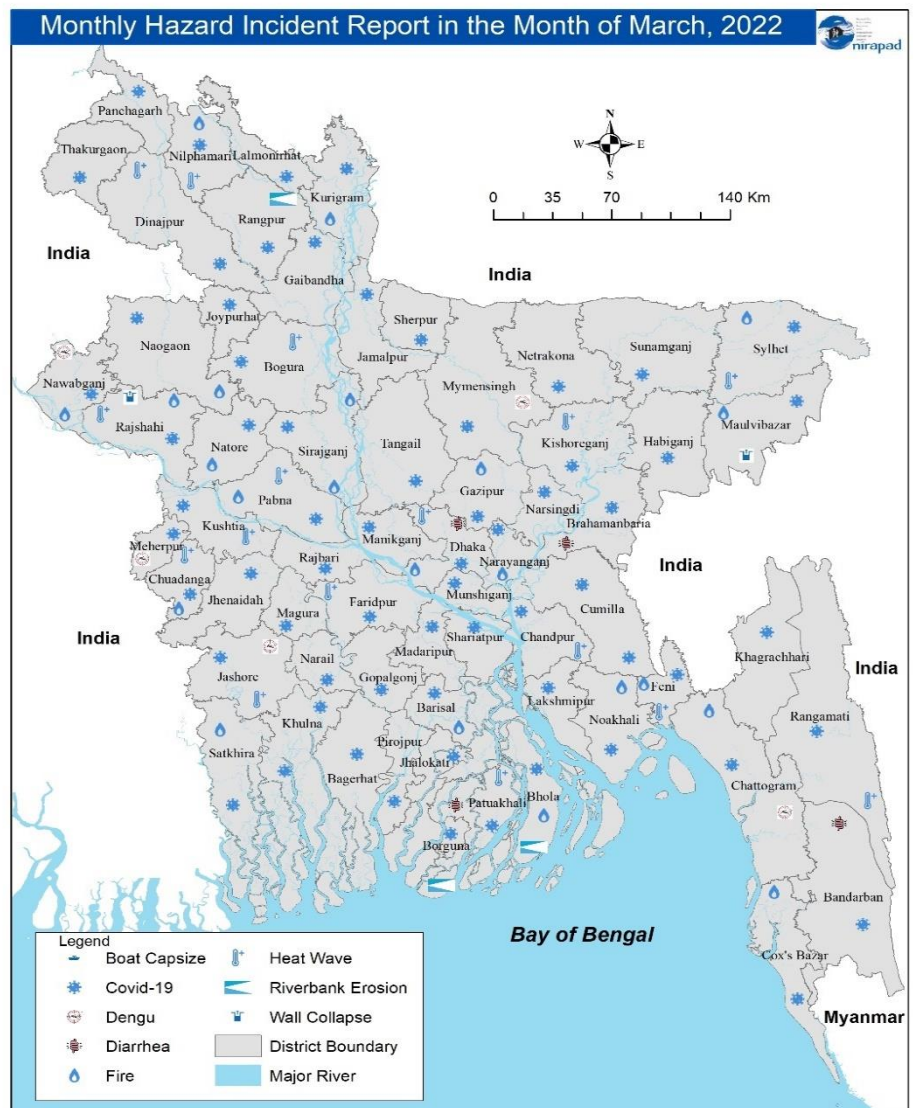




Overview of Hazard Incidences in March 2022

In March 2022, **8** hazards took place across Bangladesh i.e., **Covid-19, Fire, Boat Capsize, Riverbank Erosion, Heat-Wave, Wall Collapse, Dengue, and Diarrhoea**. Among them, the most devastating **Covid 19** affected a total of **8,000** persons across the country. Among these **85** persons died and **66,639** persons recovered according to the national report of **March 2022**. Omicron, a new variant makes a huge negative effect on us. According to [NDRCC](#) reports, A total of **897** **Fire** incidents took place throughout the country, in which **14** people died, and **49** people were injured. **6** **Boat Capsize** incidents took place this month where a total of 15 people died and 5 fishermen were missing while the capsizing of a launch in Narayanganj District at Bandar Upazila is most devastating which sank with 50 people from where only 9 dead bodies were identified. Caused **Riverbank Erosion** is also less than the previous month. Barishal Sadar faced a bad impact for this. **Wall Collapsed** causing of death 4 persons and missing 8 people in March month. 