



# **Development of National Flood Monitoring System (NFMS<sub>RG</sub>) based on Remote Sensing Techniques.**

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**Today I am presenting the research work here in favor of  
SPARRSO.**

**I am afraid it will be difficult for me to answer all technical  
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## R & D activity for

# Development of National Flood Monitoring System (NFMS<sub>RG</sub>) based on Remote Sensing Techniques.

All information in a single package .....

... is being developed in phases based on it's gradation as shown in the table.

Output	Grade	Information
Flood map showing only gross flood area	G -1	Flood area
Flood map showing perennial and extended flood area	G -1A	
G -1A + Upazila based population affected	G -2	Population
G -2 + Union based population affected	G -2A	
G -2A + District based Aman damage	G -3	Damage
G -3 + Upazila based Aman damage	G -3A	
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G -3Z + Early warning with 3 day lead time	G -4	Early warning
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## **A component research for establishment of NFMS**

### **Generation of Perennial Flood Water Digital Data Layer of Bangladesh Using Optical and Micro-Wave Remote Sensing Datasets.**

#### **General Objective**

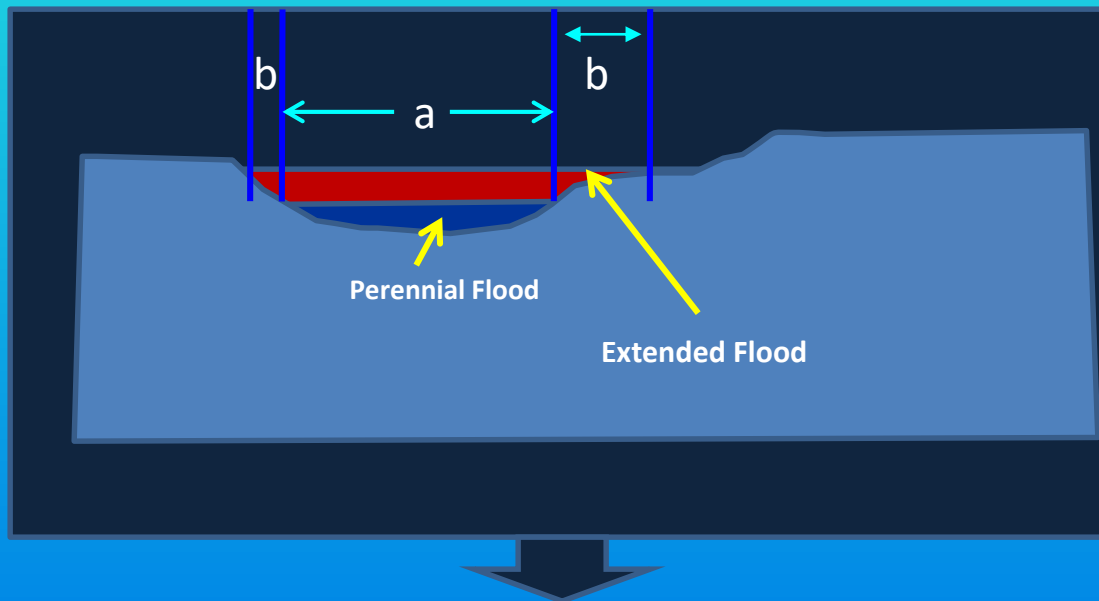
**Improvement of the NFMS from G-1 to G-1A.**

#### **Specific Objectives**

- 1. To identify the perennial flood water areas in Bangladesh.**
- 2. To generate digital data layer of the perennial flood water areas of Bangladesh using remote sensing datasets.**

# Importance of the Research

**Extended flood** affected areas are to be mapped for effective post-flood management



During flood event, remote sensing can give only the gross flood area

**Flood area**

**Gross =**

**Perennial  
+  
Extended**

Needs to generate a perennial flood data layer

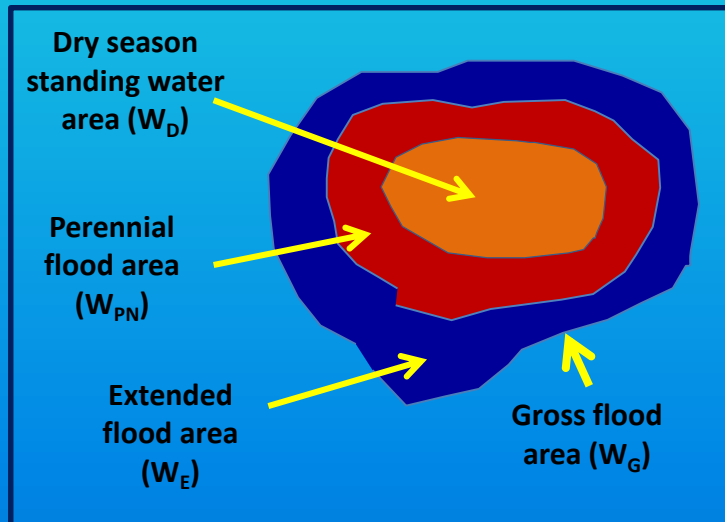
The dataset is the first in its kinds in Bangladesh.

