the South					No damages reported.
	Andaman Sea turned					
	to a D on 6 th and					
	intensified to a CS by					
	7 th and crossed the					
	Arakan coast at night					
	on 8 th .					
12-06-64	LP from East Central	27 persons		Damages to		Cyclonic winds and tidal

Date	Description of the	Loss of		Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Arabian sea on 9 th became a SCS by 11 th at about 100 km. SW of Veraval and crossed the coast near Naliya on 12 th .	were killed.		public property along the Kathiawar coast. Many country craft and barges loaded with bauxite sunk.		wave of 15 ft. caused the havoc.
07-08-64	CS developed off Bombay on 7 th .	2 persons were killed.		2 small ships broke loose from their moorings.	Very extensive damage to Chiku and Plantain orchards in Thana.	No report on landfall. Heavy rains in konkan belt of west coast.
28-09-64	DD formed on 27 th in the west central bay crossed coast near Kakinada on 28 th afternoon.	Few fishermen were lost among the 500 caught in the high seas.		Disruption of rail and road communication and one bridge over the Krishna river was washed away.		Associated heavy rains caused the damages.
05-10-64	LP from east moved into bay turned to D on 4 th , intensified to DD on 5 th and crossed the East					No damages reported.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Pakistan coast near Barisal on 5 th .					
18-10-64	LP from Andaman sea on 16 th turned to DD by 18 th and crossed the coast near Gopalpur on 18 th night.					No damages reported.
02-11-64	LP from SE Arabian sea intensified to D, then CS on 4 th . This could not be traced after 8 th due to lack of observations at sea.					No damages reported.
07-11-64	D formed over the south Andaman sea, intensified to SCH on 6 th at 13 ° N & 84 ° E, weakened to CS on 7 th ; Crossed coast near Madras at night.					The weakened system emerged into Arabian sea and vanished. No reports on damages.
16-11-64	LP from east became a D at on 16 th at 13.5 ° N & 82.5 ° E, turned a SCS on 18 th , went close to Madras by	A few persons lost their lives.		Over 5000 huts were submerged and 30000 people were		The damages were due to the heavy rains. The system did not cross the coast.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	19 th , weakened to CS by 20 th , moved away from coast and diffused on 29 th .			rendered homeless.		
23-11-64	D from extreme SE bay on 17 th at 5 ° N & 93 ° E intensified to SCS on 20 th and crossed coast near Tondi in Tamilnadu on 23 rd afternoon.	Over 900 persons were dead including all passengers of a train which got washed off.		The railway bridge between Mandapam and Pamban was washed off by the tidal waters. Communicatio n between the island and the main land was cut off.		Cyclonic winds and tidal wave ravaged, the landfall area, Dhanushkodi. Weakened to CS and emerged into Arabian sea and diffused later.
11-05-65	LP from SE bay became a D on 9 th then CS on 10 th and then SCH on 11 th evening and crossed the East Pakistan coast on 11 th night.					No damages were reported.
31-05-65	D formed on 26 th at 15 ° N & 89 ° E intensified to CS on 30 th and then SCS on					No reports on damages.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	31 st near 20.5 ° N & 90.5 ° E.					
02-01-66	SCS with center about 150 km. east of Nellore on 2 nd . Landfall near Vishakhapatnam on 3 rd .					No reports on damages.
01-05-66	LP over the south Andaman sea on 25 th concentrated into a D by 28 th morning. It further intensified into a CS by 29 th morning and into a SCS by 30 th at 11.0 ⁰ N and 84.0 ⁰ E. Land fall just north of Cuddalore on 1 st May.			Rail and air traffic services were disrupted.		No loss reported.
25-09-66	LP moved from east into the SE bay on 25 th , became D on 27 th and crossed East Pakistan coast on 1 st October.					No reports on damages.
29-09-66	D over east central Arabian sea on 29 th ,					No reports on damages. Did not cross the coast.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	intensified to CS on 1 st October and later diffused.					
11-10-66	LP intensified to a D on 11 th at 12 ⁰ N and Long. 86 ⁰ E. and approached Andhra coast.					No reports on damages. Did not cross the coast.
03-11-66	LP of Andaman sea on 31 st October intensified into a D on 1 st November, intensified into a CS on 2 nd , turned to a SCH on 3 rd and crossed coast near Madras.	26 members of crew and a few on main land lost their lives.		Madras harbour suffered heavy loss. 3 ships got grounded. S.S Progress split into two. Communica- tions were seriously interrupted.		The weakened system emerged into Arabian sea on 5 th , intensified to CS on 7 th , to SCH on 10 th and then weakened off Arabia coast on 12 th .
09-11-66	LP from SE bay on 7 th , intensified into a D on 8 th crossed Madras coast near Tondi at night on 9 th . Emerged into Arabian Sea on 11 th , intensified to SCS on			Coastal shipping and fishing crafts were affected. Heavy rains caused breaching of tanks and	Seriously affected the standing crops and harvesting operations.	

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	rty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	12 th and crossed coast near Ratnagiri by 13 th evening.			inundation. Ratnagiri was cut off totally from rest of the places.		
21-11-66	D on 18 th at 9.5 ⁰ N & 87 ⁰ E intensified into a CS by 19 th then to SCS on 20 th and crossed coast near Kalingapatnam on 22 nd November.					Caused heavy rainfall in Andhra and Orissa.
28-11-66	LP from South Andaman sea on 22 nd , intensified into a D on 25 th , later to a CS on 27 th and intensified into a SCS at night and crossed coast near madras on 28 th morning.	2 adults and a child killed.		No property loss reported.		The weakened system emerged into Arabian sea on 30 th and weakened further.
12-12-66	D on 7 th at 8 ⁰ N and 88 ⁰ E turned to CS on 9 th and crossed East Pakistan coast near Chittagong on 12 th night.					Caused good rainfall.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
20-12-66	LP from South Andaman sea on 13 th became a D on 16 th , then a DD on 18 th and weakened to a LP off Madras coast. Moved close to cape and crossed the Maldives on 22 nd .					Good rainfall in bay islands and Madras state.
18-05-67	D on 5 th at 11.5 ⁰ N & 91.5 ⁰ E, intensified into a CS on 6 th , then to a SCS and crossed coast the Arakan coast on 18 th morning.					No reports on damages.
30-06-67	D from NW bay on 29 th crossed Orissa coast on 30 th .					No reports.
04-08-67	DD over NW bay crossed Orissa coast.					No reports.
18-08-67	D formed in head bay on 18 th August and crossed West Bengal coast.					No reports in the vicinity of the landfall.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
01-09-67	DD over head bay on 1 st , crossed West Bengal coast on 2 nd .					No reports in the vicinity of the landfall.
09-10-67	LP from east got into the north and adjoining central bay and intensified to a D at 18.5 ⁰ N & 89.0 ⁰ E on 8 th . On 9 th moved close to Orissa coast and intensified to SCS and landfall at Orissa coast between Puri and Paradip on 9 th . Moved along the coast and emerged back into the head bay at midnight of 9 th and crossed East Pakistan coast on 11 th night.	About 1000 persons lost their lives.	50,000 heads of cattle perished.	A stretch of 120 km land parallel to the coast was seriously damaged. Large number of villages destroyed. Damage to property ran into crores of rupees.		
21-10-67	CS of small extent over Comorin on 20 th with center about 100 km. west of Colombo. Crossed			CS caused serious floods and havoc in Ceylon.		No damages reported for Indian coast.

Date	Description of the	Loss of		Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	west coast of Ceylon on 21 st .					
23-10-67	LP from east turned to a D on 20 th at 9 [°] N & 90 [°] E, became a SCS by 23 rd and crossed East Pakistan coast near Cox's Bazaar on 23 rd					No damages reported.
02-11-67	D over SW bay on 31 st October turned to a DD and crossed coast near Cuddalore on 2 nd .					Weakened after landfall to D and emerged into Arabian sea and diffused.
08-12-67	D at 5 ° N & 88 ° E intensified to a CS, crossed east coast of Ceylon near Batticola on 6 th . Intensified into a SCS by 7 th and crossed coast near Nagapattinam on 8 th .	7 lives lost. 15,000 people rendered homeless.		Rail and road communica- tions were disrupted in Madras state.		Rameswaram island was totally cut off from the main land. Cyclone had caused havoc in Tanjore and Ramanathapuram districts in Madras state through gale winds and tidal waves.
10-05-68	LP from Andaman sea on 6 th turned to a D by 7 th at 14 ⁰ N & 95.5 ⁰ E, intensified into SCS by 8 th and	1000 people lost their lives in Akyab. One lakh		90 percent of Akyab was completely destroyed. Greek freighter		

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	crossed Arakan coast near Akyab on 10 th .	people in Assam were affected by flood.		was reported to have sunk.		
12-06-68	D at head bay on 12 th crossed West Bengal coast on 12 th .					No damages were reported.
12-09-68	CS on 11 th over NW bay, crossed coast near Gopalpur on 12 th .					No report on loss.
02-10-68	D over central bay, intensified to CS on 1 st at 17 [°] N & 87 [°] E, then a SCS and crossed coast near Kalingapatnam on 2 nd October.	1000 persons lost their lives.		Heavy rains led to severe floods and landslides. Many villages were wiped off.		No reports on loss in the vicinity of the landfall. The damages given are at West Bengal due to the rains associated with the cyclone.
28-10-68	LP from Andaman sea turned to a D on 21 st , a CS on 23 rd , then a SCS. Landfall near Puri in Orissa on 28 th .	Many lost their lives.	Thousands of cattle heads lost.	Cyclonic storm left a trail of devastation in coastal districts of Ganjim, Puri and Cuttack. Floods affected a number of villages. Rail	Vast areas of paddy fields were damaged.	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
				and road communication were completely disrupted due to breaches.		
05-11-68	LP from south bay concentrated into a D by 2 nd , intensified into a CS by 4 th and crossed coast near Nellore on 5 th .					No reports on damages.
14-11-68	LP from Andaman sea concentrated into a D on 9 th , rapidly intensified into SCS on 10 th , skirted Andhra and Orissa coasts. Became a CS and the landfall was near Saugor island on 14 th night.			The condition of Ganjim and Puri worsened. All modes of communica- tions were paralysed.		
18-12-68	LP over south Bay on 8 th , concentrated to a D on 12 th , a CS on 14 th , weakened to a D on 17 th 100 km.					Caused heavy rains and no damages reported.

Date	Description of the	Loss of		Property loss		Remarks
	meteorological event east of Nagapattinam and moved across the cape and entered Arabian sea.	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
17-05-69	LP in east central bay on 13 th , turned to a D on 14 th , became a CS on 16 th and crossed south Andhra coast near Bapatla on 17 th forenoon.	600 human lives lost.	A few lakh heads of cattle were killed.	A few villages were wiped out. There was extensive damage to major irrigation canal systems, irrigation tanks, roads and railway tracks. Disruption of all communica- tion systems. Total loss was estimated at more than a 100 crore rupees.	Trees were uprooted. Several lakh acres of rich standing crops were destroyed.	
16-06-69	D from central Bay on 16 th moved over land towards south Assam by 20 th .				The floods in Assam caused serious damage to standing crops and property.	Damages due to the associated rains.

