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(कोल इण्डिया लिमिटेड का एक अंग)
ऐक मिनीरतन कम्पनी
क्षेत्र संख्या– 3

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Ref. No.- BCCL/GM/Ar. III//2021/ 512 **Dated:** 17.05.2021

To
The Director
Ministry of Environment, Forest& CC
Regional Office (ECZ), Bungalow No.-2
Shyamali Colony, Ranchi- 834002

Sub: Six monthly reports on implementation of Environmental measures for the period from Oct' 2020 to March'2021 in respect of Cluster –III groups of mines.

Ref: - EC Letter No. J – 11015/213/2010- IA. II (M), Dated 06.02.2013

Dear Sir,

Kindly find enclosed herewith the six monthly report on implementation of Environmental measures for the period from **Oct' 2020 to March'2021** in respect of Cluster –III groups of mines, BCCL.

Hope you will find the same in order.

With Regards,

17/05/2021

General Manager
Govindpur Area

Encl: as above

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1. The Director, IA monitoring cell
Paryavaran Bhawan CGO Complex, New Delhi-110003
2. Regional office, JSPCB, Housing colony, Dhanbad
3. HoD (Env.) BCCL Koyla Bhawan, Dhanbad.
4. Nodal Officer (Env.) Govindpur Area.

COMPLIANCE OF EC CONDITIONS: - CLUSTER-III GROUP OF MINES, BCCL

EC Letter No. J – 11015/213/2010- IA. II (M), Dated 06.02.2013

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<tr><td></td><td>A. Specific Conditions by MOEF:</td><td>Compliance</td></tr>
<tr><td>i</td><td>The maximum production from the two opencast sections in the cluster shall not exceed beyond that for which environmental clearance has been granted</td><td>Being Complied. The production from two opencast sections of the cluster is within limit for which the environmental clearance has been granted. Details of production from two opencast sections is given below:
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<tr><td>ii</td><td>The measure to identify in the Environmental Plan for Cluster- III groups of mine and the conditions given in this environmental clearance letter shall be dovetailed to the implementation of the Jharia Action Plan.</td><td>Being Complied. Master Plan activities are dovetailed with compliance of environmental clearance conditions.</td></tr>
<tr><td>iii</td><td>The proponent shall prepare time-series maps of the Jharia Coalfields through NRSA to monitor and prevent fire problems in the Jharia Coalfields by Isothermal mapping /imaging and monitoring temperatures of the coal seams (whether they are close to spontaneous ignition temperatures) and based on which, areas with potential fire problems shall be identified.
Measures to prevent ingress of air (Ventilation) in such areas, to prevent restart fresh/spread fires in other areas including in mines of cluster III shall be undertaken. Expertise available internationally could also be utilized for control of fire in Jharia Coalfields and for their reclamation and to further minimize time for fire and subsidence control. Isothermal mapping using thermal imaging has been got done by NRSA. Measures would be taken to prevent ingress of air (ventilation) in such areas, which may re-start fresh fires.</td><td>Being Complied. NRSC is conducting thermal Infra-Red Survey periodically. Report for 2014 and 2018 are submitted and action are being taken accordingly (Report for year 2018 is attached herewith as Annexure-I)</td></tr>
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iv	Underground mining should be taken up after completion of reclamation of Opencast mine area.	**Being complied.** No UG operation is being done below Opencast sections of the Mines.
v	The OB material should be crushed like sand and be used for stowing in Underground mines.	At present there is no requirement of stowing in cluster III.
vi	A detailed calendar plan of production with plan for OB dumping and backfilling (for OC mines) and reclamation and final mine closure plan for each mine of cluster-III shall be drawn up and implemented. The schedule of backfilling should be clearly brought out and submit the same to MoEFCC.	**Being complied.** Mine closure plan as per the guidelines of Ministry of Coal has already been prepared by Central Mine planning and Design Institute, Dhanbad and approved by BCCL Board on 21.09.2013. The financial provisions required for the implementation of mine closure plan are being kept in escrow accounts. Details of amount kept in escrow account are attached as **Annexure-II.**
vii	The embankment constructed along the river boundary shall be of suitable dimensions and critical patches shall be strengthened by stone pitching on the river front side and Stabilized with plantation so as to withstand the peak water flow and prevent mine inundation.	**Being Complied.** Embankments have been constructed as specified in EC and stone pitching has been done. Photographs of the stone pitching are attached as **Annexure-III.**
viii	The rejects of washeries in Cluster –III should be sent to FBC based plant.	Coal washery does not exist in cluster-III at present.
ix	No mining shall be undertaken where underground fires continue. Measure shall be taken to prevent/check such fire including in old OB dump areas where the fire could start due to presence of coal/shale with sufficient carbon content.	**Being complied.** Mining is being done as per the guidelines and permissions of Directorate General of Mines Safety (DGMS).
x	There shall be no external OB dumps. OB produce from the whole cluster will be 80Mm^3. OB from 2 OCP in mixed mines shall be backfilled. At the end of the mining there shall be no void and The entire mined out area shall be re-vegetated. Areas where opencast mining was carried out and completed shall be reclaimed immediately thereafter. It was observed that most of the OBs are not reclaimed and abandoned. The proponent should dump all the OB material in abandoned mines.	**Being Complied.** Action is being taken as specified in EMP for regular backfilling of OB concurrent with and reclaimed. Stabilized OB sites have been changed into ecological restoration sites (Photographs of biological reclaimed site are attached as **Annexure-IV**). Year wise data of OB generated and backfilling is attached as **Annexure-V**.
xi	Number of voids present in cluster – III at the end of mining should be backfilled up to ground level and no void should be left at the end of mining.	Includes Post mining condition. **Being complied.**
xii	A detailed calendar plan Of production with the plan for OB dumping and backfilling (for O/C mines) and reclamation and final mine closure plan for each mine of cluster-III shall be drawn up and implemented. The schedule of Backfilling should be clearly bought out and submit the same to MoEFCC.	**Being complied.** Mine closure plan as per the guidelines of Ministry of Coal has already been prepared by Central Mine planning and Design Institute, Dhanbad and approved by BCCL Board on 21.09.2013. The financial provisions required for the implementation of mine closure plan

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xiii	Mining shall be carried out as per statute from the streams/nalas flowing within the lease and maintaining a safe distance from the Nalas flowing along the lease boundary. A safety barrier of a minimum 60m width shall be maintained along the nalas/water bodies. The small water bodies in OC shall be protected to the extent feasible and the embankment proposed along water body shall be strengthened with stone pitching.	**Being Complied.** Embankments have been constructed as specified in EC and stone pitching has been done. Photographs of the stone pitching are attached as **Annexure-III.**
xiv	Active OB dumps near water bodies and rivers should be rehandled for backfilling abandoned mine voids. However, those which have been biologically reclaimed need not be disturbed.	**Being Complied.** Old OB dump near water bodies is stabilized.
xv	Thick green belt shall be developed along undisturbed areas, mine boundary and in mine reclamation. A total area of 854.72 ha shall be reclaimed and afforested.	Includes post mining requirement and it shall be **complied**. Yearly plantation is being done for development of green belts as per EC. Apart from this avenue/block plantation is being done at railway siding and other spaces available. (Photographs of biological reclaimed site are attached as **Annexure-IV**). Details of year wise plantation and proposed plantation for FY 2021-22 are attached as **Annexure-VII**)
xvi	Details of transportation, CSR, R&R and implementation of environmental action plan for the clusters-III should be brought out in a booklet form within a year and regularly updated.	**Being Complied.** The booklet is maintained at cluster level.
xvii	Specific Mitigative measures identified for the Jharia Coalfields in the Environmental Action Plan prepared for Dhanbad as a critically polluted area and relevant for Cluster III shall be implemented.	**Being Complied.** Dhanbad Action Plan has been prepared in consultation with Jharkhand Pollution Control Board for entire BCCL and not cluster wise. It is being implemented comprehensively for all the mines of BCCL. Some of the salient actions of this cluster are as under: 1. Construction of pucca road 2. Construction of water reservoir for mine water utilization 3. Plantation. 4. Transportation of coal in covered vehicles.

		5. Regular water sprinkling in dust prone areas. (Photographs of ponds, roads constructed within colliery, fixed type water sprinkler are attached as **Annexure-VIII)**
xviii	The locations of monitoring stations in the Jharia Coalfields should be finalized in consultation with the Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board. The Committee stated that smoke/dust emission vary from source to source (fuel wood, coal, fly ash from TPPs, silica from natural dust, etc.) and a Poll Mineralogical composition study should be undertaken on the composition of the suspended particulate matter (PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$) in Jharia Coalfields and also quantified. These studies would help ascertain source and extent of the air pollution, based on which appropriate Mitigative measures could be taken.	**Being Complied.** The locations of monitoring stations are approved by Jharkhand Pollution Control Board. Work Order had already been issued to NEERI Nagpur on 12.05.2018. And work has been started in September 2018. Field data collection for Summer season has been done. Winter data collection is in process. The progress report sent by NEERI is attached as **Annexure- IX**
xix	The Plan for conveyor-cum–rail for Cluster-III should be dovetailed with Jharia Action Plan. The Committee desired that road transportation of coal during Phase–I should be by mechanically covered trucks, which should be introduced at the earliest. Coal dispatch shall be diverted from the present rail sidings to Rapid Loading System (RLS) soon after the construction and commissioning of the RLS at Maheshpur is completed. The railway siding order issued and same would come in 3 years. The details of same should be provided to ministry. The mode of transportation of coal by trucktill Railway Siding should be by mechanically covered trucks	**Being Complied.** At present transportation is being done by covered vehicle with a tarpaulin cover. The feasibility of mechanically covered trucks is being studied. Construction of Rapid Loading System at Maheshpur is completed and will be operational after railway connectivity.
xx	3756 nos. of PAF's should be rehabilitated at cost of Rs 27012.66 Lakhs as per the approved Jharia Action Plan.	It is being followed as per the approved Jharia action plan.
xxi	Regular monitoring of groundwater level and quality of the study area shall be carried out by establishing a network of existing wells and construction of new piezometers. The monitoring for quantity shall be done four times a year in pre-monsoon (May), monsoon (August), post-monsoon (November) and winter (January) seasons and for quality including Arsenic and Fluoride during the month of May. Data thus collected shall be submitted to the Ministry of Environment & Forest and to the Central Pollution Control Board/SPCB quarterly within one month of monitoring. Rainwater harvesting measures shall be undertaken in case monitoring of water table indicates a declining trend.	**Being Complied.** The work of monitoring of ambient environment including ground water monitoring is being done by Central Mine Planning and Design institute (CMPDI). (Ground Water report is attached as **Annexure-X**) The Location and design of Piezometers to be installed have been finalized by CMPDI. Piezometer Installation: 4th time Tender has been floated on 10.03.2021. Bid opened on 30.03.2021. To be retendered.
xxi	Regular monitoring of subsidence movement on the surface over and around	Shall be complied. At present there is no depillaring activity in Cluster-III.

i	the working area and impact on natural drainage pattern, water bodies, vegetation, structure, roads, and surroundings shall be continued till movement ceases completely. In case of observation of any high rate of subsidence movement, appropriate effective corrective measures shall be taken to avoid loss of life and material. Cracks shall be effectively plugged with ballast and clayey soil/suitable material.	
xxiii	Sufficient coal pillars shall be left un-extracted around the air shaft (within the subsidence influence area) to protect from any damage from subsidence, if any.	**Being Complied.** Sufficient coal pillars have been left around air shafts as per the statutes and DGMS guidelines.
xxiv	High root density tree species shall be selected and planted over areas likely to be affected by subsidence.	It is **being complied.**
xxv	Depression due to subsidence resulting in water accumulating within the low lying areas shall be filled up or drained out by cutting drains.	It shall be **complied**. At present there is no depillaring activity in Cluster-III.
xxvi	Solid barriers shall be left below the roads falling within the blocks to avoid any damage to the roads.	It is being followed. Sufficient barriers are left for saving the surface Installation and infra structures as per the statute and DGMS guidelines.
xxvii	No depillaring operation shall be carried out below the township/colony.	It is being followed.
xxviii	A detailed CSR Action Plan shall be prepared for Cluster III group of mines. Specific activities shall be identified for CSR for the budget of Rs 139 Lakhs per year@ Rs 5/T of coal provided for CSR for 2012-2013 and Rs. 5/T of coal as recurring expenditure. The 491.91ha of area within Cluster III ML existing as waste land and not being acquired shall be put to productive use under CSR and developed with fruit bearing and other useful species for the local communities. Third party evaluation shall be got carried out regularly for the proper implementation of activities undertaken in the project area under CSR. Issue raised in the Public Hearing shall also be integrated with activities being taken up under CSR. The details of CSR undertaken along with budgetary provisions for the village-wise various activities and expenditure thereon shall be uploaded on the company website every year. The company must give priority to capacity building both within the company and to the local youth, who are motivated to carry out the work in future. The gap/space available between the entire mine area should be suitably planted with native species. Plantation should also be made in vacant area and along the road side so as	**Being Complied.** BCCL is implementing CSR activities. A separate CSR/Welfare committee has been formed at area level that will look after the works being executed under CSR. CSR dept. is established at the Headquarter level and area level for Executing the CSR Activities. All welfare/ CSR activities are also uploaded in Company web site (http://www.bcclweb.in/?page_id=265). TISS has conducted survey to frame CSR policy for better implementation and monitoring of the CSR activities. CSR activities have not been dealt at cluster level. However, expenditure was allotted and made at corporate level, i.e. M/s BCCL level and cluster III is

	to reduce dust pollution.	contributor for the same. Details of CSR expenditure done at BCCL level is attached as **Annexure-XI.**
xxix	Central recreation park with herbal garden should be developed for use of all inhabitants.	It is **being complied.** Herbal garden has been developed in cluster-III at New Akashkinaree Colliery.
xxx	The mine water should be treated properly before supply to the villager.	**Being Complied.** Mine water is being supplied to nearby villages for drinking and other purpose after being filtered through filter plants. Details of beneficiaries are attached as **Annexure-XII.**
xxxi	Details of transportation, CSR, R&R and implementation of environmental action plan for each of the clusters-III should be brought out in a booklet form within a year and regularly updated.	**Complied**. CSR Booklet is being maintained at Cluster level.
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xxxv	Mine discharge water shall be treated to meet standards prescribed before discharge into natural water courses/agriculture. The quality of the water discharged shall be monitored at the outlet points and proper records maintained thereof and uploaded regularly on the company website.	**Being Complied.** Monitoring is being done by Central Mine Planning and Design institute (CMPDIL). The quality of water is within prescribed standards. Monitoring reports of Air (including heavy metal analysis), Water (drinking, surface) and Noise is attached as **Annexure-XIII.**
xxxvi	No groundwater shall be used for the mining activities. Additional water required, if any, shall be met from mine water or by recycling/reuse of the water from the existing activities and from rainwater harvesting measures. The project authorities shall meet water requirement of nearby village(s) in case the village wells go dry due to dewatering of mine.	**Being Complied.** No ground water is being utilized for the purposes of industrial use of the water. Mine water is being supplied to nearby villages for drinking and other purpose after being filtered through filter plants. Details of beneficiaries are attached as **Annexure-XII.**
xxxvii	The void shall be converted into a water reservoir of a maximum depth of 15-20 m and shall be gently sloped and the upper benches of the reservoir shall be stabilized with plantation and the periphery of the reservoir fenced. The	Post mining requirement. Continuous process of the backfilling has been adopted. A part of the void will be converted into the water body as specified in EC.

	abandoned pits and voids should be backfilled with OB and reclaimed with plantation and or may be used for pisciculture.	
xxxvii	Regular monitoring of groundwater level and quality of the study area shall be carried out by establishing a network of existing wells and construction of new piezometers. The monitoring for quantity shall be done four times a year in pre-monsoon (May), monsoon (August), post-monsoon (November) and winter (January) seasons and for quality including Arsenic and Fluoride during the month of May. Data thus collected shall be submitted to the Ministry of Environment & Forest and to the Central Pollution Control Board/SPCB quarterly within one month of monitoring. Rainwater harvesting measures shall be undertaken in case monitoring of water table indicates a declining trend.	**Being Complied.** The work of monitoring of ambient environment including ground water monitoring is being done by Central Mine Planning and Design institute (CMPDI). (Ground Water quality report is attached as **Annexure-X**) Monitoring stations have been set up and Central Mine Planning and Design institute (CMPDI) has been keeping a constant check. The Location and design of Piezometers to be installed have been finalized by CMPDI. Piezometer Installation: 4th time Tender has been floated on 10.03.2021. Bid opened on 30.03.2021. To be retendered.
xxxix	ETP shall also be provided for workshop, and CHP, if any. Effluents shall be treated to confirm to prescribe standards in case discharge into the natural water course.	It is **being complied.**
xl	The location of monitoring stations in the Jharia coalfield should be finalized in consultation with Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board.	It is **being complied.**
xli	For monitoring land use pattern and for post mining land use, a time series of land use maps, based on satellite imagery (on a scale of 1: 5000) of the core zone and buffer zone, from the start of the project until end of mine life shall be prepared once in 3 years (for any one particular season which is consistent in the time series), and the report submitted to MOEF and its Regional office at Bhubaneswar.	**Being Complied.** CMPDI is conducting "Time series of land use maps based on satellite imagery of the core zone and buffer zone in the scale 1:5000 on cluster basis every 03 year. Land use map for cluster-III is attached as **Annexure-XIV**
xlii	A Final Mine Closure Plan along with details of Corpus Fund shall be submitted to the Ministry of Environment & Forests five year before mine closure for approval. Habitat Restoration Plan of the mine area shall be carried out using a mix of native species found in the original ecosystem, which were conserved in-situ and ex-situ in an identified area within the lease for reintroduction in the mine during mine reclamation and at the post mining stage for habitat restoration.	**Being complied.** Mine closure plan as per the guidelines of Ministry of Coal has already been prepared by Central Mine planning and Design Institute, Dhanbad and approved by BCCL Board on 21.09.2013. The financial provisions required for the implementation of mine closure plan are being kept in accounts. Details of amount kept in escrow account are attached as **Annexure-II.**
xliv	A separate management structure for implementing environment policy and socio-economic issues and the capacity building required in this regard.	**Being Complied.** Environment Engineers provided at Mine and Area level. Environment Management cell has been constituted at Area level with GM as Chairman.

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a) The Company shall have a well laid down Environment Policy approved by the Board of Directors.

b) The Environment Policy shall prescribe for standard operating process/ procedures to bring into focus any infringements/deviation/violation of the environmental or forest norms/conditions.

c) The hierarchical system or Administrative Order of the company to deal with environmental issues and for ensuring compliance with the environmental clearance conditions shall be furnished.

d) To have proper checks and balances, the company shall have a well laid down system of reporting of non-compliances/violations of environmental norms to the Board of Directors of the company and/or shareholders or stakeholders at large.</td><td>Being Complied.

A well-defined Corporate Environment Policy has already been laid down and approved by the Board of Directors. This is also posted on BCCL website.(http://www.bcclweb.in/environment/CEP_04.11.2019.pdf)

Complied.

A hierarchical system of the company to deal with environmental issues from corporate level to mine level already exists.

