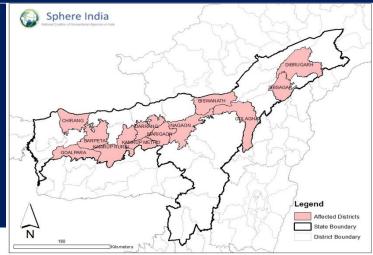




Situation Report Floods in Assam

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Background:

The flood situation in Assam has shown significant improvement as of Sunday, although more than 1.22 lakh people continue to be affected by the deluge across twelve districts.

SITUATION UPDATE AND RESPONSE

- Darrang is currently the worst-hit district, with over 60,600 people suffering, followed by Golaghat with 45,300 affected and Morigaon with 6,500 impacted.
- As of Sunday, almost 1.22 lakh people were affected by floods across 12 districts.
- The administration is operating seven relief camps in three districts, providing shelter to 1,331 individuals, and running 17 relief distribution centers in four districts.
- Currently, 583 villages are submerged, and floodwaters have damaged 8,592.05 hectares of crop areas across the state, according to the ASDMA.
- Massive erosions have been witnessed in Bongaigaon, Dhubri, and Tinsukia.
- Floodwaters have caused damage to embankments, roads, bridges, and other infrastructure in Darrang and Morigaon.
- The Brahmaputra River is flowing above the danger mark at Dhubri, as reported by the ASDMA.
- Due to the widespread flooding, more than 97,400 domestic animals and poultry are affected across the state.

HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE

- Local administration and SDRF are carrying out rescue operations in different affected areas
- Society for Bright Future organized a flood relief program in Madarpur and Saragaon withing Chirang District (Assam North)
- INDIAdonates is providing relief materials in flood-affected areas of Assam
- Sphere India and IAG Assam are closely monitoring the situation

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