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### Weekly update on Rainfall Deficit Districts in the country

The number of districts with more than 50% deficit as on 4<sup>th</sup> September, 2013 are given in the Table - 1. The number has come down to 25 from 34 in the previous week (28<sup>th</sup> August, 2013). The list of districts as on 4<sup>th</sup> September is given in Table-1 and a spatial map comparing the weekly change in the rainfall is given in the figure.

Rainfall deficit districts in the country

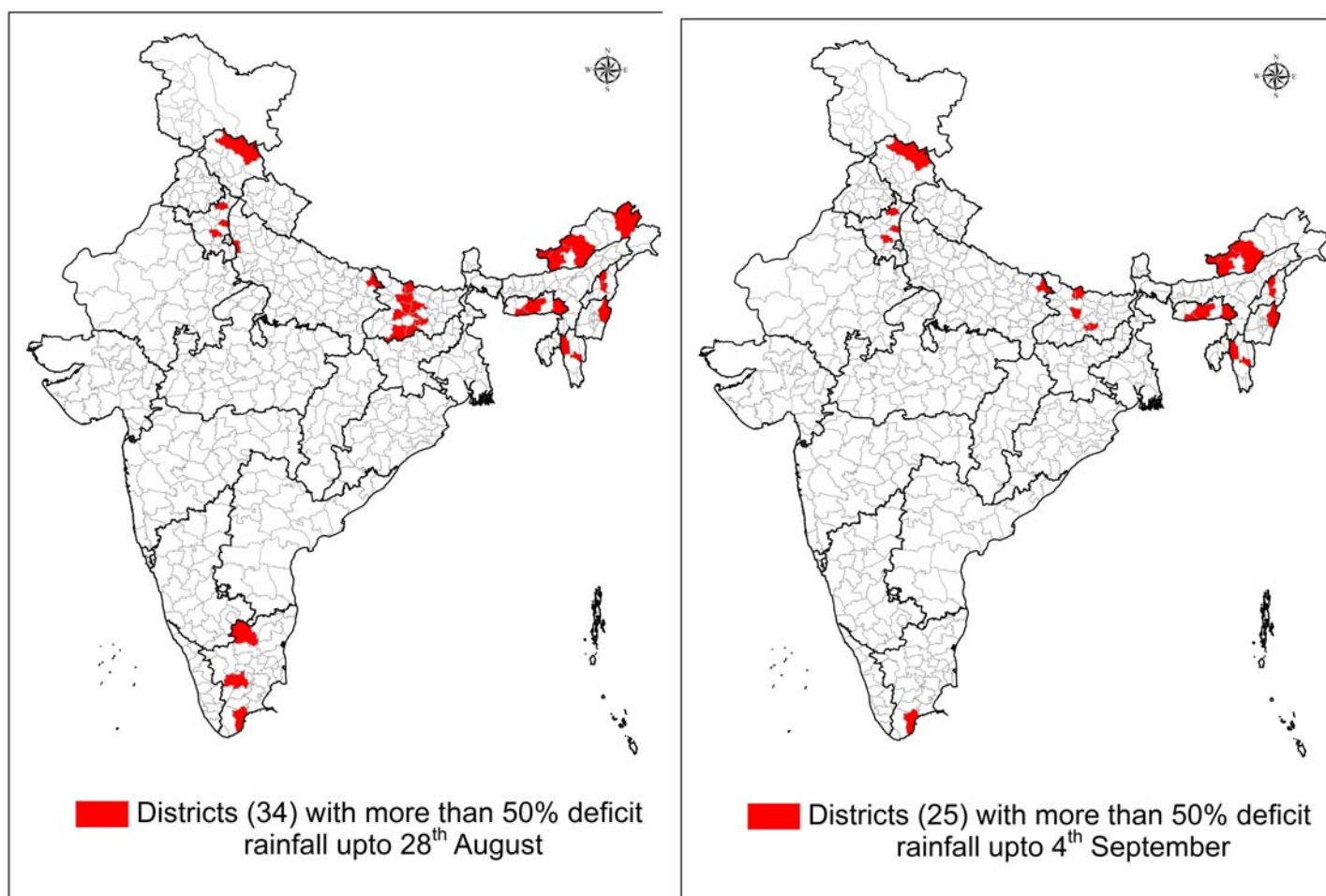


Table 1

**Selected districts showing more than 50% rainfall deficit based on cumulative rainfall  
between 01.June to 04. September 2013**

STATE/DISTRICT (NAME)		ACTUAL (mm)	NORMAL (mm)	% DEP.	Contingency plans submitted
<b>Arunachal Pradesh (3/16)</b>					
Lower Subansiri	1.	166.6	827.7	-80	Not available with CRIDA
Tawang	2.	896.7	2049.9	-56	Not available
West Kameng	3.	957.0	2049.9	-53	Not available
<b>Assam (1/27)</b>					
Baksa	4.	781.9	2027.0	-61	Not available
<b>Meghalaya (3/7)</b>					
West Khasi Hills	5.	302.0	2392.9	-87	Under draft
South Garo Hills	6.	219.0	1389.2	-84	Under draft
Jaintia Hills	7.	1317.0	3968.7	-67	Not available
<b>Nagaland (3/11)</b>					
Mokokchung	8.	337.0	1489.2	-77	Under draft
Zunheboto	9.	331.0	1172.5	-72	Under draft
Kephire	10.	411.8	1172.5	-65	Under draft
<b>Manipur (1/9)</b>					
Ukhrul	11.	222.0	910.5	-76	Under draft
<b>Mizoram (2/9)</b>					
Mamit	12.	443.0	1456.4	-70	Under draft
Serchhip	13.	546.0	1357.8	-60	Not available
<b>Bihar (5/38)</b>					
Sitamarhi	14.	366.3	929.6	-61	Yes
Vaishali	15.	324.6	820.5	-60	Under draft
Lakhisarai	16.	334.0	773.0	-57	Under draft
Sheohar	17.	437.1	929.6	-53	Under draft
Sheikhpura	18.	345.7	700.1	-51	Under draft
<b>Uttar Pradesh (1/71)</b>					
Kushi Nagar	19.	347.3	946.2	-63	Yes
<b>Haryana (3/21)</b>					
Kurukshetra	20.	199.1	486.3	-59	Yes
Rohtak	21.	189.2	454.3	-58	Yes
Panipat	22.	212.1	449.3	-53	Yes
<b>Himachal Pradesh (1/12)</b>					
Lahaul & Spiti	23.	106.8	375.2	-72	Yes
<b>Tamil Nadu &amp; Pondicherry (2/32)</b>					
Toothukudi	24.	7.4	42.0	-82	Yes
Tirupur	25.	23.1	86.4	-73	Yes