3 **Heat Wave** incident was reported this month while the maximum temperature was recorded at 38.3 degree Celsius on 20th **March 2022** in Rajshahi District. **Diarrhoea** was badly affected in this month all over the country. The impact of **Dengue** is not noticeable in March month. 22 confirmed case was identified in March month.

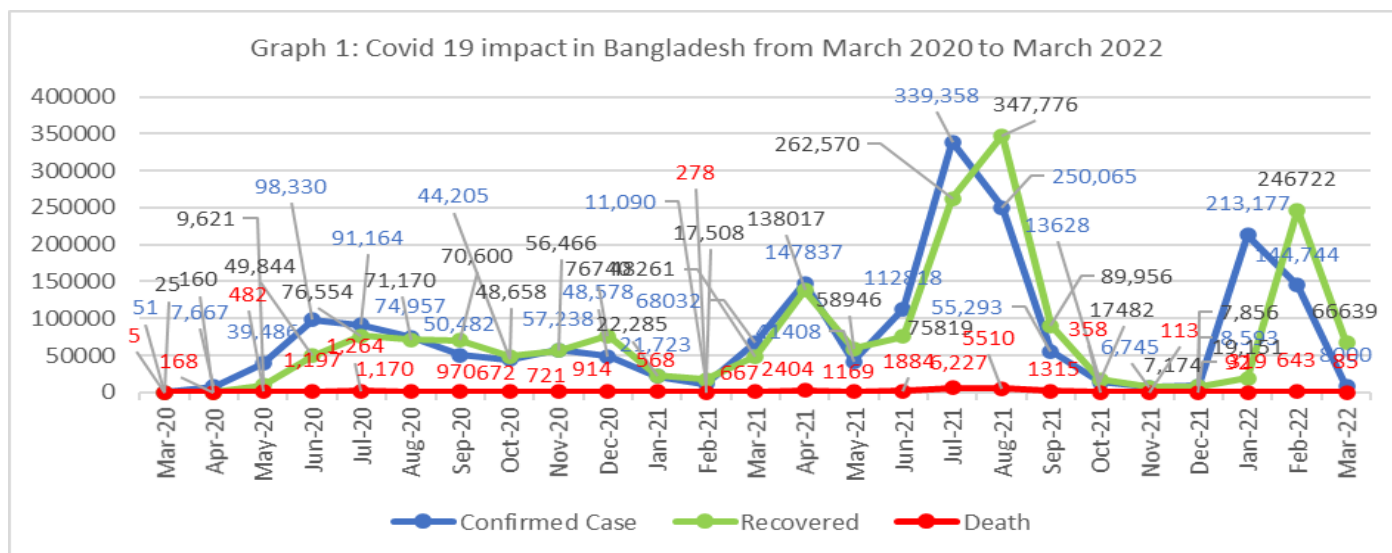


Monthly Hazard Incidence Calendar: March 2022						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		
Index	COVID 19	Riverbank Erosion	Wall Collapse	Boat Capsize	Heat Wave	Fire
	Diarrhoea	Dengue				

Description of Hazard Incidents in March 2022

Covid-19 Pandemic in Bangladesh

The number of newly identified patients with Covid-19 was **8,000** from 1st March to 31st March 2022. In this month **66,639** persons recovered and the total death was **85** which indicates both the number of deaths and the confirmed cases are constant as the previous month. From the very first case identified on March 8, 2020, the total number of Covid-19 patients is **19,54,669** among which **29,195** persons died and **18,86,000** persons recovered from **1,13,93,025** tested samples in total up to March 31st, 2021, according to [WHO](#). See **Annex 1** and **Annex 2** for more details on the month of March.