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
14-08-69	D from north bay on 13 th turned to CS in the evening and crossed the Orissa coast on 14 th .					No damages reported.
06-09-69	D on 6 th September about 400 km. east of Vishakapatnam crossed coast.					No damages reported at the landfall point.
18-09-69	D formed in bay on 18 th about 450 km. east of Vishakapat- nam, crossed south Orissa coast on same night.			Heavy rains in Telangana, caused flood in Godavari inundating low lying areas.		
23-10-69	LP from south bay on 19 th concentrated into a D on 21 st , intensified to a CS on 21 st night and crossed north Tamilnadu coast on 23 rd .			Torrential rains paralysed city life, left more than 20,000 slum dwellers homeless and caused breaches in railway lines in the Madras- Arkonam section		

Date	Description of the	Los	s of	Prope	erty loss	Remarks
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
11-10-69	D in west central bay on 9 th about 500 km. SSW of Calcutta, intensified to CS on 10 th and crossed Bangladesh coast near Barisal on 11 th .					No reports on damages.
07-11-69	CS on 5 th about 300 km. NW of Port Blair, intensified to SCS on 6 th crossed Andhra coast between Kakinada and Masulipatnam on 7 th .	200 human lives are lost. 42 fishermen from Kolletikota island were washed away.		Damage to property in Krishna, east and west Godavari districts of coastal Andhra Pradesh.	Heavy damage to standing crops (particularly paddy and sugarcane).	Damages due to the cyclone are estimated to be Rs. 110 crores. Max. wind speed was estimated as 100-150 kmph.
21-12-69	D on 21 st at SE bay, intensified to a CS at 6 ° N & 85.5 ° E on 23 rd and after persisting for a while weakened to D on 25 th December.					Did not cross the coast. Caused good rains in Tamilnadu.
07-05-70	LP over Andaman sea on 30 th April moved into SW bay on 1 st May and					No report on damages.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	concentrated to a D on 2^{nd} , became CS on 3^{rd} and then a					
	SCS on 4 th . Crossed Bangladesh coast					
	near Cox's bazaar on 7 th .					
23-05-70	D formed in the NE bay on 23 rd and					No report on damages.
	crossed coast south of Cox's bazaar on same night.					
27-05-70	D on 28 th at 14.5 ° N & 71.5 ° E intensified to CS on 29 th May and then weakened					No report on damages.
	to DD on 31 st and moved away.					
09-06-70	D formed in north bay, intensified to CS on 9 th and crossed the north Orissa coast the same night.					No report on damages.
30-06-70	DD moved from bay to north Orissa on 30 th June.					No report on damages.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
08-07-70	DD moved from bay to Bihar. Landfall at West Bengal.					No report on damages.
17-08-70	D formed in West Central bay on 17 th and crossed coast on the same day.					No report on damages.
09-09-70	DD from north bay on 8 th crossed West Bengal coast on 9 th .	150 in UP and 80 lives in Bengal were lost.		Disastrous flood in West Bengal and UP.		
21-09-70	D moved from Central bay over land. Landfall on 21 st over Orissa coast.					No report on damages.
08-05-71	D formed in South Andaman sea on 3 rd , intensified to CS on 5 th and crossed the Chittagong coast on 8 th .					No report on damages.
Jun.– Sep. 1971						No detailed account of the events. June: One SCS in the first week and one D in the last week in the bay.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
						One D in the NE Arabian sea in the first week. July: Two Ds crossed West Bengal coast. August: One D moved from NW bay over land. September: Two land based D.
	29-09-71-CS Landfall on the West Bengal coast on 29 th September.	60 human lives were lost.		Thousands of houses collapsed in Calculta.	Crops damaged	Wind speed in Calcutta was 100-120 mph.
OctDec. 1971	CS from West Central bay crossed Andhra coast on 15 th October afternoon.					Good rainfall in Orissa, West Bengal and Andhra.
	D developed over Lakshadweep area became SCS and moved towards Somalia coast in the last week of October.					Good rains in Kerala.
30-10-71	SCS had a landfall on the Orissa coast	10000 people had	50000 heads of cattle died.	8 lakh houses were		Total damage of crops and other properties was

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	on 30 th early morning	lost their lives. One million rendered homeless.		damaged.		estimated to be a few crores. Maximum wind: 150 kmph and a tidal wave of 5m played havoc. Core pressure was 966 mb.
06-11-71	D from Andaman sea on 3 rd became SCS on 5 th and crossed coast near Chittagong on 6 th .					Caused heavy rains and flood in Manipur and Mizoram.
15-12-71	DD formed over SE Arabian sea turned to SCS and moved to Arabian coast.					Heavy rains in Kerala and Laccadives.
06-04-72	LP on 6 th from Andaman sea turned to a D on 7 th and became a SCS on 9 th and weakened on 11 th April.					No damages reported. Caused good rains in bay islands. Did not cross the coast.
25-06-72	D formed in NE Arabian sea and moved westwards.					No reports on damages.
29-06-72	LP over NE Arabian sea on 29 th June					No reports on damages.

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	moved westwards					
	and turned to a D.					
05-07-72	D moved from Head					No reports on damages.
	bay crossed West					
	Bengal coast on 5 th .					
14-07-72	SCS on 14 th crossed			Heavy damage	Heavy damage	Train services were
	North Orissa coast.			to railway	to crops.	disrupted. Heavy rains
				tracks,		caused flooding in Orissa.
				irrigation works		
				and houses.		
12-08-72	DD moved from north					No reports on damages.
	bay over Bangladesh					
	coast on 12 th .					
10-09-72	SCS crossed North	90 people	8000 cattle	Considerable	Considerable	
	Andhra coast on 10 th .	have lost	heads were	damage to	damage to	
		their lives.	lost.	houses, tele-	crops.	
				communication		
				and other		
				property in		
22-09-72	SCS crossed South			coastal Orissa. Considerable	Considerable	The SCS was not so
22-09-72	Orissa and North					
	Andhra coast on			damage to houses.	damage to	intense but the damages
	22^{nd} .				crops.	were due to heavy rains.
05-10-72	DD crossed south			10000 persons	Flooded East	
	Andhra coast on 5 th			were rendered	Godavari dist.	
	forenoon.			homeless.	damaged	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
				Train services were disrupted.	standing crops.	
23-10-72	LP over Arabian sea became a D on 19 th and turned to a SCS on 23 rd and moved westwards.					No damages were reported.
13-11-72	D from SE Arabian sea on 13 th , became DD on 15 th and moved towards Somalia coast.					No damages were reported.
22-11-72	DD from SE bay on 15 th turned to a SCS on 18 th and struck Sriharikota Island on 22 nd early night.			The coastal road to Sriharikota island was damaged. A large number of telegraph and electric posts were bent.	A large number of giant trees were uprooted. Casuarina and eucalyptus plantations near Sriharikota were damaged.	Heavy to very heavy rainfall in Andhra.
26-11-72	LP from Andaman sea turned to D on 26 th , became DD on 27 th and weakened.					No damages were reported.
06-12-72	D from SE bay on 1 st ,	80 persons		Several		Considerable damage to

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	became SCS on 4 th and crossed coast near Cuddalore on 6 th early morning.	have lost their lives.		thousands of houses were damaged. Several thousand were rendered homeless in 7 districts and in Madras alone 30000 were homeless. Rail and road communication cut off.		crops and other properties. Cuddalore reported the wind speed of 70-80 kts. Lowest recorded surface pressure was 984 mb.
06-12-72	Remnants of typhoon "Sally" moved into Andaman sea on 6 th as D and diffused.					No damages were reported.
20-12-72	D developed on 20 th in SW bay and weakened off Srilanka on 21 st .					Light to moderate showers in Tamilnadu.
26-05-73	D on 26 th over SW and WC Arabian sea became DD on 27 th and moved to Gulf of Aden.					No damages were reported.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural		
06-06-73	D on 6 th near 16 ° N & 68.5 ° E became DD on 7 th evening and CS on 10 th , weakened to D on 12 th and dissipated later.					No damages were reported. Did not cross the coast.	
06-07-73	D formed in Arabian sea on 6 th and diffused off kutch.					No damages were reported. Did not cross the coast.	
07-07-73	DD crossed Orissa coast between Puri and Paradip on 7 th morning.					No damages were reported.	
13-07-73	DD crossed coast near Chandbali on 13 th afternoon.					No damages were reported.	
19-07-73	CS crossed coast near Contai on 19 th night.				In Orissa floods caused damage to standing crops and property.	No indication of tidal waves or any serious effect due to winds.	
27-08-73	D on the morning of 26 th near Sandheads crossed coast close to south of Balasore on same afternoon.					No damages reported in the vicinity of the landfall. After landfall the D became DD over land.	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural		
11-10-73	CS crossed Orissa coast near Chandbali around midnight of 11 th Oct.	Less than a 100 people died in Orissa. 1.5 million people were affected by flood in Orissa.	Many heads of cattle died	More than 60,000 houses were damaged in north Orissa. Road, rail and telecommunica tions were disrupted and number of bridges damaged. In Midnapore 5000 houses were damaged and damage to property and crops was estimated to 10 lakhs.	Mild tidal waves affected large areas of agricultural land.	Core pressure of 994 mb. and a wind speed of 45 kts. was estimated.	
24-10-73	D formed on 24 th and diffused on 27 th in Arabian sea off Maharashtra.					No damages were reported. Did not cross the coast.	
09-11-73	D over SE bay on 3 rd intensified into SCS on 5 th . Landfall over Orissa coast close to			Saline water inundation affected 2070 acres of land.	Cyclone caused some damage to standing crops in the coastal	Core pressure of 989 mb was estimated.	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Paradip on 9 th .				districts of Orissa.	
18-11-73	D on 14 th over SE bay intensified to SCS on 16 th , then weakened to CS on 17 th and crossed Bangladesh coast near Hatia as D on 18 th November.					Core pressure was estimated to be 994 mb and a max. wind of 55 kt. on 17 th . No report on the damages.
09-12-73	D on 5 th near 7.5 ° N & 88 ° E became CS on 6 th , became SCS on 7 th and crossed Bangladesh coast near Barisal on 9 th .	10 crew of a ship lost their lives.	Considerable damage to cattle life.	"Sonavati" was caught in the cyclone and sank.	Heavy rains in gangetic west Bengal caused some damage to crops in coastal districts.	Tidal wave of about 4.5 m was reported to have caused the damages in Bangladesh.
15-12-73	D on 13 th near 7 ° N & 88.5 ° E became DD on 14 th and crossed Tamilnadu coast near Pamban on 15 th .					No report on damages.
27-12-73	D on 25 th near 4 ⁰ N & 89.5 ⁰ E crossed coast near Batticoala in Sri Lanka.					No report on damages.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
17-04-1974	D at SE Arabian sea on 12 th became a CS on 13 th and weakened on 16 th and dissipated.					No damage recorded. Did not cross the coast.
18-05-1974	D at SE Arabian sea on 17 th became CS on 18 th and weakened to D on 22 nd .					No damage recorded. Did not cross the coast.
30-05-1974	D on 29 th in the head bay intensified to CS on 30 th and crossed the Bangladesh coast near Patuakhali on 30 th night.			Vast area of Manipur valley was inundated by flood resulting in some damage to houses.	Damages to crops.	
16-06-1974	DD crossed Orissa coast near Puri on 16 th night.					No report on losses.
09-08-1974	D crossed Orissa coast near Balasore on 9 th night.					No report on losses.
15-08-1974	D on 13 th in the head bay turned to CS on 14 th , to SCS on 15 th and crossed West			Uprooted trees & telegraph posts, damaged houses & flooded some parts in	Damage to crops in Orissa.	SCS are rare in August and retention of their intensity

