



**Disaster Management Information Centre  
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**Emergency Title:**

**Cyclonic Storm "SIDR"**

**Emergency Location:**

**Bangladesh**  
20°22'N-26°36'N, 87°48'E-92°41'E,

**Covering Period:**

From: WED-28-NOV-2007:1800  
To: THU-29-NOV-2007:1400

**Transmission Date/Time:**

THU-29-NOV-2007:2030

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**Summary of Cyclone Sidr Response**

Updated official report from MoFDM illustrates that the number of death caused by tropical cyclone 'SIDR' has risen to **3268 affecting 8.5 million** people of **1.9 million** families. These casualties and damages of houses, livestock, crops, educational institutions, roads and embankments have been reported from 1871 unions of 200 upazilas of 30 districts. Most deaths and damages have been attributed to the storm surge.

AFD is working on non-stop basis and carrying the relief goods to the local administrations, communities at the very remote locations by both BAF and US Aircrafts. Today they carried 61456 kg relief items to cyclone affected districts by 11 sorties.

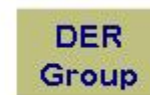
Up to Thursday, November 29, 2007 GoB have allocated approx 507 million BDT from Honorable Chief Advisor's Relief & Welfare Fund and DRR, MoFDM for the Sidr victims. GoB has also allocated 10890 MT GR Rice, distributed 27,000 food bags, 26700 blankets, 16454 tents, 3,348 utensils and 13,000 bundles of CI sheets by the Directorate of Relief and Rehabilitation (DRR).

**Total Death: 3268**  
**People Missed: 872**  
**Family Affected: 1928265**  
**People Affected: 8545470**  
**Houses Damaged: 1449157**  
**Crops Damaged: 2077228 acre**  
**Trees Destroyed: 4065316**

**Actions Taken:**

- A meeting held this morning (November 29, 2007) at Hotel Westin at Gulshan with the Ambassadors of OIC member countries in Bangladesh. The Ambassadors from the following countries attended the meeting: (1) Afghanistan, (2) Brunei Darussalam, (3) Arab Republic of Egypt, (4) Republic of Indonesia, (5) Republic of Iran, (6) Libya, (7) Malaysia, (8) Pakistan, (9) Palestine, (10) Qatar, (11) Saudi Arabia, (12) Turkey, (13) UAE, (14) Kuwait, and (15) Morocco. At the outset of the meeting Mr. Tapan Chowdhury the honorable advisor of MoFDM presented an update on the overall Sidr emergency response and thanked the OIC member countries for their sincere assistance in relief.

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- At the same meeting the secretary Ministry of Food & Disaster Management (MoFDM) demonstrate a detailed presentation on the overall coordination, resource management systems and distribution mechanisms.
- The Dean of Diplomatic corps his Excellency the ambassador of Turkey and Deputy Chief of Mission of KSA expressed their gratitude to the GOB for keeping them posted on the overall situation and their efficient management of resources donated by them. The meeting was ended with vote of thanks to the chair.
- The Ministry of Food and Disaster Management (MoFDM) organized a press conference this afternoon at 04:30 pm to keep all the sectors of media posted on the overall Sidr emergency response; the Secretary himself was present in the conference with the media people.
- Director (Health) Barisal Division has appointed 36 doctors at locally at apparently less affected upazilas. 31 of them have joined.
- Director (Health) Khulna Division has appointed 26 doctors at more affected upazilas transferred from less affected upazilas. All of them have joined.
- 18 Senior Consultants, 09 Pediatrician, 93 interns of Government Medical Colleges, 92 Medical Teams of 26 private Medical Colleges, 40 Medical Teams from 07 Medical Assistant Training Centers, 100 male nurses and 09 Orthopedic Surgeons are functioning at the affected districts.
- One Medical Team at each cyclone affected district consisting of 06 Specialised Doctors (Medicine, Surgery, Gynaecology, Paediatrics, Anasthesia, Orthopedics) are deployed.
- Medical teams at every unions complies with Doctors, Paramedics, Health Assistants and Nurses.
- Total 1193 Government Doctors including Specialized Doctors are serving the affected people.

