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Monsoon makes slow progress, to pick up by June 17

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AFTER ENTERING KERALA coast on Sunday, progress of southwest monsoon has been slow and is expected to pick up pace from June 17, a senior official with the ministry of earth sciences said.

"The current pace of southwest monsoon progress is deg. \\

In the Indian Meteorological Department's (IMD) weekly bulletin issued on Friday said that southwest monsoon has now entered entire north \\

The water levels are also higher than average at 24.60% with the year ago period in central and western regions. However, current levels are about 54.61 billion cubic meters (BCM) of water, which is about 33% of their combined capacity.

The monsoon season is expected to continue for another month or two, with some parts of the country experiencing wetter than normal conditions. The IMD has predicted widespread rainfall, including heavy showers, over many parts of the country during the next one to two months.

The current situation is expected to improve in the coming weeks, with the monsoon expected to become stronger and more active over the next few days. However, the IMD has cautioned that there is still a risk of localized heavy rainfall in certain areas, particularly in the northwest and north-east regions of the country.

The IMD has also advised farmers to be prepared for potential impacts of the monsoon, including flooding, landslides, and heavy rain. It has urged them to take appropriate precautions to protect their crops and livestock from the adverse effects of the monsoon.