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Bengal coast near Contai on 15 th noon.			the districts of midnapore, MP, Gujrat.		over land for considerable distance is also rare. This SCS had these two exceptionally interesting features.
19-09-1974	D at East Central Arabian sea on 19 th intensified to CS on 21 st , turned to SCS on 22 nd , weakened to D on 24 th and dissipated over Northwest Arabian sea.					No damage recorded. Did not cross the coast.
28-09-1974	D on 26 th in Andaman sea became CS on 27 th and crossed Orissa coast close to Paradip on 28 th evening.					No damage recorded.
08-10-1974	D crossed Andhra coast close to					No damage recorded.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Vishakapatnam on 8 th evening.					
15-10-1974	DD crossed Andhra coast between Kakinada & Vishakapatnam on 15 th morning.					No damage recorded.
24-10-1974	D formed on 24 th off Karnataka coast and diffused on 25 th off Maharashtra coast.					No damage recorded. Did not cross the coast.
28-11-1974	CS on 24 th over East Central bay turned SCS on 25 th and crossed coast near Chittagong on 28 th noon.					This cyclone did not cause any damage in India. Tidal wave of 3 to 4 meter reported.
04-05-1975	DD on 1 st May at SE Arabian sea turned to CS on 2 nd , SCS on 4 th , weakened to CS on 6 th , D on 10 th and diffused later.					No damages reported.
07-05-1975	D over Andaman sea on 4 th turned to CS on 5 th then SCS	Caused some loss of life in Arakan coast.		Damage to sailing vessels in south Arakan coast.		No damages in India.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	on 6 th and crossed					
	Burma coast on 7 th .					
31-05-1975	D on 29 th at SE					Road and rail
	Arabian sea became					communication
	DD and crossed the					were disrupted
	Maharashtra coast					due to heavy
	near Alibag on 31 st .					rain and land
						slide and the
						steamer link
						was also dislocated.
07-06-1975	DD on 4 th in the	50 fishermen		Coulord domage to	Domoro to	dislocated.
07-00-1975	head bay became	were missing off		Caused damage to houses in Bangladesh.	Damage to crops in	
	CS on 6 th and	Bangladesh		nouses in Bangiauesn.	Bangladesh.	
	crossed coast near	coast.			Inundation of	
	chittagong on 7 th	00000			low lying area	
	forenoon.				and standing	
					crops in Tripura.	
18-06-1975	D crossed Orissa					No damage
	coast near Paradip					recorded.
	on 18 th night.					
27-06-1975	D crossed Orissa					No damage
	coast near Puri on					recorded.
	27 th morning.					
17-08-1975	DD crossed West	About 10 lakh			The flood	Floods in
	Bengal on 17 th .	people were			affected 9 lakh	Subarnarekha
		affected in 5000			hectares.	affected some

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural		
		villages.				parts of Midnapore district.	
09-09-1975	D crossed Orissa between Paradip & Puri on 9 th evening.					No damages reported.	
18-10-1975	D crossed Andhra near Ongole on 18 th .					No damages reported. This emerged into Arabian sea which triggere the SCH below	
22-10-1975	D on 19 th at East Central Arabian sea turned to CS on 20 th and SCH on 21 st crossed Saurashtra coast on 22 nd afternoon near Porbandar.	About 85 people lost their lives.		Considerable damage to buildings & other properties. Estimated loss was about Rs.75 crores. Hurricane winds uprooted many trees and electric & telephone poles and blew off the roofs of houses. Thousands of houses were damaged due to hurricane winds. A train was blown off its rails.	Considerable damage to crops.	Jamnagar recorded a wind speed of 160-180 kmph Swells of 4-6 meters were recorded. A pressure departure of 3 mb was recorded. The core pressure was estimated to be 967 mb.	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
01-11-1975	D on 1 st intensified to CS on 2 nd and weakened to D on 3 rd and diffused off Andhra.					No damages reported. Did not cross the coast.
11-11-1975	D at SE bay on 7 th intensified to CS, weakened to DD on 10 th and crossed Bangladesh coast near Chittagong on 11 th night.					No damages reported. Widespread rains in Andhra.
24-11-1975	D at SW bay on 24 th became a CS on 25 th , turned to SCS on 26 th , weakened to CS on 27 th and weakened to D on 29 th and diffused.	Few deaths were reported.		Many thousands of slum dwellers were rendered homeless and about a thousand huts were damaged.		
02-05-1976	D on 29 th April in SE bay became CS on 30 th , SCS on 1 st May and crossed Arakan coast on 2 nd .					Bay islands received good rains. No damages.
03-06-1976	D of Lakshadweep sea on 29 th became CS on 31 st , SCS	70 persons lost their lives in Gujrat.	Nearly 4500 heads of cattle perished.	Loss of houses & crops around 3 crores in Gujrat. About 2500		The lowest pressure recorded was

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	around noon and was found to be SCH on 2 nd ; crossed Saurashtra coast near Gopinath point on 3 rd and again Gujarat coast near port Cambay on 4 th morning.	17 fishermen		villages in 9 districts in Gujarat were affected. Trees, electric & telephone poles were uprooted in these places.		983.4 mb at Bhavnagar and a max. wind was 90 kt. and 110 kt. in gust. Swells of 10-15 m. were reported by some ships.
01-08-1976	D from NW bay on 1 st , became DD and crossed coast near Paradip on the same night.					No damages reported.
13-08-1976	D over north bay on 12 th became DD and Orissa coast on 13 th between Balasore & Contai.					No damages in the vicinity of the landfall area.
31-08-1976	CS close to Nalia on 31 st emerged into NE Arabian sea, weakened to D on 1 st , intensified to CS on 5 th , weakened again and moved off the coast.					No report on damages.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
11-09-1976	D on 8 th at East Central bay became DD on 9 th , SCH on 10 th and crossed West Bengal coast near Contai on 11 th .	40 persons lost their lives.	4000 heads of cattle perished.	Considerable damage was caused by the cyclone in the coastal areas of Midnapore & 24-paraganas districts of WB & Orissa. Many trees & telephone poles were uprooted. Thousands of houses were damaged.	Crops in about 1.25 lakh acres were damaged.	Tidal wave of 2-3 m., Max. surface wind of 70-80 kt., gust of 85 kt. and surface pressure of 971.5 mb were recorded at Sagar island.
15-10-1976	D over SE Arabian sea on 12 th turned to CS on 14 th , SCS on 15 th weakened into a depression on 17 th and dissipated.					Caused widespread rain in Kerala and no damages reported.
21-10-1976	D in the bay became CS on 16 th at 12.5 ° N & 82.5 ° E, weakened to DD, turned to CS on 20 th and crossed the Bangladesh coast near Chittagong on 21 st .			Rail & road communication in the coastal areas of north Tamilnadu & south coastal Andhra Pradesh were disrupted due to breaches.	About 50 villages in Nellore districts were affected by flood resulting in damage to crops.	
04-11-1976	D on 3 rd over central bay became SCH on	18 people lost their lives.		Damage to large no. of houses in Andhra	Considerable damage to	No tidal wave was reported.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	4 th and crossed coast 50km. north of Masulipatnam on 4 th .			Pradesh. Many trees & electric poles were uprooted in	tobacco, cotton, banana, sugarcane &	
				Masulipatnam. Masulipatnam port suffered a damage of about 1 lakh rupees.	paddy crops from Krishna districts.	
16-11-1976	D near Andaman sea on 15 th , became DD on same day, rapidly a SCS on 16 th and crossed south Andhra coast between Nellore & Kavali on 16 th night.	30 people lost their lives.		Trees were uprooted. Electric & telephone poles were bent. About 10,000 houses were damaged. The total damage was estimated to be of the order of 3 crores of rupees.	Considerable damage to tobacco, betel vine, banana & mango gardens in Kavali & Kovur talukas of Nellore district.	Max. wind of 60 kt. and the estimated core pressure was 992 mb.
27-11-1976	D over southeast bay on 22 nd turned to DD on 23 rd , a CS on 27 th , moved off the east coast towards Arakan coast and weakened on 30 th . The CS during its curved path, skirted along	50 persons lost their lives in Madras city. About 3 lakh people were affected due to torrential and flood. The death toll		Many houses collapsed in Madras city. Extensive damage to roads & telecommunication systems. Disruption of train services.	Crops in Nellore, Guntur, Krishna, Chittur, Cuddapah & East Godavari districts were damaged.	Due to 3 storms in Nov. the total loss in Andhra: Rs. 200 crores. About 160 persons killed and 2 lakh houses damaged.
	the south Andhra	was 45 in				Paddy in 16

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	coast from 25 th to 27 th .	Andhra.				lakh acres and other crops in 4.5 lakh acres were severely affected.
31-12-1976	D over SE bay on 28 th became CS on 29 th , SCS on 30 th and a SCH on 31 st . Passed within 50 km. of Port Blair. Weakened to CS on 1 st Jan. and D on the same night.	Few lives were lost.		Heavy damages due to strong winds & very heavy rain. The roofs of several houses were blown off.	Several trees were uprooted; considerable damage to fruit orchards, vegetable gardens & crops in the fields.	On 31 st Port Blair recorded max. wind of 52 kt. in gust and 993 mb. pressure.
13-05-1977	D on SW bay on 9 th became CS on 11 th , SCS on 12 th and crossed Bangladesh coast on 13 th .	Few killed & several were lost in coastal districts of Bangladesh.				No damage in India.
13-06-1977	DD on 9 th off Maha- rashtra coast turned to CS on 10 th , SCS in the evening, SCH on 11 th and crossed the northern tip of	50 persons were killed in Masirah Island & in the mainland of Oman.		Caused severe damage in Masirah Island & in the mainland of Oman. 20,000 people were left homeless.	Severe damage to main agricultural crops and Thousands of palm & lime	No damage in India.

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	Masirah Island on				trees.	
	13 th morning.					
05-07-1977	D over north bay on					No damages
	4 th became DD and					reported.
	crossed near Contai on 5 th .					
24-07-1977	D from north bay on					No damages
	24 th crossed West					reported.
	Bengal coast on the					
	same day.					
04-08-1977	D over NW bay on					No damages
	4 th crossed West					reported.
	Bengal coast on the					
	same day.					
20-08-1977	D over East Central					No damages
	bay became DD on					reported.
	20 th and crossed					
	coast near Gopalpur					
	on 22 nd morning.					
30-08-1977	D on 30 th crossed					No damages
	North Orissa coast					reported.
	on the same day.					
11-09-1977	D on 8 th over NE bay					No damages
	became DD on 11 th					reported.
	and crossed near					
	Puri at night.					
01-10-1977	D on 30 th became					No damages

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	DD on 1 st October and crossed the coast near Masulipatnam at night.					reported.
31-10-1977	D on 27 th over East Central bay became CS on 28 th and SCS on 31 st . Crossed south Andhra coast near Kavali on 31 st .			One passenger bus overturned by gale. Telephone posts over 80km stretch for about 40 km on either side of the storm track stood slanting.	Tobacco crops in about 35000 acres were damaged.	No tidal wave was reported. Emerged into Arabian sea on 1 st November evening.
12-11-1977	D over the SE bay on 8 th became CS on 10 th , a SCS on 11 th and crossed Tamilnadu coast within 10 km south of Nagapattinam on 12 th .	560 persons lost their lives.	23000 heads of cattle (sheep included) & 5000 poultry perished.	Roofs of the buildings were blown off. Trees uprooted. Electric & telegraph poles were bent. Houses collapsed. About 10 lakh people were rendered homeless. Railway bridges washed away.	Crops over an area of 4 lakh acres were affected. Total estimated loss was Rs.42 crores.	No tidal wave was reported. Considerable loss to life and property in 7 districts of Tamilnadu in the vicinity of the landfall. Total estimated loss of life and property was Rs. 155 crores. After landfall weakened to

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						CS and emerged into Arabian sea on 13 th as DD.
19-11-1977	DD over SE bay on 14 th became CS on 15 th , SCS in the evening, SCH on 16 th , reacting with a SCS in Arabian sea (both turned around each other cyclonically) changed course and crossed Andhra coast near Nizampatnam on 19 th evening.	Heavy loss of life was reported.		Trees were uprooted and telegraph & telephone posts were bent. Road & rail traffic were disrupted. Tele- communications & power supply in these coastal districts were affected. Steel column of the Vijayawada thermal power station under construction were sheared off.		Core pressure was recorded as 941 mb. (uncorrected). Gale reached 200 kmph. Tidal wave of height 5 m. was reported and 12 km. from the coast was affected due to that.
22-11-1977	DD in Lakshadweep sea on 13 th turned to CS on 14 th , SCS on 15 th , interacting with the Andhra cyclone changed course and became SCH on 17 th . Weakened to CS and crossed			Widespread damage from Quilon to Kasargode. About 8400 houses were totally damaged & 19000 houses partially damaged. 620 fishing vessels were damaged. Most	Crops over 40,000 acres were damaged. Loss to standing crops of paddy, coconut, sugarcane, arecanut, houses & other	This is the remnant of the SCS, which crossed Tamilnadu coast on 12 th .