### Operations by Armed Forces Divisions (AFD)

Till 6 pm today BAF operated 04 helicopters, 01 C-130 and 01 AN-32 sorties. 04 helicopters carried 7266 kg, C-130 carried 7995 kg and AN-32 carried 6888 kg of relief materials to exaggerated areas.

Same day US Army transferred 33,053 kg relief items through 04 sorties by their C-130. US Marine operated 02 sorties by their C-130 aircraft. 01 sortie carried 6254 kg relief items and another carried media people and Defense Attaché to the affected area.

[Source: Armed Forces Division]

**Contribution to Chief Adviser's Relief and Welfare Fund**

If you would like to contribute to the "**Chief Adviser's Relief and Welfare Fund**" you may follow any of the following procedures:

Cash money or Bank cheque:

A. You may directly deposit your monetary contribution (cash money or bank cheque or any other form of banking transaction) directly to the following account:

**Chief Adviser's Relief & Welfare Fund  
Current Account No. 33004093  
Sonali Bank, Prime Minister's Office Branch  
Tejgaon, Dhaka**

B. You may send your crossed cheque (Not cash money) to the fund with a forwarding letter to the following address:

**Principal Secretary  
Chief Adviser's Office  
Tejgaon, Dhaka, Bangladesh  
Attention: Assignment Officer, Chief Adviser's Office**

C. If you would like to hand over your contribution to the honorable Chief Adviser personally, you may send a fax mail with your details (Contact address, phone and fax numbers) to the following faxes: + 880-2-8151700, + 880-2-8111490. This office will contact you for further action in this regard.

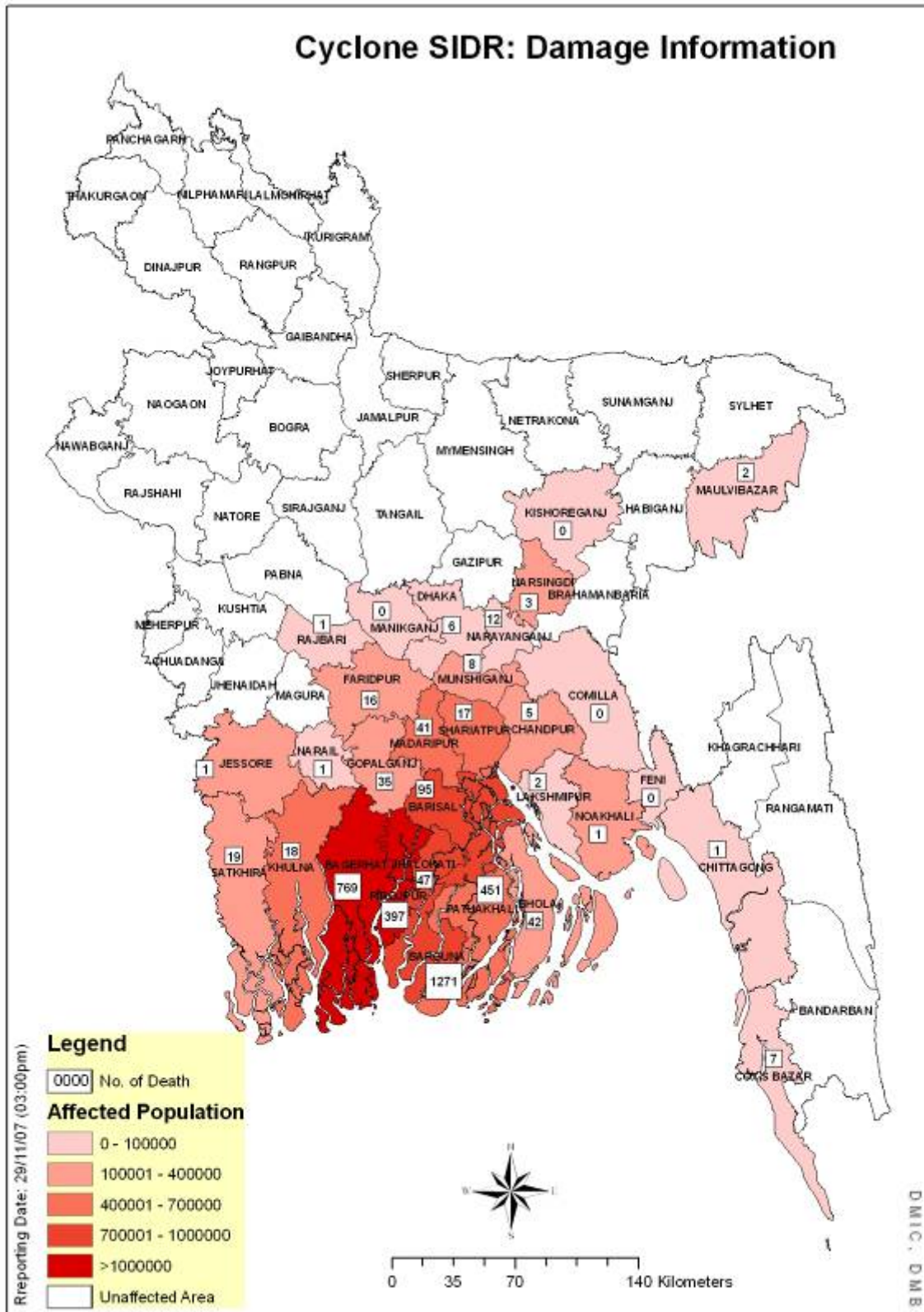
Relief goods:

