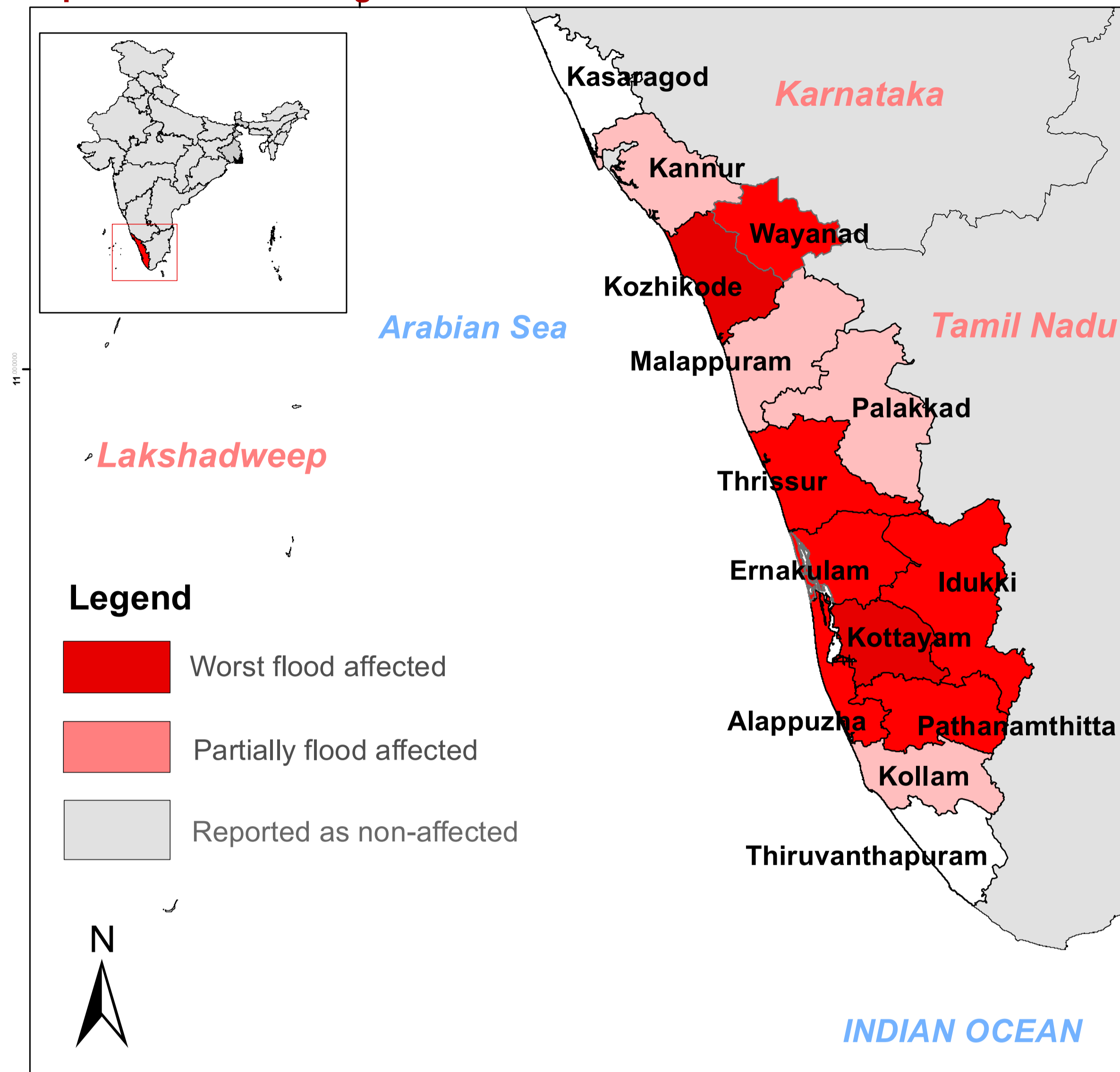


Map of Kerala showing flood affected districts of Kerala



Impact of the Situation



23 Million people affected
504 People lost their lives
POPULATION AFFECTED DUE TO FLOOD AND HEAVY RAIN



3.4 Million people took shelter
in 12300 relief camps
RELIEF CAMPS OPENED & INMATES IN RELIEF CAMPS



Fully- 10319 Partially- Nearly 1 lakh
220,000 people left homeless
HOUSE DAMAGED DUE TO FLOOD TRIGGERED BY RAINS



