

Marginal let up in Kokrajhar flood



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There seems some [let up](#) in the flood situation in Kokrajhar district on Monday where six people died and nearly 1 lakh rendered homeless.

The water [level](#) of the major rivers seems to have shown a receding [trend](#) from the afternoon and if this [trend](#) continues, the flood [waters](#) would recede gradually.

But many relief camps are said to have fallen short of materials to accommodate the affected people who were evacuated to the relief camps'. The [Patgaon](#) relief camp inmates have alleged insufficient relief materials during the last three days.

The authority have set up 39 relief camps to operate in the three-subdivisions in the district for 45,759 inmates. In the recent flood, altogether 168 villages reportedly submerged that affected 1, 24,443 peoples with damaging 24,445 hectares of crops. The flood washed away and damaged seven [roads](#) in the district.

Sufficient medical teams have been deployed in the flood affected areas. The district administration said the flood [victims](#)' family members would get the ex gratia very [soon](#).

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