D. If you are interested to send any other kind of relief for the flood affected people then you may fax with relevant details of the contribution and your contact address to the following fax numbers: + 880-2-8151700, + 880-2-8111490. This office will contact you for further action in this regard.

Other information:

E. If you have any other queries in regard to your contribution to the "Chief Adviser's Relief and Welfare Fund" you may contact the Assignment Officer to the Honorable Chief Adviser in the following phone number: + 880-2-8153082.

SIDR Damage



**Most affected areas by Sidr**

The most affected areas of the Sidr in terms of deaths are Borguna, Bagerhat, Patuakhali and Pirozpur. Other most affected districts are Barisal, Khulna, Satkhira, Jhalokathi, Bhola, Madaripur, Gopalganj, Shariatpur etc.

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**Relief Activities to Cyclone SIDR Victims by DRR**

Sl. No.	District	Allocated								Allocation from Honourable Chief Advisor's Relief and Welfare Fund
		GR Rice MT	GR Cash BDT	House Building Grant BDT	Others					
					Foods (Bag)	Blanket (pcs.)	Tent (pcs.)	Utensils (Carton)	CI Sheets (Bundle)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Patuakhali	1740	3500000	34500000	6500	3230	2676	500	2000	3000000
2	Bagerhat	1450	3967000	31500000	8000	3230	2775	500	2000	3500000
3	Borguna	1800	3250000	31925000	6500	3120	2677	500	1500	3500000
4	Jhalokathi	690	2189000	16000000	6000	1220	200	0	1000	1500000
5	Pirozpur	1535	3820000	31900000	0	2900	2366	500	1500	3000000
6	Satkhira	375	1369000	10500000	0	1000	700	500	500	2000000
7	Barisal	1000	783000	15300000	0	1000	710	500	2000	1500000
8	Bhola	350	1050000	16000000	0	1000	700	0	500	2000000
9	Laxmipur	200	375000	0	0	1000	300	0	0	1000000
10	Khulna	350	1650000	6000000	0	1000	350	348	500	1750000
11	Gopalganj	400	150000	6000000	0	1000	300	0	500	1250000
12	Shariatpur	250	150000	6000000	0	1000	300	0	500	1250000
13	Madaripur	350	150000	6000000	0	1000	300	0	500	1750000
14	Faridpur	100	0	0	0	1000	0	0	0	3000000
15	Munshiganj	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Dhaka	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Cox's Bazar	0	0	0	0	1000	600	0	0	0
18	Chittagong	0	0	0	0	1000	700	0	0	0
19	Chandpur	200	425000	0	0	1000	350	0	0	0
20	Noakhali	0	0	0	0	1000	450	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>10890</b>	<b>22828000</b>	<b>211625000</b>	<b>27000</b>	<b>26700</b>	<b>16454</b>	<b>3348</b>	<b>13000</b>	<b>273000000</b>

[Source: Directorate of Relief and Rehabilitation – DRR; Date: November 29, 2007]

**Contribution/ Response of Different Countries/ Agencies**

**The Government of Switzerland**

The Government of Switzerland has provided an additional US\$ 300,000 for the cyclone-hit people of Bangladesh as an emergency response, bringing the total Swiss Government assistance to US\$ 460,000. This contribution includes one expert from Swiss Government's Humanitarian Aid Division who is expected to arrive in Bangladesh soon to support the relief operation.

