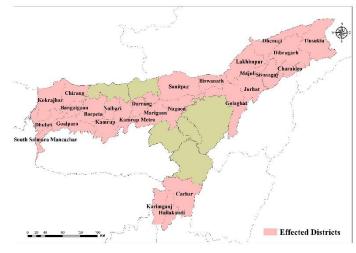


# SITUATION REPORT- 1

# Flood Situation in India

Date: 09<sup>th</sup> July 2024 (Tue) Time: 10:00 AM (IST)



Flood Affected Districts in Assam

### SITUATION UPDATE AND RESPONSE

#### Assam

- The flood situation in Assam has seen marginal improvement, with the number of affected people in 27 districts decreasing to around 18.80 lakh, officials said on July 9.
- According to reports from the IMD and SEOC Assam, moderate to heavy rainfall was observed in the state over the past 24 hours, with the highest rainfall recorded in Demaji (90 mm) and Bongaigaon (60 mm), and an average rainfall of 10.3 mm.
- The Central Water Commission (CWC) bulletin indicates that several rivers are still flowing above the danger level.
- These include the Brahmaputra at Neamatighat (Jorhat), Tezpur (Sonitpur), Kamrup, and Dhubri; the Subansiri at Badatighat (Lakhimpur); the Barak at Badarpur Ghat (Karimganj); the Buredehing at Margherita (Tinsukia) and Chenimari (Dibrugarh); the Sankosh at Golokganj (Dhubri); the Kushiyara at Karimganj; the Dikhou at Sivasagar; the Desang at Sivasagar; and the Kopili at Dharamtul (Marigaon).
- The death toll from this year's floods, landslides, and storms has risen to 85, with six more deaths reported on Monday.
- The current flood has affected a total of 30,83,830 people, with 3,154 villages submerged and 49,014.06 hectares of crop areas damaged.
- Dhubri remains the worst-hit district, with nearly 4.75 lakh people affected, followed by Cachar with over 2.01 lakh people, and Barpeta with nearly 1.36 lakh people affected.
- In terms of property damage, a total of 3,525 houses have been reported damaged, with 231 fully and 3,294 partially damaged.
- Essential services have been significantly disrupted, including road communication, telephone communication, water supply, electricity supply, and other critical services in the flood-affected districts.
- Additionally, over 15,18,600 domestic animals and poultry have been impacted by the widespread flooding across the state.

## **Statistical Report**

#### Assam



No. of District Affected: 27



No. of People Affected: 30,83,830 (18.8 lack –last day)



Number of Causalities: 85 (06 – Yesterday)



Worst hit district: Dhubri, Barpeta, Cachar



No. of Relief Camps: 543



Inmates in Relief Camp : 3,45,500



Crops Damaged: 49,014.06 hect. (during the last 24 hours)



Infrastructure Damage: 3,525 (231 fully, 3,294 partially)



Livestock Affected: Over 15,63,426

#### Uttarakhand

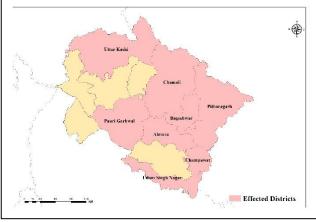


District Affected: 08 (Almora, Bageshwar, Chamoli, Champawat, Pauri, Pithoragarh, Udham Singh Nagar, Uttarkashi)



#### Uttarakhand

- Uttarakhand has been experiencing a flood-like situation due to heavy to very heavy rainfall and rising water levels in the rivers over the past few days.
- A total of eight districts have been affected by the floods: Almora, Bageshwar, Chamoli, Champawat, Pauri, Pithoragarh, Udham Singh Nagar, and Uttarkashi.
- The highest rainfall recorded in different districts over the last 24 hours includes Champawat with 180 mm, Nainital with 160 mm, Tehri Garhwal with 140 mm, Pauri Garhwal with 130 mm, Dehradun with 110 mm, Udham Singh Nagar with 100 mm, and Almora with 70 mm. The average rainfall across the state during this period was 38.9 mm.
- According to the CWC (Central Water Commission) bulletin, the Deoha river at Sitarganj in Udham Singh Nagar is in an extreme flood situation, and the Ramganga river in Pithoragarh district is flowing above its danger level.
- Champawat and Udham Singh Nagar districts have been particularly hard hit by the floods in the last 24 hours. Severe flooding has impacted many parts of Champawat district, especially in Banbasa, Tanakpur, Jagpura, and Purnagiri, leading to mass evacuations due to extensive waterlogging. In Udham Singh Nagar district, the worst-affected areas include Khamita, Chatarpur, and Sitarganj.
- A total of three human lives were lost in the last 24 hours, bringing the total number of fatalities during the current flood season to eleven. Among the recent victims, two men drowned in floodwater in Haldi village in the Khatima area of Udham Singh Nagar on 09<sup>th</sup> July afternoon, and a 17-year-old girl was swept away in a seasonal stream in Dehradun on 09<sup>th</sup> July evening.
- In Pithoragarh district, 28 roads, including six border roads and one state highway, have been blocked due to rain-triggered landslides, as reported by the District Emergency Operation Centre (DEOC).
- The current floods have affected a total of 2,000 people across the state.
- A total of 63 houses have been reported damaged, with five completely destroyed and 58 partially damaged.
- A total of 186 landslide incidents have been reported in 10 districts during the current monsoon season.
- Approximately 1,150 people were stranded in Khatima, Sitarganj, and Bajpur areas of Udham Singh Nagar due to flash floods and heavy rainfall. Out of these, 981 individuals have been safely evacuated and shifted to safer places or relief camps.
- A total of three national highways, 11 state highways, six border roads, eight district roads, and 215 rural motor roads have been reported blocked at various locations in the state in the last 24 hours.
- So far, 1,198 roads have been affected by floods, heavy rainfall, and landslides during the current flood season. Of these, 873 roads have been restored. Out of 635 incidents of disrupted electric supply, 560 have been restored.