Boat Capsize

These time, 6 boats capsized events that took place in 3 districts on several dates, all over Bangladesh. Boat capsizes were held on 1st, 7th and 20st March in Kishoreganj and Narayanganj which has some serious impacts such as approximately 7 people died. On 8th and 17th which boat capsized took place in Maheshkhali and Bashkhali was the reason of 2 dead people and missing of 5 people. Total 15 people were died and 5 became missing due to Boat Capsize in March month. For more details, see **Annex 3**

Dengue

Dengue made a negative impact in 6 districts as Nawabganj, Meherpur, Jessore, Mymensingh, Dhaka Mohanagar, and Chittagong. There is just one case in Chittagong, Nawabganj, and Mymensingh. 2 confirmed cases were in Jessore and 5 cases made an impact in Dhaka. [dghs.gov.bd](#). **Annex 4** addressed more details.

Fire

According to the [NDRCC](#) report and different dailies, 1255 fire incidents took place around the country. Dhaka Division

Table 1: Impacts of Fire incidences of March

Division	No. of Incidents	Impacts
Barishal	72	Three betel leaves plot were burnt where estimated loss was 12 lakh tk
Chattogram	236	38 shops burnt, 6 persons injured, slum & learning center burnt, loses 10 lakh taka.
Dhaka	310	1 labor died, 8 labor seriously injured, loses 20 lakh taka.
Khulna	57	7 shops burnt; burnt 2 domestic animals
Mymensingh	95	No impact recorded
Rajshahi	175	Around 1 crore taka loss, 1 woman injured, 26 cows dead.
Rangpur	168	50 houses and many accessories burnt and 15 lakh taka loss
Sylhet	128	1 kilometer forest burnt

reported the highest number of fire incidents (227), followed by Chattogram division (131), Rangpur division (125), Rajshahi division (121), Mymensingh division (102), Barishal division (73), Sylhet (61) and Khulna division (57). Among the **897** incidents 14 people died, 49 people were injured, and 106 shops, several factories, and houses were burnt and damaged. The estimated damage was over around 6 crore taka. See more details in **Annex 5**.

Riverbank Erosion

Riverbank erosion took place back-to-back three days on the 10th, 11th, and of 12th March. One was held in Barishal division in Bhola district at Bhola Sadar Upazila (jagoneews24.com) and the next one was held in Rangpur district at Gangachar Upazila (jagoneews24.com) and the last one was held in Patuakhali District at Galachipa Upazila.

Wall Collapse

There are two wall collapses that took place this month. One was held on 12th March in Rajshahi district Poba Upazila where one-day labor died and 8 became injured (jagoneews24.com) Another boat capsized occurred in Maulavibazar district at Kulaura Upazila on 26th March where 3 children died. (prothomalo.com)