31,000 Crores
(Approx. 4.2 USD billion)
NEEDED TO REBUILD FLOOD-HIT KERALA

A. Current Situation

The initial response and rescue work is completed in Kerala. The details have been shared with regular update in Sphere India URS matrix. Now Kerala will need about Rs 31,000 crores for recovery and reconstruction following the century's worst floods. The highest amount would be needed for reconstruction of roads and transportation (Rs 10,046 crore), followed by housing (Rs 5,443 crore), agriculture, fisheries and livestock (Rs 4,498 crore), employment and livelihood (Rs 3,896 crore), other infrastructure (Rs 2,446 crore), irrigation (Rs 1,483 crore) and water and sanitation (Rs 1,331 crore) (The News Minute).

International examples and models for building back a better Kerala in 16 sectors have been suggested. Kerala could become the first green state in the country by building on the four pillars of integrated water resources management; eco-sensitive and risk informed approaches to land use and planning; inclusive and people centred

B. Government Response

- Cabinet has decided to increase the compensation for those who lost their house in natural calamities.
- Houses that incurred more than 75% damaged will be considered as totally damaged. Irrespective of the terrain, ₹4 lakhs will be given to those whose houses were totally damaged.

- The compensation rates for partially damaged houses are structured as following: 15% damaged houses - 10,000; 16-29% damaged - 60,000; 30-59% damaged - 1,25,000; 60-74% damaged - 2,50,000.

- As per the revised rates, more than ₹1000 Cr will be spent from CM's Distress Relief Fund for this purpose. A total of 2.43 lakh families will benefit from this action. Facilitation Centres for Owner Driven Reconstruction will be up in all blocks by 15th November 2018.

- Resilient designs are being made with the help of experts within and from outside. Consultation works at Block level and Municipality level will also be held before 15th November 2018. Forms for the same also issued on 5th November and 1100 crore allotment was also made (KSDMA).

C. Humanitarian Response by CBOs/NGOs

- The Multi-Sector Joint Detailed Needs Assessment (MS-JDNA) report on Kerala floods 2018 is out and available at "Sphere India Blog" (10 districts, 9 sectors, 22 national agencies, 18 local partners actively participating in assessment).
- 10 districts IAGs initiated in Wayanad, Palakkad, Mallappuram, Thrissur, Ernakulam, Idukki, Alappuzha, Pathanamthitta, Kottayam and Kozhikode to strengthen districts level coordination.
- 06 district IAG coordinators deployed. Each covering one additional district as secondary responsibility.
- 01 "SRISHTI" - National Seminar on Disaster Resilience & Youth, 02 State IAG Meetings, 28 District meetings and organized.
- Database of 150 CBOs and local NGOs working in 09 districts developed. IAG steering committees with local leadership in convening roles being put in place.
- Workshop on (AAP) Accountability to Affected Populations organized in 05 districts with active participation of district administration.
- 81 humanitarian agencies on URS Matrix reaching out to approx. 271000 Households from more than 2500 villages.

Link: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1AsttRs7uzd6Y7MvxHQ7Q6BYZKAFpuk6HrQUyVkaMen4/edit?usp=sharing>

D. Emerging Needs

- WASH : Hygiene Promotion for Household Water Treatment and Safe Storage
- Health: Psychosocial support
- Recovery for livelihood
- Shelter support

Source Of Information: NERC, media and IAGs WhatsApp

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