

DAILY MARITIME INCIDENT UPDATE

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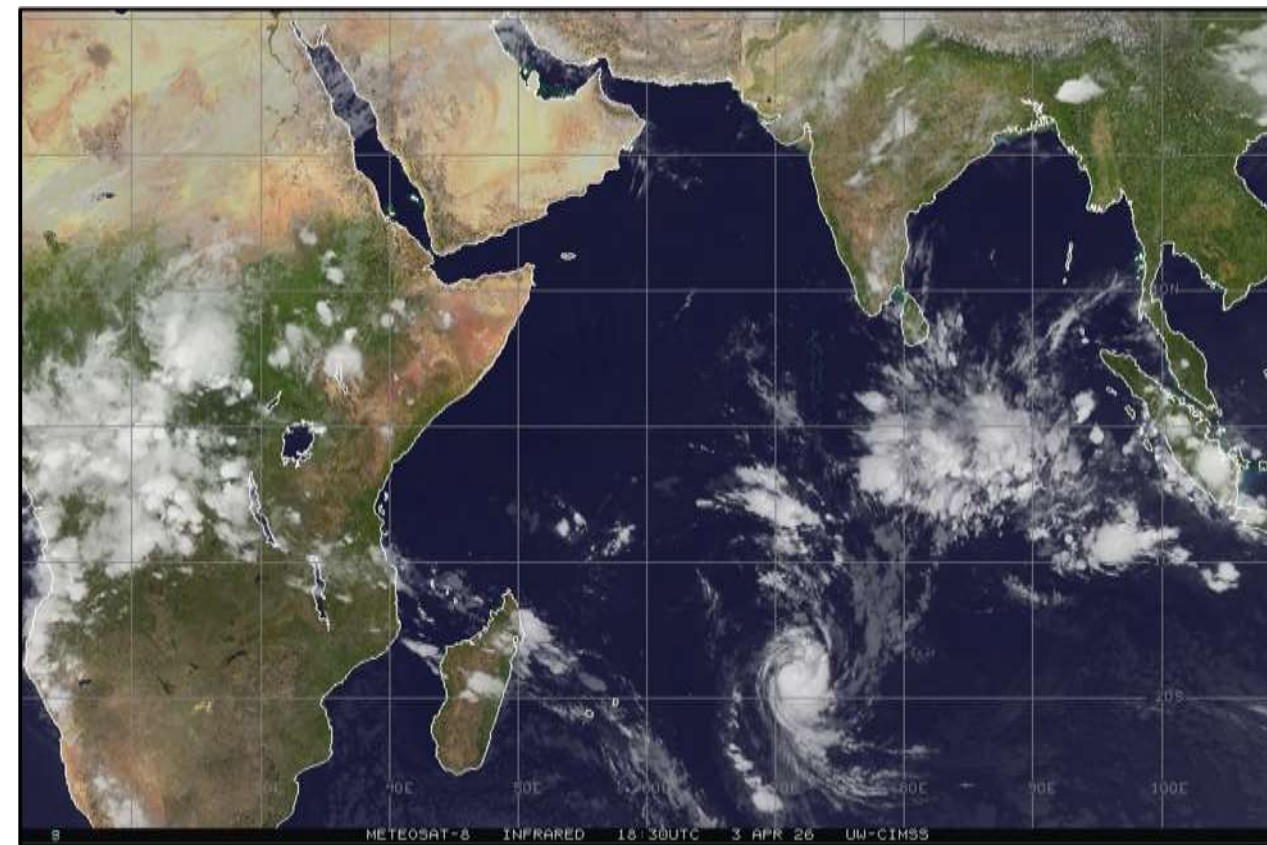
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Date 2026.04.03

WEATHER FORECAST



Weather Forecast for next 24 hrs



FLEET FORECAST

Fleet Forecast for Area - E

Issued by the National Meteorological Center, Department of Meteorology Sri Lanka.

Valid period: 2026.04.03/0600UTC to 2026.04.03/1400UTC

Issued at 0000UTC on 2026.04.03

To: CBO Radio/Fisheries/SL Navy/CBO Port/Coast Guard

Shear line is approximately along : EQ 60E, 02N 70E, 03S 80E, EQ 90E, 02N 100E

ITCZ is approximately along : 05S 60E, 05S 70E, 12S 80E, 07S 90E

Weather:

OCNL Showers / T'Showers in sections : 65, 70, 80, 85

SCT Showers / T'Showers in sections : 15, 20, 35, 50, 55, 75

ISOL Showers / T'Showers elsewhere

Winds:

North of Shear line

West of 75E: NE'ly / (10-20) kts.

