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Special Bulletin on Rainfall Deficit Districts in the country

The number of districts with more than 50% deficit as on 12th September, 2012 are given in the Table - 1. The number has come down to 51 from 55 in the previous week (5th September, 2012). The list of districts as on 12th September is given in Table-1 and a spatial map comparing the weekly change in the rainfall is given in the figure.

Table 1

**Selected districts showing more than 50% rainfall deficit based on cumulative rainfall
between 01.June to 12.September 2012**

STATE		DISTRICT NAME	ACTUAL (mm)	NORMAL (mm)	DEFICIT %	Contingency plans submitted
ASSAM (/27)	1.	DARRANG	519.0	1128.9	-54	Draft being finalized
BIHAR (7/38)	2.	BUXAR	156.6	771.2	-80	No
	3.	SAHARSA	402.0	1245.0	-68	Yes
	4.	SAMASTIPUR	370.2	876.9	-58	Yes
	5.	PURNEA	490.8	1140.8	-57	No
	6.	JAMUI	377.8	819.4	-54	Yes
	7.	BANKA	361.7	731.8	-51	No
	8.	LAKHISARAI	409.7	839.9	-51	No
GUJARAT (1/26)	9.	PORBANDAR	183.1	632.2	-71	Yes
HARYANA (8/21)	10.	KURUKSHETRA	135.4	515.2	-74	Yes
	11.	KAITHAL	131.3	350.0	-62	Yes
	12.	FARIDABAD	215.4	555.5	-61	Yes
	13.	PANIPAT	207.4	481.9	-57	Yes
	14.	FATEHABAD	114.4	258.0	-56	Yes
	15.	ROHTAK	217.6	483.9	-55	Yes
	16.	JHAJJAR	191.7	393.4	-51	Yes
	17.	MEWAT	228.9	466.9	-51	No
HIMACHAL PRADESH (3/12)	18.	Lahaul & Spiti	66.6	401.1	-83	No
	19.	Chamba	508.3	1306.9	-61	Draft being finalized
	20.	Kinnaur	102.1	223.0	-54	No

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JAMMU & KASHMIR (3/22)	21.	KARGIL	5.6	47.5	-88	Yes
	22.	SHOPIAN	43.0	243.8	-82	Yes
	23.	LADAKH (LEH)	11.9	35.7	-67	Yes
MAHARASHTRA (1/35)	24.	JALNA	246.8	524.4	-53	Yes
PUNJAB (15/18)	25.	FATEHGARH SAHIB	40.6	487.6	-92	Yes
	26.	FEROZEPUR	31.2	323.8	-90	Yes
	27.	MOGA	40.3	327.3	-88	Yes
	28.	TARN TARAN	54.2	310.7	-83	Yes
	29.	MUKTSAR	54.1	292.7	-82	Yes
	30.	MANSA	63.8	296.5	-78	Yes
	31.	NAWANSHAHAR	210.9	715.6	-71	Yes
	32.	HOSHIARPUR	229.6	654.6	-65	Yes
	33.	SANGRUR	137.4	394.6	-65	Yes
	34.	FARIDKOT	109.0	300.0	-64	Yes
	35.	SAS NAGAR MOHALI	223.8	590.3	-62	Yes
	36.	JALANDHAR	207.6	504.3	-59	Yes
	37.	LUDHIANA	207.0	483.8	-57	Yes
	38.	BARNALA	146.7	314.7	-53	Yes
	39.	AMRITSAR	236.7	497.0	-52	Yes
TAMIL NADU (5/32)	40.	TOOTHUKUDI	0.4	49.8	-99	Yes
	41.	TIRUNELVELI	36.5	111.5	-67	Yes
	42.	MADURAI	103.7	251.1	-59	Yes
	43.	KARUR	57.9	138.9	-58	Yes
	44.	VIRUDHUNAGAR	59.6	133.0	-55	Yes
UTTAR PRADESH (6/71)	45.	MAHARAJGANJ	300.4	1078.8	-72	Yes
	46.	KUSHI NAGAR	332.8	1007.1	-67	Draft being finalized
	47.	RAMPUR	302.9	832.4	-64	Yes
	48.	MAU	339.1	881.4	-62	No
	49.	MEERUT	274.3	705.2	-61	No
	50.	FARRUKHABAD	299.1	678.1	-56	No
	51.	CHANDAULI	379.4	772.7	-51	Draft being finalized

