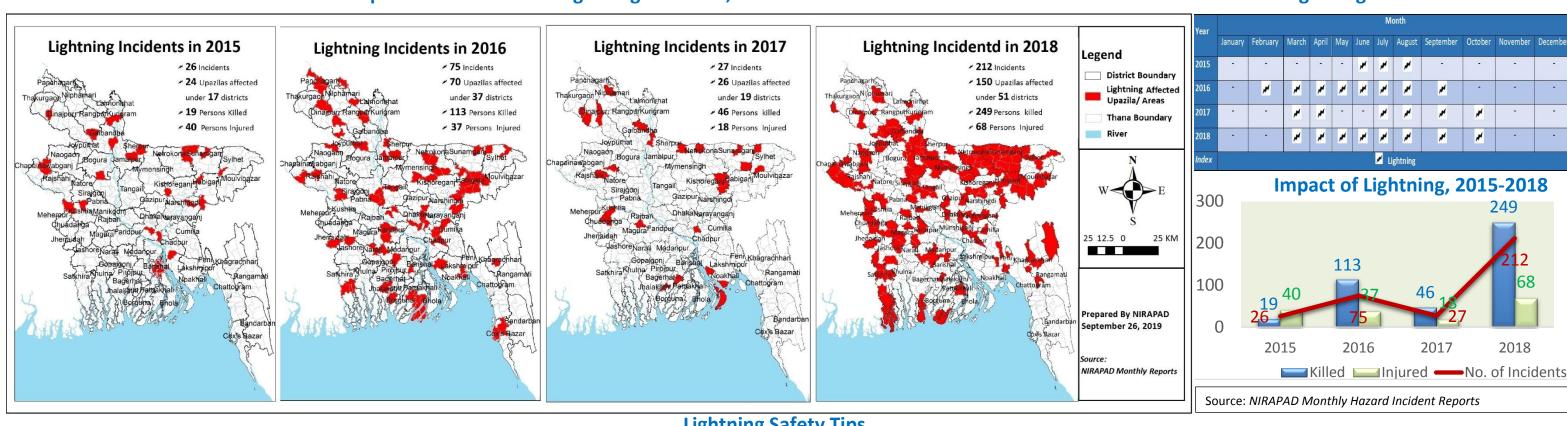


Lightning Incidents in Bangladesh, 2015-2018

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Lightning Incidents Calendar

Spatial Distribution of Lightning Incidents, 2015-2018



Lightning Safety Tips



Use lightning conductor at the building to prevent lightning strike



Keep a close watch on surroundings & remain alert during



Take shelter in building & stay away from tall trees, electric poles, If not possible then stay 4 meter from tree & 45° away



Shut down the windows & stay inside the room



✓ Unplug TV, fridge & other electronic devices



Don't use telephone as telephone line is not safe in lightning



and pipes, stair railings etc.



stay away 50-100 feet from each other



stay barefoot but never use wet leather shoes



plastic made handle



Avoid going to the streets or water-bodies to avoid snapped electric-lines hidden in the logged water



✓ If you are in a car and don't touch the windshields





possible then stay under boat shed



✓ If no shelter found nearby, sit down on the ground keeping weight on toe & put hand in the ear but never lay down on the ground



If anybody gets hurt, try to take him/ her to the hospital as soon as possible



Call emergency



Check vital signs



✓ Lift chin check breathing





Perform CPR



✓ Repeat step 4 to 5 until help arrives

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