**Research Work .....**

# Consideration for Perennial Flood Layer Generation

## Flood Area Model

(Characterization of the Components of Gross Flood Area)



In terms of area:

$$W_E = W_G - (W_{PN} + W_D)$$

# Identification of Perennial Flood Area

## Definition

Flood area in normal monsoon year

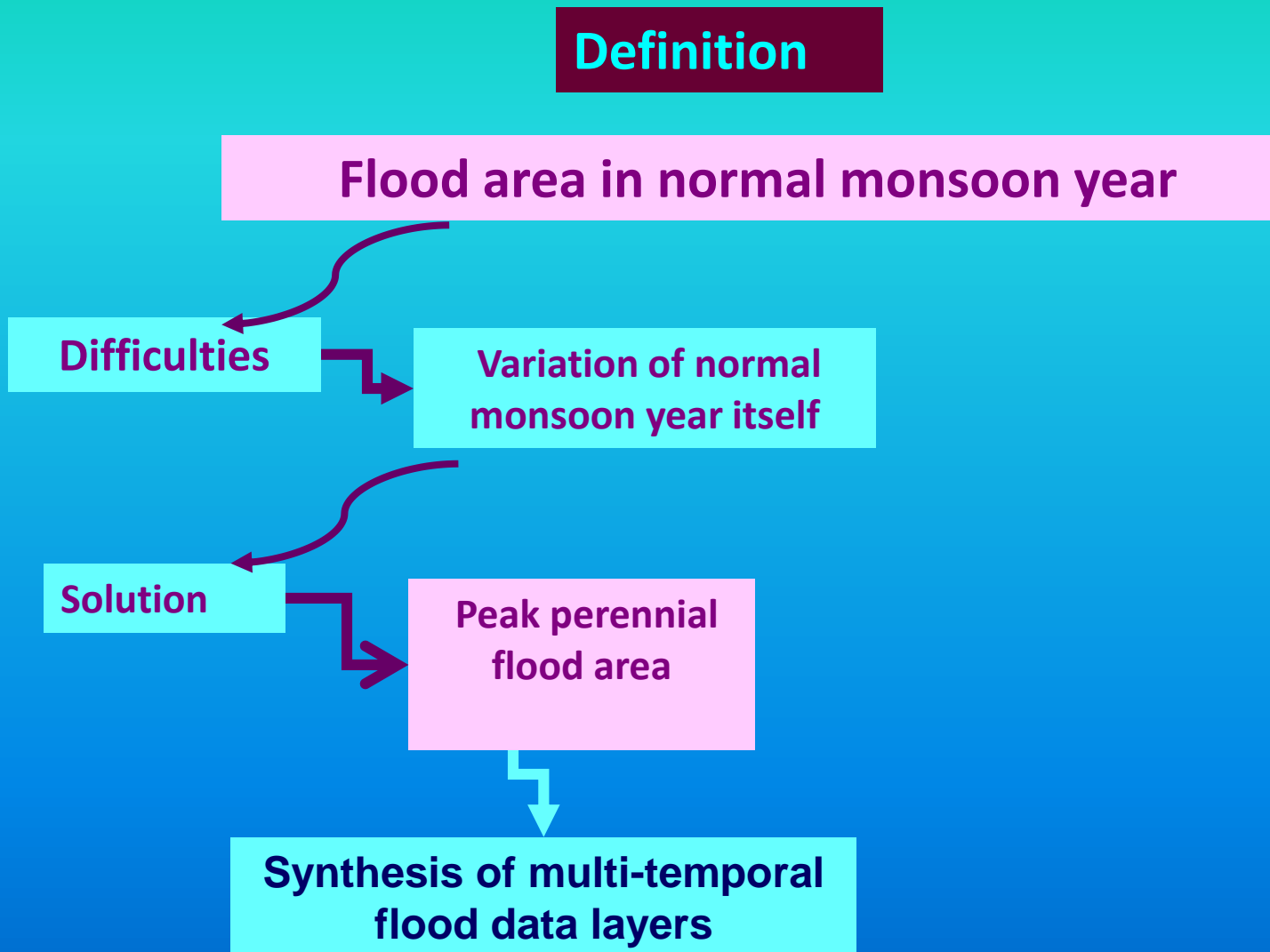
Difficulties

Variation of normal  
monsoon year itself

Solution

Peak perennial  
flood area

Synthesis of multi-temporal  
flood data layers



# Technology for generation of peak perennial flood water data layer

Synthesis of multi-temporal flood data layers

Selection of **multi-temporal** satellite dataset of monsoon period

Generation of Flood data layer

Rainfall analysis for peak flood condition

1. Years
2. Months

Spatial distribution of peak rainfall

## Synthesis:

- ❑ Identification of peak flood condition
- ❑ **Analysis of Affect/Damage**
- ❑ Composition of peak flood condition data layer

