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We are in the early stages of a project which aims to train BRACS radio operators to understand weather maps and reports, especially weather warnings, so they can translate into local languages, or at least the vernacular. This project is based on earlier work conducted in the CDS and BoM by Douglas Goudie.

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