



Situation Report 1

Heavy rainfall and thunderstorm in Assam and Mizoram

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SITUATION UPDATE AND RESPONSE

Situation

25,483 people have been affected and 14 killed, as the storms have destroyed properties and houses including 15,769 houses affected, as well as uprooted several trees and electric poles.

Source: Storm Report - ASDMA



Situation Updates

(Data of last 24 hours)



States affected - 02



Population affected - 25,483



Human lives lost - 14



Injured - NA



Houses damaged - 15,769



Loss of livestock - NA



Persons evacuated - NA



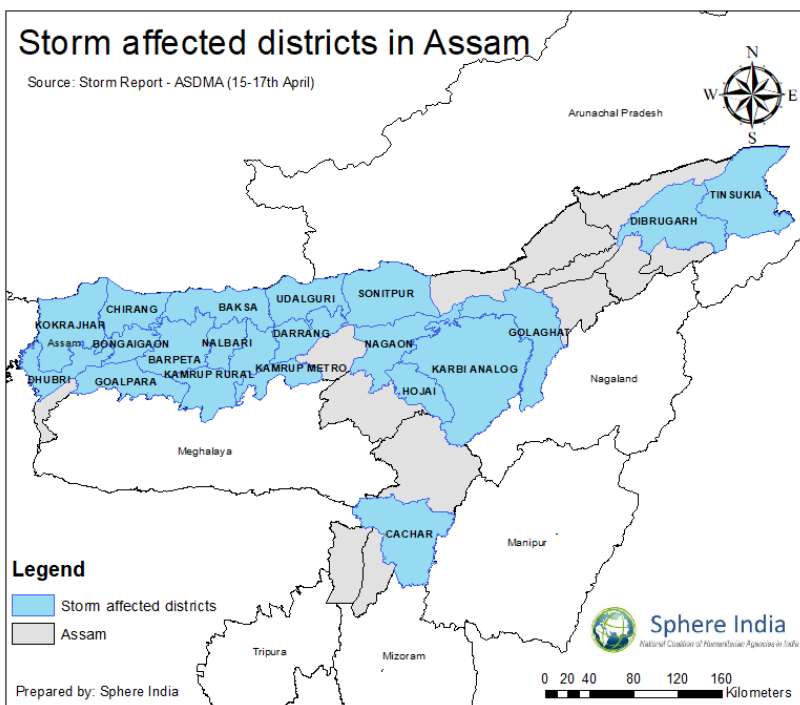
Relief Camps - NA



Crop area affected - 1425.6 Ha

Storm affected districts in Assam

Source: Storm Report - ASDMA (15-17th April)





Humanitarian Response

Government Preparedness and Response

Preparedness

- The IMD had warned about heavy to very heavy rainfall in Arunachal Pradesh, Assam and Meghalaya till April 18.
- On Sunday, IMD predicted widespread rainfall for the next five days.

Situation in Assam

- 8 people died on Friday—4 in Dibrugarh district, 3 in Barpeta and 1 in Goalpara. While the death in Goalpara was due to lightning, seven others in Dibrugarh and Barpeta were due to storm.
- On Saturday, 2 deaths were reported from Baksa, 1 in Dibrugarh and 3 in Tinsukia districts. All the deaths were due to storms. Victims in Baksa and Tinsukia died after trees uprooted by storm fell on them.
- Among the 14 deaths, 2 were children.
- Affected communities are taking refuge in schools and government offices.

Situation in Mizoram

- Over 220 houses have been damaged in Kolasib and Mamit districts of Mizoram.
- The State Government assured support to the affected population.



NGO Preparedness and Response

- IAG Assam is closely monitoring the situation.



Source: Mizozeitgeist



Source of Information:

- Assam SDMA, IMD
- The Indian Express, NDTV, Hindustan Times, Telegraph



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