Diarrhoea

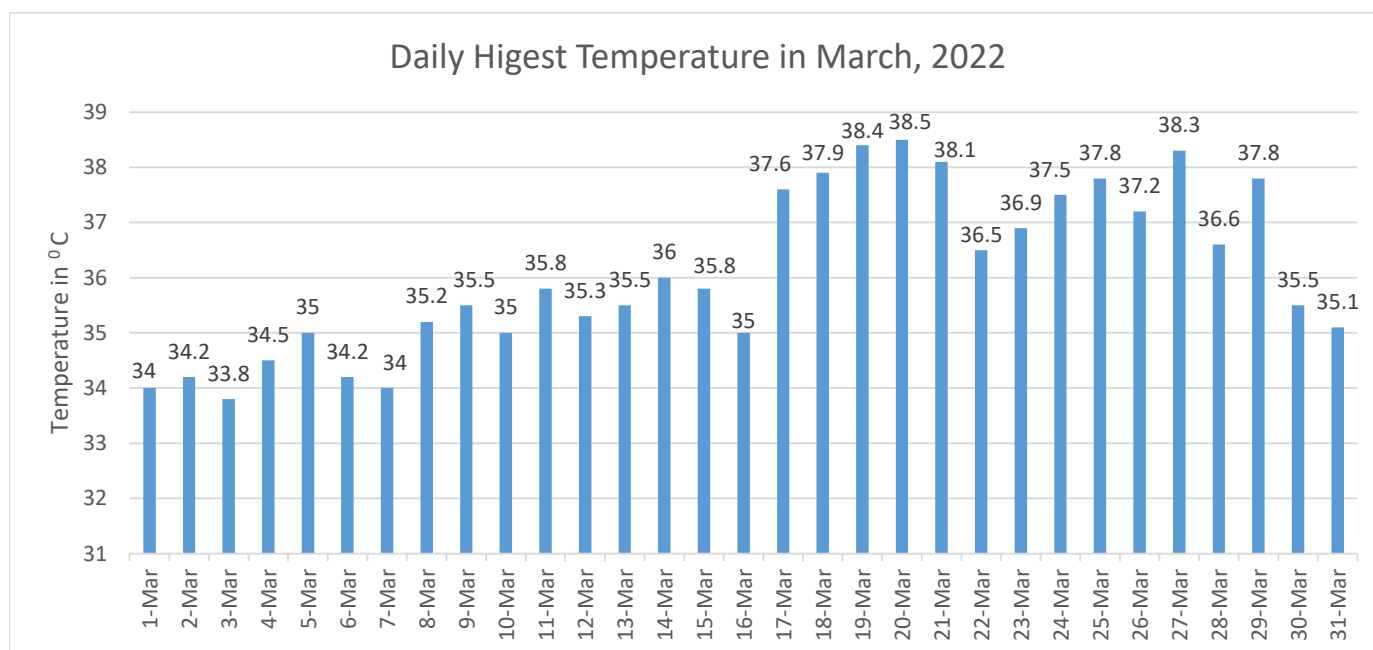
In this summer season, diarrhoea made a big negative impact in our country. 5 districts are facing badly diarrhoea such as Dhaka, Barishal, Chattogram, Cumilla, and Barishal. **Details are in below table:**

Table 2: Impact of Diarrhoea in March Month 2022

Date	Division	District	Upazila	Impact	Sources
15-Mar	Chattogram	Bandarban	Sadar	Diarrhea incident is increasing	jagoneews24.com 15- March 22
26-Mar	Dhaka	Dhaka	Sadar(ICDDR)	1300 Admitted at Hospital	jagoneews24.com 26-March 22
27-Mar	Cumilla	Brahamanbaria	Sadar	Exceed the capacity of hospitals	prothomalo.com 27- March 22
28-Mar	Barishal	Patuakhali	Sadar	Diarrhea incident is increasing	samakal.com 28-March 22
30-Mar	Barishal	Jhalokati	Sadar	Diarrhea incident is increasing	jagoneews24.com 30-March 22

Heat Wave

A heatwave was flown through 4 districts of the country namely Rajshahi, Nilphamari, Kurigram, Sylhet, on March 20th. NDRCC 20 March 2022. The other mild to moderate heat wave was flown through 10 districts such as Pabna, Faridur, Jessore, Khulna, Chandpur, Panchagarh, Bogra, Dinajpur, Feni, Rangamati, Kishoreganj, Jhalokati on March 27th to 30th NDRCC 27 March 2022. One more heatwave flew to 7 districts Panchgarh, Bogra, Dinajpur, Feni, Rangamati,



Kishoreganj, and Jhalokati from 23 to 27 March 2022 NDRCC 23 March 2022. No casualties were recorded due to heatwave in March Month. The maximum temperature was recorded 38.5 degree Celsius on 20th march in Rajshahi District.

