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Nashratpur, Gaibandha-5700, Bangladesh

Flood Situation Report-03

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Today, the Brahmaputra and Jamuna river systems are in rising trend. Last two days, It is raining and upstream flow of water are greater than before and increased the surface area with inundation. All small-big rivers of north-west part of Bangladesh are full and to continue in rising. Currently water of these big rivers are threatening to cause severe flood. The Brahmaputra, Jamuna, Teesta, Ghagot and Dharla river are likely to continue flowing above danger level in different points.



Water level of major rivers as on (9:00 AM) 12 July, 2017 is mentioned below:

Name of Rivers	Danger Level (m)	Observed Level (m)	Above Danger Level (cm)	Probable to Rise(+)/Fall(-) cm in next 24 hrs	Remarks
Teesta (Dalia, Nilphamari)	52.40	52.60↑	+20	+; but depend on India water	Rising trend
Teesta (Kawnia, Rangpur)	30.00	29.09↑	-91	-36	Rising trend
Teesta (Sunderganj, Gaibandha)	25.31	24.70↑	-61	+13	Rising trend
Dharla (Bridge-Kurigram)	26.50	26.75↑	+25	+07	Rising trend
Bramahputra (Noonkhawa)	27.25	26.80↑	-45	+05	Rising trend
Bramahputra (Chilmari, Kurigram)	24.00	24.32↑	+32	+03	Rising trend
Bramahputra (Fulchari, Gaibandha)	19.82	20.37↑	+55	+07	Rising trend
Jamuna (Bahadurabad, Dewoangonj)	19.50	20.28↑	+78	+01	Rising trend
Ghaghot (New Brodge, Gaibandha Sadar)	21.70	22.13↑	+43	+10	Rising trend
Korotoa (Katakhal, Gaibandha)	20.14	18.03↑	-211	+10	Rising trend



Till today all gates of Indian barrages of different rivers are opened. In that circumstances, all rivers of the Teesta-Brahmaputra basin are flowing above of the DL. FFWC's has forecasted that, all rivers of the Teesta-Brahmaputra basin may likely to continue rising in next 48 hours. A total of 28 unions of Gaibandha district are flooded and 4.8 Lac people are marooned.

Flood affected people of Gaibandha, Kurigram, Nilphamari, Rangpur, Lalmonirhat districts are facing crisis of pure drinking water, dry food and sanitation problem. Fodder and shelter for livestock has become a grave concern. Agriculture croplands in the affected areas are inundated and T-Amon, Seed beds, vegetables, Jute and cultivated fish are damaged.

By this time river erosion has made worsen in char and both side of the Teesta, Dharla and Brahmaputra rivers. Due to river erosion about 900 families are displaced, 42 different educational institutions are closed.

People from inundated families are taking shelter in different raised and safe places. Communication systems of the affected areas are disrupted.

Sumayya, a 1 year 6 months old baby of Abdul Hamid died today downed in flood water at Char Batikamari in Kamarjani union of Gaibandha sadar upazila.

Government's initiatives:

Up to 11 July' 17, district and upazila administrations of Gaibandha have distributed 225 Ton rice, 1.5 Lac TK & 2000 pack dry food to affected people; At Lalmonirhat, district administration has distributed 8 Ton rice, 1 Lac Tk, 1000 packets dry food.

Initiative of GUK:

Staff members & volunteers are closely monitoring the situation and collecting information by visiting affected areas. GUK is also taking initiatives for response.

Recommendation: At this moment it is needed to provide safe drinking water, dry food, WASH facilities and ORS for affected people.



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