

DAILY MARITIME INCIDENT UPDATE

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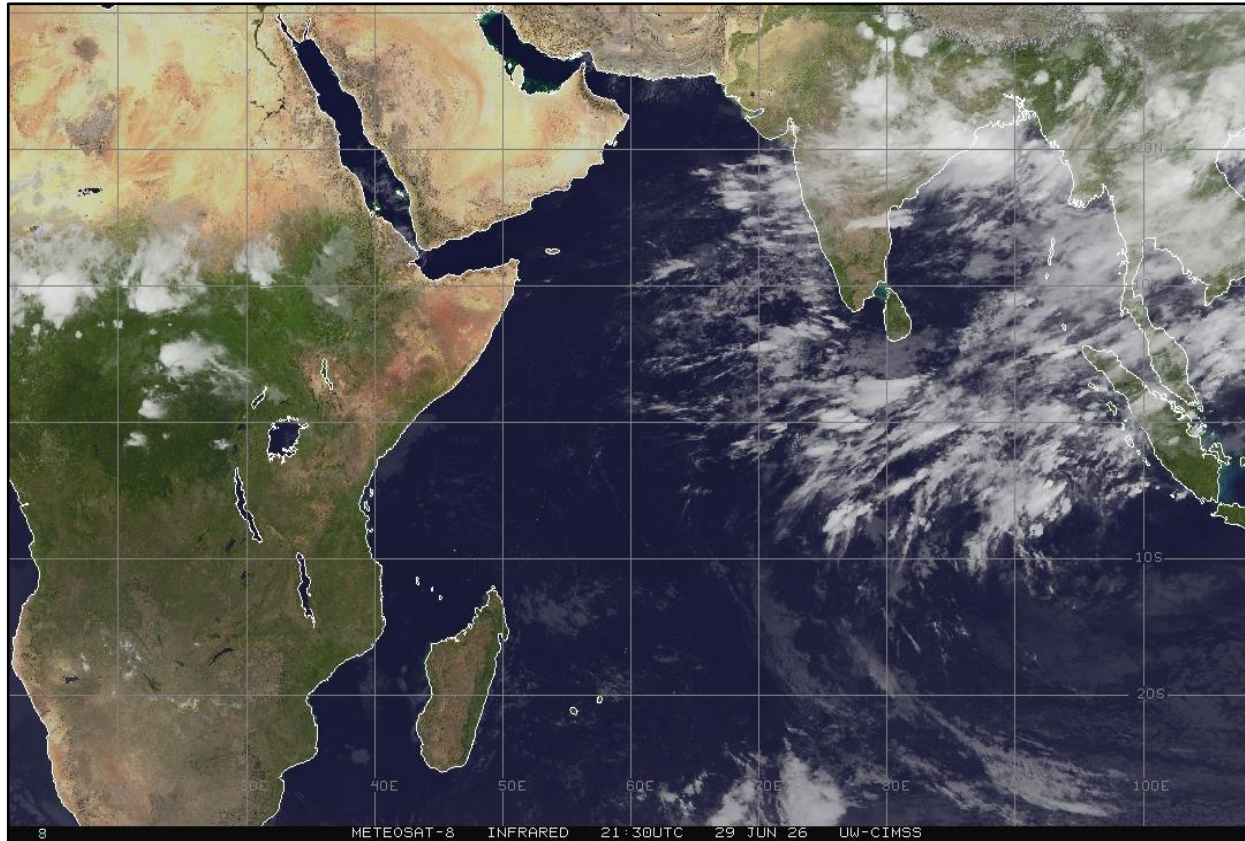
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WEATHER FORECAST



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: 2026.06.30/0600UTC to 2026.06.30/1400UTC

Issued at 0000UTC on 2026.06.30

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

Shear line is approximately along : 01N 60E, EQ 70E, 03S 80E, 02S 90E, 03S 100E

Weather:

OCNL Showers / T'Showers in sections: 05, 15, 30, 35, 50, 55, 65, 70

SCT Showers / T'Showers in sections : 00, 10, 20, 45, 75, 80, 85

ISOL Showers / T'Showers elsewhere.