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	coast between Mangalore & Honavar on 22 nd .			houses in Kalpeni Island in Lakshadweep were damaged.	property was estimated to be about Rs. 10 crores. Kalpeni Island in Lakshadweep was the worst affected. About a lakh of coconut trees, the main cash crop of the Island, were uprooted.	
24-11-1977	D with center near 8.5 ⁰ N & 87.0 ⁰ E moved over Sri Lankan coast.					No damages reported.
17-05-1978	DD over SE bay on 14 th became CS on 15 th , SCS on 17 th and probably SCH before landfall crossed Burma Coast just North of Kyaukpyu on 17 th .			Heavy damage to property was caused in Kyaukpyu town & neighbouring places.		No report on damages.
17-06-1978	D over north Andhra					No report on

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural		
	coast on 16 th turned					losses.	
	DD on 17 th and had						
	landfall just south of						
	Vishakapatnam on						
	17 th afternoon.						
12-07-1978	D over NW bay on					No report on	
	11 th turned DD on					losses.	
	12 th had landfall over						
	Orissa coast on 12 th .						
15-08-1978	D over north bay on					No report on	
	13 th turned DD and					losses.	
	crossed Orissa						
	coast near Gopalpur						
	& Puri on 15 th .				-		
27-08-1978	DD over north bay	A fishing boat		Many huts collapsed in	Some trees		
	on 26 th turned a CS	capsized killing		Contai.	were uprooted		
	on 27 th and crossed	one fisherman.			and paddy fields		
	Orissa coast near				in Contai were		
	Chandbali &				submerged.		
	Balasore on 27 th .						
16-09-1978	D off Orissa coast					No report on	
	on 15 th crossed					damages.	
	coast near Gopalpur						
	& Puri on 16 th .						
21-09-1978	D over NW bay on					No report on	
	21 st crossed Orissa					damages.	
	coast on 21 st .						

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
04-10-1978	D over West Central bay on 2 nd turned DD on 3 rd and crossed over West Bengal near Contai on 4 th .					No report on damages.
25-10-1978	D over SE bay on 25 th turned to a CS on the same day and dissipated over north bay on 28 th .					No report on damages.
04-11-1978	D off Tamilnadu coast on 3 rd turned DD on 4 th and crossed Tamilnadu coast around noon near Cuddalore.	Flood & landslides due to heavy rain took a toll of about 120 human lives in Tamilnadu. About 90 persons died in Nilgiris district alone. About 50 persons died in Kerala due to floods & a house collapse.			Considerable damage to crops & houses was reported from Tamilnadu & Kerala.	It emerged into the Arabian Sea off north Kerala coast on 5 th evening.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
07-11-1978	D off Kerala coast on 5 th turned to CS on 6 th , SCS on 7 th morning, SCH in the evening and weakened to CS 11 th and DD on 12 th . DD crossed Gujrat coast near Okha on 12 th .	In Gujrat state, three crew lost their lives.		A sailing vessel sank. Asbestos sheets of the roof of the transmitter station at Bhuj airport were blown off. Almost all electric poles in the vicinity of the aerodrome near Naliya were bent. More than 60 kutcha houses were damaged in Jakhau. Huge stocks of salt belonging to the salt house at Jakhau port were washed away. Few glass panes of lighthouse tower & residential quarters at Dwarka were broken.	Damage to coconut trees & houses was reported from the northern islands in Lakshadeep.	This is the remnant of the D which crossed Tamilnadu coast on 4 th . Lakshadweep reported 3-4 m. of waves.
24-11-1978	D on 17 th over south Andaman sea turned to CS on 20 th , SCH on 21 st and crossed Sri Lankan coast on 23 rd near Batticoloa and then moved	1 thousand people lost their lives in Sri Lanka.		About 5000 huts were damaged in Ramanathpuram district. Large no. of trees uprooted. About 1000 country boats & mechanized fishing	Crops of betal vines, chillies, sugarcane & plaintain were also damaged in the interior talukas of	The system emerged into the Arabian Sea off Kerala coast as a DD on 25 th . Min. pressure

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	south of Pamban			vessels were	Ramnathpurnam	of SCH was
	and crossed			damaged. Boat	district.	993.4 mb. Tidal
	Tamilnadu coast			building yards were		wave of 3-5 m.
	between Killakarai &			also damaged.		affected the
	Roche Mary nagar in			Materials & machinery		Rameswaram
	Ramanathpuram			stored for the		island.
	district on 24 th			construction of road		Total damage
	evening.			bridge near Pamban		to property was
				were washed away.		estimated to be
				Extensive damage to		about 5 crores
				roads. Thanjavur &		of rupees.
				Tirunelveli districts		
				also suffered some		
				damage to roads.		
				Roads and rail		
				communications were		
				disrupted in south Tamilnadu.		
				Serious loss of		
				property was reported		
				from Sri Lanka.		
25-11-1978	DD off Kerala coast					This is a
	on 25 th turned to CS					remnant of the
	in the evening and					SCH, which
	weakened to D on					crossed
	28 th and dissipated					Tamilnadu &
	later.					Sri Lanka coast

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
						on 24 th . No
						damages
						reported.
12-05-1979	D on SE bay on 5 th	700 human lives	3 lakh heads of	Many trees were	Crops in 0.7	First time in
	turned CS on 7 th ,	were lost.	cattle lost.	uprooted & electric	Lakh hectares	100 years that
	SCH on 8 th crossed			poles were bent, which	were damaged.	in May a SCH
	Andhra coast near			led to disruption of		formed at a low
	Ongole on 12 th .			road transport &		latitude.
	Nellore recorded the			telecommunications &		Another
	lowest pressure of			extensive damage to		noteworthy
	about 980 mb			power lines. Enormous		feature of this
	between 0600 and			damage was caused		storm was a
	1800 GMT on 12 th .			to railway property in		very heavy rain
				these districts by the		along and to
				swollen rivers & heavy		the left of its
				rain. Two bridges near		track over
				Tanguturu (Prakasam		south coastal
				district) were washed		Andhra
				away. 40 lakh of		Pradesh and
				people were affected.		Telangana.
				7 Lakh houses were		Gale of 100 to
				damaged.		160 kmph was
				Total damage to		reported. Sea
				crops, houses & public		level of 3-4 m.
				utilities was about 170		was reported.
				crores of rupees.		
20-06-1979	D off Karnataka					No damages in

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	coast on 16 th turned					India reported.
	DD in the evening,					
	CS on 18 th , SCS on					
	19th and crossed					
	Arabia coast on 20 th .					
24-06-1979	DD crossed Orissa					No damages
	coast on 24 th .					were reported.
28-06-1979	DD crossed coast of					No damages
	Bangladesh on 28 th .					were reported.
08-07-1979	D crossed Orissa					No damages
	coast on 8 th .					were reported.
07-08-1979	DD over north bay			Road & Rail and Tele-	Some damages	Lowest
	on 6 th turned to CS			phone & power	caused to crops	pressure of 970
	on 7 th , SCS			services were	in Orissa and	mb reported.
	afternoon and had			disrupted.	West Bengal.	No details on
	landfall over Orissa				West Bengal	the loss in the
	coast on 7 th .				suffered saline	vicinity of the
					inundation.	landfall are
						available.
22-09-1979	D on Lakshadweep					No damages in
	area on 18 th turned					India reported.
	CS on 21 st , SCH on					
	22 nd , moved					
	westwards and					
	weakened.				-	
24-11-1979	D over SE bay on				Some damage	No big damage
	22 nd turned to CS on				to harvested	was reported

Date			Loss of		Property loss	
	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	24 th and crossed over Tamilnadu and south Andhra coast near Sriharikota on 25 th .				paddy crops in Krishna & Guntur districts due to rain.	associated with this storm.
06-06-1980	D crossed over Maharashtra coast on 6 th .					No damage was reported.
17-09-1980	DD crossed Orissa coast on 17 th .	About 200 persons in Orissa & about 60 persons in Andhra Pradesh lost their lives.	About 6000 cattle perished in Orissa & about 3000 in Andhra Pradesh	About 30,000 houses/huts were damaged in Andhra. Serious damage was caused to railway tracks in Srikakulam district.		The damages were due to the flash flood due to rain.
04-10-1980	D formed over north bay crossed coast of Bangladesh on 4 th .	3 lakh people marooned in Imphal due to flash flood.		80 villages in Manipur & Ekou bridge on the Imphal river were completely washed away.	Heavy loss to standing crops & property was reported in Manipur & Imphal areas.	
18-10-1980	D on SE bay on 16 th turned CS on 17 th , weakened to DD and crossed Andhra coast on 18 th near Masulipatnam.			Damage to roads, buildings and major irrigation works in Andhra.	Caused damage to standing paddy, banana and sugarcane crops in Andhra.	Damages are due to rain alone and not due to wind.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
04-12-1980	D on SW bay on 3 rd turned DD on 4 th , CS in the evening, weakened and diffused in the West central bay on 8 th .	•				No damage to life or property was caused by this system. Did not cross the coast.
16-12-1980	D on Andaman sea on 12 th turned a DD on 14 th , a CS on 16 th over SE bay and over Sri Lanka coast near Tricomalee on 17 th . Emerged as D in Gulf of Mannar.					No damage to life or property was caused by this system.
20-06-1981	DD crossed West Bengal coast on 20 th .			3500 houses were affected in Midnapore.	Affected 0.28 lakh hectares of paddy land. 51000 hectares of cultivated land was affected which resulted in crop loss of about 6.0 lakh.	The damages were due to rainfall.
07-08-1981	D over NW bay on 7 th turned to CS in	15 people lost their lives in		In Orissa, an area of 36,536 hectares was	Affected crop area was 3690	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	the evening and crossed the Orissa coast near Puri on 8 th .	Orissa.		affected. About 47 blocks in the state were affected covering 1017 villages. Over 500 houses collapsed and 1200 houses were partially collapsed. A total area of 2173 hectares of cultivated lands were reported to have been sand cast in the districts of Puri, Ganjam, & Phulbani.	hectares.	
14-08-1981	D crossed West Bengal coast near Contai on 14 th .			The whole of Ramnagar, Egra, Potaspur, P.S.contai sub-division was submerged due to rains.		
18-09-1981	D had landfall over Andhra coast on 18 th .			In Srikakulam district about 100 houses collapsed.	In Srikakulam district 800 acre of paddy field were affected.	
26-09-1981	D from Andaman sea on 24 th turned to CS on 25 th , a SCS			5 launches were lost. Many houses were damaged West Bengal		