East of 75E: SE'ly or VRB/ (05-15) kts.

In-between Shear line and ITCZ :

West of 80E: W'ly to NW'ly / (10-20)kts

East of 80E: VRB / (05-15)kts

South of ITCZ:

West of 80E: cyclonic/(10-20)kts; gusting up to 25kts in section 65 and 80.

East of 80E: E'ly to SE'ly / (10-20)kts

Seas:

Fairly rough in section : 65, 80

Moderate, fairly rough at times in sections : 45, 75, 85

Moderate in sections : 40, 50, 55

Slight to moderate elsewhere.

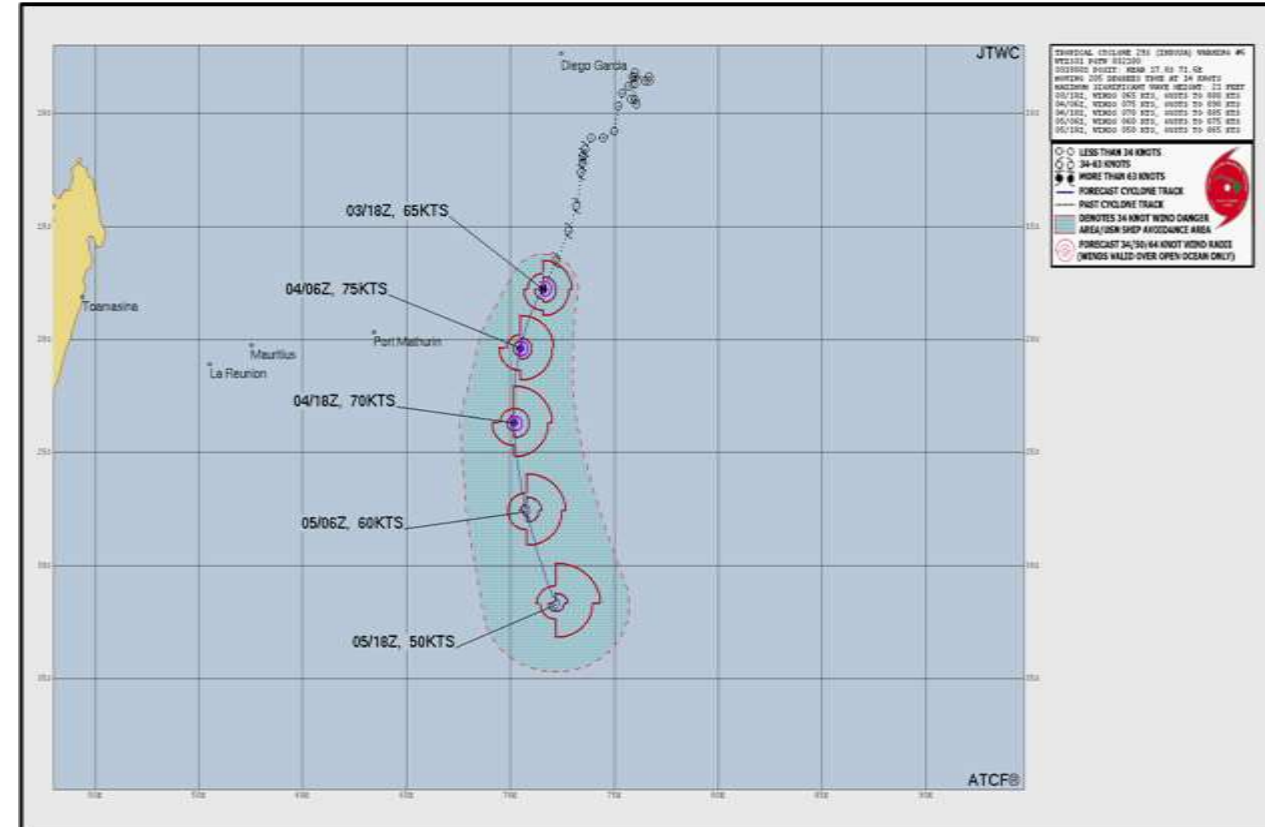
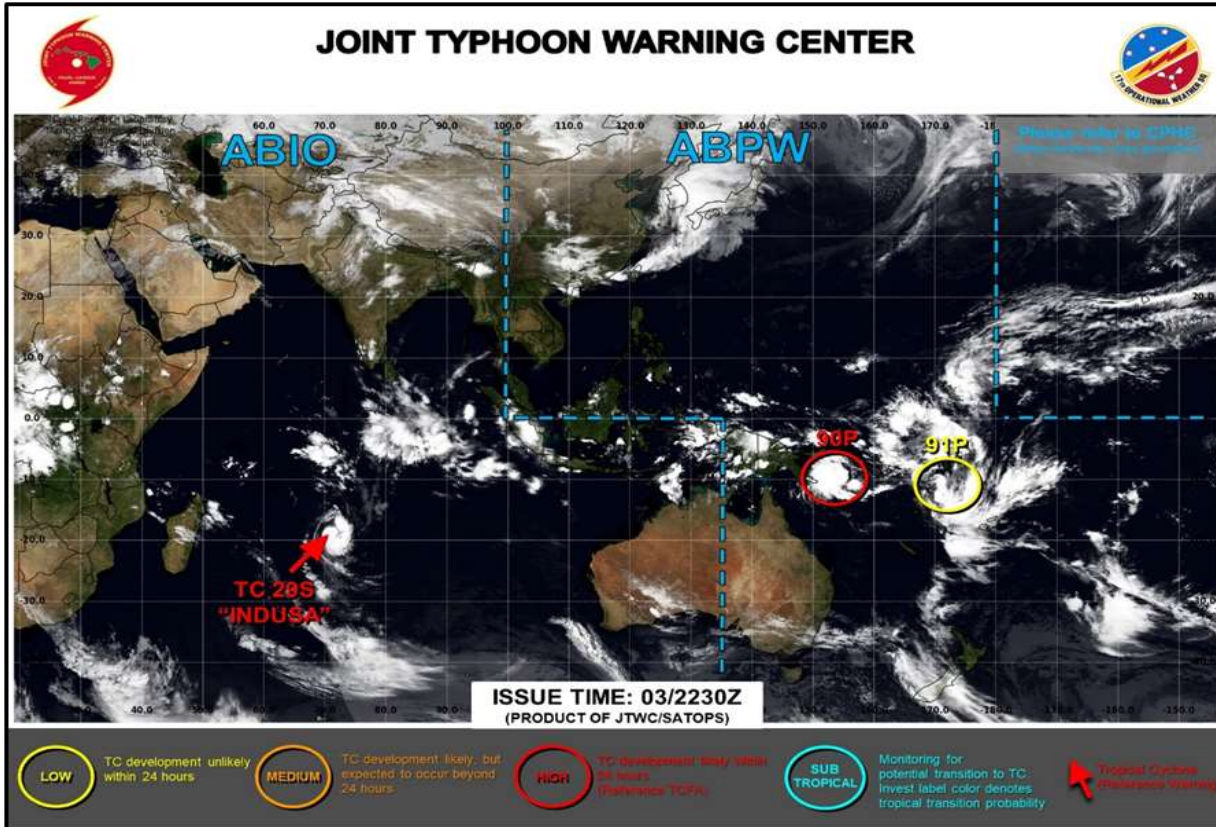
NOTE: Seas can be temporarily very rough during thundershowers.

