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IMD forecasts more rain for coast, interior dists

HUBBALLI/SHIVAMOGGA/
HASSAN, DHNS

Many parts of north and south interior Karnataka and Malnad region received heavy rains, coupled with thunder activity, through the intervening night of Wednesday and Thursday.

The overnight showers left roads and houses in low-lying areas flooded in Hubballi-Dharwad twin cities. Motorists had a tough time negotiating the inundated roads, including the busy Lamington Road, in Hubballi.

Belagavi district, including the city, Chikkodi, Koulajagi, Hirebagewadi, Ramdurg, Saundatti and Gokak, experienced thunderstorms since Wednesday night. Badami and Basavana Bagewadi also received sporadic spells of rain.

Standing maize crop on several acres in Sandur taluk has been destroyed in rain accompanied by strong winds. Seven houses have suffered partial damage in Leraluk.

Agumbe and Thirthahalli in Shivamogga district witnessed heavy rainfall on Thursday. Many parts of the district, including Shivamogga, Bhadravati and Hosanagar record-



Rainwater flowed on to Lamington Road in Hubballi affecting movement of vehicles on Thursday.

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ed moderate to heavy rain in the day.

With the catchment areas getting good rains, the water level of Tungare reservoir has increased. The reservoir at Gajanuru received 8,000 cusecs of water on Thursday. The water level in Bhadra reservoir has reached 182.10 feet. It is just 4 feet short of reaching its full reservoir level.

Several residential areas in Arasikere town in Hassan district were inundated following a heavy spell of rain on Wednesday night. The showers have rendered the roads in residential areas off Has-

san Road impassable. Several parts of Hassan and Tumakuru districts also saw sporadic spells of rain on Thursday.

The India Meteorological Department (IMD) has predicted heavy showers for all three coastal districts on Friday. An orange alert has been issued in the region while a yellow alert has been declared for north and south interior districts.

According to the weather department, the coastal region and the north and south interior districts will continue to receive moderate to heavy showers till September 8