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	and crossed Orissa			and Orissa. Many		
	coast near Puri on			villages in low lying		
	26 th .			areas were flooded.		
				About 7000 acres of		
				paddy lands were		
				submerged.		
01-11-1981	D on Lakshadweep sea on 28 th became DD on 29 th , became CS on 30 th , SCS in the evening crossed Saurashtra coast close to Mangrol on 1 st .	One dozen persons died due to wall collapses.		In Junagadh & Jamnagar districts many trees, electric & telegraph posts were damaged or uprooted and about 5700 houses & an equal number of huts were partially or fully damaged. A few cargo ships & fishing boats sank near the coastal waters. There was damage to fishing boats and nets. Estimated loss to	Groundnut crop loss in Junagadh & Jamnagar districts was estimated to be about Rs. 52 crores.	No tidal wave was reported.
09-11-1981	D from Andaman sea on 8 th became a			Veraval & Navlakhi ports was about Rs. 12.5 lakh.		No damages were reported.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	CS on 9 th over east					
	central bay and					
	weakened gradually.					
16-11-1981	D over Andaman					No damages
	sea on 16 th became					were reported
	CS on 17 th , a SCS					-
	on 19 th and					
	weakened gradually					
	off the Arakan coast.					
08-12-1981	D on SE bay on 4 th	About 200	About 400	In Sunderbans 205 km	About 1,97,000	
	became CS on 6 th , a	people reported	livestocks were	of embankments were	acres of	
	SCS on 8 th , SCH on	to have been	lost.	completely washed	agricultural land	
	9 th and crossed	died. At least		away. 315 km of	were inundated	
	West Bengal coast	one million		embankment were	by saline water.	
	near Sagar Island on			either severely or	Crops worth Rs.	
	10 th .	affected in the		partially damaged by	50 crores had	
		three sub-		tidal waves apart from	been reported	
		divisions of 24		1,292 breaches.	damaged in the	
		Parganas. Three		In Midnapore district	cyclone hit	
		died in Orissa.		about 1000 huts were	districts of West	
				reported to have been	Bengal.	
				destroyed. All	In Orissa, 57571	
				telegraph & telephone	hectares of	
				links snapped at	cropped area	
				Contain town. About	was affected	
				2800 villages & a	due to cyclone &	
				population of about 13	saline	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
				lakh were affected. About 200 houses & 29.675 thatched houses were damaged. Damage to1364 public institutions, roads, river embankments, etc. was estimated at about Rs. 317 lakh. Some fishing vessels berthed in Paradip port were sunk.	inundation leading to a loss of about Rs. 90 lakh. Loss to betel vines was about 162 lakh.	
04-05-1982	D on SW bay on 1 st turned to CS on 2 nd , SCS in evening off Andhra, SCH on 3 rd and crossed Arakan coast on 4 th .					Did not cause any significant weather.
03-06-1982	CS on central bay on 1 st turned to SCS on 3 rd , SCH in the evening and crossed the coast north of Paradip on 3 rd at night.	In Orissa human casualties were 245 and injured were 493.	In Orissa, 11463 cattle heads lost.	This storm caused considerable damage in Orissa. Damage to Paradip port was severe. In the port two ships experienced minor damage & about		The recorded lowest pressure was 952 mb and wind gust was 120 kt.

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				100 mechanised		
				trawlers were lifted		
				from the lagoon water		
				& dumped on the		
				sandy shores of		
				Paradip port & a no. of		
				vessels were sunk. It		
				blew away the		
				wireless station at		
				Paradip.		
				Cyclone affected a		
				total population of		
				73.23 lakh covering		
				25,000 sq. km in		
				Orissa.		
				No. of houses fully or		
				partially damaged		
				were 8.19 Lakh &		
				saline inundated area		
				was 0.89 lakh hectare.		
				About 3390 km P.W.D.		
				roads were damaged.		
				A large no. of electric		
				line towers & electric &		
				telephone poles were		
				damaged or grounded.		

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
19-07-1982	DD on 19 th over NW bay weakened to D and crossed coast near Gopalpur & Puri on 19 th night.					No damages reported. Caused only widespread rain.
13-08-1982	D crossed coast near Chandbali on 13 th morning.					No damages reported.
18-08-1982	D crossed coast near Balasore & Contai on 18 th night.					No damages reported.
27-08-1982	D crossed coast near Balasore on 28 th night.	Loss of few human lives reported in Orissa.		Widespread damage to property.		Flood in Mahanadi and Kathjuri rivers caused the damage.
10-09-1982	D crossed coast near Puri on 10 th .					Last week's flood in Orissa was worsened due to this event.
29-09-1982	D crossed Chittagong coast on 29 th morning.					No damages in India reported.
16-10-1982	DD over West Central bay on 15 th became SCS by 16 th	Exceptionally heavy rain claimed 4 lives.		3000 huts were fully or partially damaged in Vishakapatnam. Loss		

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	weakened to D and crossed north Andhra coast to the south of Kakinada by mid-night of 16 th .			due to damages to roads, minor irrigation canals etc., estimated at a few crores in coastal Andhra.		
18-10-1982	DD on 17 th off Tamilnadu became a CS in the evening, a SCS on 18 th and crossed south Andhra coast near Sriharikota on 18 th night.	59 human lives lost.		In Tamil Nadu about 300 to 400 huts were partially damaged. In Cuddapah district 2500 houses were damaged.	Lemon orchards & plantain gardens were destroyed in Nellore & Cuddapah districts of Andhra.	Min. press. recorded was 982.8 mb.
08-11-1982	D on SE Arabian sea on 4 th became CS on 5 th , a SCS on 6 th and crossed south Gujrat coast near Kodinar on 8 th .	507 people died in Gujrat. 4 died in Konkan region.	Livestock loss in Gujrat state was reported to be 1,50,332.	In Gujrat, about 12624 pucca & 54549 kutcha buildings were completely destroyed.	The crop damage was estimated at Rs. 127.23 crores.	Veraval reported lowest pressure of 963.7 mb, wind of 65 kt. and tidal wave of 2 m.
02-12-1982	D had landfall over Tamilnadu coast near Tondi on 4 th .					No damages were reported.
20-06-1983	LP off Maharashtra moved and crossed Saurashtra coast on 20 th as DD. This	Human lives lost were 594 with 1 missing, of these Junagadh	Cattle heads lost were 83,768.	About 17293 houses & 28977 huts collapsed.	68,894 hectares of agricultural land was washed away	The damage is due to the rains. The dams and

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	system lasted for 3½ days over Saurashtra causing incessant and torrential rains.	district accounts for the loss of 558 lives.			resulting in a loss of approx. Rs. 24 crores.	rivers started overflowing and inundated vast areas.
25-06-1983	DD crossed Orissa coast near Gopalpur on 25 th .					No damages were reported.
04-10-1983	D over NW bay on 2 nd turned to CS on 3 rd and crossed Andhra coast near Bheemunpatnam on 4 th .	120 persons lost their lives.	94,000 cattle heads perished.	Total loss to crops & property was estimated at about Rs. 520 crores. In Andhra, About 7,000 minor irrigation tanks breached. Flood damaged roads of about 26,000 km in length.		Lowest pressure recorded at Waltair was 989.5 hPa.
15-10-1983	D near Andaman sea on 14 th turned to DD in the evening, a SCS on 15 th crossed Bangladesh coast on 15 th evening.					No damages reported in India.
07-11-1983	D over SE bay on 6 th turned CS on 7 th					No damages reported in

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	over central bay and SCH before crossing the Bangladesh coast on 9 th evening.					India.
01-08-1984	DD over NW bay had landfall over Orissa coast between Puri & Paradip on 1 st .					No damages in the vicinity of the landfall.
15-08-1984	DD had landfall near Balasore on 17 th .	14 human lives were lost.			Extensive cropped areas were submerged.	3260 villages in six coastal districts of Orissa were severely affected.
14-10-1984	D over North and central bay on 12 th became SCH on 13 th and crossed coast north of Chandbali on 14 th .	10 people were injured in Midnapore district.		Heavy rain pulled down mud houses, uprooted trees & snapped telephone lines in Orissa. Several trees were uprooted & roofs of about 500 huts were blown off.	Standing paddy & biri crops were submerged & partially damaged in Rajnagar, Rajkanika, Aul & chandbali blocks in Orissa.	Remarkable characteristic of this system was very rapid intensification into a SCH from D stage within 12 hrs.
14-11-1984	DD in SE bay on 9 th evening became SCS on 11 th evening	A toll of 604 lives in Andhra & 54 lives in	Livestock perished were 90650 in	Swarnamukhi river bank was breached several places. About	Damages to crops in Andhra.	Sriharikota recorded lowest

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	meteorological event off Tamilnadu, crossed coast near Sriharikotta on 14 th .	Human lives Tamilnadu of which 17 in Madras.	Andhra.	Infrastructural one foot high water entered Sulurpet town due to breach in the river bank. Low lying areas of Gudur town were submerged. Two railway bridges Sulurpet & Tada railway station were washed away disrupting rail services between Nellore & Madras. Large no. of irrigation tanks in Nellore district to some extent in southern parts of Prakasam district of Andhra Pradesh breached causing local floods. Sriharikota island was cut-off from the mainland. 3,20,000 buildings were destroyed completely	Agricultural	pressure 984 mb.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
				Damages to crops & property in AP estimated at about Rs. 223.32 crores & that at Madras about Rs. 3 crores.		
01-12-1984	D on SW bay on 27 th Nov. turned to CS on 29 th Nov. and a SCS on 30 th Nov. and crossed the coast near Karaikal on 1 st Dec.	About 15,000 persons in east Thanjavur district & 20,000 persons in south Arcot district were affected by the storm.			Standing crops in 50,000 acres in Tamilnadu were submerged due to heavy rains.	Two villages were reported to have been marooned.
25-05-1985	D over central bay on 22 nd turned to CS in evening, SCS on 24 th and crossed Bangladesh coast near Hatia on 25 th .	In Bangladesh 2.5 million people were affected. Thousands of human lives were lost.	Thousands of cattle heads lost in Bangladesh.	Storm left a trail of devastation in coastal Bangladesh. Several coastal villages were almost completely swept away.		Tidal wave of 4.5 m reported. West Bengal and NE states received good rains. No reports on damages in India.
31-05-1985	D over West Central Arabian sea on 28 th turned to CS on 29 th ,					No damages were reported.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	dissipated over NE Arabian Sea on 31 st .					
02-08-1985	D had landfall near Chandbali on 2 nd .					No reports on damages.
06-08-1985	D had landfall near Sagar Island on 6 th .					No reports on damages.
15-08-1982	D had landfall near Chandbali on 15 th .					No reports on damages.
20-09-1985	D on East Central bay on 19 th turned to CS on 20 th and crossed Orissa coast near Puri on 20 th .	Six fishermen were drowned in Chilka lake.			Due to tidal bore in river Devi several villages in Orissa were under 1 m. of water. It caused widespread damages to paddy crops, roads & prawn culture tanks in Puri.	
02-10-1985	D had landfall near Ongole on 2 nd .					No reports on damages.
07-10-1985	D crossed near Mahua in Saurashtra coast on 7 th . It crossed South	Heavy rains claimed 13 lives.				

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Gujrat coast near					
	Bulsar in evening.					
11-10-1985	D on SW bay on 9 th			The storm affected five		Heavy rain at
	turned a CS on 10 th			coastal districts of		Narsapur on
	and crossed Andhra			Andhra though the		11 th inundated
	coast on 11 th near			damaged caused by it		low-lying areas
	Vishakapatnam.			was not significant.		due to which
				Damage to crops &		1835 people
				properties, was		had to be
				estimated at about Rs.		evacuated.
				31 Lakh.		
16-10-1985	D on East Central	13 persons lost	1570 cattle	30,966 houses	Crops in 72,000	Tidal wave of
	bay on 13 th turned	their lives in	heads perished	collapsed in West	hectares in 1204	1-2 m. was
	SCS on 15 th and	West Bengal &	in West Bengal	Bengal & 8703 in	villages of West	reported in
	crossed Orissa	47 in Orissa.	& 1073 in	Orissa. Population of	Bengal &	Orissa.
	coast near Balasore	Also 38 persons	Orissa.	about 7.6 lakh was	3,24,795	Winds of 70 to
	on 16 th .	were reported		affected by the storm	hectares in 8509	100 kmph in
		missing in Orissa. About		in West Bengal.	villages of Orissa were	gusts blew over
		7.6 lakh were		High winds snapped electric wires in	affected. In	Sagar islands. Tidal wave of
		affected in West		several places.	Balasore district	3-3.5 m. was
		Bengal.		Major irrigation	saline	reported in
		Deligai.		installations in West	inundation of	Sagar islands.
				Bengal were	some low lying	Cayai islands.
				breached.	coastal areas	
				The damage to crops	damaged	
				& public utilities in	standing crops.	

