



**Updated special agro-meteorological advisories on rainfall & flash flood**  
**(for haor areas):**

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According to the Flood Forecast and Warning Center (FFWC) of Bangladesh Water Development Board (BWDB), there is a chance of light to moderate rainfall is likely in the northern and northeastern haor areas of Bangladesh (Sylhet, Sunamganj, Habiganj, Moulvibazar, Kishoreganj, Brahmanbaria and Netrokona) from April 25 to April 30. **So, there is no chance of a flash flood in Haor areas this month.** With the approval of the Director General, Department of Agricultural Extension (DAE), the following advisories have been provided to protect standing crops from the harmful effects of natural calamities in the haor areas:

- To protect from the damage of kalbaishakhi storm, hailstorm and other natural calamities, harvest and thresh as soon as 80% of the grains of boro paddy are matured. Harvest other matured crops at the earliest.
- Make suitable arrangements so that excess water can be drained out of the crop fields, if any.
- Apply fertilizer and pesticides after rainfall, if required.
- Provide mechanical support to the standing banana and other horticultural crops and also stacking of vegetables to protect from kalbaishakhi storm.



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