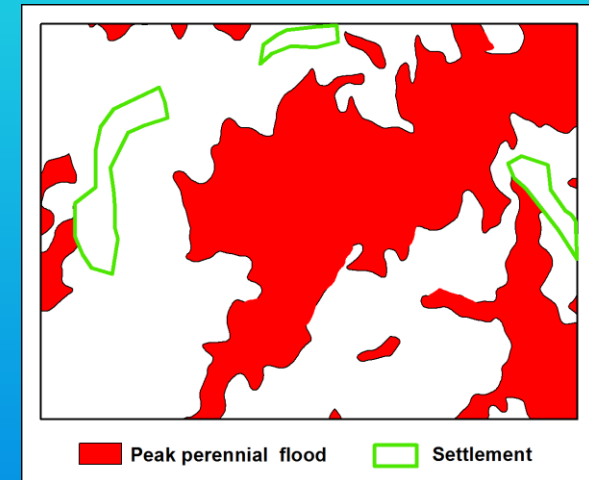
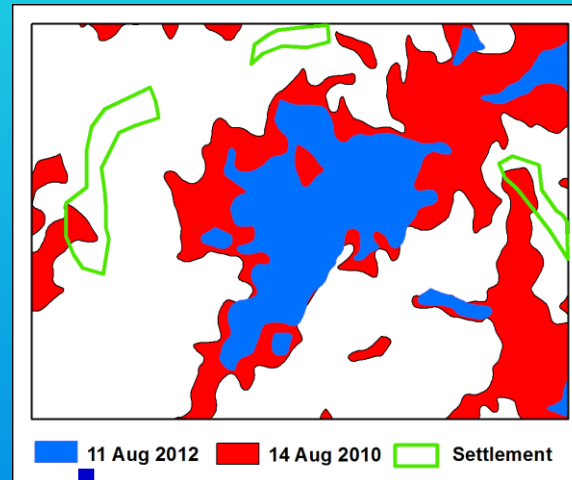
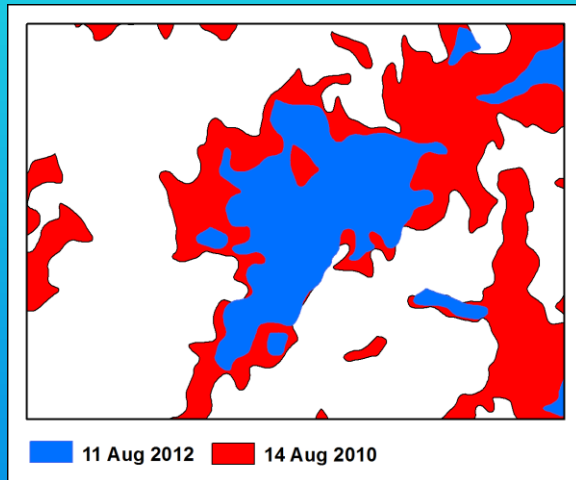
# Technology for generation of peak perennial flood water data layer