The additional US\$ 300,000 would be used to provide food, clothes, and temporary shelter materials to the cyclone affected people in Khulna and Bagerhat districts. The relief materials will be distributed through 2 local NGOs – Rupantar and Asroy.

[Source: Embassy of Switzerland, Dhaka; Date: November 28, 2007]

BRAC

Sl. No.	Name of Region	Name of District	No. of Upazila	No. of Branch Office	No. of Union	Total Distribution (H/H)	Cumulative Distribution (H/H)	Cloth (Pices)	Milk (Ltr)
1	Barisal	Barisal	10	69	101	0	10775	0	0
3	Barisal	Bhola	7	29	62	0	2400	0	0
2	Barisal	Jhalokathi	6	22	32	500	7400	0	0
	<b>Sub-Total</b>		<b>23</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>20575</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
4	Khulna	Bagerhat	9	32	74	2800	34000	15200	2491
5	Khulna	Khulna	9	13	14	0	2500	0	0
	<b>Sub-Total</b>		<b>18</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2800</b>	<b>36500</b>	<b>15200</b>	<b>2491</b>
6	Patuakhali	Barguna	4	33	33	3350	25950	2057	0
7	Patuakhali	Patuakhali	6	32	67	1000	16185	1500	0
8	Patuakhali	Pirojpur	4	25	40	2200	13600	0	0
			<b>14</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>6550</b>	<b>55735</b>	<b>3557</b>	<b>0</b>
9	Faridpur	Gopalganj	6	59	74	0	5000	0	0
10	Faridpur	Madaripur	4	17	37	0	4500	0	0
11	Faridpur	Shariatpur	7	14	57	0	5300	0	0
	<b>Sub-Total</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14800</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	<b>Total</b>		<b>72</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>9850</b>	<b>127610</b>	<b>18757</b>	<b>2491</b>
* Immediate Response							33274	0	0
<b>G.Total</b>							<b>160884</b>	<b>18757</b>	<b>2491</b>

**Food Package:** Rice-10 Kg, Lentil-1 Kg, Biscuit-2 Pkt, Match-2 Box, Cash 200 Tk.

**\* Note:**

A package of 1 kg Chira (Flattened Rice) and 250 gm Gur (Molasses) was distributed among 33,274 households as immediate response after the cyclone during November 16-17, 2007

**Total Distribution**

Flattened Rice	166.63 MT	Molasses	41.65	Rice	1276.1 MT
Potato	88.78 MT	Oil	11.09	Lentil	171.99 MT
Match	255220 Boxes	Salt		Biscuit	25.52 MT

[Source: BRAC; Date: November 28, 2007]

**Health Situation at 09 worst affected Districts**

Division	Name of District	No. of affected Upazilas	No. of affected Unions	Medical			Injury		Diarrhoea		RTI Affected	Skin Disease Affected	Eye Infection Affected	Fever/ Typhoid Affected	Jaundice Affected
				Active Teams	No. of existing Doctors	No. of newly appointed Doctors	Minor	Death	Affected	Death					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Barisal	Barisal	10	85	118	94	44	207	0	105	1	61	53	21	240	0
	Patuakhali	7	68	101	63	41	8250	0	100	0	207	474	117	575	3
	Bhola	7	62	66	56	22	1248	0	130	0	102	86	28	129	0
	Pirozpur	7	51	62	53	21	907	0	365	0	116	247	102	596	2
	Borguna	5	38	54	30	26	393	0	308	0	115	172	42	218	0
	Jhalokathhi	4	32	37	32	31	156	0	91	0	53	35	41	102	0
Khulna	Khulna	5	16	101	120	30	59	1	130	0	54	38	26	128	0
	bagerhat	9	78	117	72	37	838	0	698	0	301	629	172	1271	2
	Satkhira	3	8	34	79	10	6	0	104	0	48	39	30	229	0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>12064</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2031</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1057</b>	<b>1773</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>3488</b>	<b>7</b>

