

Daily Weather Update

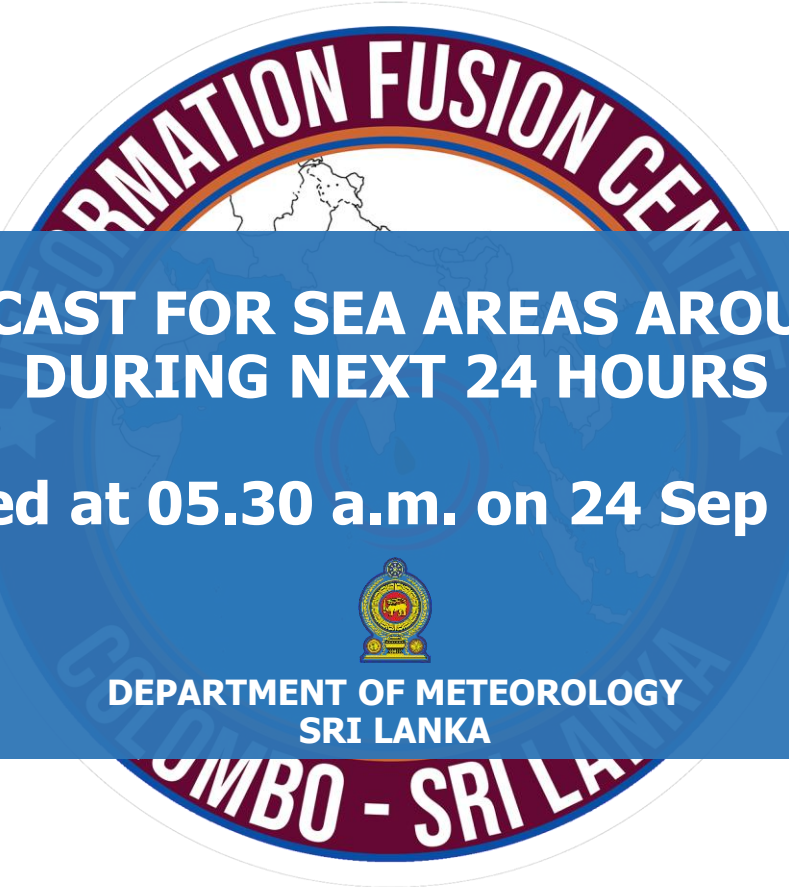
Coastal Area Around The Sri Lanka

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The logo of the Information Fusion Centre (IFC) is a circular emblem. The top half is a maroon semi-circle with the words 'INFORMATION FUSION CENTRE' in white, sans-serif, uppercase letters. Below this is a white semi-circle containing a map of Sri Lanka. The bottom half is a maroon semi-circle with the words 'COLOMBO - SRI LANKA' in white, sans-serif, uppercase letters. The entire logo is set against a white background.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR SEA AREAS AROUND THE ISLAND DURING NEXT 24 HOURS

Issued at 05.30 a.m. on 24 Sep 2026



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CONDITION OF THE RAIN

Showers or thundershowers will occur at times in the sea areas off the coast extending from Kankasanthurai to Hambanthota via Puttalam, Colombo and Galle. Showers or thundershowers may occur at several places in the other sea areas during the evening or night.

WINDS

Winds will be South-westerly. Wind speed will be (30-40) kmph. Wind speed can increase up to (55-65) kmph at times in the sea areas off the coast extending from Trincomalee to Negombo via Kankasanthurai and Mannar and Puttalam, and from Galle to Pottuvil via Hambantota. Wind speed can increase up to 50 kmph at times in the other sea areas around the island