Environment Management cell has been constituted at Area level with GM as Chairman.
Internal Monitoring Mechanism is in place.</td></tr>
<tr><td>B</td><td>EC Conditions (General):</td><td></td></tr>
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The work for monitoring of ambient environment is being done by Central Mine Planning and Design institute (CMPDIL).
Monitoring reports of Air (including heavy metal analysis), Water (drinking, surface) and Noise is attached as Annexure-XIII.</td></tr>
<tr><td>iv</td><td>Data on ambient air quality (PM_{10}, $PM_{2.5}$, SO_2 and NO_x) and heavy metals such as Hg, As, Ni, Cd, Cr and other monitoring data shall be regularly submitted to the Ministry including its Regional Office at Bhubaneswar and to the State Pollution Control Board and the Central Pollution Control Board once in six months. Random verification of samples through analysis from independent laboratories recognized under the EPA rules, 1986 shall be furnished as part of compliance report.</td><td>Being Complied. The work for monitoring of ambient environment is being done by Central Mine Planning and Design institute (CMPDIL).
Monitoring reports of Air (including heavy metal analysis), Water (drinking, surface) and Noise is attached as Annexure-XIII.
Random verification is being taken up by IIT(ISM) Dhanbad.</td></tr>
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<tr><td>vi</td><td>Industrial wastewater (workshop and wastewater from the mine) shall be properly collected, treated so as to conform to the standards prescribed under GSR 422 (E) dated 19th May 1993 and 31st December 1993 or as amended from time to time before discharge. Oil and grease trap shall be installed before discharge of workshop effluents.</td><td>Being Complied. Discharge of water confirms to applicable standards. Oil & grease trap exists at Sinidih workshop and (Water quality report is attached as Annexure-XIII).</td></tr>
<tr><td>vii</td><td>Vehicular emissions shall be kept under control and regularly monitored. Vehicles used for transporting the mineral shall be covered with tarpaulins and optimally loaded.</td><td>Being Complied. Regular maintenance of vehicles is being done. Vehicles with valid Pollution under control certificates are being used for coal transportation. Covered transportation is in practice.</td></tr>
<tr><td>viii</td><td>Monitoring of environmental quality parameters shall be carried out through establishment of adequate number and type of pollution monitoring and analysis equipment in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board and data got analyzed through a laboratory recognized under EPA Rules, 1986.</td><td>Being Complied. The locations of monitoring stations are approved by Jharkhand Pollution Control Board. Monitoring is being done by CMPDI.
Monitoring reports of Air (including heavy metal analysis), Water (drinking, surface) and Noise is attached as Annexure-XIII.</td></tr>
<tr><td>ix</td><td>Personnel working in dusty areas shall wear protective respiratory devices and they shall also be provided with adequate training and information on safety</td><td>Being Complied. A separate full-fledged Human Resource Development Department Is conducting regular training programme on these issues. Apart</td></tr>
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<tr><td>x</td><td>Occupational health surveillance programme of the workers shall be undertaken periodically to observe any contractions due to exposure to dust and to take corrective measures, if needed and records maintained thereof. The quality of environment due to outsourcing and the health and safety issues of the outsourced manpower should be addressed by the company while outsourcing.</td><td>Being Complied. Initial Medical Examination (IME) and Periodical Medical Examination (PME) of all the personnel are carried out as per the Statutes and Director General of Mines Safety (DGMS) guideline. Details of PME conducted for FY 2020-21 are given below:
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<tr><td>xi</td><td>A separate environmental management cell with suitable qualified personnel shall be set up under the control of a Senior Executive, who will report directly to the Head of the company.</td><td>Being Complied. Environment Engineer provided at Mine and Area level. Environment Management cell has been constituted at Area level with GM as Chairman.
A full-fledged Environment Department, headed by a HOD (Environment) along with a suitable qualified multidisciplinary team of executives has been</td></tr>
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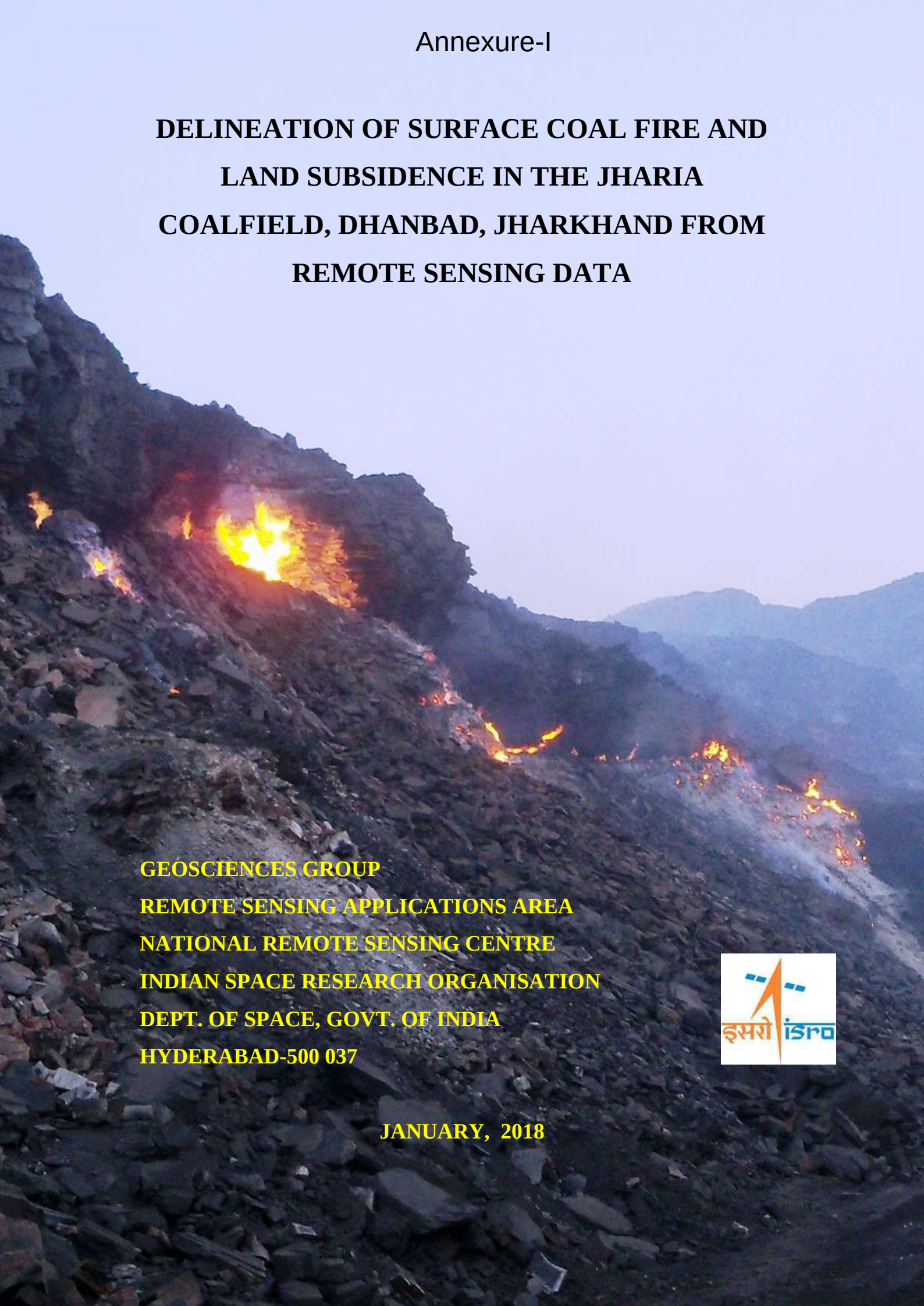
		established in Headquarters.
xii	The funds earmarked for environmental protection measures shall be kept in separate account and shall not be diverted for other purpose. Year-wise expenditure shall be reported to this Ministry and its Regional Office at Bhubaneswar.	**Being Complied.** A separate fund under the environmental protection measures has already been allocated. Expenditure details as per EIA/EMP for FY 2020-21 are enclosed as **Annexure-XV**
xiii	The Project authorities shall advertise at least in two local newspapers widely circulated around the project, one of which shall be in the vernacular language of the locality concerned within seven days of the clearance letter informing that the project has been accorded environmental clearance and a copy of the clearance letter is available with the State Pollution control Board and may also be seen at the website of the ministry of Environment & Forests at http://envfor.nic.in.	Advertised timely, **Complied**. Advertisements published and EC letter circulated to concerned panchayats have been attached as **Annexure-XVI.**
xiv	A copy of the environmental clearance letter shall be marked to concern Panchayat/Zila Parishad, Municipal Corporation or Urban local body and local NGO, if any, from whom any suggestion/representation has been received while processing the proposal. A copy of the clearance letter shall also be displayed on company's website.	**Complied**. EC on receipt circulated to all concerned authorities (EC letter circulated to concerned panchayats have been attached as **Annexure-XVI).**
xv	A copy of the environmental clearance letter shall be shall also be displayed on the website of the concerned State Pollution Control Board. The EC letter shall also be displayed at the Regional Office, District Industry Sector and Collector's Office/Tehsildar's Office for 30 days.	**Complied**.
xvi	The clearance letter shall be uploaded on the company's website. The compliance status of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions shall also be uploaded by the project authorities on their website and updated at least once every six months so as to bring the same in public domain. The monitoring data of environmental quality parameter (air, water, noise and soil) and critical pollutant such as PM_{10}, $PM_{2.5}$, SO_2 and NO_x (ambient) and critical sectoral parameters shall also be displayed at the entrance of the project premises and mine office and in corporate office and on company's website.	**Complied**. Environmental Clearance and Six monthly compliance of Environmental Clearance along with monitoring reports are uploaded on BCCL website.
xvii	The project proponent shall submit six monthly compliance reports on status of compliance of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions (both in hard copy and in e-mail) to the respective Regional Office of the Ministry,	**Being complied.**

	respective Zonal Office s of CPCB and the SPCB.	
xviii	The Regional Office of this Ministry located at Bhubaneswar shall monitor compliance of the stipulated conditions. The Project authorities shall extend full cooperation to the office(s) of the Regional Office by furnishing the requisite data/ information/monitoring reports.	Shall be **complied**.
xix	The Environmental statement for each financial year ending 31 March in Form –V is mandated to be submitted by the project proponent for the concerned State Pollution Control Board as prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Rules,1986,as amended subsequently, shall also be uploaded on the company's website along with the status of compliance of EC conditions and shall be sent to the respective Regional Offices of the MoEFCC by E-mail	**Being Complied.** Environmental Statement is regularly submitted.
C	**EC Conditions (Other):**	
i	The Ministry or any other competent authority may stipulate any further condition for environmental protection.	Conditions of CTO are **being complied.**
ii	Failure to comply with any of the conditions mentioned above may result in withdrawal of this clearance and attract the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.	All condition **complied** to avoid this condition.
iii	The above conditions will be enforced *inter-alia*, under the provisions of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991 along with their amendments and Rules. The proponent shall ensure to undertake and provide for the costs incurred for taking up remedial measures in case of soil contamination, contamination of groundwater and surface water, and occupational and other diseases due to the mining operations.	It is **being complied.** Conditions of CTO are **being complied.** The storage of material is below threshold attracting Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991.
iv	The Environmental Clearance is subject to the outcome of the Writ Petition filed by M/S Bharat Coking Coal Limited (BCCL) in response to the closure orders issued by the Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board which is pending in the Jharkhand High Court.	Agree.

Annexure-I

DELINEATION OF SURFACE COAL FIRE AND LAND SUBSIDENCE IN THE JHARIA COALFIELD, DHANBAD, JHARKHAND FROM REMOTE SENSING DATA



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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Coal fire is a serious problem in Jharia coal field, where high ranking coals are gradually burnt due to these fires. The combined effect of surface and sub-surface fires and mining related subsidence has endangered the environmental stability of Jharia coal field. Coupled with the ecological changes instigated by open cast mining, the landscape in and around Jharia have changed drastically over the years. In the present study, delineation of coal fire and mining related land subsidence have been addressed. Thermal band of Landsat-8 (100m resolution) have been used to demarcate the coal mine fire areas from non fire areas. For this study, Landsat-8 data of May, 2017 have been used. The band 10 (10.60-11.19 μm) of Landsat-8 data is used to derive the relative radiant temperature. Further ALOS-PALSAR 2, L band microwave data has been used to delineate zone of probable land subsidence (using differential interferometry) due to mining. The study reflects that, compared to 2012, the eastern flanks (Lodna and Tisra) show a larger fire area. The western flank (Nadkhurkee and Shatabdi) and the northern flank (Katras and Gaslitand) show isolated fire pockets in active mines as well as OB dumps. Among all the colliery areas, Kusunda and Lodna area is most affected by coal mine fire. The current fire area mapped is 3.28 sq.km. Apart from this, five distinctive areas of land subsidence have been identified using interferometric method. These are primarily caused by older or active underground mining. The Moonidih Project is most affected by subsidence. The coal mine fire and subsidence areas are further verified on the ground. The final coal mine fire and subsidence map of Jharia coal field is prepared by using remote sensing data analysis with field validation.

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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

Coal fire is a perennial problem in Jharia coal field (JCF) covering 447 sq. km. area in the Dhanbad district of Jharkhand state. Subsurface and surface coal fires are a serious problem in many coal-producing countries. The severity and extent of mine fires in some of the Indian coalfields, particularly Jharia and Raniganj coalfields, are quite alarming. Combustion can occur either within coal or in coal dumps on the surface. Considerable economic loss and environmental problem arises due to the coal fire. Coal fire burns valuable coal and also creates difficulties in mining by increasing the cost of production or making existing operations difficult. Noxious gases like sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxides, which are the result of coal burning processes, often affect the immediate surroundings of an active coal fire area (Gangopadhyay, 2003). These greenhouse gases not only affect local atmosphere but also play a crucial role in the damages, found associated with coal fire such as land surface subsidence and surface cracking. Coal fires are caused by oxidation of coal but the reaction involved in oxidation of coal is not understood till date. Broadly, the potential for spontaneous combustion lies in its ability to react with oxygen at ambient temperature. This occurs through the reaction of oxygen at the surface of the coal resulting in an exothermic reaction. As a consequence, the temperature of coal rises and if temperature reaches the threshold temperature, ranging between 80^0 to 120^0C, a steady reaction starts, which produces carbon dioxide. Temperature keeps on increasing once CO_2 started to form and at 2300°C, the exothermic reaction becomes rapid. It is known that high grade coals (high carbon content) are more fire prone, though the reason behind this is not well understood. Another important parameter, which controls fire, is the size of the particles. Larger the effective area of coal (fire particles), more rapidly the reaction proceeds. Cracks, fissures play a role like positive catalysts to coal oxidation by slowly supplying oxygen / air through their conduits.

Coal mining in Jharia Coal Field (JCF) started way back in 1895. History of fire in Jharia Coal Field date back to 1916 when the first incidence of fire was reported from XIV seam of Bhowrah colliery. JCF was nationalised in 1972 and over the decades, the fire has spread or been contained but never extinguished. The combination of underground fire and subsidence have affected vast areas of JCF.

1.1 Background

Remote sensing technique in thermal band offers a cost-effective and time-saving technology for mapping various geoenvironmental / hazardous features such as coal fires, forest fires, oil well fires, volcanic eruptions etc. NRSC has carried out coal fire mapping projects in the past; conducting an airborne campaign in 1989 and using Landsat-5 TM data in 1995 (Bhattacharya *et. al.*, 1995), over Jharia coalfield, Jharkhand and using Landsat-5 TM data for 2001 over Raniganj coalfield, West Bengal. Further, projects were executed in 2006 and 2012 in which coal fires of the JCF were mapped using Landsat-7 ETM+ and ASTER data, respectively. Additionally, a R&D study was taken up in 2013 to delineate subsidence areas using differential interferomteric (DInSAR) technique. In view of the past experiences, based on the letter (Ref. no. NRSC/16/76) from Director (Tech.), Operations, BCCL addressed to Director, NRSC on 01 February 2016. a project was formulated to take up Coal fire and Land Subsidence study of the Jharia Coal Field using space-borne remote sensing technique. The formal Memorandum of Understanding between BCCL and NRSC was signed on 23rd of Dec, 2016.

1.2 Objectives

The following objectives are formulated on the basis of the above mentioned background:

I. To map Coal fire in the study area based on pixel integrated relative radiant temperature derived from latest available Landsat-8 data of 2016-17 time period.

II. To compare the change in the coal fire distribution in the Jharia coalfield within the period of 2012 and 2016-17.

III. To delineate probable subsidence areas in the region using differential interferometry method.

1.3 Study Area

Jharia Coalfield is located in the Dhanbad district of Jharkhand state (Figure 1) and it is named after the main coal mining town of Jharia. It is situated in the Damodar River valley and is about 250 km NW of Kolkata. The coalfield is contained roughly within latitudes 23º 42' N and 23º 50'N and longitudes 86º 09'E and 86º 30'E.

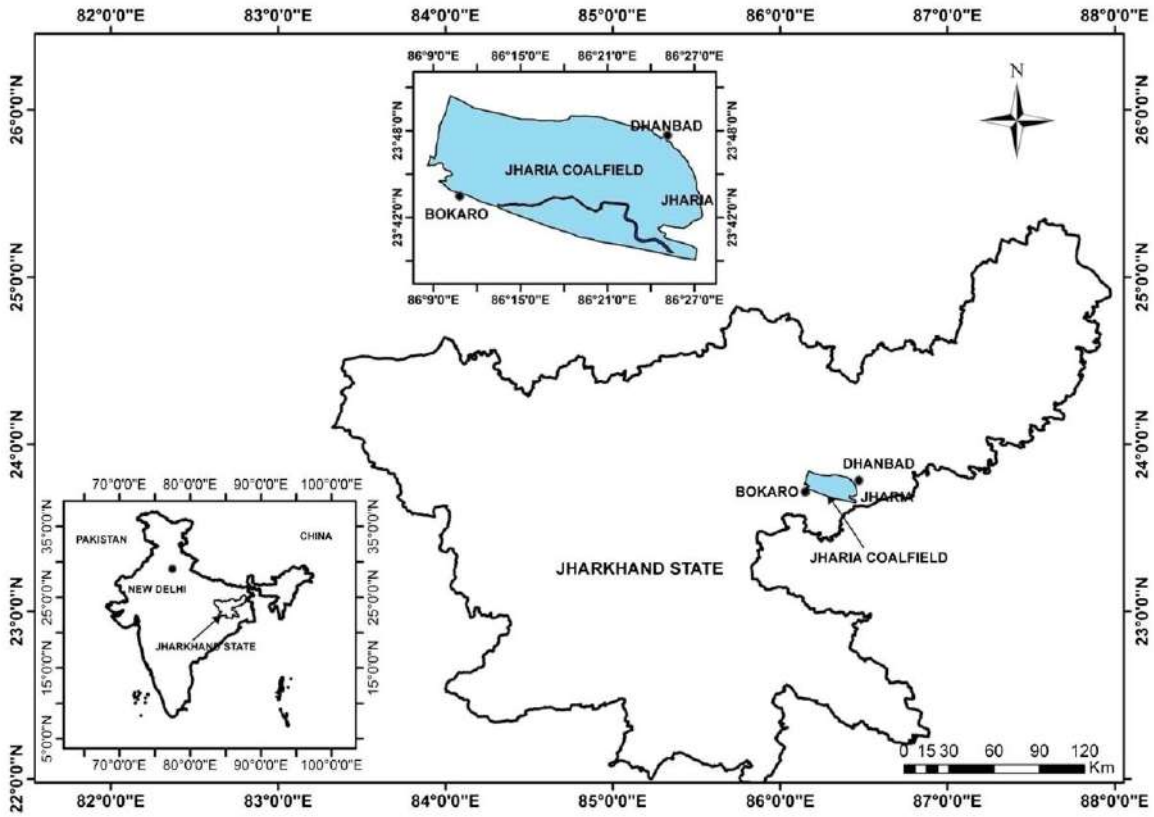

Figure 1: Study area map of Jharia Coalfied, Jharkhand

CHAPTER II

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE STUDY AREA

2.1 Location and Accessibility

Jharia is an old mining town in the Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. This town is famous for its surrounding mines producing high grade coal and supplying mainly to the neighbouring industrial areas. Jharia is approximately 6 km in south western direction from Dhanbad town and connected by metal road. Dhanbad is well connected to Kolkata by road and rail.

2.2 Physiography, Drainage and Climate

Jharia coalfield is characterised by undulatory topography with very low rolling slope towards the eastern part of the area. The average height of the area is around 200 meters above the mean sea level. Damodar is the major river in the study area. The other tributaries to the Damodar River in this area are Jamuniya Nadi, Khudia Nadi, Khatri Nadi, Jarian Nala, Kari Jora and Domohani Nadi. Damodar River flows from west to east in this area. The minimum temperature is <10º C in the month of December – January and maximum temperature is >50º C in the month of May – June.

2.3 General Geology

Gondwana Super Groups of rocks of Up. Carboniferous to Lr. Cretaceous age (i.e. from 320 MY to 98 MY) are exposed here. Gondwana Super Group rocks unconformably overlie Archaean rocks. In Gondwana Rocks, Raniganj and Barakar Formations of Permian age have more potential as far as the coal production is concerned. Barakar Formation is exposed in north and north eastern part of the basin (Figure 2). Most of the coal mines are confined to the Barakar Formation in JCF. Barakars consists of coarse, medium grey and white sandstones, shales and coal seams. Raniganj consists of grey and greenish soft feldspathic sandstones, shales and coal seams. Faults are prevalent in this portion of basins (Figure 2). NW trending faults are conspicuous north to Jharia. Many lamprophyre and dolerite dykes are also exposed in this area in a criss-cross manner. The Raniganj Formation though coal bearing, has suffered much deformation due to faulting, thus causing difficulty for

mining in the area. The generalised stratigraphy of JCF is mentioned below (after Saraf, et al., 1995).

FORMATION	LITHOLOGY	MAXIMUM THICKNESS
Supra Panchet	Red and Grey sandstones and shales	300m
Panchet	Micaceous Yellow and Grey sandstones, Red and Greenish shales	600m
Raniganj	Grey and Greenish soft feldspathic sandstones, shales and coal seams	1050m
Ironstone Shales	Dark carbonaceous shales with ironstone bands	360m
Barakar	Coarse and medium Grey and white sandstones, shales and coal seams	630m
Talchir Boulder Bed	Coarse sandstones above and Greenish shales below	300m

Table 1: Generalised stratigraphy of JCF.

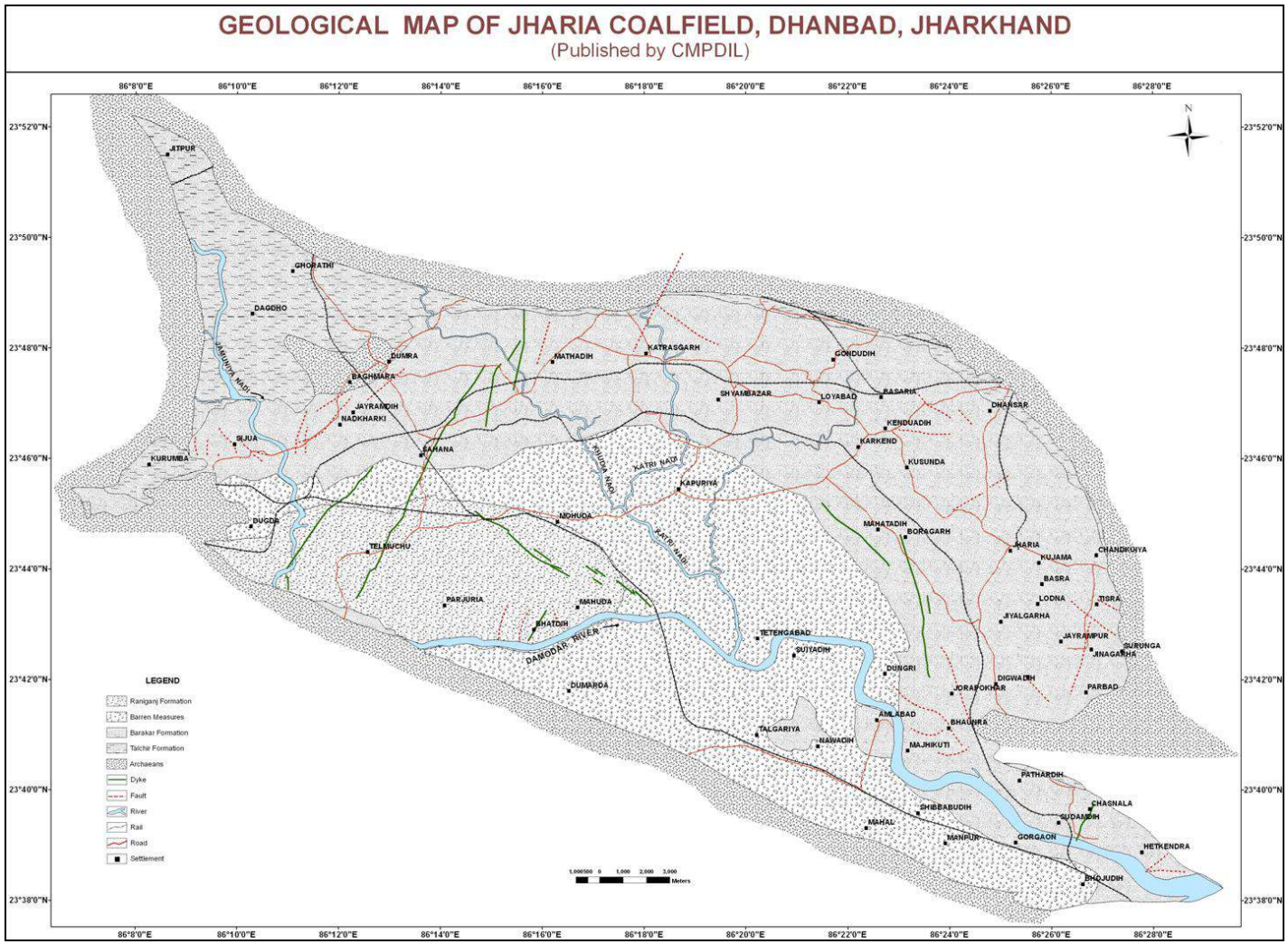

Figure 2 : Geological map of Jharia coal field, Dhanbad, Jharkhand (published by CMPIDL)

CHAPTER III

DATA REQUIREMENTS

3.1 Remote Sensing Data

The most recent available thermal satellite data was used in conjunction with the fieldwork for mapping coal fire in JCF. A coal fire map generated from the same, would serve as a reference for the fieldwork, as the observations can be verified in the field. For this purpose, a coal fire map was created from LANDSAT 8 TIRS data of 14-May 2017 .