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
				West Bengal was estimated to about Rs. 15.1357 crores.		
12-11-1985	D stayed about 40 km south of Tambaram on 12 th .			About 50,000 huts were damaged in low- lying areas of madras city due to rain & floods.		Did not cross the coast. Heavy rains due to D alone caused the damage.
15-11-1985	D over south bay on 15 th turned to CS on 16 th and dissipated over the west central Bay on 18 th .					No damages were reported. Did not cross the coast.
13-12-1985	D on SE bay on 11 th turned to CS on 12 th and crossed South Andhra coast near Sriharikota on 13 th .	12 persons reported to have been killed in Nellore district.		Four villages in Nellore district were cut off due to floods. Uprooted a few electric & telegraph poles.		Tamilnadu and Andhra received good rains.
12-08-1986	D crossed north Andhra coast near Kalingapatnam on 12 th night.	12 persons lost their lives in Vidarbha. Heavy rain & floods in Andhra claimed 115 lives.		The estimated cost of damages to crops & properties in Vidarbha districts was about 10 crores.		Heavy rains caused flood, which had caused the havoc.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
20-08-1986	D had landfall between Chandbali & Balasore on 20 th .					No damages were reported.
25-09-1986	D had landfall near Balasore on 25 th .	18 lives lost.		6.15 lakh people left homeless.		
09-11-1986	D on West Central bay on 7 th turned to CS on 9 th and crossed Bangladesh coast.		Several livestock lost.	Many fishermen living near Chilka coast lost their houses due to inundation by the lake water.	Considerable damage occurred to paddy & rabi crops in Orissa.	
01-02-1987	D over southeast bay on 30 th Jan. turned DD on 31 st , CS later, SCS on 1 st Feb. and dissipated over northeast Bay.					No damages were reported. A rare event of formation of SCS during January.
04-06-1987	CS had landfall over Bangladesh coast near Dakhin Shahbazpur on 4 th .					No damages in India.
16-10-1987	CS crossed south Andhra coast close to Ongole on 16 th .	17 human liveswere lost.6.2 lakhs in 157villages in thecoastal districtsof Andhra wereaffected.		Damaged about 9000 houses in Andhra.	Damaged crops worth about Rs. 34 crores in Andhra.	Ongole recorded a lowest pressure of 995.1 mb.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
02-11-1987	D on SW bay on 31 st	The remnant of the storm caused several local storms in Bihar plains on 19 th & 20 th , which took 31 human lives. 6.8 lakh people	In Andhra	Disrupted road & train	Inundated vast	Min. pressure
	Oct. turned to CS by evening, SCS on 2 nd and crossed south Andhra coast near Nellore on 2 nd .	in 288 villages of Andhra were affected. Claimed a toll of 50 human lives.	25800 livestock lost.	services & damaged about 68,000 houses. The cost of damage due to storm was estimated to about rupees 60 crores. The sea breached the Buckingham canal embankment.	stretches of paddy field. Saline water from the swollen Buckingham canal in Nellore flooded the adjoining fields.	of 984.3 hPa was recorded.
13-11-1987	CS of West Central bay on 12 th turned to SCS crossed coast as CS near Machilipatnam on 13 th .	28 people lost their lives in coastal Andhra.		Damaged about 8,400 houses in coastal Andhra.		Min. pressure of 994.hPa was reported. Emerged into Arabian sea on 16 th .
09-06-1988	DD had landfall over West Bengal & north					No damages were reported.

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	Orissa coast near Contai on 9 th .					
17-07-1988	D had landfall over north Andhra & Orissa coast near Gopalpur on 17 th .					No damages were reported.
02-08-1988	DD had landfall over Orissa coast near Balasore on 2 nd .					No damages were reported. Heavy rains in Orissa.
01-10-1988	DD had landfall over Andhra coast north of Vishakapatnam on 1 st .					No damages reported in the vicinity of landfall area.
19-10-1988	D over NE bay on 18 th turned to CS over north bay and weakened.	In Bangladesh, 300 people were missing or feared drowned & 430 persons were injured.		Torrential rain submerged low-lying areas of Dhaka. 20 fishing boats were drowned in Chittagong & 15 boats & trawlers were sunk in Patuakhali.		No damage reported in India.
18-11-1988	CS over SE bay on 16 th turned SCS on 17 th and dissipated over NE & adjoining					No damages reported.

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east central Bay on 18 th .					
D over Andaman sea on 23 rd turned CS on 25 th , SCS around noon, SCH on 27 th and crossed West Bengal and Bangladesh coast on 29 th .	their lives in West Bengal. About 794 fishermen were missing in West Bengal. The storm affected a population of 28.29 Lakh in 3893 villages in West Bengal. 19 crew of a ship were drowned. Two launches of the forest dept. were drowned. A light vessel of Calcutta Port Trust, with 18 people of board was missing.	Perished 57,600 cattle heads in West Bengal. In Bangladesh, the hurricane killed about 15,000 deer, 9 Royal Bengal Tigers & perished about 65,000 cattle heads.	Damaged either completely or partially about 3,45,530 houses. The estimated cost of damage to crops & properties in West Bengal was Rs. 137.77 crores. One ship was drowned.	Crops in 1,93,780 hectares damaged in West Bengal. Estimated cost of crops damage in Bangladesh was worth about Taka 9,400 millions.	The system was one of the super storms of Indian coast. Lowest core pressure was estimated as 942 hPa. Sagar Island lighthouse recorded a min. pressure of 990 hPa. The wind was 150-180 kmph over Sagar island.
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		people were killed and 6000 people were reported missing.				
26-05-1989	D over East Central bay on 23 rd turned to CS on 24 th , SCS on 25 th , SCH on 26 th and crossed Orissa and West Bengal coast near Balasore at night.	24 people lost their lives in Orissa & 37 in West Bengal. About 6.9 million people were affected.	Perished 1000 cattle heads in West Bengal & 1625 in Orissa.	Damaged completely or partially about 53160 houses in West Bengal & 92000 in Orissa. Affected about 3.2 million people in West Bengal & 3.7 million people in Orissa.	Damage to crops was considerable in West Bengal and Orissa. Sea water has intruded several villages in both the states.	Tidal wave of 3-6 m. was reported. Min. pressure of 970.4 mb was reported.
09-06-1989	D had landfall over Saurashtra coast near Veraval on 9 th .					No damages were reported.
13-06-1989	DD had landfall over Orissa and West Bengal coast on 13 th .					No damages were reported.
20-06-1989	D had landfall over north Orissa and West Bengal coast near Contai on 20 th .					No damages were reported.

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22-07-1989	D over West Central bay on 21 st turned CS and crossed Andhra and Orissa coast near Kalingapatnam on 22 nd .	140 persons lost their lives in Andhra.		Unprecedented rain over coastal Andhra & Telangana. Heavy rain caused breach in irrigation tanks in coastal Andhra causing severe floods. Thousands of houses in low-lying areas of Vijayawada town were submerged. 23 villages in Andhra were submerged.	Extensive damage to crops & properties in Andhra.	The damages in the vicinity of the landfall alone are given.
17-08-1989	DD on 17 th had landfall over Andhra and Orissa coast near Kalingapatnam.					No damages were reported.
17-10-1989	D had landfall over West Bengal and Bangladesh coast on 17 th night.					No damages were reported.
08-11-1989	SCH from Gulf of Siam crossed over Andaman Islands and crossed Andhra coast near Kavali on 8 th .	69 lives lost in Andhra. One life was lost in Andaman.	7100 cattle heads were perished in Andhra. About 34,000 poultry birds were lost.	Over 4 lakh people in 836 villages in coastal districts of Andhra were affected. Damaged about 1.49 lakh pucca houses &	Standing crops in thousands of acres of land were damaged in Andhra.	A unique SCH that over 100 years this is only the second SCH entering Indian

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				huts. Due to sea water		seas from Gulf
				inundation Jaladanki &		of Siam and
				Harijanwada villages,		only storm
				situated about 11 km		which has
				west of Kavali were		traveled 2600
				razed to the ground.		km over Indian
				Rail services between		seas. The
				Madras & Vijayawada		estimated core
				came to a standstill		pressure and
				after the landfall.		the maximum
				Railway track of a		wind speed
				stretch of 40 km. was		were 942 mb.
				blocked by uprooted		and 100-120 kt.
				trees and electric		respectively. 3-
				traction masts.		4 m. tidal
				In Andaman about 709		waves lashed
				houses were damaged		the coast.
				and electric supply		
				was disrupted due to		
				falling of about 80		
				electric poles. About		
				1000 trees were		
				uprooted.		
09-05-1990	DD over SW bay on	967 human lives	About 3.61	Diviseema island	Around 54000	A ship trapped
	5 th turned to CS by	lost. The storm	million livestock	formed by the two	hectares of	in the core of
	evening, SCS on 6 th ,	affected about	perished in	arms of the river	agricultural land	SCH recorded
	SCH on 7 th and	7.78 million	Andhra.	Krishna was	was inundated	the sea level

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	meteorological event crossed the south Andhra coast near Machilipatnam on 9 th .	Human lives people in 5160 villages in Andhra.	Livestock	Infrastructural completely marooned. Machilipatnam town was under 3 to 6 ft of water for 3 to 4 days. Vishakapatnam airport was under water for about a week. Ankapalla town was engulfed under 4 to 5 ft of water. Road traffic to Machilipatnam from Vijayawada remained closed for 2 days. The heavy rainfall breached road and railway tracks at many places. The rail link between Tuni and Vishakapatnam was suspended for more than three weeks. It had fully or partially damaged about 16 lakh houses in 10 districts of the state. Bapatla Meteorological	Agricultural by seawater and 62000 hectares of land were sand cast Banana plantation, coconut trees and mango crops over a vast stretch of land were severely damaged. In Andhra about 3.08 lakh hectares crops were affected. Horticulture crops in 55,000 hectares of land were damaged.	pressure of 912 mb. The estimated max. wind speed and wave height were 150 kt and 10m respectively. Max. surge of 3-4 m. above normal tide was estimated. The loss of human lives in this cyclone was minimized by timely warnings issued & appropriate precautions taken. About 6.5 lakh people were evacuated to safer places
				observatory was		from 546

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				damaged. The		coastal
				multimet. radar		villages.
				antenna and the cups		
				of the high- speed		
				anemometer were		
				blown off by gale		
				winds.		
				At Ennore, Tamilnadu		
				the sea waves		
				damaged the Kashi		
				Viswanath temple and		
				washed away a few		
				fisherman colonies in		
				Pulicat.		
				As per the Andhra		
				Govt. report, the		
				estimated cost of the		
				damages in the state		
				were about Rs.		
				2289.63 crores under		
				the following heads:		
				(i) Damages to private		
				dwelling units: Rs.		
				550.00 crores		
				(ii) Damages to		
				agricultural crops: Rs.		
				289.34 crores		

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				 (iii) Damages to horticulture crops: Rs. 530.35 crores (iv) Damages to irrigation dept.: Rs. 173.85 crores (v) Damages to Panchayat Raj Dept.: Rs. 246.00 crores (vi) Damages to transport, roads & buildings dept.: Rs. 138.50 crores (vii) Damages to Forest energy & environment dept.: Rs. 118.31 crores (viii) Damages to industry, social welfare & other Dept.: Rs. 243.28 crores. 		
14-06-1990	DD had landfall near Contai in Orissa on 14 th .					No damage reported in the vicinity of the landfall area.
15-08-1990	D had landfall near Gopalpur in Orissa					No damage reported in the

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural		
	on 15 th .					vicinity of the landfall area.	
21-08-1990	DD had landfall near Paradip in Orissa on 21 st .					No damage reported in the vicinity of the landfall area.	
08-10-1990	D had landfall near Contai in West Bengal on 8 th .	Thousands of people were marooned by flood in Midnapore district.		The system caused heavy rain in Orissa, West Bengal & Assam. About 384 villages in Midnapore district and 938 villages in Nadia district were badly hit by floods. Several districts of Gangetic West Bengal experienced damage due to floods.			
04-11-1990	DD had landfall over north Andhra-south Orissa coast on 4 th .	100 human lives lost due to flood.		A population of 6 lakh in 341 villages was seriously hit by the flash flood. Aska town was virtually under flood. Thousands of houses were washed away by flood waters	Immense damage to crops and properties due to flood.		