Number of Causalities: 11 (From July 01<sup>st</sup>)





Roads Affected: 1198

#### **Uttar Pradesh**



No. of District Affected: 07 (Gonda, Balrampur, Shravasti, Kushinagar, Shahjahanpur, Pilibhit, Badaun, Lakhimpur Kheri)



No. of People Affected: 44,440 - Shravasti 31,102 Lakhimpur Kheri and 8,250 -Kushinagar.



Number of Causalities: 11

#### Maharashtra



Worst hit district: Mumbai Suburban, Sindhudurg, Ratnagiri, Raigad.



Infrastructure Damage: 06 Houses

#### Bihar



Affected Area: West Champaran, Saharsa, Supaul, Gopalganj.



Number of Causalities: 33 (from July 01<sup>st</sup>)

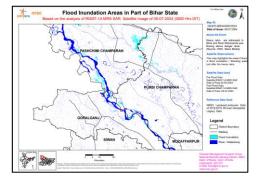


#### **Uttar Pradesh**

- Heavy to extremely heavy rainfall has caused severe flooding in Uttar Pradesh. Flood Affected districts include Gonda, Balrampur, Shravasti, Kushinagar, Shahjahanpur, Pilibhit, Badaun and Lakhimpur Kheri.
- Out of these Specific impacts noted in Shravasti (44,440 people affected), Lakhimpur Kheri (31,102 people affected), and Kushinagar (8,250 people affected) districts.
- Eleven fatalities reported due to flooding, lightning, drowning, and snake bites in multiple districts including Banda, Deoria, Ghazipur, Ballia, Azamgarh, Amroha, Sant Kabir Nagar, Balrampur, and Basti.
- Highest recorded rainfall in Bareilly (460 mm), followed by Pilibhit (170 mm), Rampur (130 mm), and Agra (70 mm).
- Rivers Ganga, Ghagra, Kwano, Rapti, Bhuri Rapti, and Sarda are flowing above danger levels in various districts as per CWC bulletin.
- On 07<sup>th</sup> July night, two lakh cusec water was released from the Banbasa barrage on River Sharda in Uttarakhand leading to an increase in the water level of the river in Lakhimpur Kheri and Pilibhit districts. Water was released from Valmiki Nagar barrage on the Gandak in Nepal leading to a sudden rise in the water level of the river in Kushinagar district.
- Inundation of villages such as Govindnagar and Azadnagar, and flooding of National Highway-731 connecting Bhira town to Pallia has reported ue to overflowing Sharda River.
- Floodwaters submerged crops, lands, and approach roads in Tikunia and Belrayan border areas.

#### Bihar

- Bihar is currently grappling with floods exacerbated by deadly lightning strikes, with 13 fatalities reported in the past 24 hours and a total of 33 deaths from lightning strikes in July alone.
- Excessive rainfall in Nepal's catchment areas has caused rivers like the Gandak, Bagmati, Kosi, and Kamla Balan to swell, severely impacting North Bihar.
- Floodwaters have submerged at least 20 villages in the Sonversa block of West Champaran district, and parts of the Valmiki Nagar Tiger Reserve in Bagaha subdivision are inundated.
- In Saharsa, the Kosi river has flooded seven Panchayats in the Nauhatta block, isolating these areas from the main city.
- Haveli Kharagpur is affected with rivers Mani, Dangri, Kharra, Agahia, and Mahane overflowing, causing fields to be submerged due to canal damage near Ladui village.
- Meanwhile, in Supaul, villages between embankments are flooded due to rising Kosi river levels, while in Singhia of Sikti block, the MNREGAbuilt bund has been breached by the Nuna river, inundating the village and causing house submersion.
- Additionally, the road from Beria Manch to Ghuran village in Sadar block is cut off by floodwater, and over half a dozen villages in Palasi block are affected.
- Gopalganj and Supaul districts are also experiencing flooding, further exacerbating the crisis in Bihar.