Further, the coal fire map of 2012 prepared by NRSC (NRSC, 2012) from ASTER data was used as a reference to identify the changes that has occurred in the extent and disposition of the fires from 2012 to 2017.

For the land subsidence study, L-band microwave data from ALOS-PALSAR satellite (JAXA) were used. Five scenes of "Fine mode" SLC data were taken from PALSAR-2 archives over a period from October, 2014 to February, 2017. This was done to identify long term terrain changes and differentiate the same from short term changes due to mining excavations and overburden dumping.

Table 2: List of satellite data used in the present study.

Sl. No	Satellite	Sensor	Time	Date	Data source
1	LANDSAT-8	TIRS	Daytime	14 May 2017	USGS, USA
2	ALOS-PALSAR-2 (Fine mode)	PALSAR-2	-	4 October. 2014	JAXA, Japan
3				3 October, 2015	
4				20 February. 2016	
5				01 October, 2016	
6				18 February. 2017	

3.2 Ancillary data

1. Geological map of Jharia coal field.
2. Mine surface plans as provided by BCCL.

CHAPTER IV

REMOTE SENSING DATA ANALYSIS

4.1 Methodology

4.1.1 Processing of Landsat 8 Data

With the launch of the LANDSAT-8 mission in February, 2013; thermal space borne data is available from its thermal infrared sensor (TIRS). This has enabled monitoring of the earth with a spatial resolution of 100 m in the thermal domain with a repeat cycle of 16 days. The LANDSAT-8 has two channels (Band 10 and Band 11) in the thermal infrared region (Table 1) which ranges from 10.4 micrometer to 12.5 micrometer. In present study, band 10 of TIRS sensor (acquired on 14 May, 2017) has been used coal fire mapping (Gangopadhyay et al. 2012). The spectral domain of the band is known for its maximum transmittance (Chatterjee et al. 2007; Martha et al. 2010). The data are freely accessible through USGS portal (Landsat 8 download source: http://landsatlook.usgs.gov).

Landsat-8 data are available in GeoTiff format and the data are converted to top of the atmosphere spectral radiance using the radiance rescaling factors provided in the metadata file, using equation 1.

$$L_\lambda = M_L Q_{cal} + A_L \text{ …….. (1)}$$

Where:

L_λ = Spectral radiance (Watts/ (m2 * srad * μm)).

M_L = Band-specific multiplicative rescaling factor from the metadata.

A_L = Band-specific additive rescaling factor from the metadata.

Q_{cal} = Quantized and calibrated standard product pixel values (DN).

Once the spectral radiance (Lλ) for ASTER Band 13 and Landsat-8 band 10 data is generated, it is possible to calculate radiant (brightness) temperature directly using equation 2. Planck's radiation function (Planck, 1914) forms the basis of radiant temperature derivation from spectral radiances and the theory is discussed in detail in existing literatures (Gupta, 2003).

$$T_R = K_2 / \ln ((K_1 / L_\lambda) + 1) \text{…….. (2)}$$

T_R = Radiant (brightness) temperature,

K_1 = Calibration constant (1260.56 K),

K_2 = Calibration constant (666.09 watts/ (m2 *ster*μm)),

L_λ = Spectral radiance

4.1.2 Thresholding of radiant temperature image

Once the Landsat-8 data are converted to radiant temperature image, the next step was to segregate fire pixels from the background, which requires the estimation of the cut-off temperature (Roy et al. 2015). This has been attempted by the statistical analysis of sensor derived radiant temperature to delineate clusters (in the scatter-plot) indicative for fire and non-fire pixels. Mean and maximum radiant temperatures are derived from randomly sampled uniform sized pixel blocks distributed in entire spatial extent of Barakar formation (Figure 3) known for fire bearing coal seams. The pixel block sizes are chosen to adequately represent the overall areal extent of the coalfield and homogeneously encompass all the mining blocks (27x27 pixels for Landsat-8, Figure 3). The maximum temperature value recorded in each representative area, derived from each of the datasets, is plotted against the mean temperature. The maximum temperature represents that of fire (wherever present), whereas the mean temperature represents the average background temperature, for normalization. The fire and background populations show considerable variance, separating coal fire and background radiant temperatures. The cut-off temperature derived is the maximum temperature of the background cluster, above which all temperatures represent coal fires. In the case of the Landsat-8 data used in this study, the cut-off temperature was determined around 39°C (Figure 4). Based on this cut-offs, regional coal fire map was prepared (Figure 5).

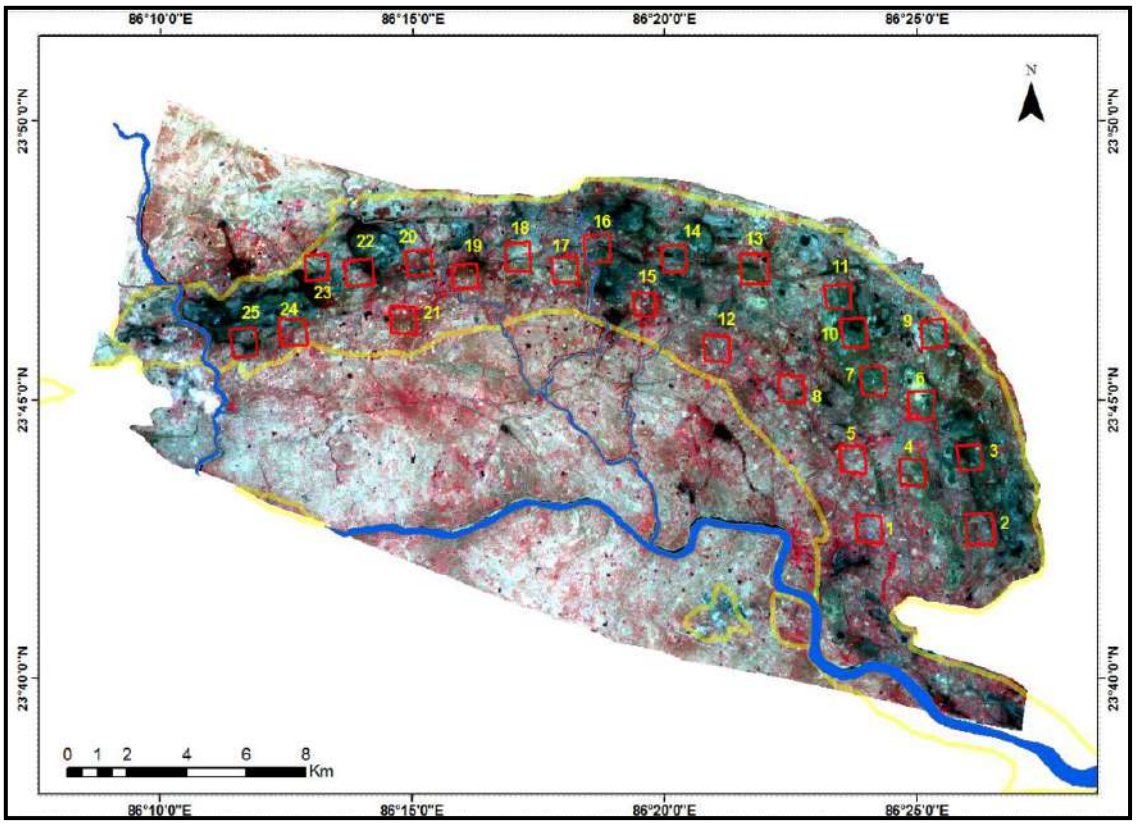

Figure 3. False colour composite image of Jharia Coalfield, with subset blocks (in red boxes) to obtain temperature values (from radiant temperature image) within the Barakar formation across the Jharia coalfield.

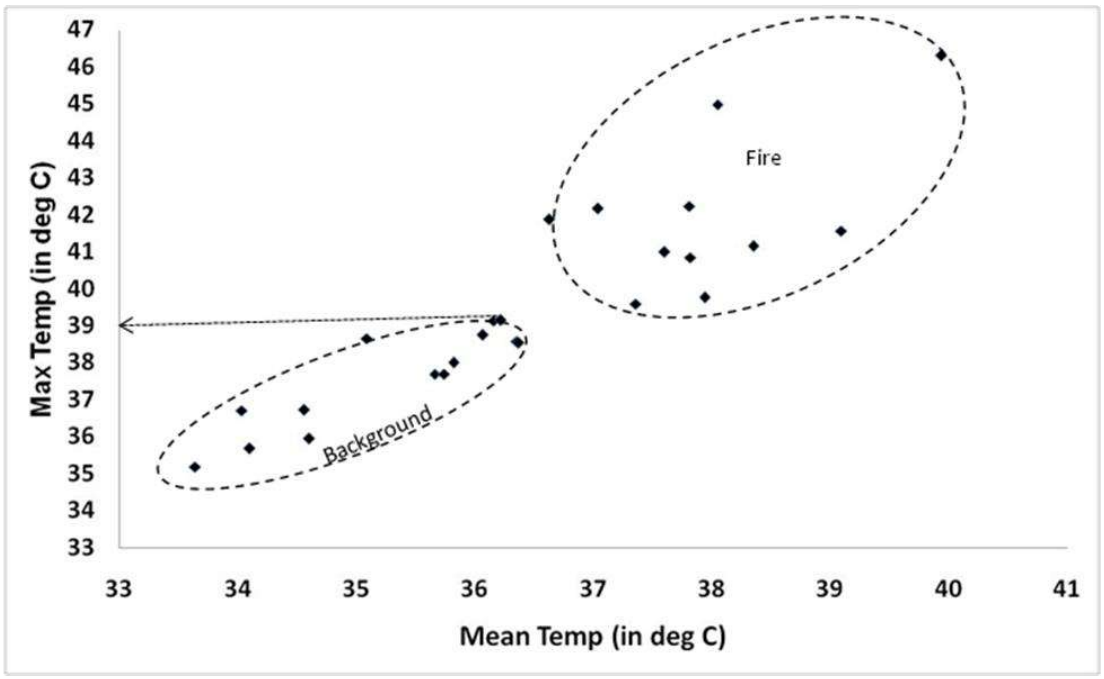

Figure 4. Maximum temperature plotted against mean temperature for various locations; cluster separation observed around 39 °C (marked with arrow)

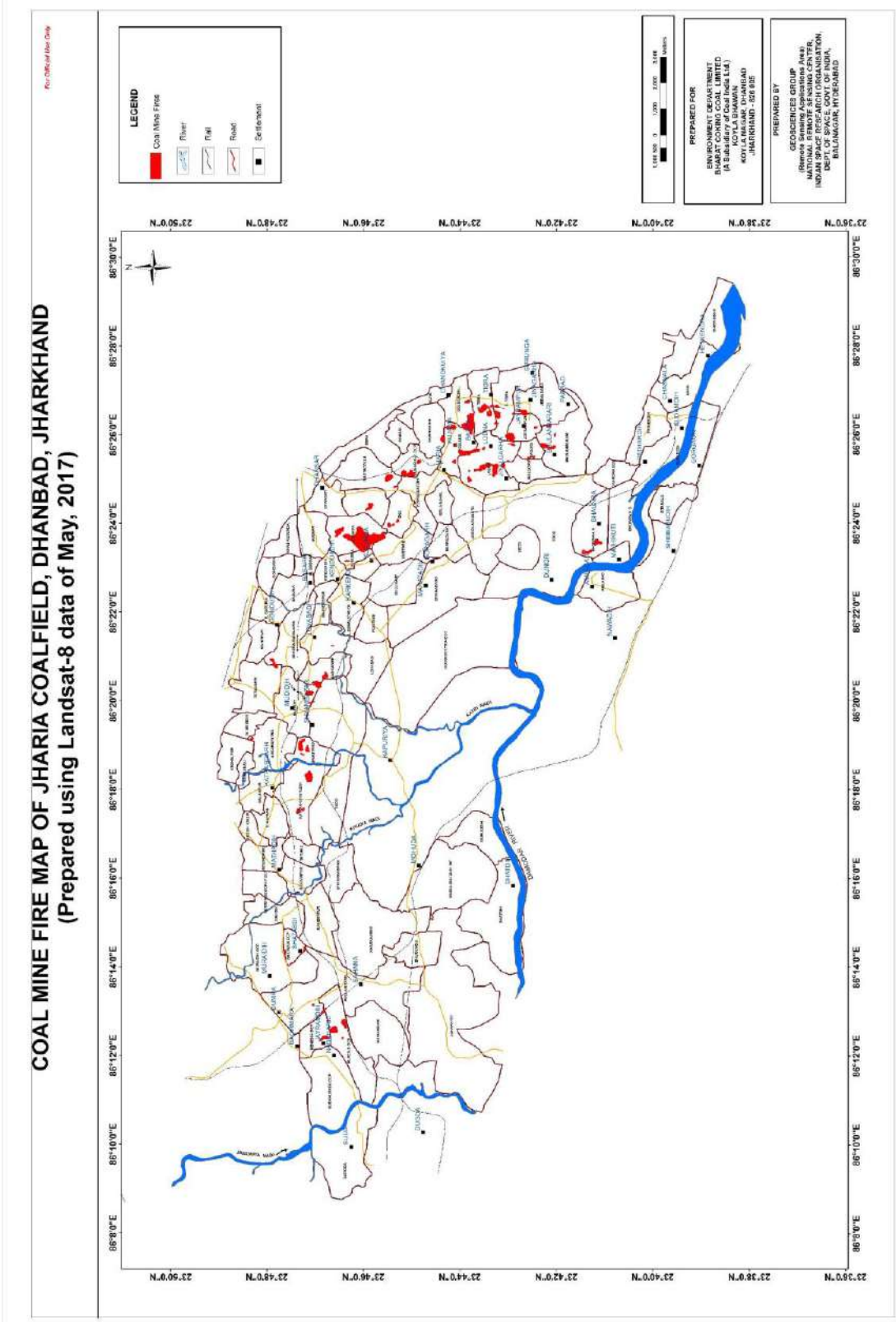

Figure 5: Coal mine fire map (May, 2017) of Jharia coal field, Dhanbad. The fire areas shown in this map have been verified in the field as per field points in figure 13.

4.2 Methodology For Subsidence Detection

4.2.1 Processing of ALOS-PALSAR 2 Data

Differential Interferometric SAR (DInSAR) techniques consist of combination of two SAR images of the same area acquired from slightly different positions (Figure 6).

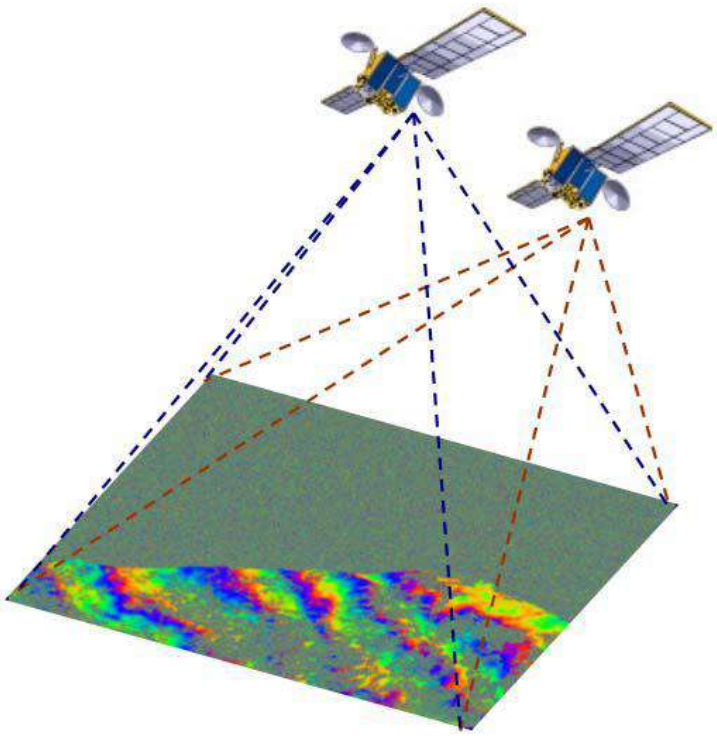

Figure 6. DInSAR acquisition scheme.

The result of this combination provides a new image, known as 'interferogram', whose phase component is formed by the following term:

$$\Delta\Phi Int = \Phi Topo + \Phi Mov + \Phi Atm + \Phi Noise \quad (3)$$

where, ΦTopo denotes the topographic component, ΦMov denotes the terrain deformation/ displacement component, ΦAtm is the noise component and ΦNoise is the thermal noise.

Topography, atmospheric effects and thermal noise needs to be removed or optimized to obtain precise measurements of terrain movement. When working with classical DInSAR interferograms (combination of two SAR images) the main problem is the presence of atmospheric artefacts, since there is no way to cancel them without a priori information. On the other hand, the term related with topography can be cancelled out using and external Digital Elevation Model (DEM) and the orbital ephemeris from the SAR acquisitions, considering no height errors on the DEM.

$$\Delta\Phi dif = \Phi ErrorTopo + \Phi Mov + \Phi Atm + \Phi Noise \qquad (ii)$$

Since the coal mine area is very dynamic in terms of its surfacial changes (open cast mine, abandoned mine, fire affected waste/reclaimed land, over burden dumps) over time, it is proposed to utilize an advanced DInSAR technique. It is a recent remarkable improvements in SAR differential interferometry that has led to an innovative approach based on the use of a large dataset of SAR images over the same area to overcome the intrinsic limitations of conventional DInSAR in terms of temporal and geometrical decorrelation as well as atmospheric disturbances (Ferretti et al 2001; Hooper et al 2004; Kampes, 2006; Lanari et al 2004; Mora et al 2003;Werner et al 2003).

Broad work flow diagram for generating land subsidence map using satellite based DInSAR technique is shown in Figure 7.

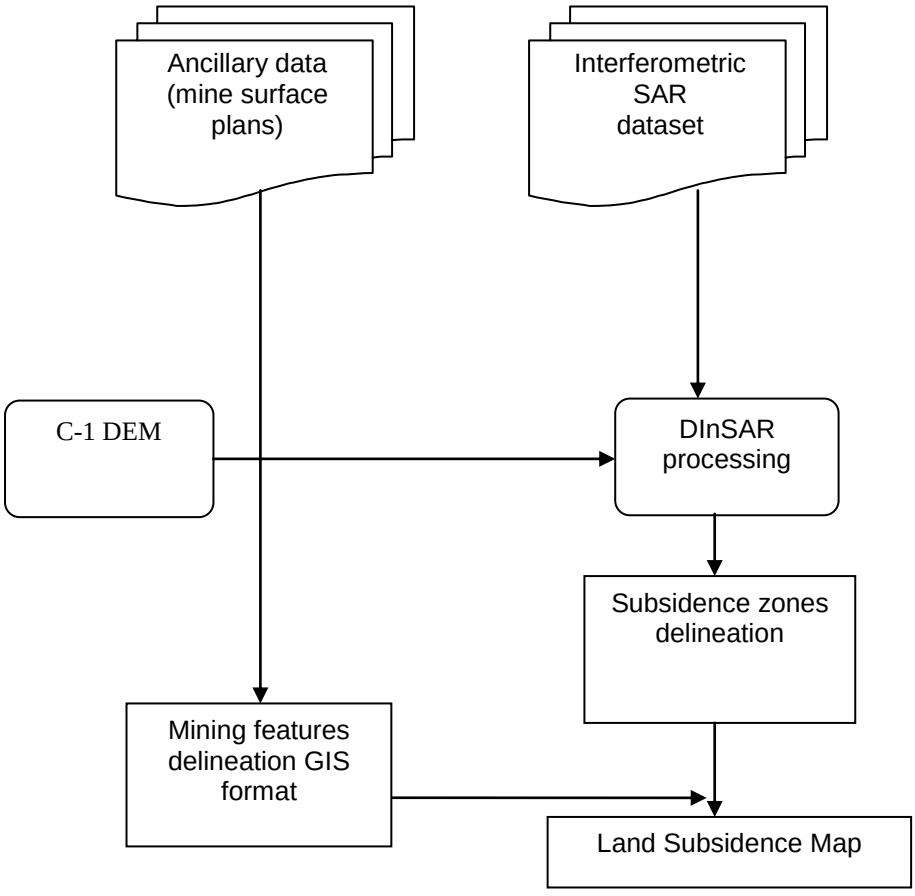

Figure 7. Work flow diagram for generating land subsidence map using DInSAR technique.

In the present study, 5 sets of ALOS-PALSAR L-band microwave data (as mentioned in table 1) were procured. The datasets were paired into master-slave pairs as per short and long temporal baselines. The short temporal baseslines include master slave pairs of time difference of six months or less, whereas long temporal baselines include data pairs of time difference of one year or more. This has been illustrated in figure 8.

