

《南方暴雨肆虐，国家气象台发布高温黄色预警》

导读:连日来，中国南方地区遭遇了强降雨灾害，多地受洪涝灾害影响严重。于此同时，国家气象台还发布了高温黄色预警，长江以南和北方中部大部分地区将迎来39摄氏度的高温。



Intense downpours and hailstorms have caused havoc across several Chinese provinces, resulting in casualties, disrupted traffic and inundation.

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In addition to a fatal tornado and hail storm, which claimed 98 lives in east China's Jiangsu Province on Thursday, many urban areas in southwest China's Chongqing Municipality are reporting flooding.

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A section of a rail track linking Chongqing with Chengdu, capital of Sichuan Province, was also flooded. Railway authorities have diverted 10 trains as repair work is underway.

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In the rural district of Yongchuan, downpours damaged 602 houses, resulting in one death and another missing. Rain on Thursday night flooded a section of the outer wall of Yuxi Prison forcing the relocation of 1,400 inmates over night. The prison authority has reinforced security and ensured provisions.

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Zhutuo Hydro Station on the Yangtze, which runs through Chongqing, warned that the water level had risen by 1.91 meters in one day.

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In east China's Jiangxi, workers on Friday morning repaired a 64-meter breach in a dike in Poyang County.

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Aided with some 100 pieces of heavy machinery, more than 2,000 workers have worked around-the-clock, for 46 hours, to mend the breach.

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In the county, two reservoirs sustained damage, 189 river bank breaches were found, and 26,000 houses were either inundated or damaged.

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China's national observatory on Saturday morning renewed its yellow alert for a heat wave in some southern and northern areas, where temperatures of between 35 and 39 degrees Celsius are predicted for the daytime.

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China has a four-tier warning system for severe weather, with red being the most serious, followed by orange, yellow and blue.

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During the daytime on Saturday, high temperatures of above 35 degrees Celsius are expected to scorch a vast region south of the Yangtze River and central parts of north China, the National Meteorological Center said.

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Some parts of Guangdong, Jiangxi and Fujian provinces will see up to 39 degrees Celsius of high temperatures.

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The center cautioned that local people should take precautions against high temperature.

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The center also warned parts of Anhui, Zhejiang, Tibet, Qinghai, Hainan and Guizhou should brace for heavy rain from Saturday morning to Sunday morning.

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