## Synthesis:

☐ Identification of peak perennial flood condition

☐ Analysis of Affect/ Damage

☐ Composition of peak flood condition



☐ Flash flood.  
☐ Breaching of embankment.  
☐ Change of drainage condition

# Practical Aspects

## Study Status:

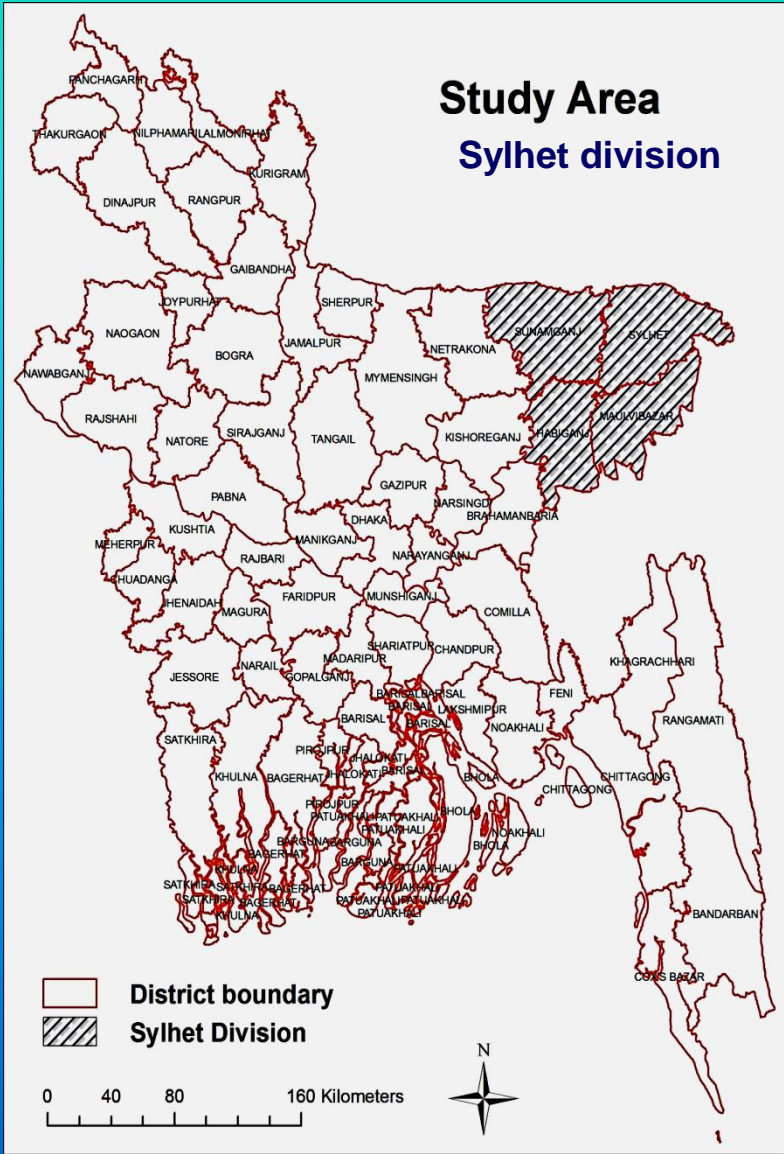
**This is a pilot study to develop methodology.**

