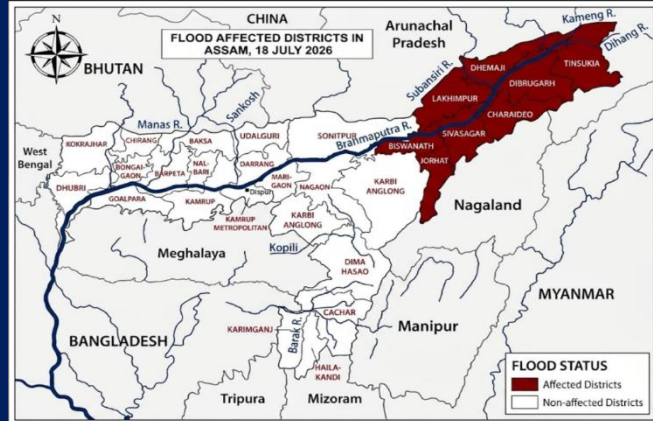




Situation Report 2

Flood Situation in Assam

Date: 18th July 2026



SITUATION UPDATE

A. Situation Overview : Assam Flood

Flood conditions continued across Assam on 18 July 2026, with **7 districts affected**—Biswanath, Dibrugarh, Dhemaji, Sivasagar, Jorhat, Tinsukia, and Lakhimpur. A total of **154 villages** across **14 revenue circles** remain impacted. **21,274 people** are affected, with Dhemaji and Tinsukia reporting the highest numbers. No human deaths or missing persons were reported, and displacement remains limited, with only **2 relief camps** opened in Tinsukia.

Impact on Humans

The flood affected **21,274 people**, including **7,725 men**, **7,312 women**, and **6,237 children**. Tinsukia reported **5,765 affected people**, while Dhemaji recorded **14,981 affected individuals** in Sissiborgaon alone. No casualties or missing persons were reported across all districts.

Animal Husbandry Loss

A total of **7,347 animals** were affected across districts, including **3,884 big animals** and **3,463 small animals**, with Dhemaji reporting the highest livestock impact (6,690 animals). No animals were washed away.

Structural and Property Damages

No houses—fully or partially—were reported damaged across any district on this date. Similarly, no huts or cattle sheds were reported damaged, indicating minimal structural impact on residential assets.

Road and Transport Infrastructure

Road damage increased significantly, with multiple breaches and erosion reported in Dhemaji, Biswanath, and Lakhimpur. Key roads such as **Nigam Baikunthapur PWD Road (Biswanath)** and **multiple PWD roads in Dhemaji** suffered culvert washouts, berm erosion, and carriageway damage. Several stretches of **Brahmaputra Dyke roads** and **Krishnapur-Khajua Patir Road** in Lakhimpur were severely eroded, disrupting connectivity.

Irrigation and Water Supply

No irrigation bund breaches or water supply failures were reported on 18 July, indicating stable conditions in these sectors.

Electricity and Power Supply

No damage to electrical infrastructure was reported across any district.

Statistical Overview



Total Affected Districts: 7



Total Population Affected:
21,272 Approx.



Relief Camp : 2
Relief Distribution Centres : 32



Inmates in Relief Camp:
206 (Male: 42, Female: 38, Children: 125, Pregnant/Lactating Mother: 1, PWD - NIL)

Non-Camp Inmates in Distribution Centres: **5559**
(Male: 812, Female: 972, Children: 3775, Pregnant/Lactating Mother: NIL, PWD - NIL)



Missing Person:
Not reported



Casualties:
Not reported



Houses Damaged:
Not reported



Livestock Affected:
7,347 (Big -3884, Small -3463

Non-Camp Animals Inmates in Distribution Centres: 315 – Big, 342 – Small, Poultry - NIL



Government Response

- The Government of Assam continued coordinated flood response across seven affected districts, operating **32 Relief Distribution Centres** and supporting **206 camp inmates in Tinsukia**. Essential supplies—including rice, dal, salt, mustard oil, mineral water, and cattle feed—were distributed, with Tinsukia leading major relief delivery.
- Medical teams were deployed in Biswanath, and district authorities maintained rescue readiness, though no boat or helicopter evacuations were required.
- **PWD and P&RD departments** carried out urgent road restoration, repairing washed-out culverts, eroded dyke roads, and damaged carriageways in Dhemaji, Biswanath, and Lakhimpur.
- The state maintained close coordination with SDRF, district administrations, and veterinary teams to address livestock losses, particularly in Dhemaji and Tinsukia.
- Continuous monitoring of river levels and close coordination between ASDMA, SDRF, and district administrations to stabilise the situation and prevent further disruption.
- Overall, The government response remained proactive, with continuous relief distribution, infrastructure repair, medical deployment, and surveillance measures aimed at stabilising the situation and preventing secondary impacts.

Humanitarian Response

- Sphere India, in coordination with District IAGs and local organisations in Assam, continues to closely monitor the evolving flood situation and relay alerts to state and national authorities. While the response remains largely manageable at the district level—with administrations leading relief distribution, infrastructure repairs, and evacuations—rising impacts on livelihoods, roads, and vulnerable communities indicate a growing need for sustained, multi-sectoral humanitarian support.
- Local organisations, volunteers, and district IAG networks continued supporting affected families through non camps relief distribution centres. Health teams monitored vulnerable populations, especially in high-impact areas like Dhemaji and Tinsukia. Community groups assisted in disseminating information, supporting livestock owners, and reporting infrastructure damage.
- No protection concerns or camp-based humanitarian issues were reported.

Emerging Needs

- Continued **emergency WASH support**, including safe drinking water and sanitation supplies.
- **Food and nutrition assistance** for isolated families in Dhemaji and Tinsukia.
- **Livestock fodder and veterinary support** in high-impact districts.
- **Road restoration and dyke protection** to ensure connectivity and prevent further erosion.
- **Public health surveillance** to prevent waterborne diseases.
- **NFI support** for vulnerable households in flood-prone pockets.

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Source of Information

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