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To  
The Editor,  
Sir,

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I request that the following message may kindly be published in your esteemed daily:

### **TNAU District level seasonal rainfall forecast for Southwest Monsoon, 2025**

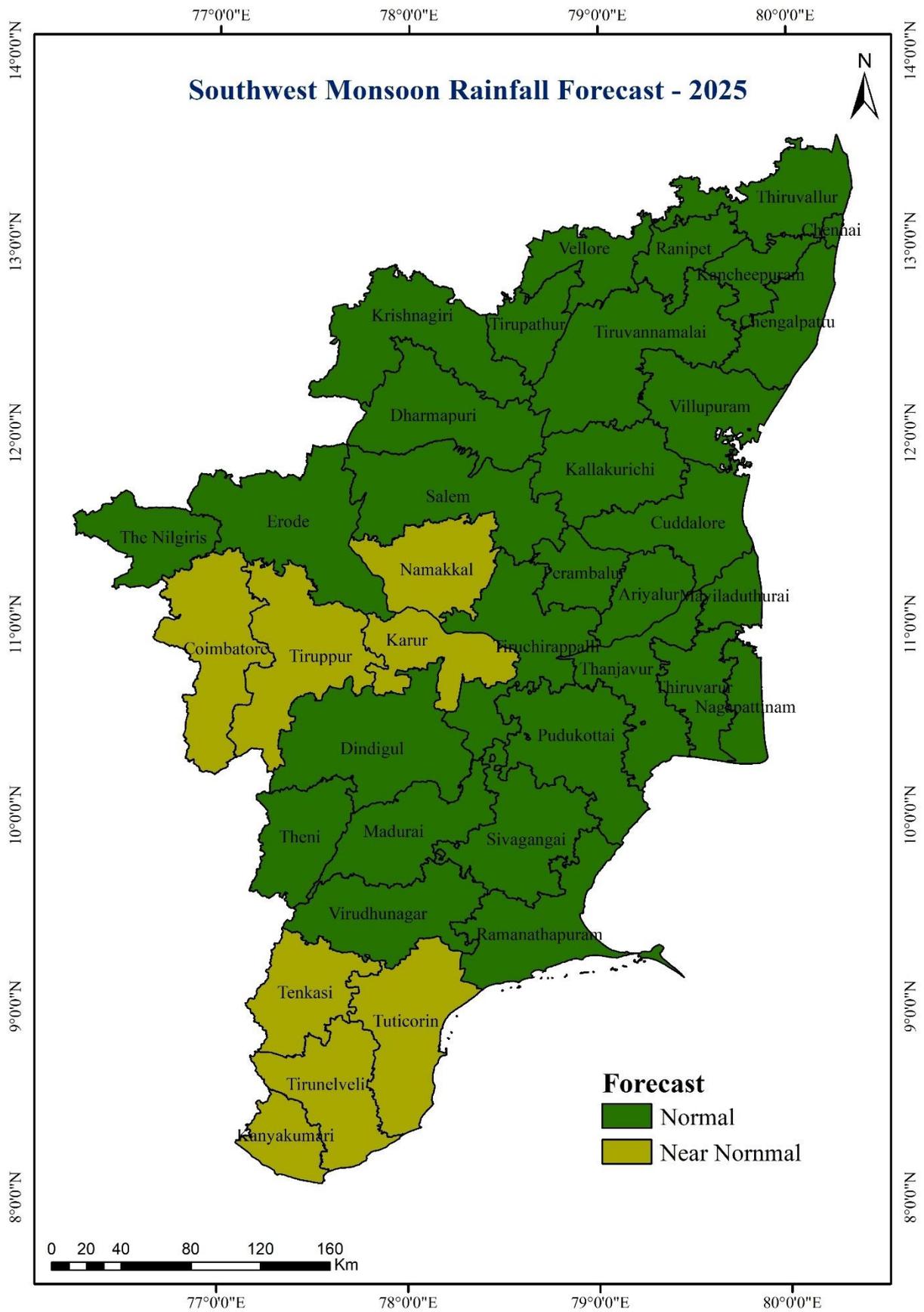
Southwest monsoon season (June to September) – 2025 rainfall forecast for different districts of Tamil Nadu is developed based on the Southern Oscillation Index and Sea Surface Temperature values of Pacific and Indian Oceans by using Australian Rainman International V.4.3. Software at Agro Climate Research Centre of Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore and is presented at 60% probability level. The districts of Tamil Nadu based on the predicted rainfall have been grouped hereunder.

**Normal Rainfall ( $\pm 10$  per cent deviation from long term rainfall)** is expected in most of the districts in Tamil Nadu.

**Near Normal Rainfall (-10 per cent deviation from the long-term rainfall)** is expected in Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Karur, Namakkal, Thenkasi, Tirunelveli, Tutucorin and Kanyakumari districts of Tamil Nadu.

## District level seasonal rainfall forecast for Southwest Monsoon 2025

S. No	Districts	Normal Rainfall (mm)	Predicted Rainfall (mm)	Per cent deviation
	<b>North Eastern Zone</b>			
1	Chennai	440	430	-2
2	Chengalpattu	450	450	0
3	Cuddalore	360	370	3
4	Kallakurichi	410	385	-6
5	Kancheepuram	479	462	-4
6	Ranipet	450	430	-4
7	Tiruvallur	456	440	-4
8	Tirupathur	416	400	-4
9	Thiruvannamalai	449	449	1
10	Villupuram	405	405	-5
11	Vellore	453	422	-7
	<b>Western Zone</b>			
12	Coimbatore	210	185	-12
13	Erode	260	245	-6
14	Tiruppur	151	130	-14
	<b>North Western Zone</b>			
15	Dharmapuri	392	380	-3
16	Krishnagiri	375	377	1
17	Namakkal	336	300	-11
18	Salem	421	410	-3
	<b>Cauvery Delta Zone</b>			
19	Ariyalur	377	355	-6
20	Karur	199	175	-12
21	Mayiladuthurai	295	300	2
22	Nagapattinam	279	267	-4
23	Perambalur	279	269	-4
24	Thanjavur	314	315	0
25	Tiruvarur	302	280	-7
26	Tiruchirapalli	277	260	-6
	<b>Southern Zone</b>			
27	Dindigul	308	296	-4
28	Madurai	325	298	-8
29	Pudukkottai	330	326	-1
30	Ramanathapuram	135	135	0
31	Sivaganga	417	421	1
32	Theni	215	205	-5
33	Tenkasi	175	150	-14
34	Tuticorin	67	59	-12
35	Tirunelveli	128	108	-16
36	Virudhunagar	190	175	-8
	<b>Hilly Zone</b>			
37	The Nilgiris	875	860	-2
	<b>High Rainfall</b>			
38	Kanyakumari	491	435	-11



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