GoB Response in March 2022

Response to Covid-19 up to March 31, 2021

The government managed to vaccinate 1st dose of covid-19 vaccines till 31st March 2022, to **126,968,718** people and 2nd dose to **9,66,71,169** (dghs.gov.bd) people starting from January 27, 2021, to December 31, 2021. From April 08, 2021, to 31th March, a total of **1,94,6669** doses of vaccines were administered. As of 27 March 2022, there are 13,195 general beds dedicated to COVID-19 treatment countrywide, 2.1% (278) of which are occupied. There are 1,210 dedicated ICU beds in the country, 6.0% (72) of which are occupied; 60.1% of the dedicated ICU beds are in Dhaka City and 5.3% in Chattogram city; **2,42,525** Oxygen cylinders, **1,550** high flow nasal cannula, **101** central oxygen lines, **2,121** oxygen concentrators are available in the hospitals across the country, reports in dedicated government website for covid-19.

Response to Boat Capsize A total of 225,000 tk, 25000 tk per family, was distributed among 9 demises families who died from the capsizing of a launch on 20 March 2022. [NDRCC, 23 March 2022](#)

Conclusion

A total of **8** hazards took place this month of March 2022 with multiple casualties of life and assets across the country. These incidents caused a huge loss of lives and properties and disrupted daily activities. The government took initiatives to minimize the losses and also undertook necessary steps to provide support to the distressed people.

Annex 1: COVID-19 impacts in Bangladesh in March 2022

Date	Confirmed Case	Recovered	Death	Source
1-March	799	7460	8	Corona.gov.bd & NDRCC
2- March	732	4824	8	
3- March	657	4628	5	
4- March	604	4403	6	
5- March	368	4018	13	
6- March	529	3340	8	
7- March	436	3546	8	
8- March	446	3062	7	
9- March	323	2824	1	
10- March	327	2479	1	
11- March	257	2399	5	
12- March	198	1821	3	
13- March	233	1417	3	
14- March	239	1922	1	
15- March	217	1600	0	
16- March	182	1192	0	
17- March	233	1561	0	
18- March	108	1459	2	
19- March	62	1014	0	
20- March	82	837	3	
21- March	116	1140	0	
22- March	121	1234	0	
23- March	134	921	1	
24- March	92	1114	0	
25- March	102	1268	0	
26- March	65	983	0	
27- March	43	673	0	
28- March	81	993	0	
29-March	69	747	0	
30-March	72	876	2	
31-March	73	884	0	
Total in March 2022	8,000	66,639	85	

Annex 2: Covid-19 impacts in all districts in Bangladesh

Division Name	District Name	Confirm case	Death	Division Name	District Name	Confirm case	Death
Barisal	Barguna	32	0	Khulna	Bagerhat	10	0
Barisal	Barisal	44	3	Khulna	Chuadanga	8	0
Barisal	Bhola	14	0	Khulna	Jessore	42	1
Barisal	Jhalokati	20	1	Khulna	Jhenaidah	15	1
Barisal	Patuakhali	24	0	Khulna	Khulna	24	0
Barisal	Pirojpur	10	1	Khulna	Kushtia	47	2
Chattogram	Bandarban	8	0	Khulna	Magura	4	0
Chattogram	Brahmanbaria	12	0	Khulna	Meherpur	32	1
Chattogram	Chandpur	89	2	Khulna	Narail	12	0
Chattogram	Chattogram	227	1	Khulna	Satkhira	13	1
Chattogram	Comilla	40	2	Mymensingh	Jamalpur	80	2
Chattogram	Cox's Bazar	423	3	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	26	1
Chattogram	Feni	87	0	Mymensingh	Netrakona	11	0
Chattogram	Khagrachhari	13	0	Mymensingh	Sherpur	10	0
Chattogram	Lakshmipur	26	0	Rajshahi	Bogra	40	0
Chattogram	Noakhali	70	2	Rajshahi	Joypurhat	19	2
Chattogram	Rangamati	3	0	Rajshahi	Naogaon	7	1
Dhaka	Dhaka	5144	24	Rajshahi	Natore	62	0
Dhaka	Faridpur	141	1	Rajshahi	Nawabganj	10	0
Dhaka	Gazipur	162	4	Rajshahi	Pabna	79	2
Dhaka	Gopalganj	165	1	Rajshahi	Rajshahi	49	0
Dhaka	Kishoreganj	35	0	Rajshahi	Sirajganj	51	1
Dhaka	Madaripur	18	1	Rangpur	Dinajpur	19	0
Dhaka	Manikganj	30	2	Rangpur	Gaibandha	9	0
Dhaka	Munshiganj	26	5	Rangpur	Kurigram	11	0
Dhaka	Narayanganj	84	7	Rangpur	Lalmonirhat	5	1