Flood Inundated Area in Part of Bihar Source: NDEM



Flood Affected Area in Part of Bihar Source: Media



#### Maharashtra

- As per the report received from the SEOC Maharashtra, the state is facing flood like situation due to heavy to extremely heavy rainfall since 08<sup>th</sup> July and rise of water level in the rivers.
- Heavy to extremely heavy rainfall and coinciding high tide is leading to water inundation in low lying areas especially in Mumbai.
- A total of four districts and 46 revenue circles are affected due to extremely heavy rainfall.
- As per the report received from IMD and Mahavedh system of the State Government, Heavy to extremely Heavy rainfall has been reported during the last 24 hrs in the State.
- Highest rainfall recorded in different districts 1. Mumbai Suburban: 267.9mm; Sindhudurg: 216.5mm; Ratnagiri: 118.3mm; Raigad: 95.60mm; Mumbai City: 83.8 mm; and the average rainfall 24.4 mm.
- As per the CWC (Central water Commission) bulletin, water level rise is expected in Upper Bhima, Ulhas, Vaitarna, Damanganga, Vashisti and other small rivers in districts Satara, Kolhapur, Sindhudurg, Raigad and Thane for next 24 hrs.
- Additionally, two rivers in Sindhudurg, Tarekhol and Karli are flowing over the warning mark but are yet to breach the danger mark.
- A total of six houses have been reported damaged during last 24 hours.

### **GOVERNMENT PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE**

#### Assam:

- The administration has been actively operating 543 camps and relief distribution centers across 25 districts, providing aid to 3,45,500 displaced people.
- Rescue, relief and restoration work is in progress by the Fire & Emergency service, PWD, Police, AAPDA Mitra Volunteers of ASDMA and local administration in flood affected areas.

#### **Uttarakhand:**

- Rescue and relief operation is underway by NDRF, Army, SDRF, Police and local administration for evacuation of remaining persons.
- Schools have been closed till further orders in district Bageshwar.

#### **Uttar Pradesh:**

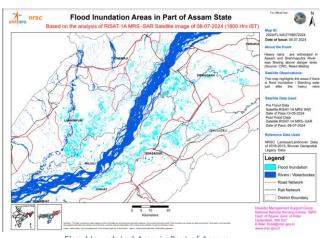
• A total of 95 relief camps have been opened and 150 inmates accommodated in relief camp

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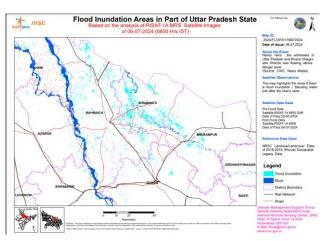
- Rescue, relief and restoration work is in progress as per need by local administration in affected areas.
- Rescue teams of NDRF and SDRF have been deployed for rescue and relief operation in affected areas in the state.

#### Bihar:

• Chief Minister will conduct an aerial survey of the affected areas to assess the situation.



Flood Inundated Area in Part of Assam Source: NDEM



Flood Inundated Area in Part of Uttar Pradesh Source: NDEM



### **HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE**

- Assam state IAG had a meeting on 05<sup>th</sup> July. Their members are collecting data and assessing the situation in district level. They will come up with Joint Rapid Needs Assessment report by this week end
- HAI, with its local members Anchalik Gram Unnayan Parishad and North-East Affected Area Development Society (NEADS), is working to provide ration, hygiene, and shelter kits to the affected communities in Barpeta, Majuli, and Jorhat districts in Assam. They are also providing ration support, drinking water, and first aid kits in Imphal East, West, and Bishnupur districts in Manipur with the support of PRDA.
- Humane Society International/India is assessing the situation in Barpeta, Dhubri, and Darrang districts with the support of JDF
- Bal Raksha Barat is planning to provide relief materials in 06 districts in Assam
- SEEDS India is planning to distribute food, nutrition, water, and create child-friendly spaces in Karimganj district. They are initially focusing on 2,000 families in that area.
- Sphere India is continuously monitoring the situation and coordinating with state IAGs and ground-level organizations to coordinate an effective response. Based on suggestions from the Inter-Agency Coordination Committee, Sphere India activated URS Matrix for a common understanding and facilitate a better coordinate response : <u>http://tiny.cc/URS\_AssamFloods2024</u>

#### For More Details Please check the flowing links



HAI is providing Relief materials in Assam |Source: Twitter



HSI is raising humanitarian aid for animals impacted due to Assam floods

- <u>Situation report regarding Flood/ Heavy rainfall in the country as on 08.07.2024</u> <u>Ministry of Home Affairs</u> <u>Disaster Management Division</u>
- Assam Flood Report as on 08-07-2024 Assam state disaster management authority
- Daily Flood Situation Report cum Advisories \_ Central Water Commission



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