Winds:

North of Shear line:

West of 75E: SW'ly to W'ly / (10-20) kts; gusting up to (20-25) kts in sections 00.

East of 75E: SW'ly / (15-20) kts; gusting up to (25-30) kts in sections 05, 10, 15, 25, 30.

South of Shear line:

SE'ly/ (10-20) kts; gusting up to 25 kts in sections 65, 70, 80, 85.

Seas:

Rough , very rough at times in section : 05, 10

Fairly rough, rough at times in Sections : 15, 30, 70, 80, 85

Moderate, fairly rough at times in Sections : 00, 25, 65

Moderate in Sections : 35

Slight to moderate elsewhere.

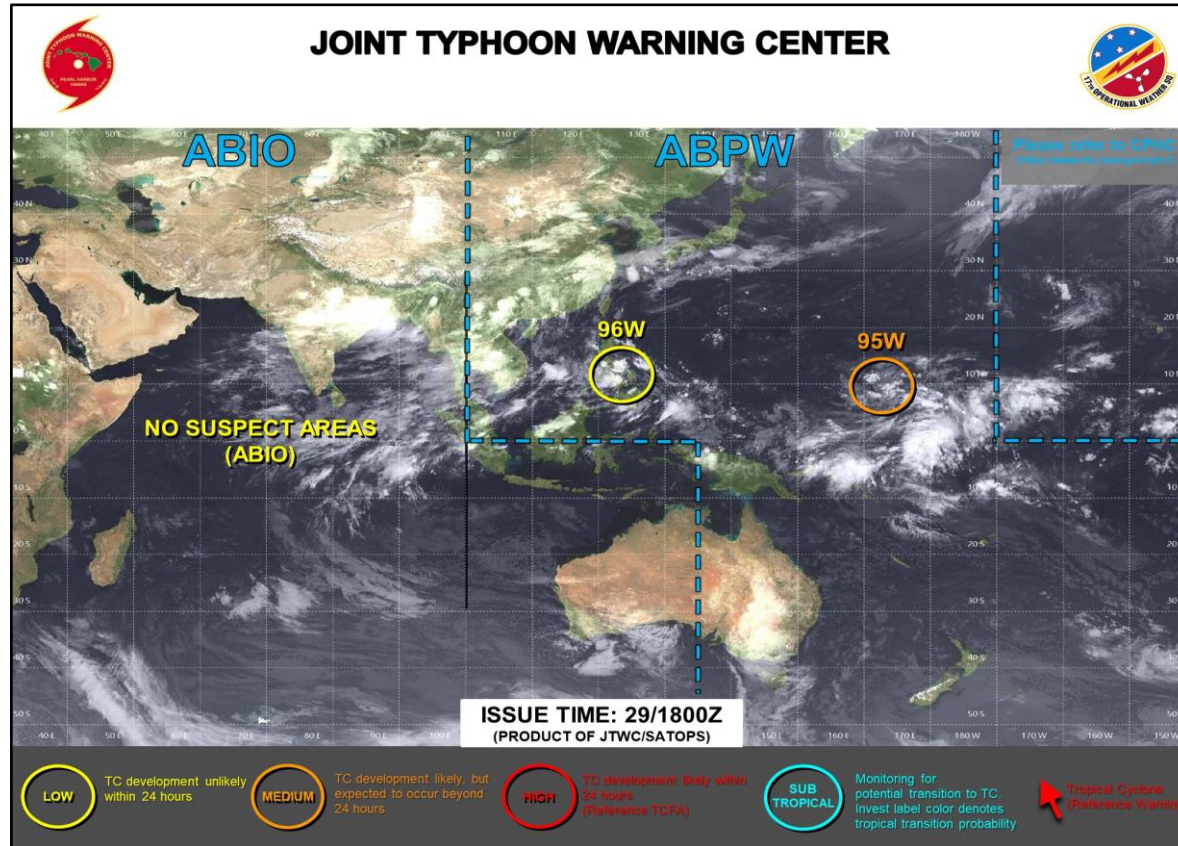
NOTE: Seas can be temporarily very rough during thundershowers.