Division Name	District Name	Confirm case	Death	Division Name	District Name	Confirm case	Death
Dhaka	Narsingdi	42	2	Rangpur	Nilphamari	7	0
Dhaka	Rajbari	12	0	Rangpur	Panchagarh	4	0
Dhaka	Shariatpur	16	0	Rangpur	Rangpur	24	2
Dhaka	Tangail	63	4	Rangpur	Thakurgaon	10	0
Sylhet	Habiganj	7	0	Sylhet	Sunamganj	5	2
Sylhet	Maulvibazar	7	1	Sylhet	Sylhet	161	2

Annex 3: Boat capsizes impact in March Month

Date	Division	District	Upazila	Impact	Sources
1-Mar	Dhaka	Kishorganj	Pakundia	The dead body of 2 children recovered	jagonews24.com 1- March 22
7-Mar	Dhaka	Narayanganj	Sadar	1 Girl died	jagonews24.com 7- March 22
8-Mar	Chattogram	Chattogram	Bashkhali	5 people are missing	jagonews24.com 8- March 22
17-Mar	Chattogram	Cox's Bazar	Moheshkhal	2 Fisherman died	prothomalo.com 17- March 22
20-Mar	Dhaka	Narayanganj	Bandar	9 deaths body identified	NDRCC 23 March 22
22-Mar	Rajshahi	Shirajganj	Chauhali	1 women died	bdnews24.com 22-March 22

Annex 4: Dengue impacts in Bangladesh

Division Name	District Name	Confirm case	Division Name	District Name	Confirm case	Source
Barisal	Barguna	3	Khulna	Jessore	1	dghs.gov.bd from 01 March to 31 March 2022
Barisal	Patuakhali	1	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	1	
Barisal	Barisal	1	Chattogram	Chattogram	1	
Rangpur	Dinajpur	1	Chattogram	Chattogram	2	
Dhaka	Gazipur	1	Dhaka	Dhaka Mahanagar	10	