## Study Area:

**Sylhet division.**

## Study Year:

**2000 -2012**

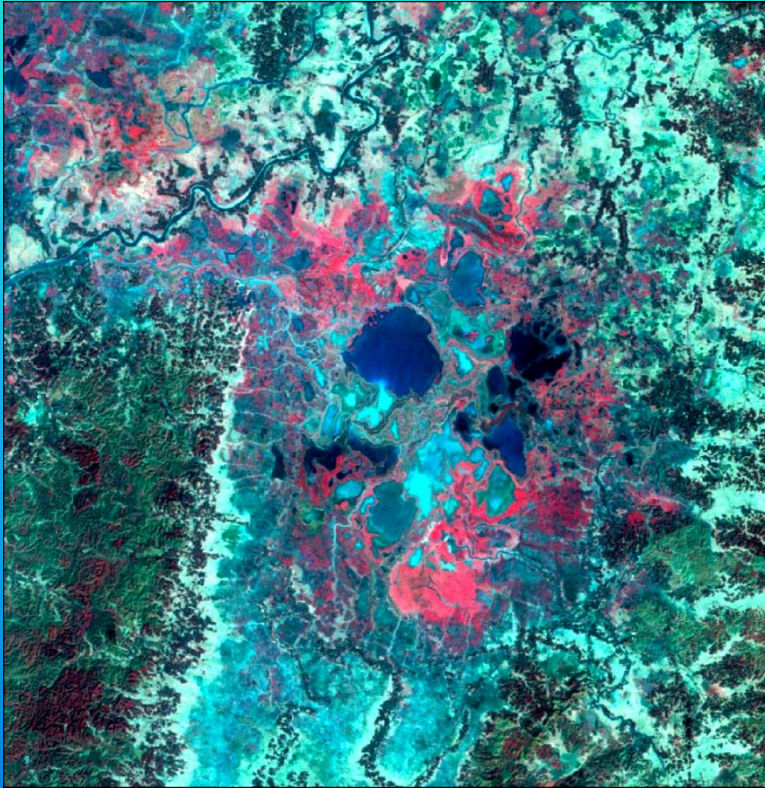


**Area: 12,595.95 Sq km**

**Districts: Sylhet, Sunamganj,  
Maulvi bazar and  
Habiganj.**

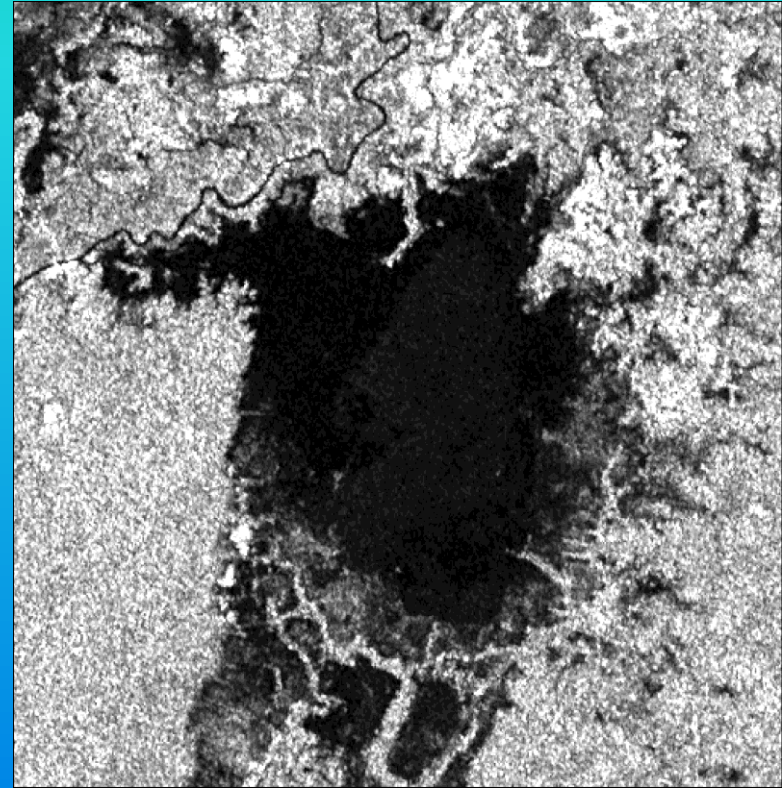
**No. of upazila: 35**

## Data Used



**Dry Season Standing Water:**  
**Landsat TM**

**30 m Resolution**



**Perennial flood water:**

**RADARSAT SCANSAR W, 100m**

**Landsat TM, 30m**

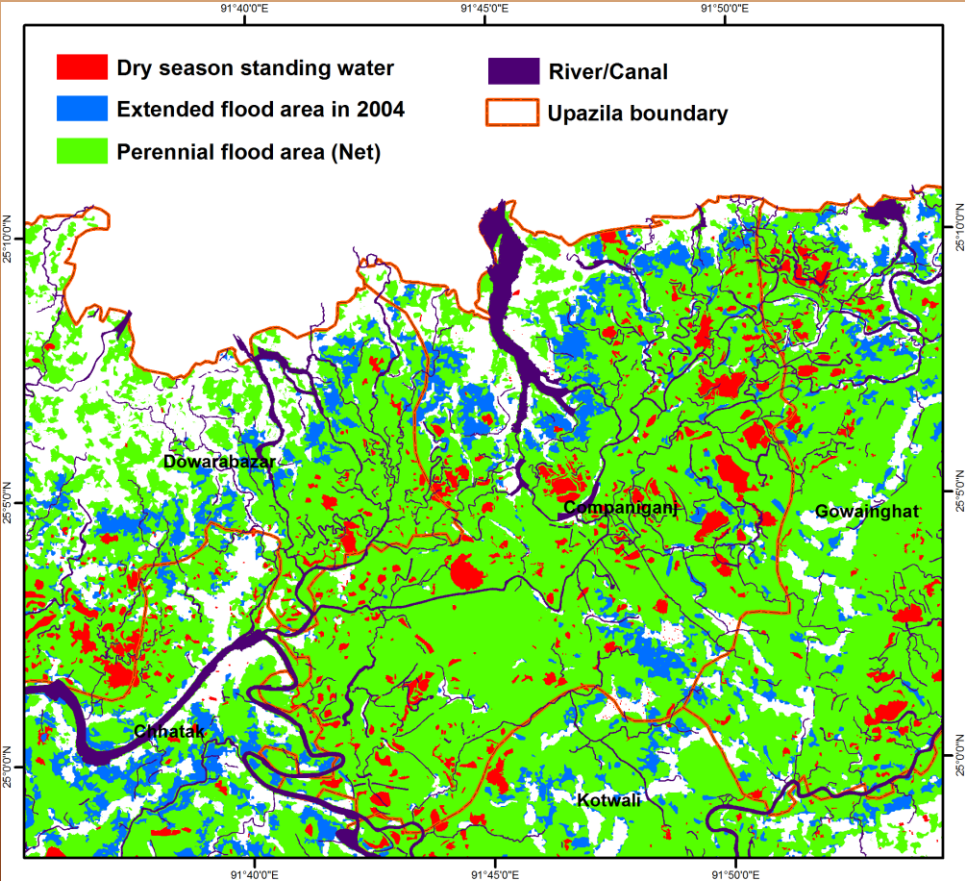
Perennial Flood Water in Sylhet Division				
Class	Area, Ha		% of total area	
	Gross	Net	Gross	Net
Maximum perennial water in July	8,10,416	7,56,659	64	60
Maximum perennial water in August/on-wards	6,77,023	6,38,887	54	50
Minimum perennial water	3,54,917	3,01,160	28	24
Dry season standing water	53,757	-	4	-

