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Warning for Strong Winds and Rough Sea

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For the sea areas extending from Puttalam to Pottuvil via Colombo, Galle and Hambantota.

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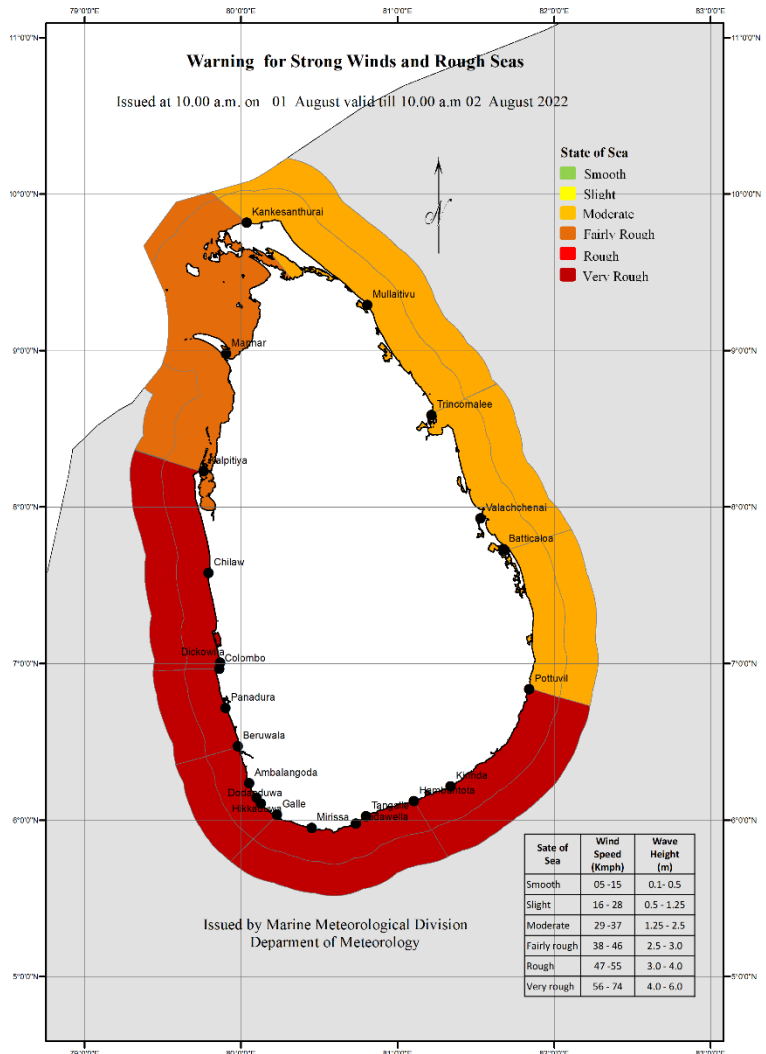
Southwest Monsoon flow is likely to strengthen from today, 01st August onwards.

Hence strong winds gusting up to (60-70) kmph and very rough seas can be expected in the sea areas off the coast extending from Puttalam to Pottuvil via Colombo, Galle and Hambantota from today onwards.

Wind speed can increase up to (50-60) kmph in the sea areas off the coast extending from Kankasanturai to Puttalam via Mannar and these sea areas will be rough at times.

There is a possibility to increase swell waves (about 2.5 – 3.5 m) in the sea areas off the coast extending from Puttalam to Pottuvil via Galle and Hambantota.

Therefore, it is advised not to venture into fishing and naval activities in the sea areas off the coast extending from Puttalam to Pottuvil via Galle and Hambantota until further notice.



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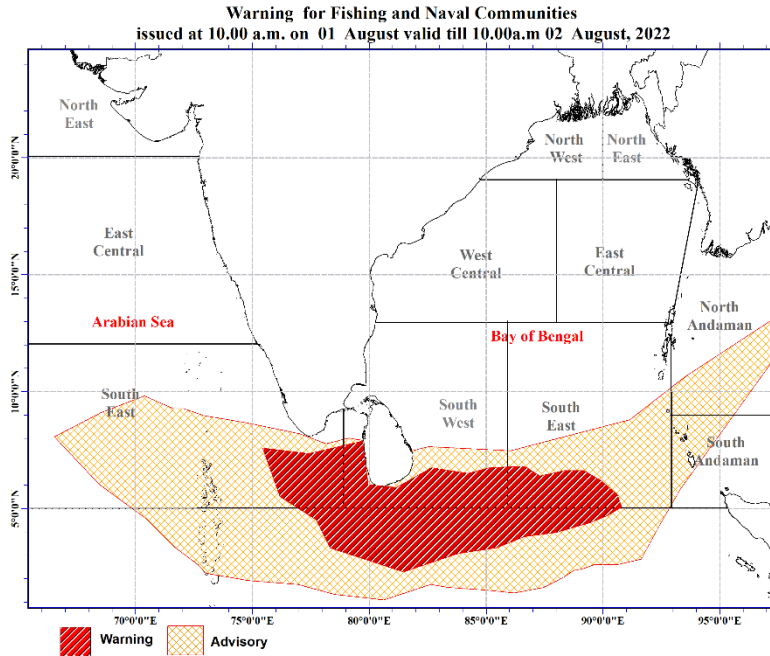
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For Multiday Boats

PLEASE BE AWARE!

Southwest Monsoon flow is likely to strengthen from today, 01st August onwards. Hence showery and windy conditions are likely to enhance in the western and southern sea areas during next few days.

Strong winds (40- 50) kmph gusting up to (60-70) kmph and rough to very rough seas can be expected in the sea areas bounded by (02N - 07 N) and (75E-90E).



Actions Required:

- Naval and multi-day fishing communities operating in deep sea areas marked on the map are advised to be attentive in this regard.
- It is advised not to venture into fishing and naval activities in the sea areas off the coast extending from Puttalam to Pottuvil via Galle and Hambantota until further notice.
- Fishing and naval community are requested to be attentive regarding future forecasts issued in this regard.

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