Annex 5: Fire incidences in Bangladesh, March 2022

Date	Division	District	Upazila	Impacts	Sources
1-March 22	Sylhet	Sylhet	South Surma	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 1-March 22
2- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Rampura	5 Person injured	bdnews24.com 3-March 22
3- March 22	Chattogram	Chattogram	Bandar	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 4-March 22
4-March 22	Dhaka	Gazipur	Kaliakoir	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 5-March 22
5- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Dakhin Khan	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 5-March 22
6- March 22	Dhaka	Gazipur	Konabari	Burnt Storeroom	bdnews24.com 6-March 22
	Dhaka	Narayanganj	Ruppur	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 6-March 22
	Dhaka	Dhaka	Fulbaria	1 Shop Burnt	bdnews24.com 6-March 22
7- March 22	Chattogram	Chattogram	Bakulia	10 Lakhs loss	bdnews24.com 6-March 22
	Dhaka	Dhaka	Wari	3 persons Injured	bdnews24.com 7-March 22
	Chattogram	Chattogram	Sadar	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 7- March 22
8- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Tejgaon	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 7-March 22
8- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Adabor	20 lakhs loss	jagonews24.com 8-March 22
9- March 22	Chattogram	Chattogram	Patenga	2 Person injured	jagonews24.com 9-March 22
10- March 22	Chattogram	Chattogram	Sadar	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 11-March 22
11- March 22	Chattogram	Cox'sBazar	Ukhia	Slum & learning center burnt	jagonews24.com 12-March 22
	Chattogram	Chattogram	Sadar	25 Shops burnt	jagonews24.com 12-March 22
	Chattogram	Noakhali	Sandwip	3 persons injured	prothomalo.com 11-March 22
12- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Jatrabari	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 12-March 22
	Dhaka	Dhaka	Lalbag	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 12-March 22
	Chattogram	Noakhali	Subarnochar	10 Shops burnt	prothomalo.com 12-March 22
12- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Jatrabari	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 12-March 22
13- March 22	Rajshahi	Shirajganj	Sadar	8 lakhs loss	bdnews24.com 13-March 22
14- March 22	Rangpur	Nilphamari	Sadar	75 Houses burnt	bdnews24.com 14-March 22
	Chattogram	Chattogram	Halishahar	3 shops burnt	bdnews24.com 14-March 22
15- March 22	Rajshahi	Rajshahi	Boalia	No Impacts recorded	prothomalo.com 15-March 22
	Chattogram	Sitakundu	Sitakundu	No Impacts recorded	prothomalo.com 15-March 22
16-March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Badda	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 16-March 22
17-March 22	Rajshahi	Naogaon	Raninagar	1 Women injured	jagonews24.com 17-March 22
	Rajshahi	Natore	Lalpur	4/5 lakhs loss	jagonews24.com 17-March 22
	Dhaka	Narayanganj	Sonargaon	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 17-March 22
	Rajshahi	Chapai Nawabganj	Nachol	26 Cows dead	jagonews24.com 20-March 22

Date	Location			Impacts	Sources
	Division	District	Upazila		
18-March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Bongshal	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 18-March 22
	Barishal	Bhola	Lalmohon	10 lakhs loss	jagonews24.com 18-March 22
19-March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Savar	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 19-March 22
	Sylhet	Maulvibazar	Juri	1 Kilometer Forest Burnt	jagonews24.com 19-March 22
	Rajshahi	Rajshahi	Durgapur	More than half crore loss	jagonews24.com 19-March 22
20- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Mirpur	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 19-March 22
21- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Mirpur	No Impacts recorded	prothomalo.com 20-March 22
21- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Mirpur	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 21-March 22
22- March 22	Khulna	Satkhira	Ashashuni	7 shops burnt	prothomalo.com 22-March 22
23- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Badda	4 persons injured	prothomalo.com 23-March 22
24- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Lalmatia	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 24-March 22
25- March 22	Chattagram	Feni	Sadar	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 25- March 22
	Barishal	Barishal	Muladi	Loss 12 lakh	jagonews24.com 25-March 22
	Khulna	Chuadanga	Damurhuda	Burnt 2 domestic animals	jagonews24.com 25-March 22
	Rangpur	Kurigram	Sadar	Loss 15 lakhs	jagonews24.com 25-March 22
26- March 22	Rajshahi	Sirajganj	Sadar	More than 1 crore loss	jagonews24.com 25-March 22
	Rajshahi	Pabna	Iswardi	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 26-March 22
	Dhaka	Dhaka	Sadarghat	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 26-March 22
27- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Postogola	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 26-March 22
	Dhaka	Dhaka	Sadarghat	No Impacts recorded	jagonews24.com 27- March 22
	Cumilla	Cumilla	Sadar	1 person injured	bdnews24.com 27-March 22
28- March 22	Dhaka	Dhaka	Lalmatia	5 persons injured	bdnews24.com 27-March 22
	Dhaka	Dhaka	Islampur	No Impacts recorded	bdnews24.com 28-March 22
28- March 22	Dhaka	Narayanganj	Sadar	1 labour died	prothomalo.com 28-March 22
29-March 22	Rajshahi	Natore	Boraigram	No Impacts recorded	prothomalo.com 29- March 22
30- March 22	Dhaka	Narayanganj	Rupganj	8 labour seriously injured	prothomalo.com 30-March 22
31- March 22	Rangpur	Nilphamari	Kishorganj	28 houses burnt	bangla.bdnews24.com 31-March22