Gross Perennial flood water in Sylhet division ranges from  
28-64 % of the total area of the division

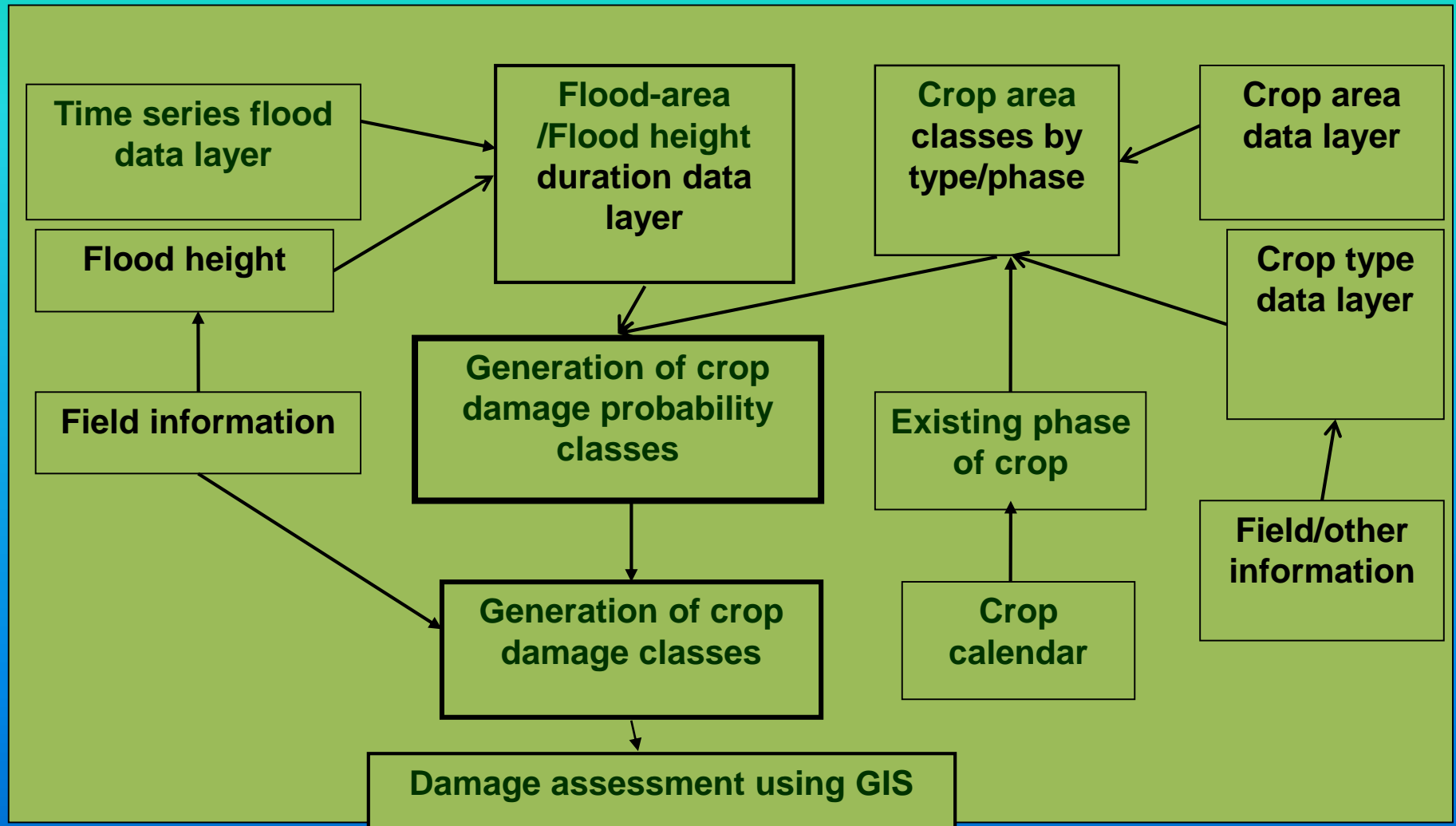
# Extended flood area mapping for 2004 flood