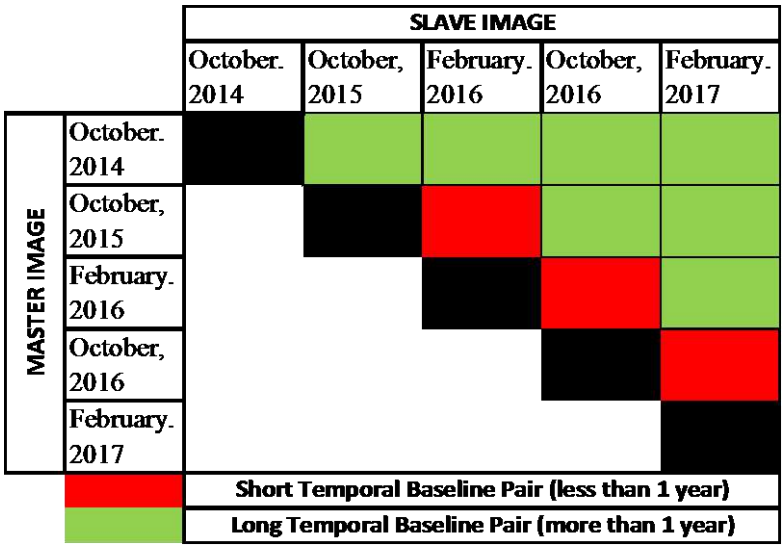

Figure 8. ALOS-PALSAR - 2 Master-Slave pairs for short and long temporal base line processing

The interferometric fringes generating from short baseline pairs will generally indicate terrain changes due to mining activity happening over a short period of time. This will include mining excavations and creation of new OB dumps adjacent to the mining area. Any incidences of slow land subsidence will not be demarcated in the results (figure 9).

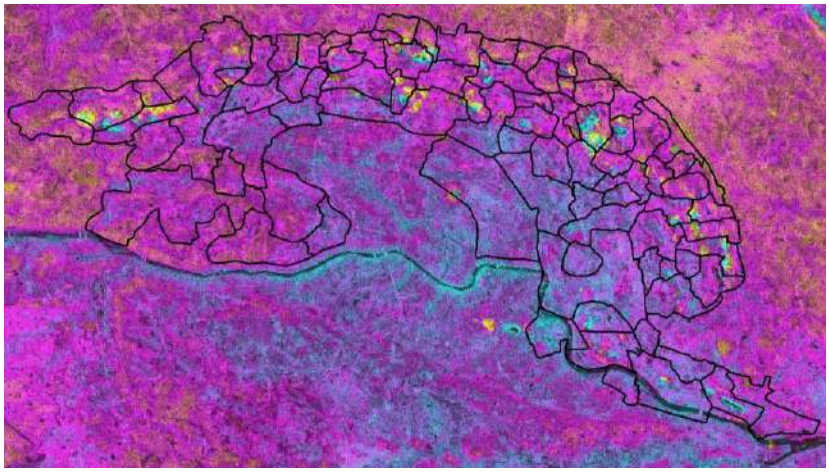

Figure 9. Fringe patterns generated from short baseline processing (e.g. Master: Oct, 16, Slave: Feb, 17).

On the other hand, master-slave pairs of long temporal baseline (one year or more, as shown in figure 8) will incorporate terrain changes due to mining activities as well, as long term ground subsidence from underground mining where ever present (figure 10).

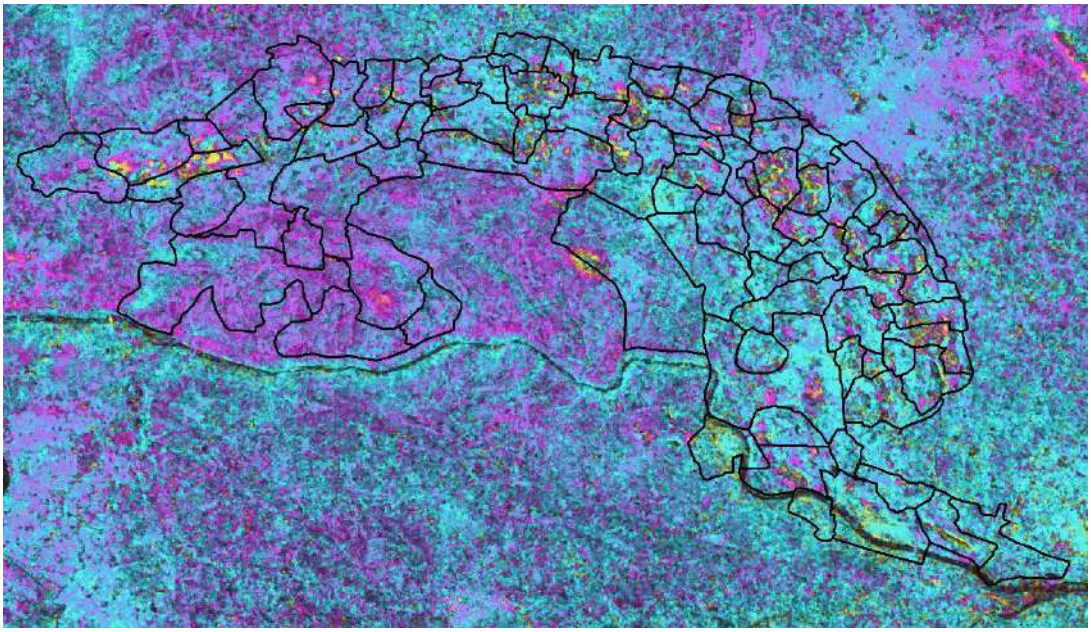

Figure 10. Fringe patterns generated from long baseline processing (e.g. Master: Oct, 15, Slave: Feb, 17).

The results from the long and short baseline processing can be compared and zone where fringes have been developed due to terrain changes due to mining excavation and dumping, can be systematically identified and demarcated. The remaining fringes from the long temporal baseline processing will then indicated towards zones where subsidence has taken place due to underground mining. Using this, a terrain change

map of the Jharia Coalfield was generated demarcating terrain changes due to mining activities and subsidence areas (Figure 11).

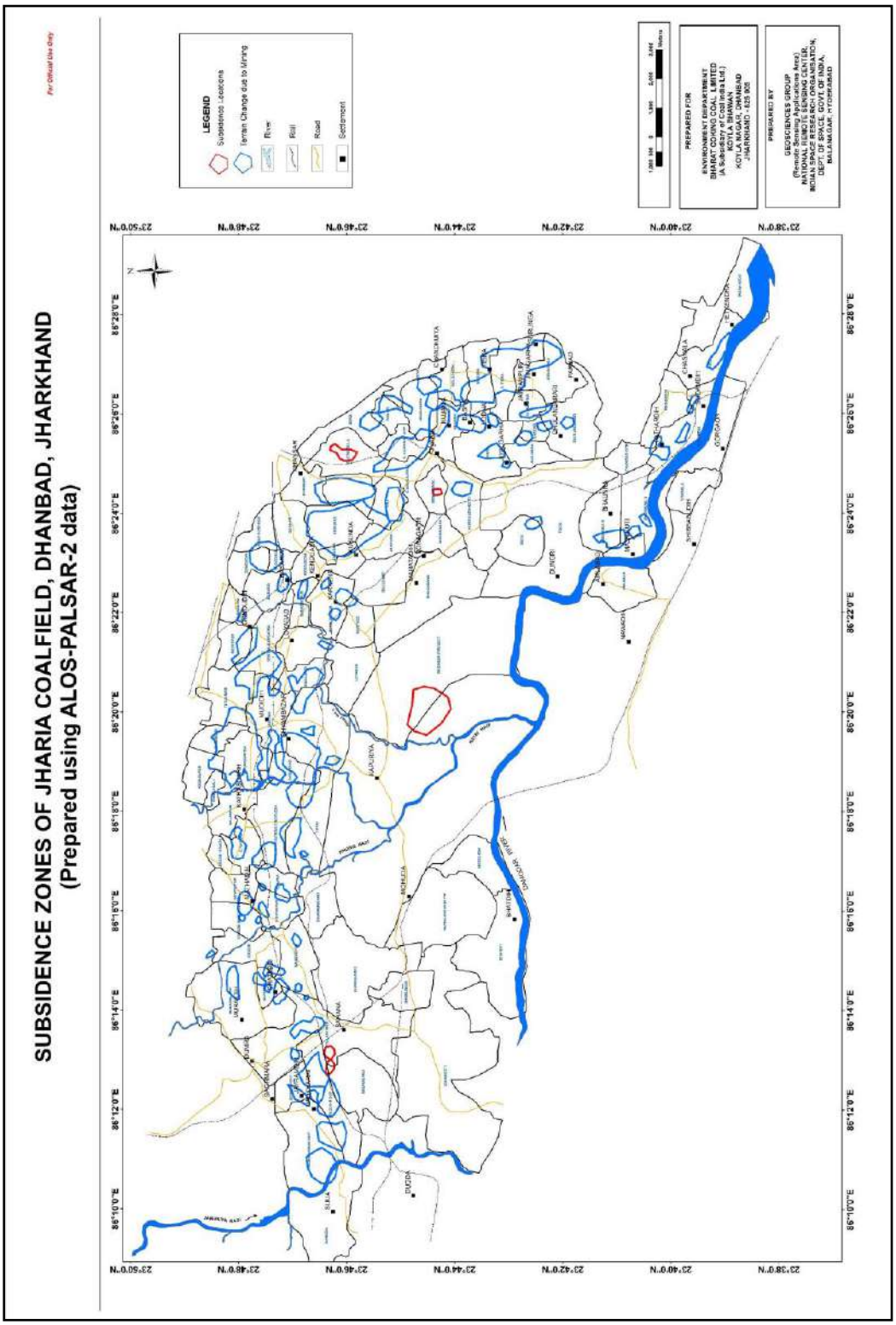

Figure 11: Subsidence map of Jharia coal field, Dhanbad.

CHAPTER V

FIELD WORK

A field work for verification of the coal fire locations and the subsidence zones as identified by the satellite data were taken up in December, 2017. A total of 53 coal fire points and 37 land subsidence locations were identified from the satellite data analysis. The locations of these points along with geographic coordinates were given to BCCL prior to the December, 2017 field work for their feedback on the status of these points. Out of the 53 coal fire locations identified, 52 points were confirmed to be fire bearing as per the present masterplan of the Jharia coalfield created by BCCL Both the coal fire and the subsidence locations were further independently verified by NRSC during the fieldwork in December, 2017. The locations and the observations are coal fire and subsidence are provided in annexure 1 and annexure 2 of this report respectively.

The salient overview of the field observations are as follows:

Coal-fire observations:

1. The coal fires as observed identified by the Landsat-8 data are mostly accurately delineated. Fires have been identified in the western, northern and eastern flank of the coalfield with considerable accuracy in the spatial locations.
2. In the eastern flank, the main fire affected mines are Kusunda, Lodna and Tisra. Active fires area present in the mines and fumes can be seen from the OB dumps. The Bhowra and Bhulanbarari mines also show presence of fire, however, the extent of the fire area appears to be underestimated in the data. Similarly, the extent of fires in Lodna and Tisra appears to have been overestimated in the data. The largest extent of fire in the single mine block is that in Kusunda.
3. In the northern flank, the main fire bearing mines are Katras, Gaslitand and Mudidih, However, it is seen that in these areas, the fires appears in pockets and are not pervasively present. The spatial extent of the fires on the ground and as estimated in the data can be correlated.

4. In the western flank, the Block II OCP is the primary fire affected region. However, it is seen that the Shatabdi OCP also bears fire pockets along semi-vertical mine walls, This is not identified in the data.

Subsidence location observations:

1. Subsidence locations as identified by the data area difficult to verify in the field, unless there are tell-tale signatures like large cracks or fissures on the ground or damage to anthropogenic constructions like vertical cracks on building cracks etc.
2. Out of the 37 identified subsidence locations from the microwave data, it is seen that 32 are due to terrain changes resulting from mining activities like ongoing excavations or formation of new mining dump. These decrease or increase in elevations has resulted in forming of interferometric fringes in the data thus creating false positives.
3. Five areas were firmly established as subsidence zones. Out of these, the main area where subsidence is occurring in a pervasive scale, is that in the Moonidih Underground Project. The Moonidih Project is an underground long wall mine where excavations are going on for over decades. This may have resulted in pervasive subsidence in the region. The signatures of subsidence such as ground cracks are observed in the area.
4. Two adjacent locations are observed south of the Block II OCP and in Phularitand mining block. This may be resulted due to older underground mining in the area. Signatures such as sagging of ground is seen.
5. Another minor subsidence region was identified around the Simlabahal underground mining project. This is again due to active underground mining in the area. A similar region was also observed in the northern part of the Bastacolla mines where active underground mining is ongoing.

In lieu of the observations in field on the fire and subsidence locations, few post field work correction in the coal fire and subsidence maps was necessitated and has been discussed in the next chapter.

CHAPTER VI

POST FIELDWORK ANALYSIS

As observed in the fieldwork, there were certain mine areas where the presence of fire was not detected by the satellite data. For example in Shatabdi and Bhulanbarari mine areas, the fire appears in small pockets on mine faces and was possibly not detected by the threshold temperature calculated for the entire mine area. On the other hand, in the Bhowra, Lodna and Tisra mine areas, the spatial extent of fire appears to have been overestimated by the regional threshold temperature use to separate the fire and the background areas.

Therefore, mine specific threshold temperature analysis was carried out for Shatabdi, Bhulanbarari, Bhowra, Lodna and Tisra mine areas to correctly depict the fire areas on the ground. The threshold temperature selected from each of these mine areas are given in Table 3.

Table 3: Threshold temperature for fire area estimation of individual mines.

Name of the Mine Block	Threshold Temperature (in °C)
Bhowra	38.5
Tisra (north and south)	North : 41; South : 40.5
Lodna	41
Bhulanbarari	38.5
Shatabdi	38

Using the threshold temperatures as mentioned in the table 3, the previously undetected fire areas in the Shatabdi and Bhulanbarari mines were detected. Further the spatial extent of the fire areas in Bhowra, Lodna and Tisra mines were changed to adequately represent the actual extent of the fire on the ground. These were incorporated in the coalfire map shown in figure 5.

CHAPTER VII

DISCUSSIONS AND CONCLUSIONS

7.1 Discussions

7.1.1 Coal fire analysis

The present study is aimed to provide the status of coal fire in the Jharia coal field for the period of 2017. Landsat-8 data of May, 2012 was used to prepare the coal mine fire map (Figure 5) for the year 2017. The data have 100 m spatial resolution in the thermal bands and is as on study date, the best thermal satellite data available. The Coal fire maps of 2017 when compared to map of 2012 (NRSC, 2014) depicts the dynamics of coal fire. Coal fire is difficult to mitigate because of its dynamic nature. But the understanding the trend in the shift of coal fire zones and over all distribution of coal fire will help in environmental and risk management related to coal mining activities.

The coal mine fire map for the year 2017 (Figure 5 illustrates the overall fire distribution in the area). The maps reveal that the coal fires are distributed across the Jharia coal field in pockets associated with major open cast mining activities. All most all the coal mine fires are restricted to the Barakar Formation where coal seams are exposed. In the eastern flank of the arcuate shaped mining extent, the collieries in Lodna and Tisra (North and South) is the highest fire affected mining blocks and Bhowra, Bhulanbarari, Kujama and Jharia are also affected by multiple smaller fire pockets. The fire in the areas is mostly manifested by high temperature fume cracks with occasional presence of active flames especially the the Lodna-Tisra area. Further, towards the north east, in Ena and Kusunda active fires are more prevalent and the area is extensively affected. The highest radiant temperatures (in order of ~50°C) are recorded by the satellite sensors in these areas. In the north, a large number of moderate to small fire pockets are seen in the areas around Shyambazar (Figure 5 & 6). These are related to the mining areas of Katras, Gaslitand, Mudidih and Kankanee. Mining activity, over the last few of years has exposed new, isolated and discontinuous fires in these regions.

In the western flank, three distinguishable fire affected zones are seen. Toward the western end of the mining area, the Benedih and Block II OCP are affected by smaller fires from isolated coal seams. These again are surfacialy manifested in the

form of fume cracks with smoke emanating from them. The Shatabdi OCP are also affected but fire is manifested in the along vertical mining wall sections.

Comparison of the 2017 coal fire map with that of 2012 (NRSC, 2014) indicated the dynamism in the spatial extent and distribution of the coal fires. The changes are highlighted as follows:

i. In reference to the map generated in 2012, the 2017 map shows that the emergence/re-emergence of fires in the eastern flank, namely Kujama, Tisra, Lodna and Jharia etc. The entire zone has been affected by multiple fire occurrences. The spatial disposition of fires in Bastacolla, Jharia and Bhulanbarari appear to have a minor increase.
ii. The areal extent of major fire zone around Kusunda/Kenduadih and Ena appears to remain the same, though here again the spatial location of the anomalies has changed. This is probably due to the mitigation and active mining in this region.
iii. The fire zones in Benedih/Block II OCP and Shatabdi OCP have also changed/diminished in areal extent with presence of isolated smaller anomalies. There has been a considerable reduction in fire areas in and around the Shatabdi OCP.
iv. The spatial disposition of fire areas around Katras, Gaslitand and Mudidih show minor change. In 2012, a number of small fire pockets were seen, however presently those fire pockets have given away to a few fire zones of moderate disposition.
v. It needs to be noted that the 2012 study was carried out using ASTER data whereas the present study is carried out using Landsat-8 data. Therefore, the difference of sensor sensitivities will have a influence on the way the fires are sensed on the ground. Difference of sensor sensitivities will influence the number of fires identified as well as the areal extent of the fires in the data.

In summary, there is a change in the areal disposition of the fires from 2012 to 2017. Observations suggest the emergence/re-emergence of new areas in the eastern flanks in areas around Lodna and Tisra. Concurrently, there is a decrease in extent of fire areas Shatabdi, Nadkhurkee area in the western flank from 2012 to 2017. A quantitative comparison of the 2012 and 2017 data was carried out. As compared

2012, when the total fire affected extent of about 2.18 km^2; in 2017 total fire affected extent is about 3.28 km^2. The colliery wise break-up of change in fire area from 2012 to 2017 is given in Annexure III.

7.1.2 Subsidence analysis

An attempt to identify subsidence zones in the Jharia Coalfield was also carried out using ALOS-PALSAR-2 L band microwave data using differential interferometric technique. 5 scenes of PALSAR-2 data spanning over a period of 2014 to 2017 were used to delineate the subsidence if any in the region and separately identify them from the terrain changes due to mining. Verification of the subsidence zones as seen from data is difficult as it requires visible signatures of subsidence in the form of cracks on the ground and damage to anthropogenic structures. In this study, data analysis and consequent field verification resulted in identification is 5 prominent subsidence areas. Of these, the major area where considerable ground subsidence is occurring is the Moonidih UG project. Long term underground mining has resulted in continuous subsidence in the area. Apart from this, the other four areas are south of Block II OCP, Simlabahal and Bastacolla. No quantitative estimates of the subsidence has been carried out in the study.

7.2 Conclusions

The following conclusions can be made:

1. As of the date of study in the year 2017 and in comparison with the previous study done in 2012, there has been a change in areal extent and disposition of the fire affected areas.
2. Compared to 2012, the eastern flanks (Lodna, Tisra areas) show considerable increase in fire disposition and the western flank (Shatabdi and Block II area) show diminished fire presence.
3. The major new fire areas are observed in the northern flank in the areas around Lodna and Tisra etc. These areas were not mapped as fire in the 2012 study.
4. The mines in Kenduadih and Lodna remain to be the worst affected with maximum presence of active fires.
5. There is a increase in areal extent of the fire (Figure 12) from 2012 to 2017.

Note: *Estimations of fire extent (in terms of sq.km.) both in 2012 and in the present 2017 study are pixel based. They do not represent the actual ground area under fire. These estimations are made for comparative purpose only, to indicate the increase or decrease of areal disposition of fire. Hence, they should not be quoted as fire area on the ground.*

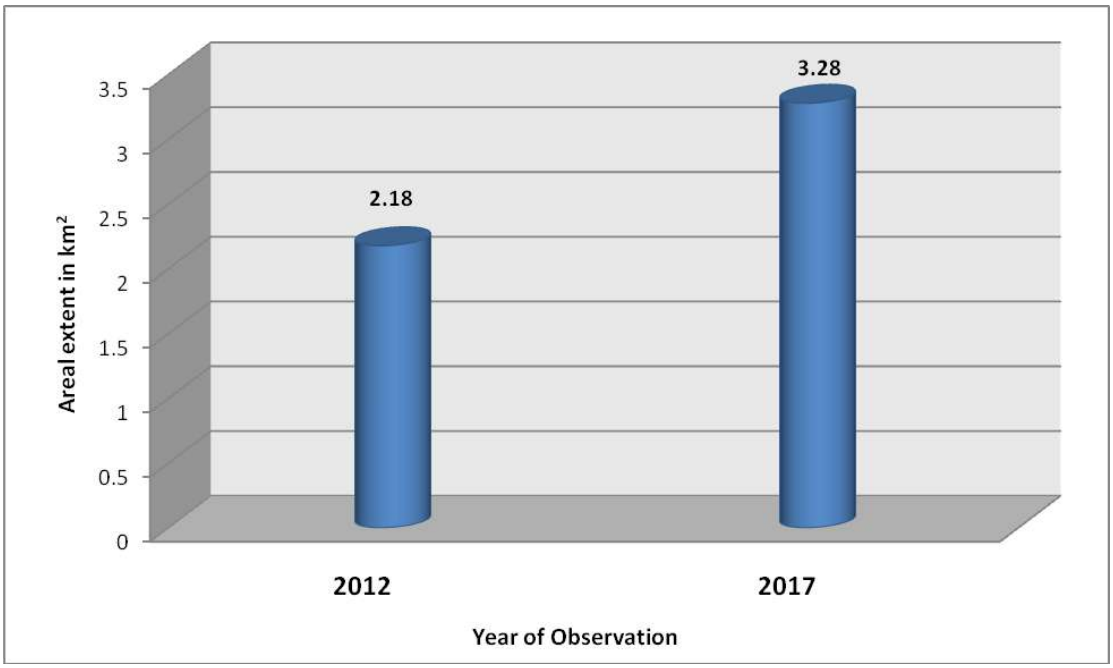

Figure 12: Total fire area statistics

CHAPTER VIII

LIMITATIONS

Delineation and mapping of coal fire from thermal data of remote sensing platforms carries with it some inherent limitations which needs to be understood in order to decipher the results obtained from it. This will assist is deducing the correct information and remove any ambiguity associated with the results. The key limitations of the data and the results obtained are as follows:

1) An anomalous pixel from LANDSAT data represents an area of 30m x 30m (resampled from spatial resolution of 100m) on the ground whose temperature is considerably higher than its surroundings. This can be attributed to two circumstances, namely the area has a very high intensity fire located within a smaller pocket or there are a number of low intensity fires spread across it. In both the mentioned cases the actual areal extent of the fire on the surface differs, but appears as a single anomalous pixel in the data. Hence, representation of fire affected ground area by means of pixel area is ambiguous and hence should be considered with caution.

