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No respite from monsoon misery



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The monsoon woes refuse to die out on Sunday when incessant rains resulted in the swallowing water levels of the Brahmaputra ([/taxonomy/term/2226](#)) and its tributaries. The surging waters ([/taxonomy/term/2337](#)) have been wreaking havoc in 15 districts submerging as ([/taxonomy/term/2291](#)) many as ([/taxonomy/term/2291](#)) 400 villages damaging standing crops spread in about 16,240 hectares.

The current wave of floods in Lakhimpur, Dhemaji, Sonitpur, Goalpara, Golaghat, Jorhat, Sivasagar, Dibrugarh and Morigaon (/taxonomy/term/101) have already affected more than (/taxonomy/term/1690)2 (/taxonomy/term/1690) lakh people across the state (/taxonomy/term/2332). More rains will further compound the problem during the next 24 hours. According to the Assam State (/taxonomy/term/2332) Disaster Management Authority, homes and fields have been submerged by the surging waters (/taxonomy/term/2337) of the Brahmaputra (/taxonomy/term/2226) and its tributaries.



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