NFMS<sub>RG</sub>: G1-A

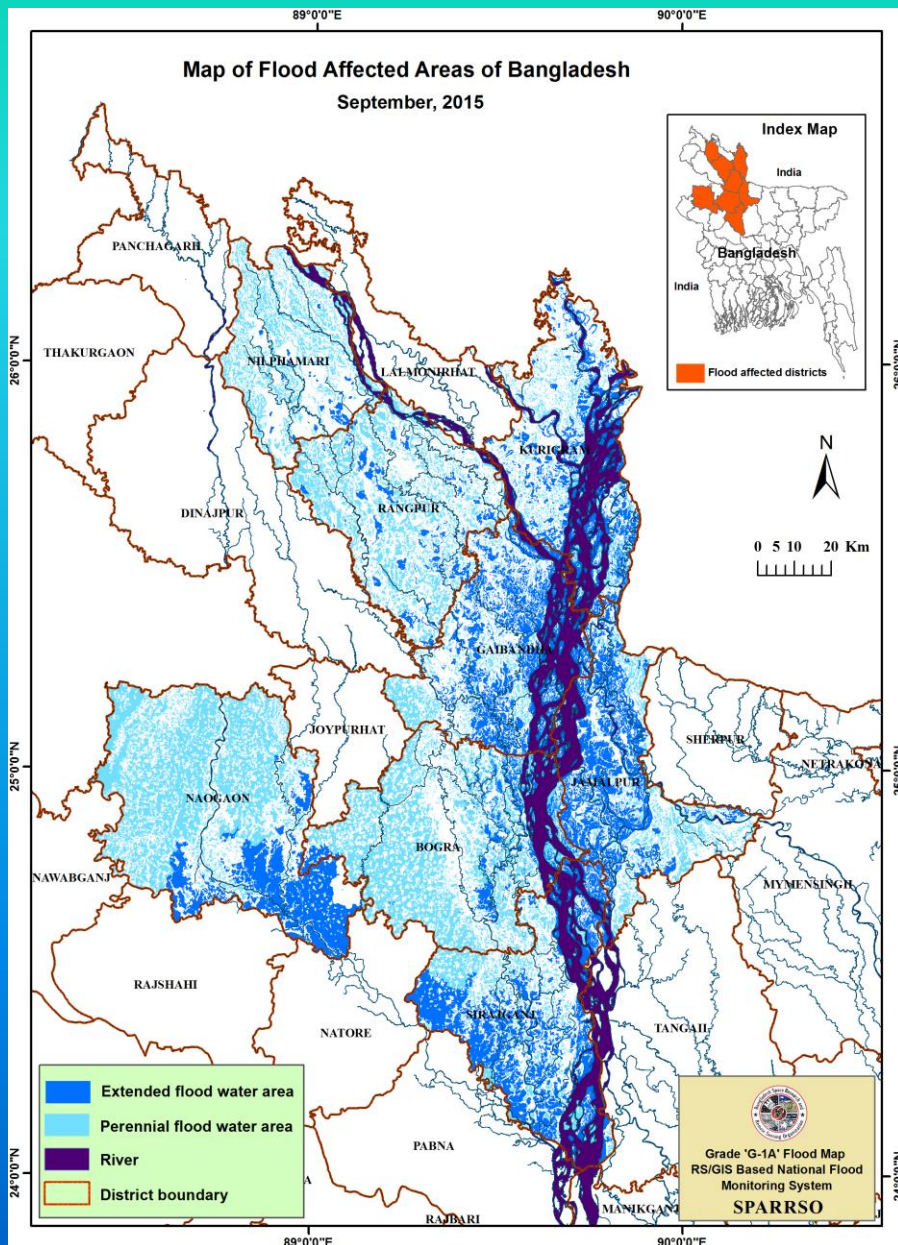
District	Perennial flood area, Hec.	Gross flood area, Hec.	Extended flood area, Hec.
Sylhet	1,80,357	2,28,859	48,502
Sunamganj	2,99,260	3,26,515	27,255
Maulavibazar	67,829	92,404	24,575
Habiganj	1,29,577	1,74,746	45,169