2) There are locations as observed during the fieldwork, where coal seams are affected by active fires along vertical/semi-vertical sections of open cast mines (see cover page). In such cases, the actual areal expression of the fire affected area as seen by the sensor changes considerably and the representation from the same is not accurate.

3) As discussed in section 4.2.1, thresholding the data to separate the fires from the non fire areas, is a statistical technique. However, this method is dependent on how the temperature of non-fire background area is distinctive from the fire temperature.

4) The background temperatures vary with the time of the day when the data is collected, topography, and season of the year when the data is acquired. Night-time data has lower background temperature as compared to day-time. Similarly a data collected in October-November will have a considerably lower background temperature than that collected in May-June due to seasonal temperature variations. Hence, identification of the background temperature range becomes essential in

estimation of threshold temperature and the same varies depending upon the discussed controlling factors.

5) Generally, a constant threshold temperature is estimated over the entire study area, and the same is applied to delineate the fire areas from those of non-fire. However, it is seen that the application of such global thresholding may mask fires which are in turn seen in the field and that the threshold temperature value may vary locally. In the current scenario, it is seen that the fire locations as verified in the fieldwork at Bhulanbarari and Shatabdi were not identified in the data on application of a global threshold of 39°C. However, a subset of the data within the Bulanbarari area only, is analyzed with a lower threshold of 38.5°C, the fire pixels are manifested in the data. Hence, the appropriateness of a singular thresholding temperature value may need to be relooked upon. Future studies can be carried out using colliery wise statistical local thresholding to create a composite coal fire map.

6) Due to the mitigation measures taking place in various mines, it is seen that in a number of places the fire affected seam is excavated and dumped as overburden. However, these overburden dumps retains the excavated burning coals and thus are seen to have active fires occasionally. There lies a possibility that the same will be identified as anomalous pixels and hence, although the fire is not a part of any active coal seam, it will be included as a fire affected area in the final map.

7) Verification of the subsidence zones as detected from the interferometric technique is sometimes difficult due to lack in observable signatures of subsidence such as cracks on the ground and damage to anthropogenic structures.

Therefore, in quantitative estimation of fire affected areas and areas denoted as subsidence, the above mentioned limitations needs to be taken into account diligently, as it is inevitable that the area estimate will not define the actual fire/subsidence affected area on the ground. However, the areal extent estimated from the data can be "like to like" compared to earlier estimates of similar studies to understand the change and dynamism of the fire in terms of area affected and spatial disposition.

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Annexure –I

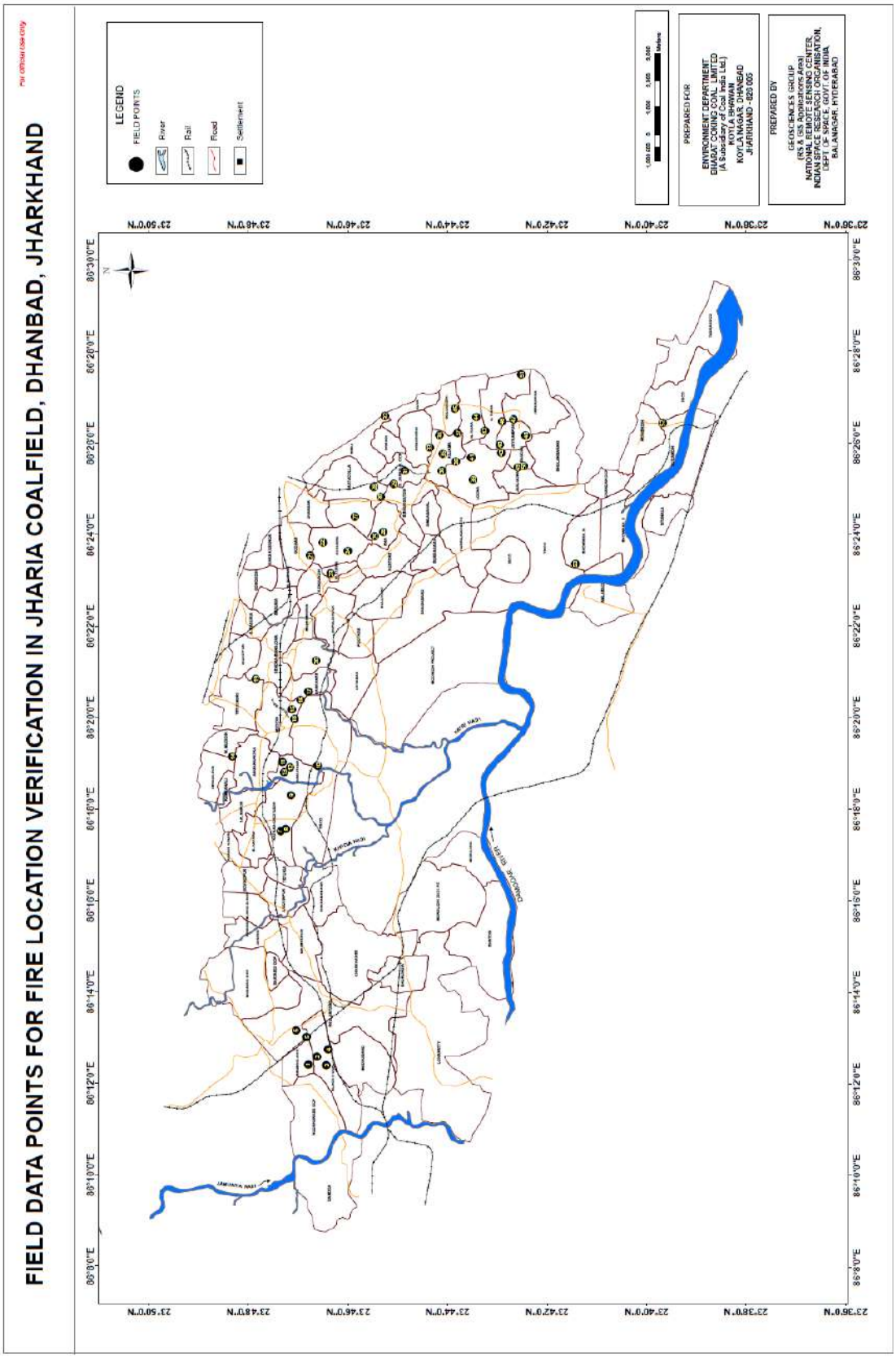

Figure 13. Field data points for coal fire verification

Table – 4: Coal Fire observations during fieldwork (see figure 13 for reference)

SL. No.	Point of Observations		Comments		
	Latitude	Longitude	Type of Mining Activity	Presence of Coal Fire	Mine name and Any other Comments
1	23.7801	86.2068	OB Dump	Fire	ABOCP
2	23.7771	86.2097	Active Mine	Fire	ABOCP
3	23.7739	86.2066	Active Mine	Fire	ABOCP
4	23.7733	86.2124	OB Dump	Fire	ABOCP
5	23.7806	86.2168	No Working	Fire	ABOCP
6	23.7841	86.2192	No Working	Fire	Phularitand
7	23.7893	86.2919	No Working	Fire	Katras Chatudih
8	23.7875	86.2926	No Working	Fire	Katras Chatudih
9	23.7857	86.3049	Working	Fire	Gaslitand
10	23.7768	86.3157	Outside Jharia Mines		Tata
11	23.7887	86.3170	OB Dump	Fire	Gaslitand
12	23.7862	86.3151	OB Dump	Fire	Gaslitand
13	23.7880	86.3133	OB Dump	Fire	Gaslitand
14	23.8054	86.3191	Working	Fire	AKWMC
15	23.7855	86.3363	OB Dump	Fire	Mudidh
16	23.7826	86.3397	Working	Fire	Kankanee
17	23.7800	86.3427	Working	Fire	Kankanee
18	23.7848	86.3327	OB Dump	Fire	Mudidih
19	23.7977	86.3473	OB Dump	Fire	Sendra Bansjora
20	23.7775	86.3540	OB Dump	Fire	Loyabad
21	23.7793	86.3924	No Working	No fire	Kusunda (Domestic coal burning)
22	23.7753	86.3970	Working	Fire	Kusunda
23	23.7724	86.3858	Working	Fire	Kusunda
24	23.7669	86.3940	OB Dump	Fire	Kusunda
25	23.7578	86.3993	OB Dump	Fire	Ena
26	23.7550	86.4009	OB Dump	Fire	Ena
27	23.7645	86.4065	Working	Fire	ADIC
28	23.7580	86.4172	Old Quarry	Fire	ROCP
29	23.7515	86.4184	OB Dump	Fire	ROCP
30	23.7559	86.4137	OB Dump	Fire	ROCP
31	23.7476	86.4232	Working	Fire	ROCP
32	23.7543	86.4431	Outside Jharia Mines		Unknown site (Out side of Kuya)
33	23.7394	86.4317	Active Mine	Fire	Ghanoodih
34	23.7360	86.4362	OB dump	Fire	Goluckdih
35	23.7349	86.4293	OB Dump	Fire	Kujama
36	23.7354	86.4232	No Working	Fire	Kujama
37	23.7301	86.4369	Working	Fire	NT-ST
38	23.7305	86.4265	OB dump	Fire	Kujama
39	23.7249	86.4200	No Working	Fire	Lodna
40	23.7159	86.4327	Working	Fire	Joyrampur
41	23.7254	86.4280	No Working	No fire	Lodna
42	23.7209	86.4376	Working	Fire	NT-ST
43	23.7154	86.4296	Working	Fire	Lodna
44	23.7238	86.4427	Working	Fire	NT-ST
45	23.7309	86.4457	OB dump	Fire	NT-ST
46	23.7151	86.4412	Active Mine	Yes	NT-ST
47	23.7114	86.4419	OB Dump	Fire	NT-ST
48	23.7073	86.4360	Active Mine	Fire	Joyrampur
49	23.7097	86.4243	Working	Fire	Bagdigi/Joyrampur
50	23.7079	86.4249	Active Mine	Fire	Bagdigi/Joyrampur
51	23.7086	86.4582	Outside Jharia Mines		Unknown site (Out side of NT-ST)
52	23.6614	86.4404	Outside Jharia Mines		Chasnala
53	23.6906	86.3892	OB dump	Fire	Bhowrah (North)

Annexure –II

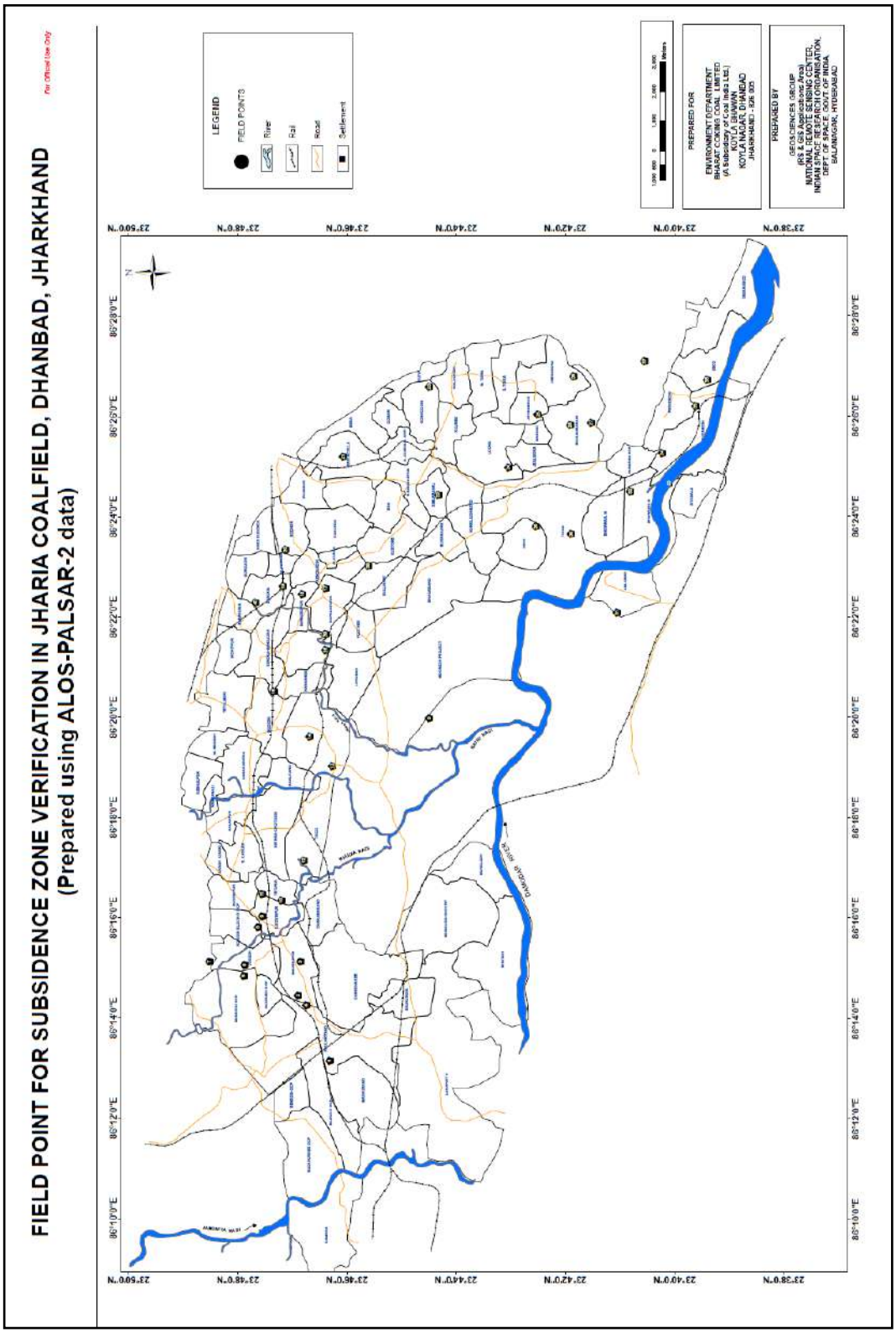

Figure 14. Field data points for subsidence verification

Table – 5: Coal Fire observations during fieldwork (see figure 14 for reference)

	Point of Observations		Comments	
Sr. no.	Latitude	Longitude	Mine name and Any other Comments	Signs of Subsidence (crack on building/ground crack etc.)
0	**23.7416**	**86.3338**	Moonidih UG Project	Sagged area, Building damage
1	**23.7722**	**86.2192**	South of Block II (2 areas)	Cracks on the ground
2	**23.7817**	**86.2409**	Terrain Change due to mining	
3	**23.7811**	**86.2521**	Terrain Change due to mining	
4	**23.7792**	**86.2376**	Terrain Change due to mining	
5	**23.7983**	**86.2473**	Terrain Change due to mining	
6	**23.7981**	**86.2510**	Terrain Change due to mining	
7	**23.8088**	**86.2521**	Terrain Change due to mining	
8	**23.7941**	**86.2636**	Terrain Change due to mining	
9	**23.7926**	**86.2671**	Terrain Change due to mining	
10	**23.7868**	**86.2724**	Terrain Change due to mining	
11	**23.7928**	**86.2746**	Terrain Change due to mining	
12	**23.7800**	**86.2857**	Terrain Change due to mining	
13	**23.7713**	**86.3171**	Terrain Change due to mining	
14	**23.7783**	**86.3270**	Terrain Change due to mining	
15	**23.7893**	**86.3419**	Terrain Change due to mining	
16	**23.7734**	**86.3556**	Terrain Change due to mining	
17	**23.7734**	**86.3762**	Terrain Change due to mining	
18	**23.7804**	**86.3742**	Terrain Change due to mining	
19	**23.7865**	**86.3769**	Terrain Change due to mining	
20	**23.7855**	**86.3890**	Terrain Change due to mining	
21	**23.7679**	**86.4199**	Bastacolla	Sagged areas
22	**23.7390**	**86.4071**	Simlabahal UG	Sagged areas
23	**23.7417**	**86.4431**	Terrain Change due to mining	
24	**23.7176**	**86.4163**	Terrain Change due to mining	
25	**23.7085**	**86.4339**	Terrain Change due to mining	
26	**23.6986**	**86.4304**	Terrain Change due to mining	
27	**23.6923**	**86.4312**	Terrain Change due to mining	
28	**23.6977**	**86.4466**	Terrain Change due to mining	
29	**23.7092**	**86.3967**	Terrain Change due to mining	
30	**23.6985**	**86.3942**	Terrain Change due to mining	
31	**23.6845**	**86.3681**	Terrain Change due to mining	
32	**23.6804**	**86.4083**	Terrain Change due to mining	
33	**23.6685**	**86.4110**	Terrain Change due to mining	
34	**23.6706**	**86.4211**	Terrain Change due to mining	
35	**23.6603**	**86.4366**	Terrain Change due to mining	
36	**23.6568**	**86.4454**	Terrain Change due to mining	
37	**23.6760**	**86.4516**	Terrain Change due to mining	
38	**23.7603**	**86.3836**	Terrain Change due to mining	
39	**23.7734**	**86.3609**	Terrain Change due to mining	
40	**23.7948**	**86.3715**	Terrain Change due to mining	

Annexure –III

SL. NO.	COLLIERY AREA NAME	FIRE AREA 2012 (SQ. KM.)	FIRE AREA 2017 (SQ. KM.)	AREA CHANGE (SQ. KM.)	Increase/Decrease
1	DAMODA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
2	TISCO (west)	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
3	IISCO	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
4	TISCO (north)	0.0885	0.0153	-0.073	**DECREASE**
5	NUDKHURKEE OCP	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
6	BENEDIH OCP	0.0530	0.0453	-0.008	**DECREASE**
7	BLOCK-II OCP	0.0530	0.1353	0.082	**INCREASE**
8	MURAIDIH OCP	0.1478	0.0022	-0.146	**DECREASE**
9	SHATABDI OCP	0.0378	0.0361	-0.002	**DECREASE**
10	TETURIA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
11	S.GOVINDPUR	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
12	KORIDIH BLOCK-IV OCP	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
13	JOGIDIH	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
14	DHARAMABAND	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
15	MAHESHPUR	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
16	PHULARITAND	0.0133	0.0205	0.007	**INCREASE**
17	MADHUBAND	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
18	AKASH KINARI	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
19	GOVINDPUR	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
20	E. KATRAS	0.0133	0.0000	-0.013	**DECREASE**
21	KATRAS-CHOITUDIH	0.1021	0.1368	0.035	**INCREASE**
22	KESHALPUR	0.0000	0.0013	0.001	**INCREASE**
23	RAMKANALI	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
24	NICHITPUR	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
25	E. BASURIA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
26	KHAS KUSUNDA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
27	GONDUDIH	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
28	W. GODHAR	0.0012	0.0000	-0.001	**DECREASE**
29	BASURIA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
30	TETULMARI	0.0223	0.0220	0.000	**DECREASE**
31	DHANSAR	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
32	GODHAR	0.1073	0.0000	-0.107	**DECREASE**
33	INDUSTRY	0.0119	0.0513	0.039	**INCREASE**
34	KUSUNDA	0.4243	0.7398	0.315	**INCREASE**
35	SENDRA-BANSJORA	0.0796	0.0275	-0.052	**DECREASE**
36	BASTACOLLA	0.0663	0.0810	0.015	**INCREASE**
37	BERA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
38	KUYA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
39	GOLUCKDIH	0.0301	0.1122	0.082	**INCREASE**
40	KUJAMA	0.0398	0.2404	0.201	**INCREASE**

41	S. JHARIA-R. OCP	0.0244	0.1118	0.087	INCREASE
42	DOBARI	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
43	GONHOODIH	0.0398	0.0322	-0.008	DECREASE
44	SIMLABAHAL	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
45	HURRILADIH&STD	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
46	ENA	0.0918	0.0432	-0.049	DECREASE
47	BURRAGARH	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
48	N. TISRA	0.0098	0.1802	0.170	INCREASE
49	LODNA	0.0000	0.3527	0.353	INCREASE
50	S. TISRA	0.0000	0.1015	0.102	INCREASE
51	BARAREE	0.1037	0.1074	0.004	INCREASE
52	AMLABAD	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
53	PATHERDIH	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
54	SUDAMDIH	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
55	SITANALA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
56	MURULIDIH 20/21 PIT	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
57	MURULIDIH	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
58	BHATDIH	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
59	LOHAPATTY	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
60	IISCO	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
61	TASRA-IISCO	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
62	KENDUADIH	0.0610	0.0000	-0.061	DECREASE
63	BULLIHARY	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
64	GOPALICHUCK	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
65	POOTKEE	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
66	BHURUNGIA	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
67	KHARKHAREE	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
68	GASLITAND	0.1194	0.1215	0.002	INCREASE
69	KANKANEE	0.0530	0.0525	-0.001	DECREASE
70	MUDIDIH	0.1141	0.1104	-0.004	DECREASE
71	W. MUDIDIH	0.0171	0.0000	-0.017	DECREASE
72	LOYABAD	0.0133	0.0063	-0.007	DECREASE
73	BHAGABAND	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
74	MOONIDIH PROJECT	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
75	E.BHUGGATDIH	0.0022	0.0214	0.019	INCREASE
76	ALKUSHA	0.0326	0.0294	-0.003	DECREASE
77	KUSTORE	0.0524	0.0463	-0.006	DECREASE
78	ANGARAPATRA	0.1331	0.0149	-0.118	DECREASE
79	SALANPUR	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
80	BHOWRAH. N	0.0133	0.0980	0.085	INCREASE
81	BHOWRAH. S	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	NO FIRE
82	BAGDIGI	0.0000	0.0209	0.021	INCREASE
83	JEALGORA	0.0000	0.0067	0.007	INCREASE
84	JEENAGORA	0.0000	0.0470	0.047	NO FIRE

85	JOYRAMPUR	0.0099	0.1042	0.094	**INCREASE**
86	CHANDAN OCP	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
87	BANSDEOPUR	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	**NO FIRE**
	TOTAL AREA	**2.18**	**3.28**	**1.10**	**INCREASE**

Table 6: Colliery wise break-up of change in fire area from 2012 to 2017

Note:
1) "**NO FIRE**" implicates that the fire has not been identified satellite data *(either absent or below sensor resolution)*
2) "**INCREASE**" implies, increase in fire area OR emergence of fire areas not identified in 2012 study.
3) "**DECREASE**" implies, decrease in fire area OR fire areas of 2012, which are not identified in present study *(either absent or below sensor resolution).*
4) Estimations of fire extent (in terms of sq.km.) both 2012 and in present 2017 study are pixel based. They do not represent the actual ground area under fire. These estimations are made for comparative purpose only, to indicate the increase or decrease of areal disposition of fire. Hence, they should not be quoted as fire area on the ground.