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



CYCLONE

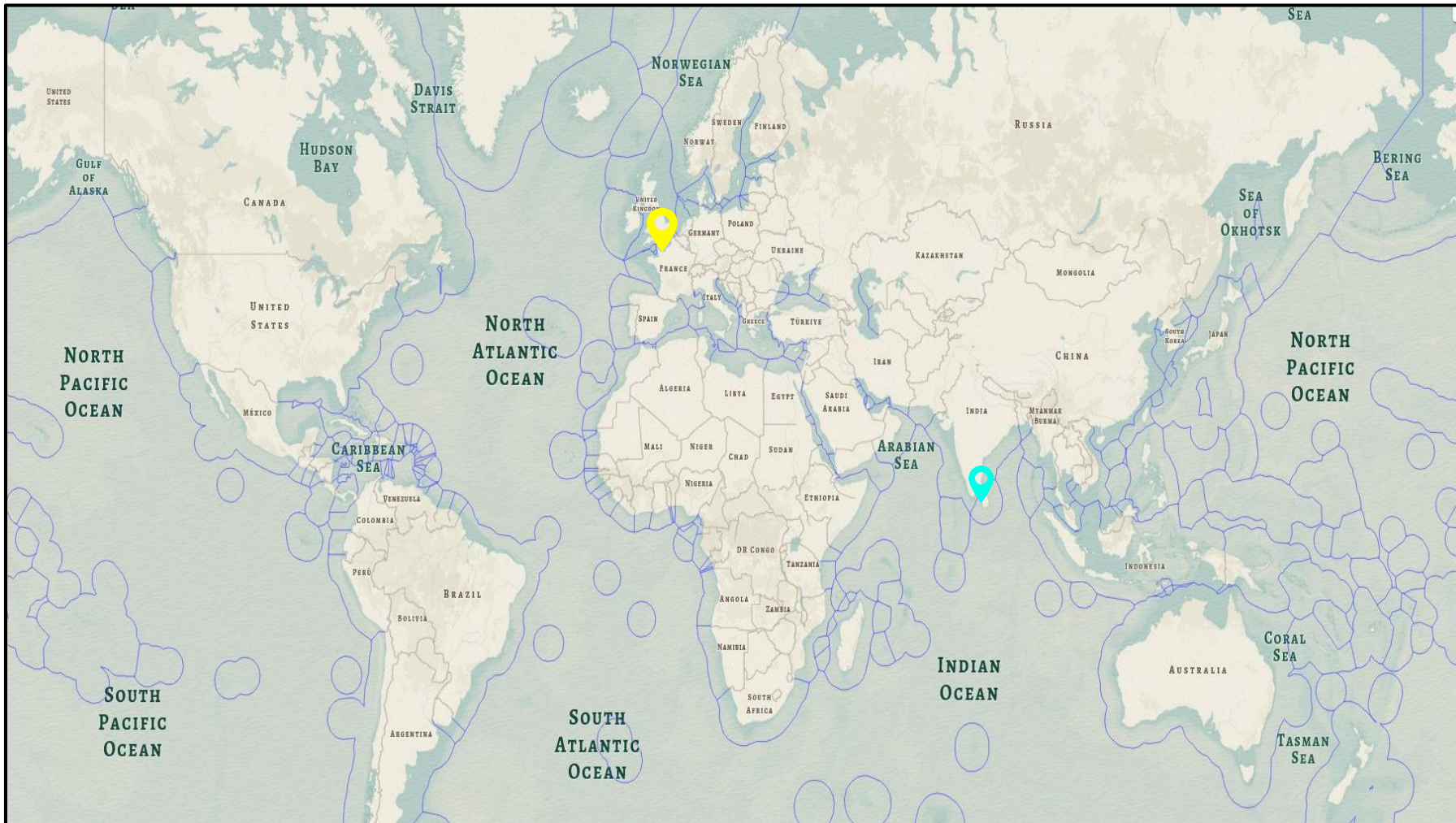
Tropical Cyclone



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



SUMMERY (MARITIME INCIDENT)