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				of the rivers Rushikulya & Badanadi rendering lakhs of people homeless.			
14-11-1990	D had landfall near Nellore around midnight on 14 th .					No damages were reported. This system entered Arabian sea.	
18-12-1990	SCS over West Central bay on 17 th had landfall over Bangladesh coast near Cox's Bazaar on 18 th .					No effect on Indian weather adversely. Caused considerable damage to Bangladesh coast.	
29-04-1991	D over SE bay on 24 th became a SCS on 27 th and crossed Bangladesh coast around midnight on 29 th .	132000 lost in Bangladesh. People in cyclone-hit area were affected by diarrhoea & gastroenteritis. 2 human lives lost in Mizoram		About 40 Bangladesh air force planes on the runway were badly damaged and airfield was inundated by flood. Telecommunication links to the outside world were totally cut	Paddy crops over an area of approx. 1000 sq. km. were destroyed in Bangladesh. Considerable damage to the standing crops	Storm surge of 5.5m in height. Tidal waves carried a ship 2 km. inland from Chittagong port. Landslides in Mizoram were	

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		and 5 in Tripura.		off. 250 houses in West Bengal and 7000 houses in Tripura were damaged.	in India.	reported.
02-06-1991	CS had landfall over Bangladesh coast between Bhola & Hatia on 2 nd .	300 fishermen were missing in Bangladesh				Tidal waves of 1-2 m. were reported during landfall. No damages reported in India.
28-07-1991	D had landfall over Orissa coast near Paradip on 28 th .	17 people lost their lives in Orissa.			Vast areas of paddy field were inundated.	
22-08-1991	D crossed Orissa- West Bengal coast near Balasore on 22 nd .	11 human lives lost in Orissa and 9 in Rajasthan.			Submerged vast areas of paddy fields in Orissa.	
21-09-1991	D crossed Andhra coast near Kakinada on 21 st .					No damages were reported.
14-10-1991	D crossed the coast of Bangladesh on 14 th .	18 lost in Assam. Flood and heavy rain affected 5,94,249 people	109 cattle heads were lost in Assam.		Affected 47,680 hectares of Agricultural land.	Landslides occurred at several places in Assam. No report on the

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
		in 591 villages in Assam.				damages in Bangladesh.
29-10-1991	D crossed Tamilnadu coast near Pondicherry on 29 th .	21 human lives lost in Andhra Pradesh and 21 in Tamilnadu.				
13-11-1991	D on 11 th turned to CS on 13 th and crossed Tamilnadu coast on 14 th night.	185 persons lost in Tamilnadu & 16 in Nellore.	540 cattle heads perished in Tamilnadu.	Damage was estimated around Rs. 1508 million as a result of damages to buildings & public works.	Considerable damage to crops & properties; estimated damage due to crop loss – Rs. 1724 million.	
19-05-1992	D on 16 th turned to CS on 18 th and crossed Arakan coast around noon on 19 th .					No damages reported.
11-06-1992	CS formed over Arabian Sea and dissipated.					No damages were reported.
18-06-1992	DD crossed Orissa coast on 18 th near Puri.	Heavy rainfall in Orissa caused the death of 7 people.				

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural		
26-07-1992	DD crossed Orissa					No reports on	
	coast on 26 th near					damages.	
	Chandbali						
03-10-1992	DD formed over					Did not cause	
	Arabian sea became					any rainfall or	
	CS and crossed					damages in	
	Oman coast on 3 rd					India.	
	morning.						
09-10-1992	DD crossed south					No reports on	
	Andhra coast near					damages.	
	Machilipatnam on						
	9 th .						
21-10-1992	D on 20 th over north					No reports on	
	bay turned to DD on					damages.	
	21 st , CS in the						
	evening and crossed						
	Bangladesh coast						
	near Cox's Bazaar						
	at night.						
06-11-1992	CS over east central					No reports on	
	bay on 4 th , dissipated					damages.	
	over the ocean on						
40.44.4000	6 th .	Due te haern					
12-11-1992	DD on 11 th over SW	Due to heavy					
	bay crossed Sri	rainfall, landslide					
	Lanka coast on 12 th	and flood about					
L	noon, emerged into	175 human lives					

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
	Gulf of Mannar and crossed south Tamilnadu coast near Tuticorin on 13 th around noon. This emerged into Arabian sea as D on 14 th , intensified to DD and crossed Karnataka coast near Honavar on	were lost; About 160 reported missing in Tamilnadu & Kerala.				
21-11-1992	17 th evening. D on 15 th became CS on 17 th , SCH on 18 th and crossed over Bangladesh- Myanmar coast near Teknoff on 21 st afternoon.					Estimated core pressure was 942 mb. Did not cause any rainfall or damages in India.
17-06-1993	DD crossed the Bangladesh Coast on 17 th noon.	6 people lost their lives & more than 50,000 people in 100 villages were reeling under the flood in many districts				

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
		of Assam.				
		12 lost in				
		Bangladesh due				
		to flood.				
09-11-1993	D crossed south	30 people lost				
	Tamilnadu coast	their lives in				
	near Tuticorin on 9 th .	Tamilnadu.				
14-11-1993	D on 12 th over SE	About 50				Heavy rains in
	Arabian sea became					Gujarat and
	CS on 13 th , SCS on	reported missing				Kutch.
	14 th , SCH in the	along the north				
	evening, weakened	Gujrat coast.				
	to CS on 15 th .					
04-12-1993	CS on 2 nd over south			Disrupted rail & road	Damage to	
	bay became SCS on			traffic & damaged the	standing crops.	
	3 rd , SCH in the	killed due to		telecomm system.		
	evening and crossed					
	north Tamilnadu	floods in south				
	coast near Karaikal	Tamilnadu.				
	on 4 th .					
02-05-1994	CS over Andaman	200 people lost				No loss
	sea on 29 th April	their lives and				reported over
	intensified to SCS	many fishermen				India.
	on 30 th , SCH on 1 st	were missing				
	May and crossed	along the coast				
	south Bangladesh-	of Bangladesh.				
	north Myanmar					

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	coast on 2 nd May at midnight.						
09-06-1994	CS off Bombay in Arabian sea on 6 th , became SCS on 7 th and moved off to Saudi Arabian coast.					Did not cause any damage in India.	
18-08-1994	DD crossed north Orissa coast near Chandbali on 18 th .					Caused flood and damages to the houses & property in the areas along the route of system.	
05-10-1994	DD crossed Andhra Pradesh coast near Machilipatnam on 5 th morning.	38 human lives lost in Andhra Pradesh due to flood.					
31-10-1994	DD over SW bay on 29 th turned CS on 30 th , SCS in the evening and crossed the Tamilnadu coast near Madras on 31 st .	69 died in Tamilnadu. 235 died in Andhra Pradesh.		Road and tele-links were disrupted. Many telephone poles were damaged. 60,000 huts in Andhra Pradesh & 30,000 in Tamilnadu were damaged.	More than 60,000 hectares of crop area were damaged.	Total damage was Rs. 61 crores in Tamilnadu and about Rs. 3000 crores in Andhra. Tidal wave of 1-2 m. reported.	

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04-11-1994	D had landfall over Tamilnadu coast near Karaikal on 4 th at midnight.				Caused damage to crops and property in Tamilnadu.	
19-11-1994	DD from SE Arabian sea on 16 th became CS on 18 th , SCS a few hours later, SCH on 19 th and crossed Somalia coast.					No damages reported.
06-05-1995	DD had landfall over north Tamilnadu coast on 6 th evening.	12 lost in Tamilnadu and 5 in Kerala.		Damage to about 400 houses in Tamilnadu.	Damage to standing crops.	The damages were due to heavy rains & flood.
09-05-1995	DD had landfall over Andhra coast near Tuni around on 9 th .	22 lost in Andhra.		About 40,000 houses were damaged.	Thousands of hectares of crops were destroyed.	Total estimated damage in Andhra was Rs. 470 crores.
16-05-1995	DD had landfall over West Bengal coast near Sagar Island on 16 th morning.	35 died in Orissa and 12 in West Bengal. 60 lost in Bangladesh.		Flood caused breaches in several embankments and damaged 20,000.		In Bangladesh, tidal waves made about 60,000 people homeless.
17-09-1995	D had landfall over north Orissa coast near Balasore on 17 th .					No report on damages.

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	meteorological event	Human lives	Livestock	Infrastructural	Agricultural	
26-09-1995	D over NW bay on 26 th crossed north Orissa coast near Balasore 26 th noon.			Many highways were blocked. Millions of people were affected due to flood in West Bengal.		
13-10-1995	CS formed over SE Arabian sea and diffused over sea.					No report on damages.
09-11-1995	CS over SE bay on 8 th turned SCS in the evening, SCH in 3 hrs. and had landfall over north Andhra and Orissa Coast near Ichchapuram in Kalingapatnam district on 9 th .	Orissa and 4 in		About 52000 houses were damaged or partially damaged due to the gale winds & heavy rains. Severe damage to roads, electric poles & telecommunications.	Crops of about 2 million hectares area were badly damaged.	
25-11-1995	DD over SE bay on 22 nd turned to CS afternoon, SCS on 23 rd , SCH at night had landfall over Bangladesh coast near Cox's Bazaar on 25 th noon.					No damages reported in India.
08-05-1996	DD had landfall over Bangladesh-					No reports on damages.