Annexure –IV

Figure 15: Fume cracks in Lodna-Tisra Area. (point 39 in figure 13 and table 4)

Figure 16: Burnt area near OB dump in Lodna area (point 41 in figure 13 and table 4)

Figure 17: Coalfries in active seams in Kusunda (point 23 in figure 13 and table 4)

Figure 18: Sagged area due to subsidence, south of Block II OCP. (point 1 in figure 14 and table 5)

Figure 19: Fire in OB dumps in Kusunda area. (point 24 in figure 13 and table 4)

Figure 20: Fume cracks in the Bhulanbarari area.

Annexure-II

Deposit in Escrow Accounts with Bank of Baroda/Union Bank of India

Rs. In lakhs

Sr No	ESCROW ACCOUNT AT BOB	A/C No	Deposit									Interest									G Total
			2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total	
1	MURAIDIH,SHATBDI GRP.OF MINES	00150100008816	270.79	284.33	298.55	313.48	329.15	345.61	-	-	**1,841.91**	10.30	26.70	50.67	63.11	81.78	109.71	141.91	138.81	**622.98**	**2,464.89**
2	PHULARITAND MIXED MINES	00150100009052	184.48	193.70	203.39	213.56	224.24	235.45	-	-	**1,254.82**	-	17.44	34.05	53.37	53.81	70.57	96.43	94.28	**419.95**	**1,674.77**
3	DAMODA GRP OF MINES	00150100008869	109.74	115.22	120.99	127.03	133.39	140.06	147.06	233.90	**1,127.38**	3.33	10.59	20.44	28.14	33.23	44.40	57.63	72.89	**270.64**	**1,398.03**
4	AMAL MURAIDIH PHULARITAND	00150100012014							-	608.79	**608.79**							-	4.53	**4.53**	**613.32**
5	MADHUBAND UG MINE	469403800000280							227.89	12.65	**240.54**							0.07	12.21	**12.28**	**252.81**
	TOTAL		**565.01**	**593.26**	**622.92**	**654.07**	**686.77**	**721.12**	**374.95**	**855.35**	**5,073.45**	**13.63**	**54.72**	**105.16**	**144.62**	**168.81**	**224.68**	**296.03**	**322.72**	**1,330.37**	**6,403.81**
6	AMAL BLOCK II MINE	00150100009044	207.40	217.77	228.65	240.09	252.09	264.70	199.23	227.86	**1,837.78**	-	19.60	38.28	60.00	60.50	79.34	108.44	120.70	**486.86**	**2,324.64**
	TOTAL		**207.40**	**217.77**	**228.65**	**240.09**	**252.09**	**264.70**	**199.23**	**227.86**	**1,837.78**	**-**	**19.60**	**38.28**	**60.00**	**60.50**	**79.34**	**108.44**	**120.70**	**486.86**	**2,324.64**
8	MAHESHPUR COLLIERY	00150100008836	38.40	15.84	16.63	17.46	18.34	19.25	20.22	21.23	**167.37**	1.46	3.73	5.09	5.47	6.46	8.18	10.16	12.47	**53.02**	**220.39**
9	KHARKHAREE COLLIERY	00150100008824	16.02	16.82	17.66	18.54	19.47	20.44	21.46	22.53	**152.94**	0.61	1.56	3.00	3.75	4.84	6.49	8.40	10.62	**39.26**	**192.20**
10	JOGIDIH COLLIERY	00150100008823	39.85	8.58	9.01	9.46	9.94	10.43	10.96	11.50	**109.73**	1.52	3.87	4.61	4.55	5.05	6.12	7.34	8.77	**41.83**	**151.56**
11	GOVINDPUR UG	00150100008835	20.58	21.61	22.68	23.82	25.01	26.26	27.58	28.96	**196.50**	0.78	2.00	3.85	4.82	6.21	8.34	10.79	13.65	**50.44**	**246.94**
12	BLOCK IV /KOORIDIH MINE	00150100008834	100.83	105.87	111.16	116.72	122.56	128.68	135.12	141.88	**962.82**	3.84	9.80	18.85	23.62	30.45	40.85	52.86	60.69	**240.95**	**1,203.77**
13	NAKC	00150100008831	60.59	63.62	66.80	70.14	73.65	77.34	81.19	85.26	**578.59**	2.31	5.89	11.33	14.19	18.30	24.55	31.77	36.47	**144.80**	**723.39**
	TOTAL		**276.27**	**232.34**	**243.94**	**256.14**	**268.97**	**282.40**	**296.53**	**311.36**	**2,167.95**	**10.51**	**26.85**	**46.72**	**56.41**	**71.30**	**94.51**	**121.31**	**142.67**	**570.29**	**2,738.24**
14	AKWMC	00150100009051	189.04	198.50	208.42	218.84	133.38	140.05	147.05	154.40	**1,389.68**	-	17.87	34.89	54.69	55.14	66.54	85.62	93.34	**408.10**	**1,797.77**
15	AARC	00150100009053	51.05	19.48	20.45	21.48	97.27	102.13	107.24	112.60	**531.68**	-	4.82	6.48	8.62	7.47	14.42	23.00	32.32	**97.12**	**628.81**
16	SALANPUR UG MINE	00150100009050	84.13	20.08	21.09	22.14	44.47	46.69	49.02	51.47	**339.09**	-	7.95	9.65	12.05	10.61	13.91	19.03	24.10	**97.31**	**436.39**
17	KATRAS CHAITUDIH	00150100010086	-	82.12	86.23	90.54	114.64	120.37	126.39	132.71	**752.99**	-	-	6.09	14.12	22.62	33.77	37.45	49.05	**163.09**	**916.08**
18	GASLITAND COLLIERY	00150100011048	-	-	-	-	99.98	104.98	110.22	115.74	**430.91**	-	-	-	-	0.02	5.77	13.71	22.62	**42.12**	**473.03**
	TOTAL		**324.22**	**320.18**	**336.19**	**352.99**	**489.73**	**514.21**	**539.92**	**566.92**	**3,444.35**	**-**	**30.64**	**57.12**	**89.48**	**95.85**	**134.40**	**178.81**	**221.43**	**807.74**	**4,252.08**
19	NICHITPUR COLLIERY	00150100008825	99.66	104.64	109.88	115.37	121.14	127.20	133.56	67.81	**879.26**	3.79	9.68	18.64	23.35	30.09	40.37	52.25	63.18	**241.36**	**1,120.61**
20	TETULMARI COLLIERY	00150100008833	129.16	135.62	142.40	149.52	156.99	164.84	173.09	181.74	**1,233.36**	4.91	12.55	24.15	30.26	39.00	52.32	67.71	80.28	**311.20**	**1,544.56**
21	SENDRA BANSJORA COLLIERY	00150100008832	52.96	55.61	58.39	61.31	63.51	66.69	70.02	73.52	**502.01**	2.02	5.15	9.90	12.41	15.99	21.40	27.65	30.81	**125.32**	**627.33**
22	MUDIDIH COLLIERY	00150100008829	118.24	124.15	130.36	136.87	143.72	150.90	158.45	166.37	**1,129.06**	4.50	11.49	22.11	27.70	35.70	47.90	61.99	78.43	**289.82**	**1,418.88**
23	LOYABAD COLLIERY	00150100008826	83.75	19.73	20.72	21.75	22.84	23.98	25.18	26.44	**244.39**	3.19	8.14	9.82	9.80	10.98	13.37	16.12	19.33	**90.75**	**335.14**
24	KANKANEE COLLIERY	00150100010973	-	-	-	-	161.44	169.51	177.99	186.88	**695.82**	-	-	-	-	0.02	9.59	22.16	36.10	**67.88**	**763.70**
25	BANSDEOPUR COLLIERY	00150100011831							125.28	91.36	**216.64**							0.02	7.20	**7.22**	**223.86**
	TOTAL		**483.77**	**439.75**	**461.75**	**484.82**	**669.64**	**703.12**	**863.56**	**794.12**	**4,900.53**	**18.41**	**47.01**	**84.63**	**103.51**	**131.79**	**184.96**	**247.90**	**315.33**	**1,133.55**	**6,034.08**
26	KUSUNDA OCP	00150100008870	103.82	109.01	114.46	120.18	126.19	132.50	139.13	146.08	**991.38**	3.15	10.01	19.34	26.62	31.43	42.01	54.52	68.96	**256.05**	**1,247.43**
27	EAST BASSURIYA OC	00150100008876	48.31	50.72	53.26	55.92	58.72	61.65	64.73	67.97	**461.28**	1.47	4.66	9.00	12.39	14.63	19.54	25.37	32.09	**119.14**	**580.41**
28	DHANSAR(ADIC)	00150100008939	92.02	96.62	101.45	106.52	111.85	49.21	46.36	48.68	**652.72**	1.40	8.80	17.11	24.60	27.68	35.75	43.74	50.99	**210.05**	**862.77**
29	GODHUR GRP OF MINES	00150100009048	55.23	57.99	60.89	63.94	67.13	70.49	74.01	77.72	**527.41**	-	5.22	10.19	15.98	15.98	21.12	28.87	37.01	**134.38**	**661.79**
30	BASSURIYA UG MINE	00150100008944	151.88	5.91	6.21	6.52	6.85	7.19	7.55	7.92	**200.03**	2.30	14.52	15.03	15.18	13.60	14.47	16.87	18.98	**110.95**	**310.98**
31	GONDUDIH/KHAS KUSUNDA OC	00150100008875	134.40	141.12	148.18	155.59	163.37	171.53	180.11	189.12	**1,283.41**	4.08	12.96	25.04	34.46	40.69	54.38	70.58	89.28	**331.47**	**1,614.88**
32	ENA OCP	00150100008938	47.67	50.05	52.55	55.18	57.94	62.08	65.19	68.45	**459.10**	0.72	4.56	8.86	12.74	14.34	18.52	25.04	31.76	**116.54**	**575.64**
	TOTAL		**633.33**	**511.43**	**537.00**	**563.85**	**592.04**	**554.66**	**577.08**	**605.94**	**4,575.32**	**13.11**	**60.73**	**104.57**	**141.97**	**158.35**	**205.79**	**264.99**	**329.07**	**1,278.57**	**5,853.89**
33	PB GRP OF MINES	00150100009045	84.91	34.30	36.02	37.82	39.71	41.70	43.78	45.97	**364.20**	-	8.03	10.95	14.69	13.58	16.77	22.00	27.01	**113.02**	**477.22**
34	BURRAGARH UG	00150100008821	6.67	7.00	7.35	7.72	8.11	8.51	8.94	9.38	**63.68**	0.25	0.65	1.25	1.56	2.01	2.64	3.31	4.18	**15.86**	**79.54**
35	HURRLADIH UG	00150100008820	8.49	7.22	7.58	7.96	8.35	8.77	9.21	9.67	**67.25**	0.32	0.83	1.44	1.56	2.20	2.85	3.55	4.46	**17.21**	**84.46**
36	BHUTGORIA UG	00150100008818	7.43	7.80	8.19	8.60	9.03	9.48	9.95	10.45	**70.93**	0.28	0.72	1.39	1.74	2.24	2.94	3.69	4.66	**17.67**	**88.60**
37	GOPALICHOK UG	00150100008819	75.49	11.06	11.61	12.19	-	-	-	-	**110.35**	2.87	7.34	8.28	7.86	8.48	9.21	10.03	10.99	**65.07**	**175.42**
38	GOPALICHOK MINE	00150100010972	-	-	-	-	61.76	64.85	68.09	71.49	**266.19**	-	-	-	-	0.01	3.67	8.48	13.81	**25.97**	**292.16**
39	KENDWADIH OC MINE	00150100011209						56.76	59.59	62.57	**178.92**						0.02	3.49	7.59	**11.10**	**190.02**
	TOTAL		**182.99**	**67.38**	**70.75**	**74.29**	**126.96**	**190.06**	**199.56**	**209.54**	**1,121.52**	**3.73**	**17.56**	**23.31**	**27.42**	**28.52**	**38.10**	**54.56**	**72.70**	**265.89**	**1,387.41**
40	BASTACOLLA COLLIERY	00150100008877	20.63	21.67	22.75	23.89	25.08	26.33	27.65	144.06	**312.05**	0.63	1.99	3.84	5.29	6.25	8.35	10.84	13.71	**50.89**	**362.94**
41	BERA COLLIERY	00150100008873	48.69	51.13	53.69	56.37	20.92	21.97	23.06	-	**275.83**	1.48	4.83	9.08	12.50	14.75	17.29	20.32	22.56	**102.82**	**378.65**
42	DOBARI COLLIERY	00150100008935	5.50	5.78	172.22	180.83	189.87	99.88	155.83	163.62	**973.51**	0.08	0.53	1.02	14.83	22.69	36.07	47.41	54.07	**176.72**	**1,150.23**
43	GANHOODIH OCP	00150100008936	78.35	82.27	86.38	90.70	95.23	99.99	104.99	-	**637.91**	1.19	7.49	14.57	20.94	23.57	30.44	41.03	46.01	**185.22**	**823.14**
44	SIMLABAHAL COLLIERY	00150100008822	11.27	8.42	8.84	9.28	9.75	364.76	127.50	133.87	**673.69**	0.43	1.10	1.82	2.15	2.69	3.54	27.57	38.67	**77.96**	**751.65**
45	KUYA GRP OF MINES	00150100008874	165.03	173.29	181.95	191.05	200.60	138.22	145.13	152.38	**1,347.65**	5.01	15.92	30.74	42.32	49.97	66.77	81.95	94.48	**387.15**	**1,734.80**
46	RAJAPUR S/JHARIA OCP	00150100008937	73.81	77.50	81.37	85.44	89.72	94.20	150.17	175.24	**827.45**	1.12	7.05	13.73	19.73	22.20	28.68	38.66	46.46	**177.62**	**1,005.07**
	TOTAL		**403.29**	**420.04**	**607.19**	**637.55**	**631.16**	**845.35**	**734.33**	**769.17**	**5,048.08**	**9.93**	**38.92**	**74.80**	**117.76**	**142.11**	**191.14**	**267.77**	**315.95**	**1,158.38**	**6,206.46**
47	NT-ST-JEENAGORA GRP OF MINE	00150100009046	387.56	406.94	427.29	448.65	471.09	494.64	519.37	545.34	**3,700.88**	-	36.63	71.53	112.12	113.05	148.26	202.67	222.21	**906.47**	**4,607.35**
48	JOYRAMPUR UG MINE	00150100009049	18.86	6.75	7.09	7.45	-	-	-	-	**40.15**	-	1.78	2.36	3.11	2.84	3.01	3.28	3.59	**19.96**	**60.11**
49	BARAREE COLLIERY	00150100008940	163.59	25.04	26.29	27.60	-	-	-	-	**242.52**	2.48	15.64	17.79	19.44	18.55	19.24	21.81	23.89	**138.84**	**381.36**
50	LODNA COLLIERY	00150100008942	61.64	17.80	18.69	19.62	-	-	-	-	**117.75**	0.93	5.89	7.42	8.71	8.74	9.09	10.30	11.28	**62.37**	**180.12**
51	KUJAMA COLLIERY	00150100008941	45.50	47.77	50.16	52.67	55.30	58.06	60.97	64.02	**434.43**	0.69	4.35	8.46	12.16	13.68	17.68	23.82	30.14	**110.98**	**545.42**
52	AMALGAMATED JOYRAMPUR OC	00150100011026	-	-	-	-	560.98	585.04	614.29	645.01	**2,405.32**	-	-	-	-	0.09	36.92	76.97	125.13	**239.11**	**2,644.43**
	TOTAL		**677.15**	**504.30**	**529.52**	**555.99**	**1,087.36**	**1,137.74**	**1,194.63**	**1,254.36**	**6,941.06**	**4.11**	**64.29**	**107.56**	**155.54**	**156.95**	**234.18**	**338.86**	**416.24**	**1,477.73**	**8,418.79**
53	SUDAMDIH INC MINES	00150100008872	64.31	5.33	5.59	5.87	6.17	6.48	-	-	**93.74**	1.95	6.20	6.66	6.66	6.36	7.28	8.37	9.17	**52.66**	**146.40**
54	BHOWRA(N) GRP OF MINES	00150100008868	136.22	143.03	150.18	6.88	7.23	7.59	7.97	73.21	**532.28**	4.13	13.14	25.37	34.93	31.88	34.97	38.70	35.25	**218.37**	**750.66**
55	BHOWRA(S) GRP OF MINES	00150100008830	563.49	211.98	87.57	91.95	96.55	40.85	190.13	124.22	**1,406.74**	21.44	54.76	72.88	68.24	72.74	85.13	95.39	107.17	**577.74**	**1,984.48**
56	PATHERDIH GRP OF MINES	00150100008871	57.22	60.08	63.09	66.24	69.55	73.03	-	-	**389.22**	1.74	5.52	10.66	14.67	17.33	23.15	30.04	32.90	**136.00**	**525.22**
57	AMALGAMATED SUDAMDIH PATHERDIH	00150100011524						-	13.60	50.08	**63.68**						-	0.00	0.86	**0.86**	**64.55**
58	SUDAMDIH SHAFT MINES	00150100011673							174.22	-	**174.22**							0.03	10.60	**10.63**	**184.85**
	TOTAL		**821.23**	**420.42**	**306.43**	**170.95**	**179.50**	**127.94**	**385.92**	**247.51**	**2,659.88**	**29.26**	**79.62**	**115.57**	**124.50**	**128.31**	**150.53**	**172.52**	**195.95**	**996.26**	**3,656.14**
59	MOONIDIH UG PROJECT	00150100008943	82.18	86.29	90.60	95.13	99.89	104.88	54.44	85.69	**699.11**	1.25	7.85	15.28	22.33	24.35	31.93	43.02	48.32	**194.33**	**893.44**
60	MURLIDIH 20/21 PIT COLLIERY	00150100009047	31.41	32.98	34.63	36.36	38.18	40.09	42.09	44.20	**299.94**	-	2.97	5.80	9.09	9.16	12.02	16.43	20.79	**76.24**	**376.18**
61	LOHAPATTY COLLIERY	00150100009043	267.70	281.08	140.03	147.03	154.38	162.10	170.21	178.72	**1,501.24**	-	25.30	49.41	64.37	59.75	76.88	90.27	109.53	**475.50**	**1,976.74**
	TOTAL		**381.28**	**400.35**	**265.26**	**278.53**	**292.45**	**307.07**	**266.74**	**308.60**	**2,500.29**	**1.25**	**36.13**	**70.48**	**95.78**	**93.27**	**120.82**	**149.72**	**178.63**	**746.08**	**3,246.36**
62	BASANTIMATA COLLIERY	00150100008827	121.88	28.90	30.34	31.86	33.45	35.12	36.88	38.72	**357.15**	4.64	12.02	14.33	14.30	16.02	19.53	23.55	28.25	**132.63**	**489.78**

Deposit in Escrow Accounts with Bank of Baroda/Union Bank of India

Rs. In lakhs

Sr No	ESCROW ACCOUNT AT BOB	A/C No	Deposit									Interest									G Total
			2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total	
63	DAHIBARI BASANTIMATA OCP	00150100008828	128.57	135.00	141.75	148.84	156.28	164.09	172.30	180.91	**1,227.74**	4.89	12.49	24.04	30.12	38.82	52.09	67.41	73.91	**303.78**	**1,531.52**
64	KALYANESHWARI GRP OF MINES	00150100009042	209.61	220.09	231.09	242.65	254.78	234.28	246.00	458.54	**2,097.04**	-	19.79	38.68	60.64	60.69	80.16	107.41	117.37	**484.73**	**2,581.77**
65	BEGUNIA COLLIERY	00150100011365					-	110.92	-	-	**110.92**						0.04	6.80	7.47	**14.31**	**125.23**
	TOTAL		**460.06**	**383.99**	**403.18**	**423.35**	**444.51**	**544.42**	**455.18**	**678.17**	**3,792.85**	**9.53**	**44.30**	**77.05**	**105.06**	**115.54**	**151.81**	**205.17**	**227.00**	**935.45**	**4,728.30**
	GRAND TOTAL		**5,416.00**	**4,511.20**	**4,612.78**	**4,692.61**	**5,721.18**	**6,192.78**	**6,087.63**	**6,828.89**	**44,063.05**	**113.47**	**520.36**	**905.26**	**1,222.04**	**1,351.30**	**1,810.27**	**2,406.08**	**2,858.39**	**11,187.17**	**55,250.23**

Note: In 2018-19, the amount deposited in Dobari Colliery is difference of amount provided in MCP approved in Board in Feb 2018 and amount deposited upto March 2018 as per MCP approved in July 2015.