[Source: Department of Health; Date: November 29, 2007]

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### Damage Report due to Cyclone SIDR

Sr No	Name of District	No. of affected upazila	No. of affected union	No. of Affected Family	No. of Affected People	Damaged Crops (Acre)		Damaged Households		No. of death	No. of injured people	No. of missing people	No. of livestock death	Affected Educational Institute		Damaged Road (km)		Damaged Bridge/ Culvert	Damaged Embankment (km)	Damaged Trees
						Full	Partial	Full	Partial					Full	Partial	Full	Partial			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
1	Barisal	10	85	230085	846076		223563	41470	85993	95			962		4388					300000
2	Jhalokathhi	4	34	149202	763211	117308	67908	69685	76108	47	16206		90789	345	1239	495	962	20	62	320000
3	Pirojpur	7	51	192831	1011359	33162	29540	63896	80315	397	1161	512	735411	260	710	383	1259	33	739	750000
4	Borguna	5	38	144696	719350	227403	83202	95412	41850	1271	3275	26	282896	300	587	480		1634	258	1000000
5	Bhola	7	67	28771	147718	22350	148862	15389	20300	42	61	14	7658	665	325	25	87			150000
6	Patuakhali	7	68	252300	611125	60440	254835	53291	132369	451	8500	221	17184	351	1022		838			175000
7	Khulna	9	68	112476	525616	12464	78292	17323	67011	18	173		559	35	462	11	67		43	45170
8	Satkhira	7	70	34683	169287	2858	40770	5293	11482	19	2	1	162		133	50	25		19	35400
9	Bagerhat	9	78	233024	1034319	58215	45137	118899	125333	769	8956		5230	181	1605	60	573		250	20000
10	Gopalgang	5	72	55494	257354	8958	34248	24133	85000	35	20		94492	33	555	46				17000
11	Madaripur	4	58	92300	595000	3330	9460	4991	7509	41	119		30	37	91					30444
12	Shariatpur	6	65	95562	423023	20536	43235	27993	54325	17	1232		159	31	480					776429
13	Faridpur	8	83	38635	154540		75542	1000	37635	16		3	52		34					153300
14	Rajbari	4	42				9359	3789	755	1										2000
15	Dhaka	5					9114	15	0	6	2									9000
16	Narayanganj	4	44	14164	57998	6889	1297	476	5156	12			153		35					2000
17	Munshiganj	6	67	21590	102322	3080	6553	2804	5548	8	18				43		23			8000
18	Narsingdi	6	70	60558	306538		34301	24	5280	3	5		10802		48					160000
19	Chittagong	5	37	3759	15295	1976	4989	603	5181	1		92	4654		9	30	70		34	1200
20	Cox's Bazar	8	43	2004	8555		1276	40	1499	7			3		9		21		30	1500
21	Noakhali	5	88	33740	217300	3125	19625	980	2200	1	35		250				150		8	700
22	Feni	6	23	35	156		263		30											450
23	Laxmipur	5	54	9988	55695		127483	1479	6652	2	1	1	2		133					700
24	Chandpur	8	123	38133	175579		19301	10342	15443	5			70	47	286		40		2	81673
25	Comilla	16	162	14119	70527		30104	806	3412						98					1400
26	Jessore	8	94	55902	223608		2008			1	7	2								350
27	Narail	3	41	8592	35024	7615	21656	3629	6177	1					48					750
28	Moulvibazar	3	8	149	755		80	60	89	2			56							850
29	Kishorganj	13	73	5473	18140		16087	55	2628				765	2	3					12000
30	Manikganj	7	65			6807	42622						5							10000
<b>Total</b>		<b>200</b>	<b>1871</b>	<b>1928265</b>	<b>8545470</b>	<b>596516</b>	<b>1480712</b>	<b>563877</b>	<b>885280</b>	<b>3268</b>	<b>39773</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>1252344</b>	<b>2287</b>	<b>12343</b>	<b>1580</b>	<b>4115</b>	<b>1687</b>	<b>1445</b>	<b>4065316</b>

[Source: Ministry of Food and Disaster Management (MoFDM) Relief Control Cell (RCC); Date: November 29, 2007 compiled at 1500 BST]

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