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	Myanmar coast near Cox's Bazaar on 8 th .					
16-06-1996	DD on 13 th over SW bay turned to CS on 14 th and crossed the coast near Vishakapatnam on 16 th .	Coastal districts of AP reported 68 human deaths. 41 killed in Tamilnadu.		In Andhra, 6000 houses were damaged and estimated loss was Rs. 82 crores. In Tamilnadu, 4 fishing vessels were drowned. Road & railway traffic was badly affected.		
19-06-1996	D at East Central Arabian sea on 17 th turned to DD on 18 th , CS in the evening, SCS at night and had landfall near south Gujarat coast close to Diu on 19 th .	In Gujarat and in Maharashtra respectively 33 and 14 human lives were lost.	In Gujarat 2082 cattle and in Maharashtra 31 cattle heads were perished.	In Gujarat, 161 talukas and 5573 villages were affected.		Estimated max. wind speed was 100 to 120 kmph. and storm surge was 3 to 4 m. above normal.
01-10-1996	D had landfall over South Andhra coast near Ongole on midnight of 1 st .	23 people were reported dead in Andhra due to rains.				
25-10-1996	D on West Central Arabian sea on 21 st turned to DD on 22 nd , Cs on 23 rd ,			11 fishing boats were missing off Veraval port and about 50 boats were stranded in		

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	SCS in the evening weakened to CS on 25 th and diffused on 28 th off Gujarat coast.			the high sea due to strong winds.		
28-10-1996	DD on East Central bay on 25 th turned to DD at night and crossed coast near Indo-Bangladesh border on 28 th .	14 lives were lost in West Bengal. 100 fishermen were reported missing off West Bengal coast.		In West Bengal heavy rains caused breaches in embankments and affected 1,60,000 people. Nine fishing trawlers / boats were missing. In Bangladesh 20,000 people became homeless due to inundation.	Paddy crops and many houses were damaged.	Storm surge of 3 m. was reported.
06-11-1996	D over East Central bay on 4 th became DD on 5 th , CS later, SCS on 6 th , SCH later and had landfall over Andhra, south of Kakinada on 6 th .	1058 lost in Andhra. More than 1677 fishermen were missing.		A microwave tower at Kakinada collapsed due to strong winds. Extensive damage to property. 6800 fishing boats were damaged.		Strong winds of speed 150-200 kmph in gusts and tidal waves of 2.6 m. were reported.
06-12-1996	D over SE bay on 28 th Nov. became DD on 29 th , CS on 2 nd Dec., SCH on 3 rd	Did not cause any damage to life.				No reports on the damages. Unique event in the sense that

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	evening, weakened to SCS on 4 th and had landfall over Tamilnadu coast on 6 th .					the system has made two loops in its path before landfall.
19-05-1997	DD over south bay on 15 th turned to CS on 16 th , SCS on 17 th , SCH on 18 th and had landfall over Bangladesh coast near Sitakundu on 19 th .	In Bangladesh, 155 people were killed.		In Bangladesh 1,12,160 houses were fully damaged. Roads & other communica- tions got badly affected.		Did not cause any damage in India. Lowest pressure recorded was 965 mb and max. wind was 126 kt.
27-06-1997	D over north bay on 26 th turned DD and had landfall near north Orissa – South West Bengal coast on 27 th .			500 houses were washed away. More than 40,000 people were rendered homeless due to breaches in the embankment. Due to heavy rains and flood normal life was disrupted. Many highways in West Bengal were blocked.		
30-07-1997	D over north bay on 29 th turned to DD on					The system did not cause any

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	30 th and had landfall					damage.
	over north Orissa					
	coast near					
	Chandbali in the					
	evening.					
05-08-1997	D over north bay on					Did not cause
	4 th turned to DD on					any damage.
	5 th and had landfall					
	over West Bengal					
	coast near Sagar					
	Islands in the					
00 00 4007	afternoon.	40				
20-08-1997	DD over NW bay on 20 th crossed north	12 people died				
	Orissa coast	due to heavy rains & floods in				
	between Paradip	Orissa.				
	and Chandbali in the	01135a.				
	afternoon of 20 th .					
28-08-1997	D had landfall over					No reports on
20 00 1001	Orissa coast					damages.
	between Paradip					damagee
	and Puri on 28 th .					
27-09-1997	D on West Central	32 human lives	326 cattle were	39 breaches to tanks		
	bay on 23 rd turned to	lost in Andhra.	lost.	and 1470 houses		
	DD in the evening,			damaged.		
	CS on 24 th evening,					

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	SCS a few hours later, weakened to CS still later and crossed Bangladesh coast near Hatia on 27 th .					
04-11-1997	CS over north Andaman sea on 4 th weakened to DD on 9 th and diffused.					Did not cause any damage.
20-05-1998	D over central bay on 17 th turned to DD on 18 th , CS on the same day, SCS on 19 th crossed the coast of Bangladesh on 20 th .					Did not cause any damage over India. Widespread rains over NE states of India.
09-06-1998	D on Lakshadweep sea on 4 th turned to DD later, CS on 5 th , SCS on 6 th , VSCS on on 7 th and had landfall over Gujrat coast near Porbandar on 9 th morning.	In Gujrat, 1173 lives were lost with another 1174 missing.		More than 2.5 lakh houses have been destroyed or damaged. The total extent of damage to the state of Gujrat was of the order of Rs. 190 crores.		Estimated core pressure and max. wind were 962 mb and 98 kt. respectively.

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14-06-1998	D over Central bay on 13 th turned to DD in the evening and had landfall over north Andhra coast near Vishakapatnam on 14 th .					No report on damages.
14-10-1998	D on West Central bay on 13 th turned to DD and had landfall near Narasapur on 14 th .	101human lives were lost in Andhra.			50 villages got submerged and crops in thousands acres of agricultural land got damaged.	Andhra Govt. declared a total loss of Rs. 600 crores.
17-10-1998	D over SE Arabian sea on 11 th turned to DD on 12 th , CS on 16 th and had landfall near Veraval on 17 th morning.					No reports on damages.
29-10-1998	D over SE bay on 26 th turned to DD on 27 th and dissipated near 300 km. southeast of Machilipatnam.				Paddy, Sugar, Cotton crops submerged in water in all the coastal districts of Andhra.	

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15-11-1998	DD over south bay on 14 th turned to CS later, SCS on 15 th , VSCS after a few hours and crossed north Andhra coast just south of Vishakapatnam on 15 th evening.	16 people lost their lives in Vishakapatnam.		Thousands of houses got damaged and about 28000 families were affected in Vishakapatnam district.		Gale winds of 76 kt. were reported. Damage to the property worth of Rs. 306 crores was reported.
22-11-1998	D over Andaman sea on 19 th turned to DD in the evening, CS on 20 th , SCS on 21 st , VSCS later in the evening and had landfall over West Bengal coast between Sagar Island & Sundarban area of West Bengal on 22 nd noon.			Uprooted trees & electric poles. Parts of Sagar Island submerged & affected 25,000 people in eight villages and 3,000 mud houses were collapsed. Lakh of people were affected in 24- Paraganas & Midnapore districts.	Caused damage to crops.	Estimated core pressure and max. wind were 984 mb and 80-100 kmph respectively.
16-12-1998	D over SE Arabian sea on 13 th turned to CS in the evening, SCS on 14 th , weakened to CS on					Did not cause any damage over India.

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	15 th and DD on 16 th					
	and dissipated.					
03-02-1999	D over SE bay on 1 st turned to DD on 2 nd ,					No damages reported. Did
	CS at night,					not cross the
	weakened to DD on 3 rd and dissipated.					coast.
20-05-1999	D on Lakshadweep sea on 16 th turned to CS on 17 th , SCS after 6 hrs, VSCS on 18 th and crossed Pakistan coast about 80 km. west of Naliya on 20 th .	453 persons (most of them were fishermen) lost their lives in Jamnagar, Mehsana & Kutch districts.	50448 cattle were lost.	More than 4,500 houses were damaged.		Estimated core pressure and max. wind were 946 mb and 102 kt. A storm surge of 2.5 m above the normal tide was reported.
17-06-1999	D over NW bay on 17 th turned to DD had landfall near Gopalpur on 17 th at night.	5 fishermen were missing in coastal districts of Andhra Pradesh.				
28-07-1999	D over NW bay on 27 th turned to DD in the evening and had landfall over West Bengal–Orissa coast on 28 th morning.					No report on losses.

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07-08-1999	D had landfall over West Bengal coast near Digha on 7 th .					No report on losses.
17-10-1999	D over north Andaman sea on 15 th turned to CS on 16 th , SCS at night became a VSCS on 17 th and had landfall over Orissa coast near Gopalpur.	197 died in West Bengal.	More than 8,300 cattle were lost.	400 houses got damaged.	Crops over thousand hectares of land were damaged.	Storm surge of height 2 to 2.5 m. was reported.
29-10-1999	D over north Andaman sea on 25 th turned to CS on 26 th , SCS on 27 th , VSCS at night, became a Super CS on 28 th and had landfall over Orissa coast near Paradip on 29 th .	In Orissa : 9887 human lives lost and 40 missing. 2507 persons were injured. In West Bengal :	In Orissa : 4.44 lakh of livestock perished.	In Orissa : 16.49 lakh houses were damaged. 9085 fishing boats were lost. 22143 fishing nets were lost. Caused severe damage in 12 districts of Orissa state where all essential services were cut off. 129.22 lakh population were affected. 14643 villages were affected. In West Bengal :	In Orissa : 18.42 lakh hectares of crop area affected.	Estimated core pressure and max. wind were 912 mb and 140 kt. respectively. After recording 80 kt. Paradip anemometer went out of order. A storm surge of 9 m. above normal tide and tidal inundation of
		2 children died.		10,000 people were		35 km. from the

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		50 persons were		affected. 100 houses		coastal line
		missing.		were damaged.		were reported. Very heavy rainfall was observed at many places, ex: 43 cm. at Bhubaneshwar.
29-05-2000	D over SE bay on 27 th turned to DD on 29 th , CS in the evening and dissipated over sea.					No damage to life & property was reported.
23-08-2000	D over west central bay on 23 rd crossed north Andhra coast near Kakinada by midnight.	131 lost in central parts of Andhra. 98079 people were evacuated and kept in 189 relief camps.	About 5368 cattle were lost.	About 8651 houses were fully damaged, 27026 were partially damaged in 2886 villages/towns. 7435 km length of road was damaged. 1578 irrigation tanks were breached. 902 power transformers, 787 distribution transformers and 28 sub-stations were damaged. 225 and	An estimated 1,77,987 hectares of paddy and other crops were damaged.	

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				6000 numbers of 33KV lines and 11 KV lines respectively, were damaged. Total estimated loss		
				reported by Govt. of Andhra Pradesh was Rs. 776.75 crores.		
17-10-2000	D over west central bay on 15 th turned to DD at night, CS on 17 th and diffused.					No damage of life & property was reported.
28-10-2000	D over east central bay on 25 th turned to DD on 27 th , CS at night and crossed Bangladesh coast, east of Sagar Island on 28 th .	One child was injured in north 24 paraganas districts.	Caused loss of a large no. of livestock.	Six of the seven districts of Meghalaya state were affected. Extensive damage to infrastructure and damage to hundreds of houses were reported. Thousands of people were rendered homeless. The preliminary estimate of total damage was of the order of Rs. 60 crores.	Caused damaged to standing crops & plantation.	

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				In Gangetic West Bengal, two irrigation dams and an		
				embankment were damaged. Many mud huts collapsed in south & north 24 Paraganas		
				district.		
29-11-2000	D over SE bay on 26 th turned to DD at night, CS on 27 th , SCS on 28 th , VSCS after 6 hours and crossed north Tamilnadu coast near Cuddalore on 29 th .	10 persons in Tamilnadu and 2 in Pondicherry lost their lives.		Partial damage to more than 1000 kucha houses & 14 brick houses. Estimated loss in Cuddalore district was Rs. 20 crores. Total loss estimated in Pondicherry was Rs. 50 crores.	100 acres of Sugarcane, 30000 plantain trees, 50000 plantain saplings got destroyed in Tamilnadu.	Estimated core pressure and max. wind were 978 mb and 110-120 kmph respectively.
28-12-2000	D over south bay on 23 rd turned to DD on 24 th , CS on 25 th , SCS at night, VSCS on 26 th and crossed the Sri Lanka coast and emerged in Gulf of Mannar.		3 cattle in Tuticorin and 2 in Tirunelveli were lost.	350 houses in Ramanathapuram district, 162 houses (16 fully and 146 partially) in Tirunelveli district and 318 houses in Tuticorin district (65 fully & 253	281 hectares of Paddy crops, 650 hectares of plantain and 80 hectares of Petal crops were lost in Tuticorin.	

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	Weakened to SCS on 27 th evening and CS at night and crossed Tamilnadu coast south of Tuticorin on 28 th in the early hours.			partially) were damaged. 95 fishing boats were lost in Tuticorin district.		