Annexure-III

Stone Pitching along the water body

Annexure-IV

Biological reclamation of stabilized OB dumps in New Akashkinaree Colliery

Annexure-V

Details of OB generated

Colliery Name	OB generated (Lakh cum)							
	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21
New Akashkinaree Colliery	10.01014	28.10951	59.42051	36.15412	38.11560	17.26961	27.54293	13.04
Block-IV/Kooridih Colliery	17.25116	18.37296	17.80795	43.19287	34.79501	20.72033	27.89974	27.96

Details of Backfilling

Colliery Name	Backfilled Area (Ha)							
	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21
New Akashkinaree Colliery	3.6	3.8	13	8	4	4	5	2.53
Block-IV/Kooridih Colliery	7.38	5.23	7.54	2.5	3.7	2.7	4.9	6

Annexure-VI

Proposed Coal Production, OB generation, backfilling and biological reclamation for FY 2021-22

FY 2021-22	New Akashkinaree Colliery (Mixed)	Block-IV Colliery (Mixed)	Maheshpur Colliery (UG)	Jogidih Colliery (UG)
Coal Production (Te)	1.225 MTe (OCP); 0.05 MTe(UG)	0.7	0.05	0.05
OB (cum)	43,97,000	22,44,000	NA	NA
Backfilling (Ha)	15	7	NA	NA
Biological reclamation (Ha)	23	Nil	388 Bamboo gabion	Nil

Annexure-VII

Details of Plantation

Year of Plantation	Total Area Covered (Ha)	Species	Survival Rate
FY 2014-15	4	Gamhar, Siris, Subabool, Bel, Kachnar, Kher, Amaltas, Mehandi, Sheesham, Chakundi etc.	80 %
FY 2015-16	4.5		
FY 2016-17	5		
FY 2017-18	4		
FY 2018-19	5		
FY 2019-20	1		
FY 2020-21	9.5		

Proposed Plantation for FY 2021-22

Type of Plantation	Area to be Covered (Ha)	Executing Agency
OB dump biological reclamation	23	DFO, Dhanbad
Bamboo Gabion Plantation	388 Nos.	DFO, Dhanbad

Annexure-VII

Details of Plantation

Year of Plantation	Total Area Covered (Ha)	Executing Agency	Species	Survival Rate
FY 2014-15	4	Departmental	Gamhar, Siris, Subabool, Bel, Kachnar, Kher, Amaltas, Mehandi, Sheesham, Chakundi etc.	80 %
FY 2015-16	4.5			
FY 2016-17	5			
FY 2017-18	4			
FY 2018-19	5			
FY 2019-20	1			
FY 2020-21	9.5	Forest Department		

Proposed Plantation for FY 2021-22

Type of Plantation	Area to be Covered (Ha)	Executing Agency
OB dump biological reclamation	23	DFO, Dhanbad
Bamboo Gabion Plantation	388 Nos.	DFO, Dhanbad

Annexure-VIII

Sedimentation ponds and settling tanks for mine water utilization

Roads constructed within colliery premises

Fixed type water sprinkler system at Railway siding

"Source apportionment of ambient air particulate matter in Jharia coalfields region, Jharkhand"

Sponsor

Bharat Coking Coal Limited (BCCL)

Dhanbad

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1. Introduction

Dhanbad lies between 23°37’3” N and 24°4’ N latitude and between 86°6’30” E and 86°50’ E longitude (Figure 1). It has an average elevation of 222 m. Its geographical length, extending from North to South, is 43 miles and width 47 miles, stretching across East to West. It shares its boundaries with West–Bengal in the Eastern and Southern parts, Dumka and Giridih in the North, Bokaro in the west and it is the administrative headquarter of the district and Dhanbad Municipal Corporation (DMC). Dhanbad comes under Chota–Nagpur plateau. It is mainly known as “the Coal Capital of India” or “Coal City” and is the third-largest city in Jharkhand state. Tata Steel, BCCL, ECL, and IISCO are some of the companies having coal mines in the district. These companies have developed townships for their employees. Besides, there are several rural areas where the ethnic people are residing. It comes under the Grand Chord rail line in between Delhi to Kolkata. In terms of Road Link, it is on Grand Trunk road (NH–2) which is now converted into Four Lane Golden Quadrilateral.

Bharat Coking Coal Limited, a subsidiary of Coal India Limited, has been operating the majority of the coal mines in the Jharia coalfield regions since its inception in 1972. Jharia, one of the eight blocks in Dhanbad and the main source of metallurgical coal in India can be termed as the powerhouse of the country since its mines are the only source for the best quality coking coal required by the steel industries and others in the country.

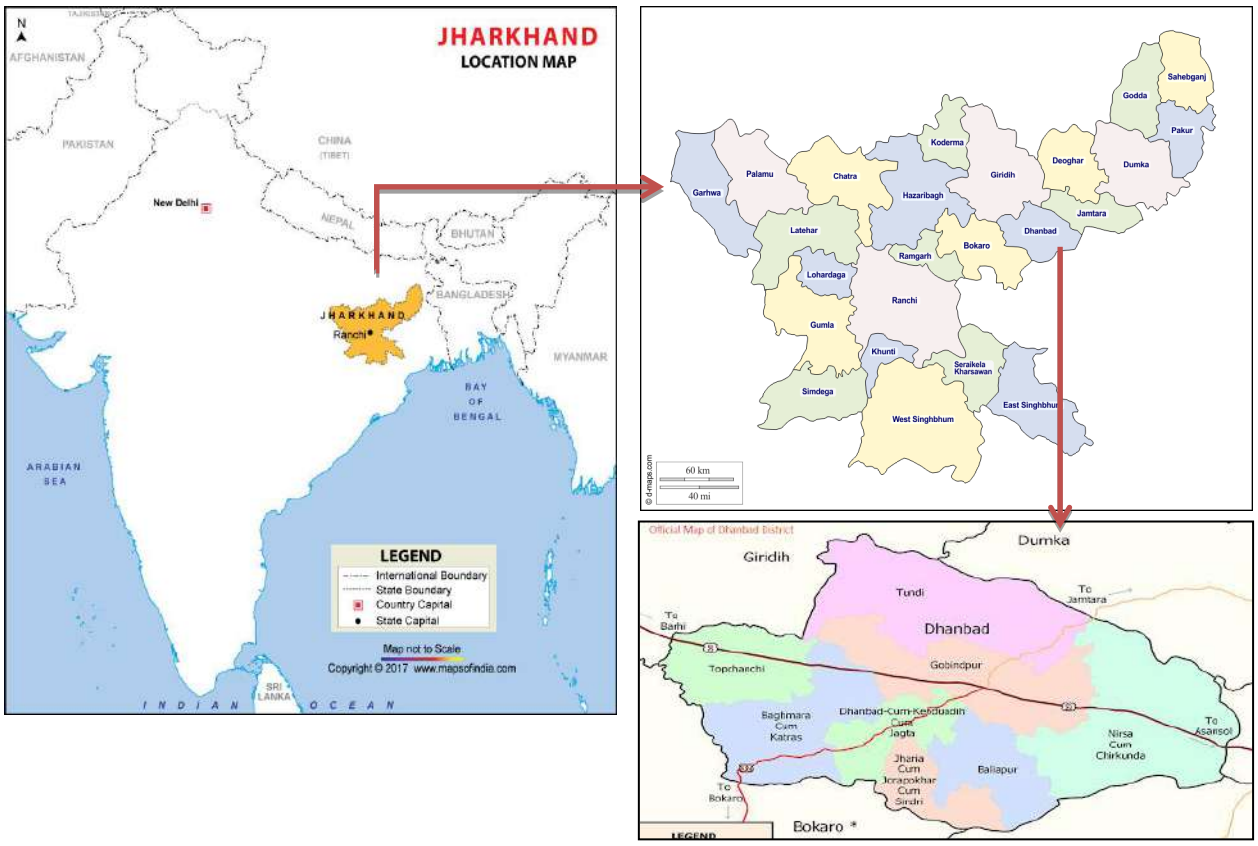


Figure 1. Geographical location of Dhanbad in India

1.1. Climate

The Dhanbad lies on 236 m above sea level. The climate is tropical in Dhanbad. When compared with winter, the summers have much more rainfall. The Köppen-Geiger climate classification is Aw (Tropical wet-dry climate). The temperature here averages 25.9 °C. About 1203 mm of precipitation falls annually. The driest month is December. There is 3 mm of precipitation in December. In July, the precipitation reaches its peak, with an average of 321 mm. With an average of 32.5 °C, May is the warmest month. At 18.4 °C on average, January is the coldest month of the year. The windrose for the March-June months is presented in Figure 2.

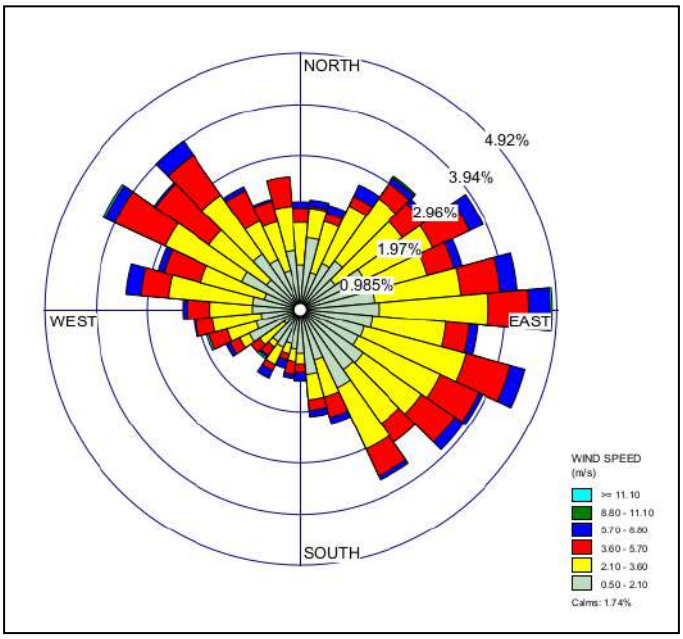


Figure 2. Wind rose of the study area during March-June, 2019 (wind direction blowing from towards the center)

1.2. Land use & Landcover

In the present investigation, the Jharia coalfield area (2827.43 sq km) has been undertaken to study the land use land cover (LULC), For this study, Sentinel-2A satellite image is used in the month of 17 February 2019 with a minimum cloud. These images were downloaded from the United States Geological Survey (USGS) Earth Explorer. Each band of Sentinel 2A satellite imagery was georeferenced to the WGS_84 datum and Universal Transverse Mercator Zone 45 North coordinate system. The Sentinel 2A satellite image stacking of the band-2, band-3, band-4, and band-8 of 10 m resolution is done was performed on the ArcGIS 10.5 software to study the LULC of the Jharia coalfield.

For LULC classification, supervised classification was carried out in the study area. Thus allocations of each classified area in sq km and also in percentage are tabulated in Table 1. The percentage of areas as classified are; agriculture (74.5%), barren land (7.45%) built-up areas (5.14%), mining (2.64%), vegetation (9.40%) and water body (0.86%) (Figure 3).

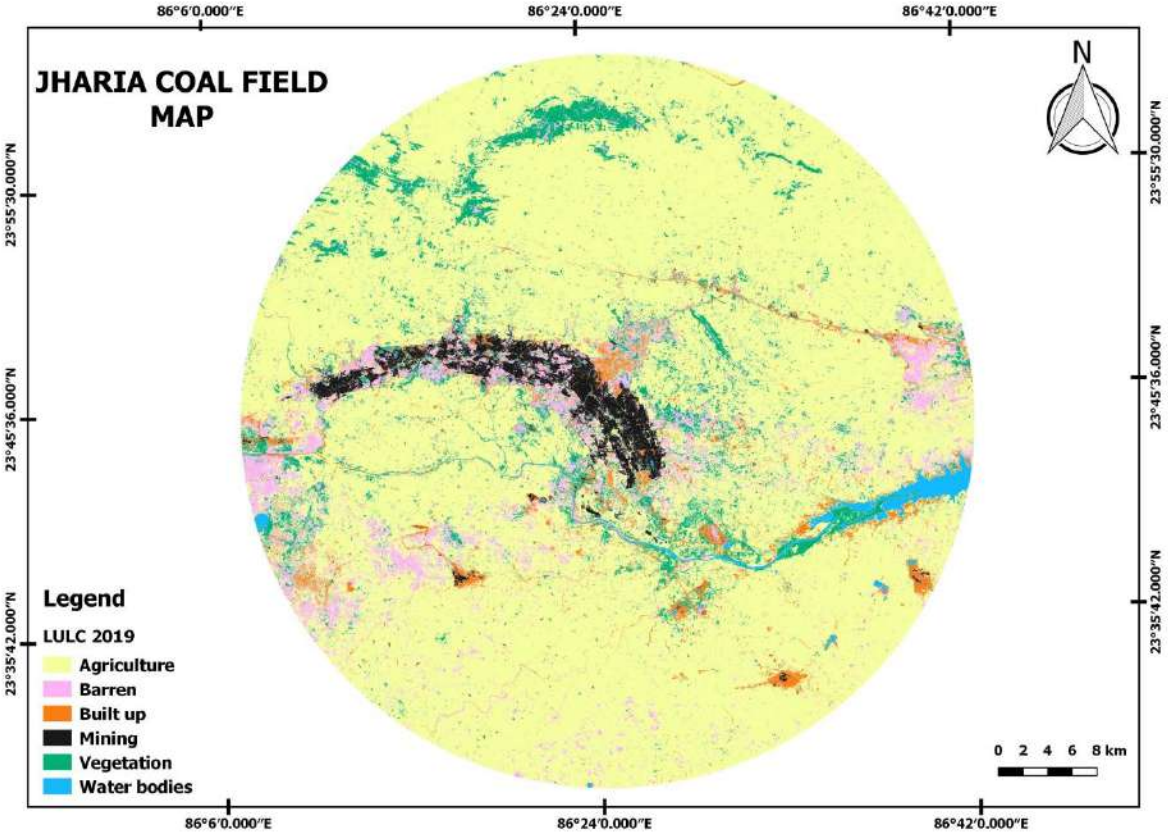


Figure 3. Land Use land cover map of the Jharia coalfield area.

Table 1. LULC classification of Nagpur study area.

Sr no	Name	Area in sq km	Area in %
01	Agriculture	2106.7	74.51
02	Barren	210.64	7.45
03	Built-up	145.31	5.14
04	Mining	74.67	2.64
05	Vegetation	265.74	9.40
06	Water bodies	24.37	0.86
Total		**2827.43**	**100**

1.3. Population

The study area covers four district boundaries; namely Dhanbad (1710.2 sq km), Bokaro (620.43sq km), Giridih 29.8 (sq km) in Jharkhand and Puruliya 465.85 (sq km) district in West Bengal state. The maximum study area is covers by Dhanbad district and the

population is 23,94,434 in the year 2001 and 2011 is 26,84,487. The Bokaro district total population is in 2001 is 17,75,961 and in 2011 are 20,62,330. The Giridih district's total population is in 2001 is 19,01,564 and in 2011 are 24,45,474. The Puruliya district in West Bengal state total population is in 2001 is 25,35,233 and in 2011 are 29,30,115.

Based on the covered study area the total population in the study area is tabulated in Table 2. The total population in the study area based on Census book 2001 is 25,32,195 and 2011 is 28,62,600.

Table 2. Population in the study area as per 2011 census

District Name	**District Area Covered by Study Area**	**% of Area Covered of District by Study Area**	**Population of 2001**	**Population 2001 in Study Area**	**Population of 2011**	**Population 2011 in Study Area**
Bokaro	620.43	21.50	17,75,961	3,81,791	2,062,330	4,43,353
Dhanbad	1710.2	81.51	23,94,434	19,51,645	2,684,487	21,88,060
Giridih	29.8	0.59	19,01,564	11,275	2,445,474	14,500
Puruliya	465.85	7.40	25,35,233	1,87,484	2,930,115	2,16,686
Total	2826.28		**Total Population 2001**	25,32,195	**Total Population 2011**	28,62,600

1.4. Purpose of the Study

Urban air pollution is a notable concern in the nation over the world. Inferring to the rapid rates of industrialization and urbanization in the Indian city, polluted air quality is considered a key factor in crumbling the quality of life with an adverse effect on the human being. Hence air quality gained significant importance in recent decades since it is worsened by the emission of major pollutants including particulate matter (PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$), NO_2, SO_2 O_3were found to exceed the national ambient air quality standard (NAAQS) limits.

Particulate pollution is a major concern in the field of air pollution. The particulate matter in the air is the result of dispersion of dust from industrial (mining and non-mining) and allied activities, transportation, local vehicular movement, and domestic fuel (Coal, wood-burning, etc.). Assessment of the air quality can provide useful insight into the development of the air

quality management plan. The database developed on air quality also helps the regulatory agency to identify the locations where the natural resource and human health could be at risk.

Jharia coal mines having low ash content and high calorific value coals are subjected to intensive mining activities because of the easy availability of coal at shallow depths in thick seams. Therefore, they are often used directly in iron and steel plants for metal oxide reduction after washing. Although these coal mines are highly-priced for their high-quality coal, they are notorious for their mine fires, which causes a lot of fugitive gaseous and PM emissions. Hence, the Jharia region has been under scrutiny by various public authorities and the common public with a vision to improve the ambient air quality.

Various sources contribute to high particular matter concentration in the Jharia region: vehicles, mining activities, re-suspended dust, fugitive emissions, fuel oils, household LPG, etc. The percentage contribution of these factors in the ambient depends exclusively on the economic activities of that particular region. To improve the existing ambient air quality, the major sources of PM emissions first need to be identified. Hence, the environmental clearance committee of MoEFCC has directed BCCL to conduct a source apportionment study for particulate matter. In this context, BCCL has approached CSIR-NEERI to conduct a source apportionment study of ambient air particulate matter in the Jharia coalfields region to quantify the various sources of PM emissions and suggest an effective environmental management plan.

The major objective of the study is to assess the current ambient air quality, sources of air pollution, and propose the priorities for the actions for improvement of air quality. The study to include the entire Jharia Coalfield along with area up to 10 Km from the periphery/boundary of BCCL mines.

The detailed objectives are as following:

i. Ambient Air Monitoring

- Monitoring of ambient air quality at selected receptor locations for pollutants including PM_{10}, $PM_{2.5}$(limited), SO_2, NOx, PAHs to establish the status of the air quality in Jharia Coalfields along with area up to 10 K.M from the periphery/boundary of BCCL mines. Also, a review of the available air quality monitoring data from the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) /Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB).

- To validate dispersion modeling predictions using measured air quality parameters
- To draw supportive data through specific site-related monitoring regarding impact causing sources such as kerbside monitoring
- To establish the impact of meteorological conditions on a few select indicator pollutants in different micrometeorological conditions of the Jharia Coalfields

ii. Emission Inventory related to Jharia Coalfields along with area up to 10 Km from the periphery/boundary of BCCL mines

- To identify the pollution load grid wise for point, line and area source
- To establish possibilities of receptor level concentrations of air pollutants by matching dispersion modeling and air quality monitoring data

iii. Source apportionment

- To identify and apportion the pollution load at the receptor level to various sources in the Jharia Coalfields along with area up to 10 Km from the periphery/boundary of BCCL mines
- To carry out the source apportionment using molecular markers for a limited number of samples through time-resolved sample collection at various periods of the day and day-of-the-week.

iv. Any other item in consensus between both BCCL/CIL & NEERI evolved during the study.

1.5. Approach to study

The study approach has many components with each one of them having their importance and interdependence as shown in Figure 4. The ultimate objective is source apportionment of ambient air of JCF that primarily requires knowledge of ambient air quality status, sources, and emission load. These three objectives were achieved through monitoring of air pollutant at 13 locations at Jharia Coalfield using various instruments and multiple analyses. These locations were selected based on land use and activity profile. All monitoring was carried out using varied instruments and all attributes were analyzed using standards methodologies.

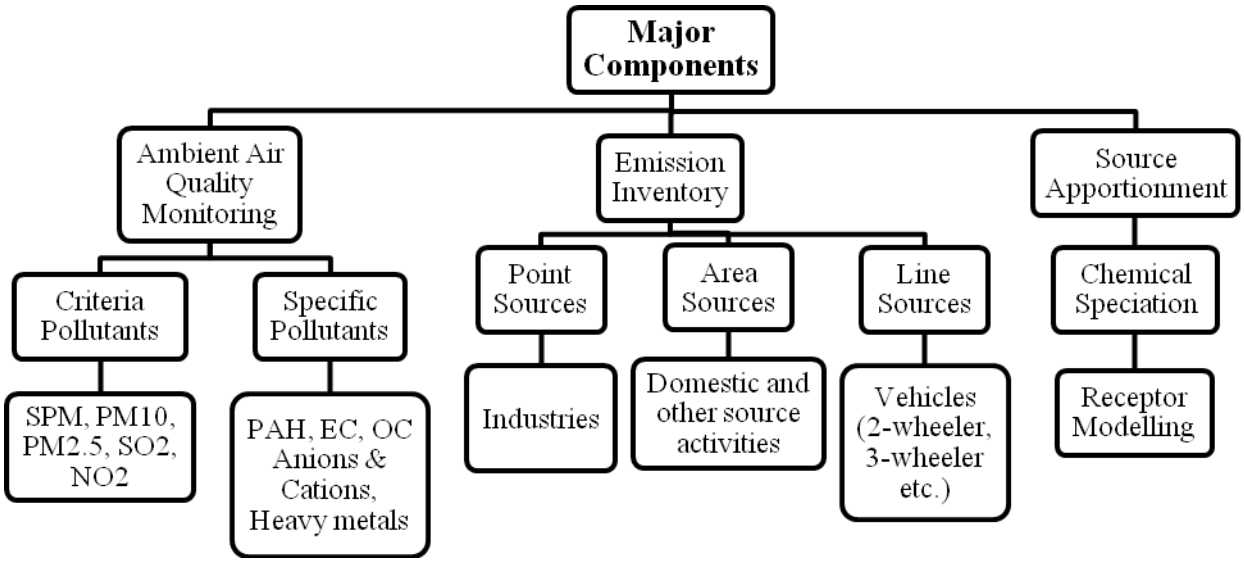


Figure 4. Air Quality Monitoring & emission source apportionment studies

The methodology of the study was divided into three parts namely ambient air quality monitoring, sources emission inventory, source apportionment analysis.

2. Emission Inventory and Air Quality Monitoring

This section consists of all methodologies that have been applied for air quality monitoring, emission inventory, chemical characterization of particulate matter, dispersion modeling, and chemical mass balancing in Jharia Coalfield. The emission inventory is the process to identify the possible source and contribution. Emission inventory and dispersion modeling are based on primary data collection for calculation of emission load from a particular source. It provides fundamental information for air quality modeling and air pollution control strategy development. In the coal mining area, mining, non-mining, industrial, vehicular, and other sources are contributing. In the case of Air quality monitoring includes, a suitable location selected based on the metrological conditions, chemical characterization for identification of the source, CMB model to estimate the source apportionment to $PM_{2.5}$.

2.1. Emission Inventory Methodology

An air pollutant emission inventory is a process to identify the possible sources and their contribution. It provides fundamental information for air quality modeling and air pollution control strategy development. Mining, non-mining, industrial, vehicular, and other sources are contributing to critical coal mining zone like JCF, India. According to possible emission sources, sources are divided into three categories like point sources, area sources, and line sources. The inventory of these sources is important to make a proper source profile.

2.1.1. Inventory of Point Sources

A point source of pollution is a single identifiable source that is responsible for significant pollution load in the study area, like thermal power stations. A comprehensive list of different point-like industries in the study area was obtained from the regional office of the Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB), at Dhanbad. The specific information of the industries includes production capacities, raw material used, manufacturing process, fuel consumption, etc also collected from regional office by CSIR-NEERI team.