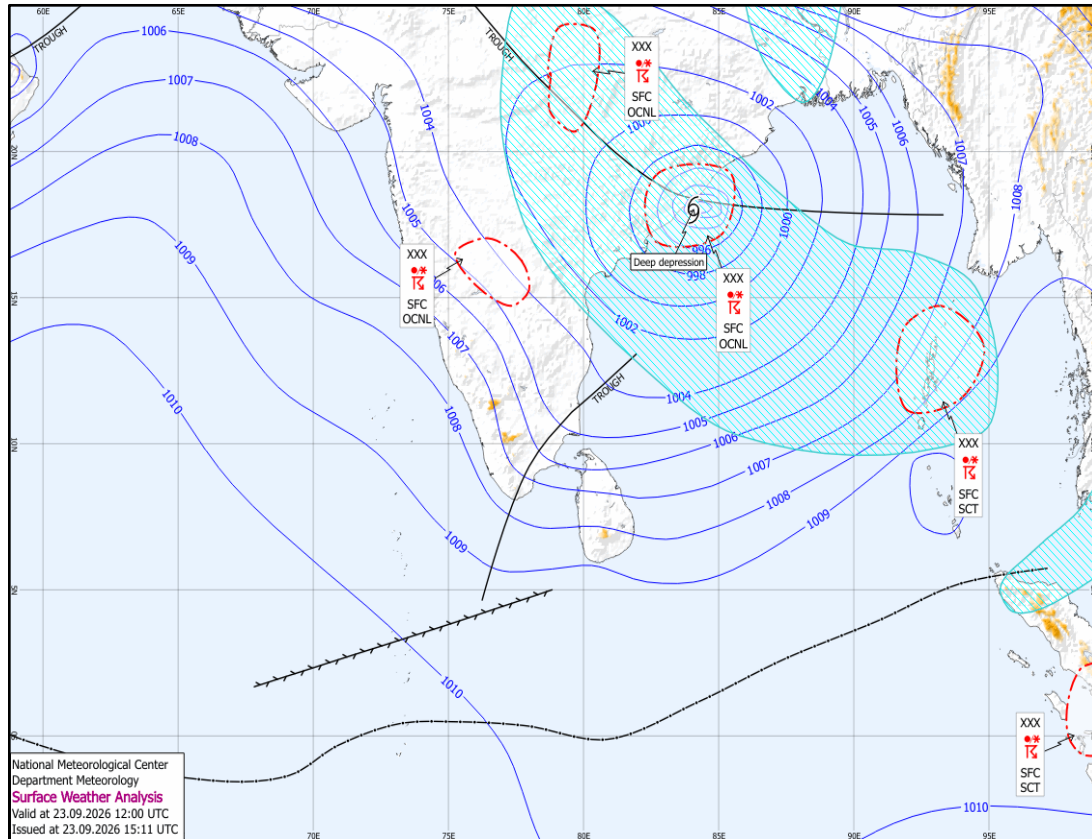
STATE OF SEA

The sea areas off the coast extending from Trincomalee to Negombo via Kankasanthurai and Mannar and Puttalam, and from Galle to Pottuvil via Hambantota will be rough or very rough at times. The naval and fishing communities who are engaged in fishing and naval activities in the above sea areas are requested to be vigilant in this regard.

The other sea areas around the island will be fairly rough at times. The wave height may increase about (2.0 – 2.5) meters in the sea areas off the coast extending from Puttalam to Pottuvil via Colombo, Galle and Matara.

Temporarily strong gusty winds and very rough seas can be expected during thundershowers.

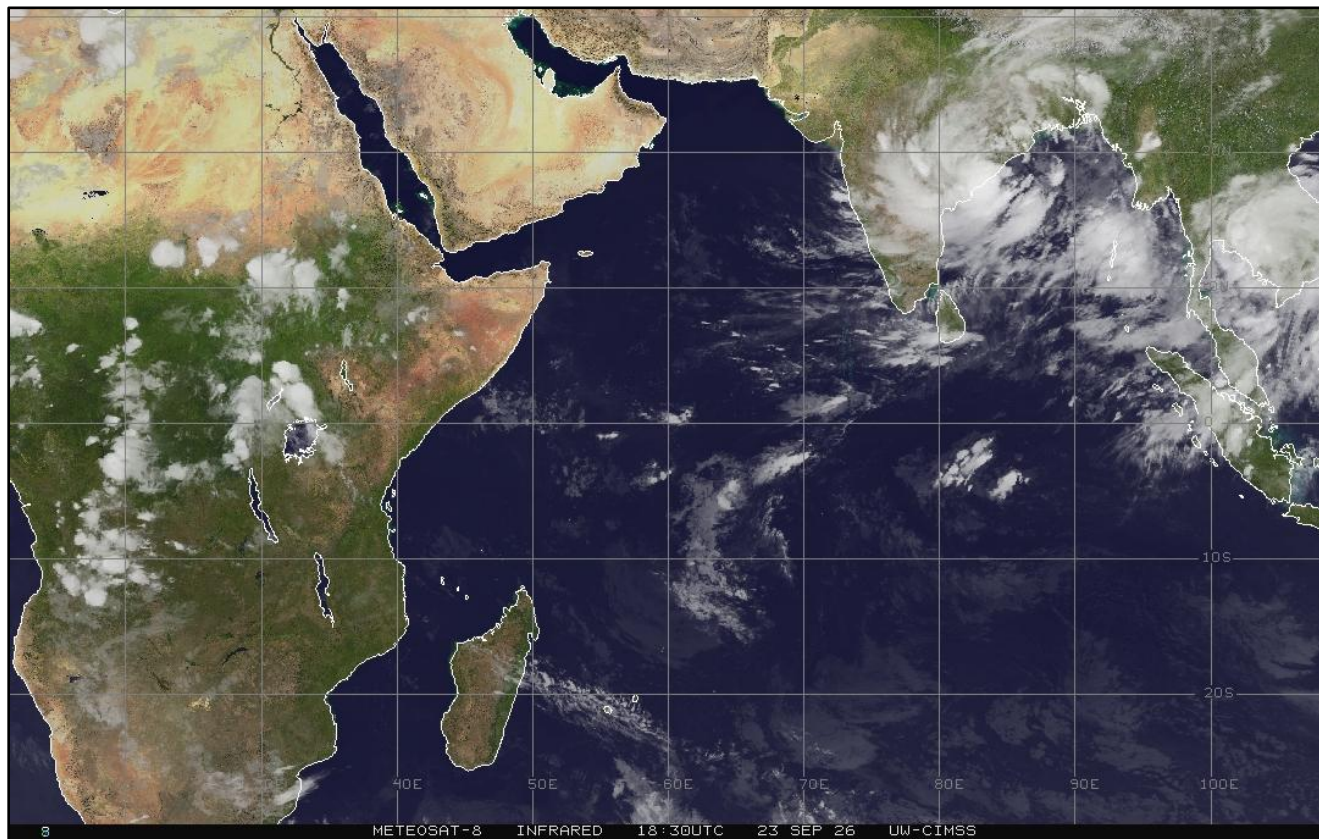
SURFACE ANALYSIS CHART



This analysis charts show the surface pressure pattern over Sri Lanka and the surrounding area. They display isobars (lines of equal pressure) and indicate areas of high (H) and low pressure (L) along with their central pressure value. Isobars are represented by solid blue lines, spaced every 1 hPa. High pressure is usually associated with mainly dry, settled weather with light winds, while low pressure is normally associated with unsettled weather, which is often wet and windy. The lower the pressure, generally the stronger the winds and the heavier the rain.

The map shows Coordinated Universal Time (UTC) and the local time is UTC+5.30.

SATELLITE IMAGE



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