# Conceptual Model of Flood Induced Crop Damage

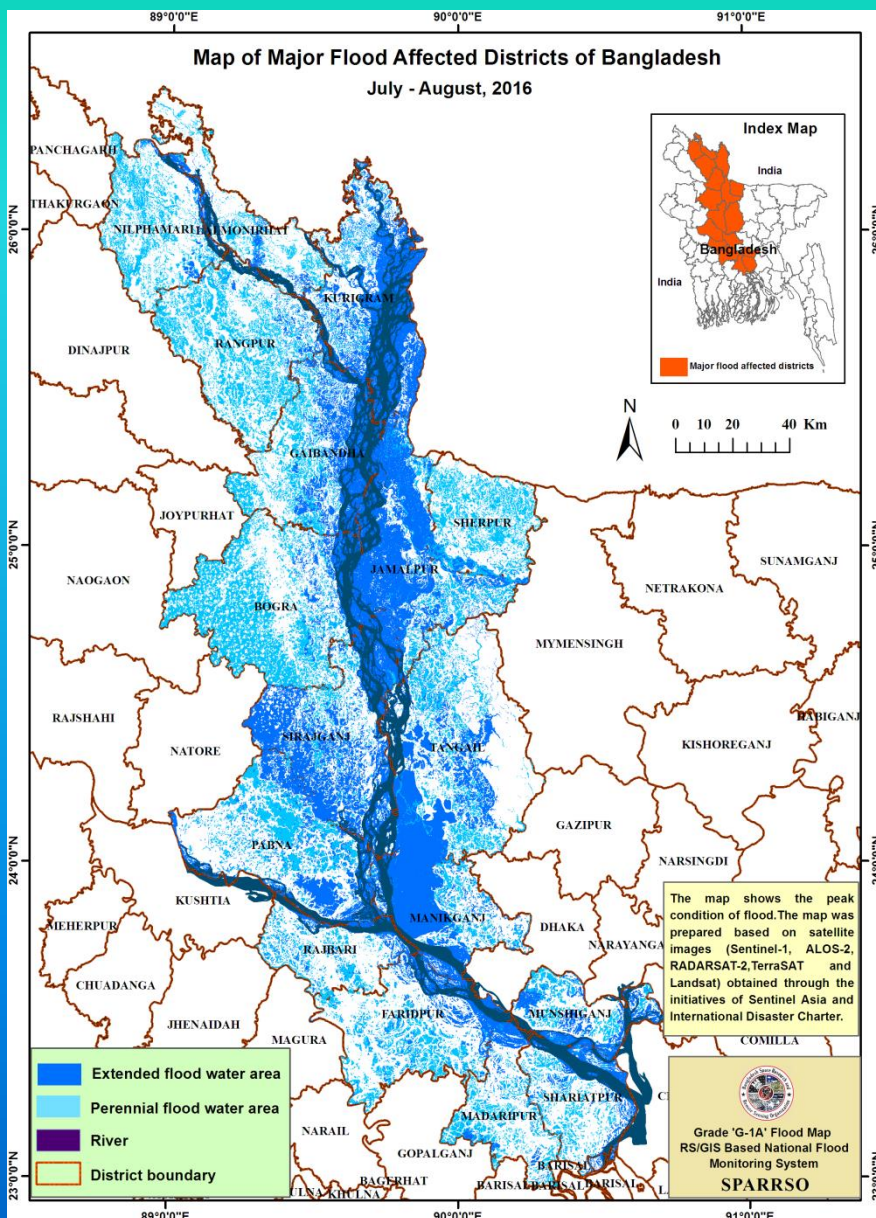


# Application: 2015 Flood



Sl. No.	District	Area of perennial flood, Hec.	Area of extended flood, Hec.	Total Flood affected crop area, Hec.	Net crop area damaged, Hec.
1	Nilphamari	52,693	3,329	2,456	403
2	Rangpur	73,112	15,892	10,748	3,364
3	Kurigram	24,661	50,434	35,397	16,518
4	Gaibandha	25,217	66,979	27,941	23,336
5	Jamalpur	30,141	72,147	10,138	2,964
6	Sirajganj	35,596	85,136	37,166	4,815
7	Bogra	1,19,136	21,947	9,859	6,212
8	Naogaon	1,44,424	62,190	23,212	15,647
	<b>Total</b>	<b>504,980</b>	<b>378,054</b>	<b>1,07,371</b>	<b>73,259</b>

# Application: 2016 Flood



Sl. No.	Districts	Area of perennial flood, Hec.	Area of extended flood, Hec.	Flood affected settlement Area, Hec
1	BOGRA	111896	29071	2806
2	FARIDPUR	39101	31071	5566
3	GAIBANDHA	48680	54530	2838
4	JAMALPUR	27325	110488	14862
5	KURIGRAM	21643	80451	8440
6	LALMONIRHAT	19629	8819	16
7	MADARIPUR	26779	12903	1762
8	MANIKGANJ	15504	59735	12771
9	MUNSHIGANJ	16792	24491	4344
10	NILPHAMARI	47397	8072	1650
11	PABNA	49390	58901	4286
12	RAJBARI	19357	11769	5471
13	RANGPUR	82993	8723	1203
14	SHARIATPUR	19051	19475	2960
15	SHERPUR	48610	8067	2084
16	SIRAJGANJ	15970	117120	8138
17	TANGAIL	47524	90101	15075
Total		6,57,641	7,33,787	94,272



**Thank You**