- Source: 1. <https://meteo.gov.lk> 2. <https://www.srilankaview.com/weather.htm>

CYCLONE

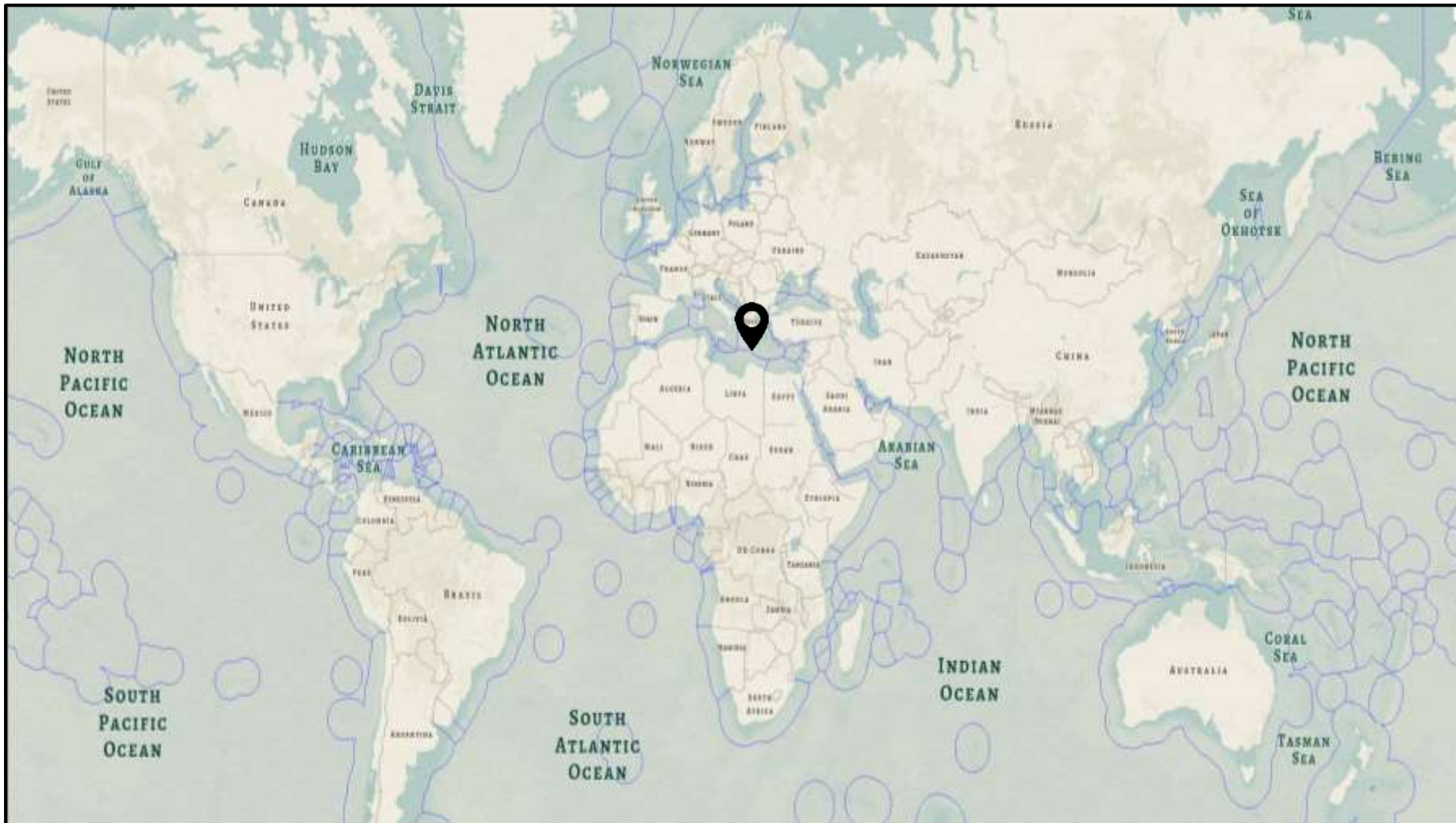


Tropical Cyclone "Indusa"



Source: <https://www.metoc.dc3n.navy.mil/jtwc/jtwc.html>

SUMMARY (MARITIME INCIDENT)



CATEGORY	NO
 Maritime Incidents	NIL
 Piracy & Armed Robbery	NIL
 Smuggling	NIL
 IUU Fishing	NIL
 Narcotic	NIL
 Irregular Human Migration	01
 Marine Environment Pollution	NIL
 Other	NIL
Total Incidents	01

IRREGULAR HUMAN MIGRATION



02 Apr/19 Confirmed Dead in Illegal Migrant Boat Sinking/ Italy

INCIDENT DATE	COUNTRY/REGION	LOCATION	SUB CATEGORIES	VESSEL DETAILS	ADDITIONAL DETAILS
2026.04.02	Italy	Mediterranean Sea	Illegal Migrants boats capsizing	-	The survivors, including five children, were taken to Lampedusa, while three others from the boat were reported missing.

Italy's coast guard recovered 19 deceased illegal migrants, including 18 men and one woman, and rescued 58 survivors from a distressed boat attempting to cross from Libya to Europe. Authorities indicated that some victims likely succumbed to hypothermia, according to representatives from the IOM and MSF humanitarian group.



Source -> <https://www.bairdmaritime.com/amp/story/security/incidents/19-confirmed-dead-in-illegal-migrant-boat-sinking-off-italy>



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