CATEGORY	NO
Maritime Incidents	01
Piracy & Armed Robbery	NIL
Smuggling	01
IUU Fishing	NIL
Narcotic	NIL
Irregular Human Migration	NIL
Marine Environment Pollution	NIL
Other	NIL
Total Incidents	02

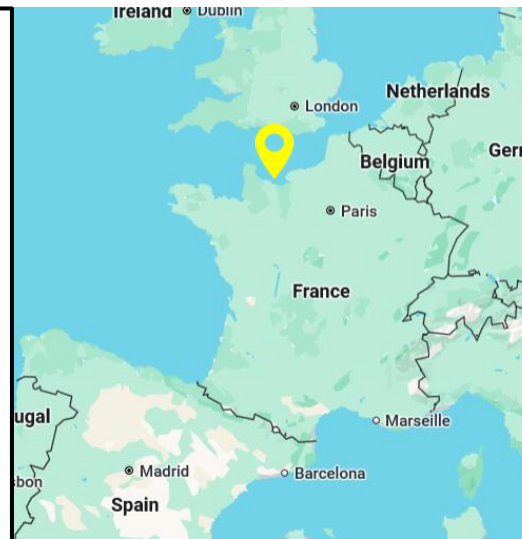
MARITIME INCIDENTS



29 Jun/ Fire Damages River Cruise Vessel at French Port/ France

INCIDENT DATE	COUNTRY/REGION	LOCATION	SUB CATEGORIES	VESSEL DETAILS	ADDITIONAL DETAILS
2026.06.29	France	Port of Honfleur	Fire/ Folding/ Explosion	Name- BOTTICELLI Type -inland cruise ship	All 163 individuals, comprising 132 passengers and 31 crewmembers, were safely evacuated and medically monitored.

A fire broke out on the inland cruise ship Botticelli while docked in the Eastern Basin of the Port of Honfleur, France, on 29 Jun 26. The fire was reported around 0330 hours local time as the ship was set to depart for the Seine during its week-long cruise from Paris to the Normandy coast. Approximately 90 firefighters and emergency crews were dispatched to contain the blaze, along with specialized teams for water rescue and hazardous materials.



Source -: <https://www.marinetraffic.com/en/maritime-news/14/accidents/2026/13047/fire-damages-river-cruise-vessel-at-at-french-port-no-injuri>

SMUGGLING



28 Jun/ Navy Intercepts Dinghy with over 620kg of Smuggled Kendu Leaves / Sri Lanka

INCIDENT DATE	COUNTRY/REGION	LOCATION	SUB CATEGORIES	VESSEL DETAILS	ADDITIONAL DETAILS
2026.06.28	Sri Lanaka	Negombo lagoon area	Contraband/ Goods smuggling	One boat	The suspect, a 22-year-old from Pamunugama, Negombo, was arrested along with a dinghy and Kendu leaves and was transferred to the Katunayake Customs Preventive Office for legal action.

In a recent operation to combat smuggling, the Sri Lanka Navy intercepted a dinghy in the Negombo lagoon on 28 June 2026, apprehending one suspect. Conducted by SLNS Kelani of the Western Naval Command, the inspection uncovered about 625 kg of Kendu leaves packed in 17 sacks.



Source -: <https://news.navy.lk/operations-news/2026/june/navy-intercepts-dinghy-with-over-620kg-of-smuggled-kendu-leaves-in-negombo-lagoon.html>



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