2.1.2. Inventory of Area Sources

Area sources are sources of pollution which emit a substance or radiation from a specified area. Mining activities, domestic/hotel fuel (coal) burning, garbage burning, etc. are the major contributor in area sources. To assess the fuel consumption in the study area, the necessary information was collected through surveys at petrol pumps, hotels, and restaurants, bakeries, open eat out and crematoria. Also, surveys collected data on the seasonal implication of fuel used particularly wood and coal. The data on trash burning and solid waste generated in the study were collected from Municipal Corporation Dhanbad.

2.1.3. Inventory of Line Sources

Line source is a source of air that emanates from one dimensional (line) geometry. Vehicular emission is the most common line source in the study area. The quantity of air pollutants emitted from the different categories of vehicles is directly proportional to the

average distance traveled by each type of vehicle, several vehicles plying on the road, quantity, and type of fuel being used, age, and technology of vehicle in use, etc. However, several other factors like geographical locations, unplanned developed business areas, inadequate and poorly maintained roads as well as adopted practices of inspection & maintenance of vehicles, unplanned traffic flow, meteorological conditions, and non-availability of effective emission control technology would also affect emissions. The vehicles will be categorized under various groups viz. heavy-duty vehicles, light commercial vehicles, passenger cars, taxis, two/three-wheelers, etc.

2.2. Dispersion Modelling methodology

Air quality modeling includes four major processes (a) emission of pollutants, (b) transportation of the pollutants due to mean wind profile (c) chemical transformations, and (d) deposition/removal. Typically, NO_2, SO_2, and O_3 have temporal scales more than a day and can travel up to a distance of 10-20 km. Whereas moderately long-lived species like CO can travel up to 100 km with a temporal scale of a year (John H. Seinfeld and Spyros N. Pandis, 2016). As the study area is 10 km radial distance covering the Jharia mines, the short-range criteria pollutants viz. NO2, SO2, and PM (including PM2.5 and PM10) were considered in dispersion modeling.

Nearest IMD (India Meteorological Department) observation is at Patna and Kolkata, which are approximate>150 km from the study area. Hence, hourly meteorological observations required for AERMOD dispersion model were simulated through WRF (Weather Research and Forecast, version-3.9) model by downscaling the global NCAR/UCAR observations (www.mmm.ucar.edu). Nested domains of grid resolution 12 km and 4 km were laid over the study area for WRF simulations. Hourly meteorological data for the study period of 4 months from March to June were simulated. MMIF (https://www.epa.gov/) converter tool was used to convert the gridded WRF meteorological data into a format suitable for AERMOD simulations.

A Cartesian receptor grid having 41 rows and 41 columns with a resolution of 500 m was laid for the dispersion modeling, covering a 10 km radial area from the center of the study. The

land use land cover data were obtained from the AERMOD database and terrain elevation was obtained from the SRTM1/3 database having 90 m resolution. The dispersion modeling with the inclusion of emission inventory data obtained during the field campaign is in progress.

3. Air Quality Monitoring

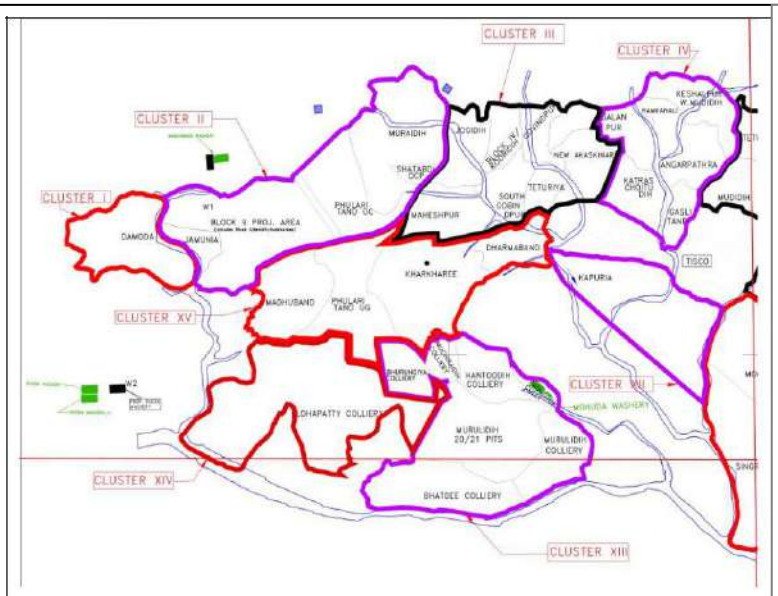
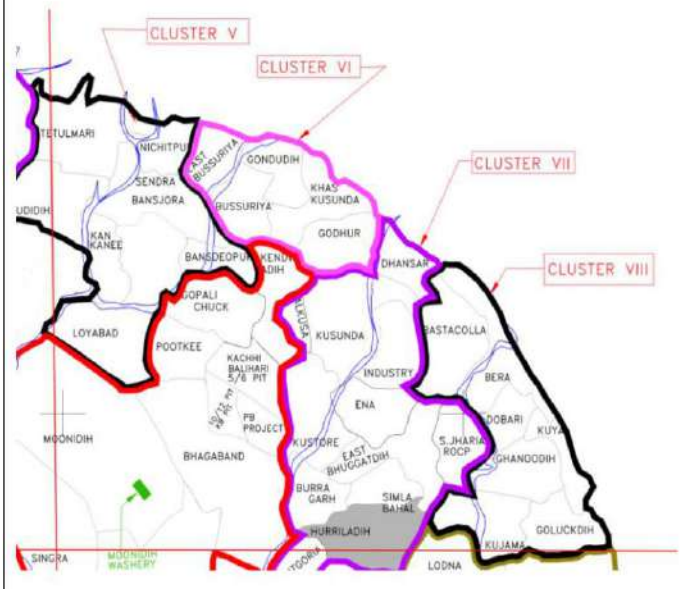
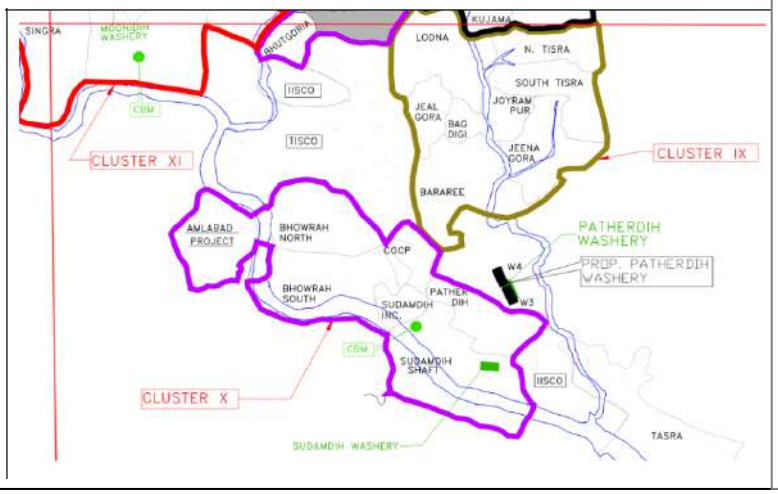
BCCL environmental department provided the map of the Jharia region. The site visit was carried out with assistance from BCCL's team. The 15 Jharia mines coal fields were segregated into three parts and details of the visit along with mine cluster names are given in Table 3.

The Entire Jharia Coal Field (JCF) is divided into 16 clusters. Both open cast and underground mines are operational in JCF. Standard mining operations like drilling, blasting, hauling, accumulation, and transfer are the major sources of emissions and air pollution. Apart from that, a typical emission source, mine fire, is prevailing at JCF. Besides, JCF encompasses large non-mining regions, which have their emission sources like vehicular emission in congested traffics, road dust, Power Plant emission, other industrial emissions (coke oven plants, brick kilns, stone crushers, etc.), crematoria, domestic burning, open burning, etc.

Based on a preliminary field visit by NEERI Scientists along with BCCL staffs, the following locations (Figure 5) were selected for the establishment of Air Quality Monitoring Stations for source apportionment study;

Core Zone	**Buffer Zone**
Cluster XIV Lohapatty– nearby sources: Chandrapura Thermal Power Plant	BCCL Colony
Cluster VII Mine rescue station- nearby sources: Coal Mine, Industry	Harina
Cluster V- Katras	Bhuli
Cluster IX Lodhna	Sindri
Cluster XI Moonidih nearby sources: Coal Mine	Parbatpur
Cluster X Patherdih: nearby sources: Coal Mine, Steel Industry	Background
Cluster VIII Bastacola nearby sources: Coal Mine	

Table 3. The details of mine cluster in Jharia Coalfield

	Day 1: Cluster I, II, III, IV, XII, XIII, XV and XIV
	Day 2: Cluster V, VI, VII, and VIII
	Day 3: Cluster IX, X and XI

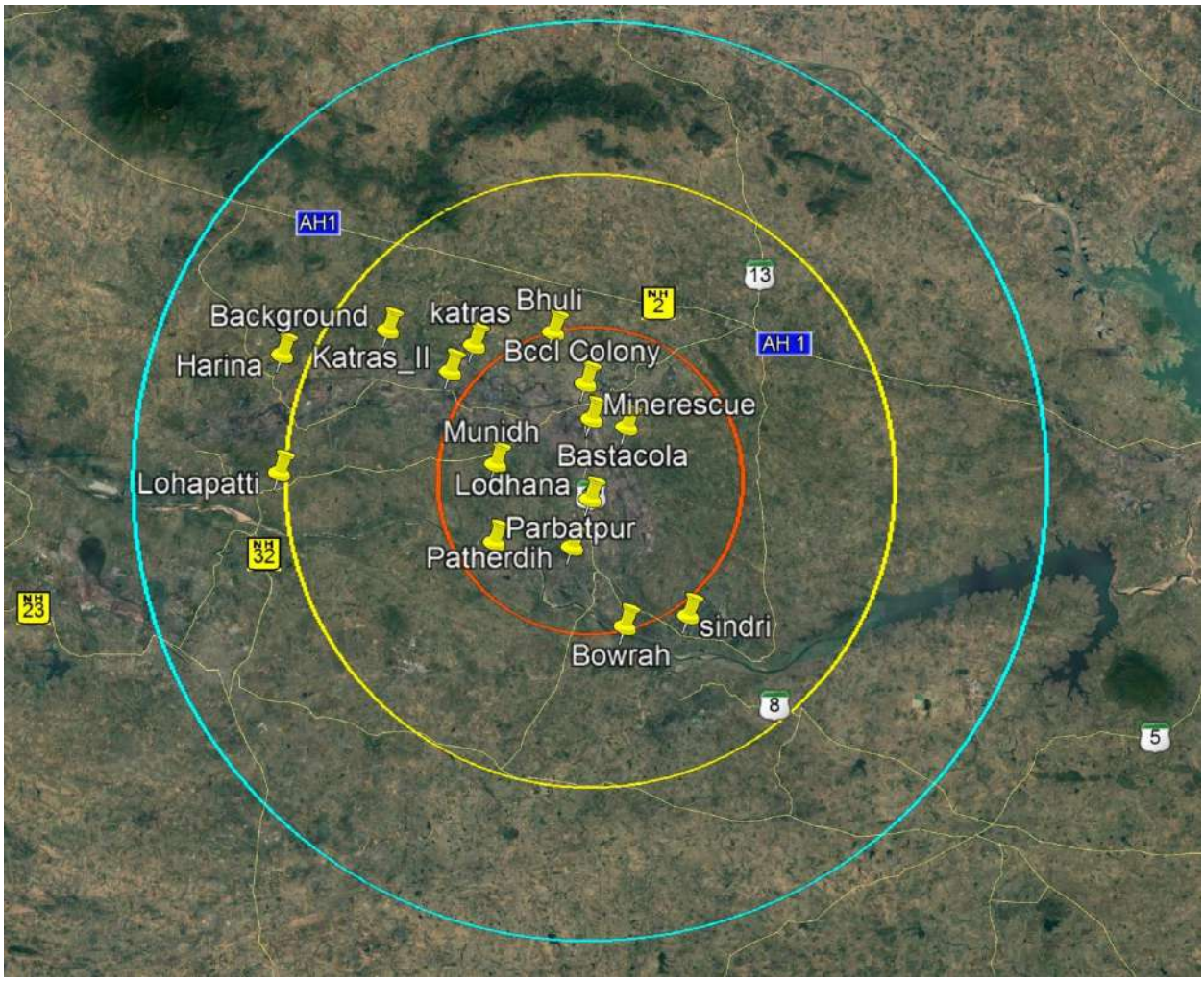


Figure 5. Air monitoring sites under 30 km buffer area

3.1. Sampling Method and Schedule

The PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ sampling for Jharia Coalfields was done at all the 13 sampling sites for the period of 24 h using low volume respirable suspended particulate matter samplers (Instrumax, ARA and Envirotech) on glass fiber filters (Whatman GF/A 20.3 x 25.4 cm) and polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) filter paper of 47 mm diameter. Samplers at a flow rate of 16.67 LPM were used. The filter papers were desiccated before and after sampling for 24 h at a temperature of 27 ± 3°C and at a relative humidity (RH) of 55 ± 2% to remove the moisture present in them. The PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ field samples were collected periodically throughout the sampling period. Sampling frequency and equipment used for monitoring are described in Tables 4 & 5. National Ambient Air Quality Standards (2009) are presented in Table 6.

Table 4. Frequency of Air pollutants sampling in Jharia Coalfield

Parameter	Number of Days	Change of Filter/ absorbing media	Reporting
PM_{10}	10	24 hourly, Teflon: 3 Days Quartz: 4 Days	24 hourly
$PM_{2.5}$	10	24 hourly Teflon: 3 Days Quartz: 4 Days	24 hourly
NO_2	10	8 hourly	8 hourly
SO_2	10	8 hourly	8 hourly

Table 5. Ambient Air Quality Sampling/Analysis Methodology for Target Pollutants

Particulars	Parameters			
	PM_{10}	**$PM_{2.5}$**	**NO_2**	**SO_2**
Sampling Instrument	INSTUMEX and ARA-N-FRM Sampler	INSTUMEX and ARA-N-FRM Sampler	APM sampler	APM sampler
Sampling Principle	Cyclonic Flow Technique	Cyclonic Flow Technique	Chemical absorption in suitable media	Chemical absorption in suitable media
Flow rate	16.7 LPM	16.7 LPM	0.5 LPM	0.5 LPM
Sampling Period	24 hourly	24 hourly	8 hourly	8 hourly
Sampling Frequency	7 days continuous, Teflon and quartz on alternate days	7 days continuous, Teflon and quartz on alternate days	7 days continuous	7 days continuous
Analytical Instrument	Electronic Micro Balance	Electronic Micro Balance	Spectrophoto-meter	Spectrophoto-meter
Analytical Method	Gravimetric	Gravimetric	Modified Jacob and Hochheiser method	Colorimetric Improved West & Gaeke Method
Minimum reportable value	5µg/m^3	5µg/m^3	9µg/m^3	4µg/m^3

Table 6. National Ambient Air Quality Standards (2009)

S. No.	Pollutant	Time Weighted Average	Concentration in ambient Air (in µg/m3) Industrial, Residential Rural & Other Areas	Concentration in ambient Air (in µg/m3) Ecologically Sensitive Area	Concentration In ambient Air (in µg/m3) Methods of Measurement
1	Sulphur Dioxide (SO_2)	Annual*	50	20	Improved West & Geake, Ultraviolet fluorescence
		24Hours**	80	80	
2	Nitrogen Dioxide (NO_2)	Annual*	40	30	Modified Jacob & Hochheiser (Na-Arsenite) Chemiluminescence
		24Hours**	80	80	
3	Particulate matter (Size less than 10µm) or PM10	Annual*	60	60	Gravimetric,TOEM,Beta attenuation
		24Hours**	100	100	
4	Particulate matter (Size less than 2.5µm) or PM2.5	Annual*	40	40	Gravimetric, TOEM, Beta attenuation
		24Hours**	60	60	
5	Ozone (O_3)	8 Hours*	100	100	UV photometric, Chemiuminescence chemical method
		1 Hour	180	180	
6	Lead (Pb)	Annual*	0.5	0.5	ASS / ISP method after sampling on EPM 2000 or equivalent filter paper ED-XRF using Teflon filter
		24Hours**	1	1	
7	Carbon Monoxide (CO)	Annual*	0.2	0.2	Non-dispersive Infra-Red (NDIR) Spectroscopy
		24Hours**	0.4	0.4	
8	Ammonia (NH_3)	Annual*	100	100	Chemiluminescence, Indo-phenol's blue method
		24Hours**	400	400	
9	Benzene (C_6H_6)	Annual*	0.5	0.5	Gas Chromatography based continuous analyzer. Adsorption and description followed by GC analysis

10	Benzo (a) Pyene (BaP)-particulate phase only	Annual*	0.1	0.1	Solvent extraction followed by HPLC / GC analysis
11	Arsenic (As)	Annual*	0.6	0.6	AAS/ ICP method after sampling on EPM 2000 or equivalent filter paper
12	Nickel (Ni)	Annual*	20	20	

3.2. Chemical Analysis

3.2.1. Gravimetric analysis

The exposed filters were analyzed using a gravimetric technique using a weighing balance for PM_{10} particles and using a microbalance for $PM_{2.5}$ particles with a precision of 5µg with automatic (internal) calibration.

3.2.2. Elemental analysis

PM_{10} samples collected on glass fiber filters were digested in a microwave digester. The samples were made up to 50 ml using deionized distilled water. Similarly, the exposed filters containing $PM_{2.5}$ particles were cut equally into 2 halves. A part of the exposed filter was used for ions analysis. Whereas, the other half was cut into tiny fragments and digested and made up to 15 mL using distilled deionized water. The obtained samples (both PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$) after digestion were stored in vials and refrigerated at 4°C until further analysis. These samples were later subjected to estimate the elemental composition using ICP-OES (Thermo Scientific, USA).

3.2.3. Analysis of SO_2 and NO_2

SO_2 analysis: Modified West and Gaeke method were followed for sampling and analysis of Sulfur dioxide in ambient air. SO_2 from the air is absorbed in a solution of potassium tetracholo-mercute (TCM). A dichlorosulphitomercurate complex, which resists oxidation by the oxygen in the air was formed. Once formed, that complex was stable to strong oxidants such as ozone and oxides of nitrogen and therefore, the absorber solution may be stored for some time before analysis. The complex was made to react with pararosaniline and

formaldehyde to form the intensely colored pararosanline methylsulphonic acid. The absorbance of the solution was measured using a suitable spectrophotometer.

NO_2 analysis: Modified Jacobs and Hochheiser method was followed for sampling and analysis of NO_2 in ambient air. Ambient NO_2 was collected by bubbling air through a solution of sodium hydroxide and sodium arsenite. The concentration of nitrite ion produced during sampling was determined calorimetrically by the reaction of nitrite ion with phosphoric acid, sulphanilamide, and N-(1-napthyl)-ethlylenediamine di-hydrochloride (NEDA) and the absorbance of the highly colored azo dye was measured at 540nm.

3.2.4. Ion analysis

The filter papers containing both PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ samples were extracted and subjected to ion analysis as per standards. The filter papers were divided into tiny fragments and moistened with isopropanol slightly before extraction since the filters are hydrophobic. Further 25 mL of deionized distilled water was added and sonicated using an ultrasonic bath for 60 min at 60°C. The samples were then kept overnight after sonication. Furthermore, the samples were then filtered using nylon filter discs (25 mm, 0.45 mm) and were refrigerated at 4°C until further analysis. The extracted samples were subjected to IC to analyze the ions (anions and cations) present in them.

3.2.5. Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAH) analysis

Filter papers were cut into pieces using scissors and transferred to 100 ml beaker and 50 ml of Dichloromethane (DCM) (GC/HPLC grade) added. The samples were extracted with DCM using an ultrasonic bath for about 30 minutes. The extracted samples were filtered with a Whatman filter paper containing 2gm Anhydrous Sodium Sulphate. After filtration, the filtrate is concentrated using a rotary vacuum evaporator to 2ml final volume. Solid-phase extraction may be used to clean up the impurities of the sample and re-concentrated in a rotary evaporator. The samples were analyzed through GC with conditions as injector 300°C and FID temperature 320°C.

3.2.6. EC & OC analysis

This is a thermal/optical-transmittance (TOT) method that speciates carbon in particulate matter collected on a quartz-fiber filter into OC, EC, and CC. In the first (or non-oxidizing) heating stage, organic and carbonate carbon is thermally desorbed from the filter under a flow of helium with controlled temperature ramps. The oven is then partially cooled, and the original flow of helium is switched to oxidizing carrier gas (He/O_2). In the second (or oxidizing) heating stage, the original elemental carbon component plus pyrolyzed organic carbon formed during the first heating stage are oxidized/desorbed from the filter with another series of controlled temperature ramps. All carbon evolved from the sample is converted to CO_2 in an oxidizing oven immediately downstream from the desorption oven, and the CO_2 is converted to methane (CH_4) by a methanator oven before being measured with a flame ionization detector (FID).

4. Results & Discussion

4.1. Emission inventory

4.1.1. Industrial Emission

Emission inventory estimates are determined based on considering available industrial activity information, emission factors, and observations. For the current study, industrial and mining information was collected for emission inventory development. Emission inventory information for industries was collected from the regional office of JSPCB. In Dhanbad, the major industries are the power plant and the coking industry. Other than those are coal mines, thus coal as a fuel is majorly used in industries and households. Emission loads by point source are depicted in Table 7 as per emission inventory.

Table 7. Emission load from the Industrial sector in Dhanbad

Sr. No.	Name of Industry	Type of Fuel	Fuel consumption	Unit	TSP (Tonne/ year)	PM_{10} (Tonne/ year)	$PM_{2.5}$ (Tonne/ year)	SO_2 (Tonne/ year)	NO_2 (Tonne/ year)
	Emission Factor			**g/Mg Coal**	1914	1864	1176	420	820
1	M/s Mahalaxmi Industries	Coal	4	MT/Oven/ cycle (24hrs)	2.79	2.72	1.72	0.61	1.20
2	GEETEE Hard Coke Traders	Coal	100	TPD	69.86	68.04	42.92	15.33	29.93
3	M/s Shree Gopal Coke Industries	Coal	77.4	TPD	54.07	52.66	33.22	11.87	23.17
4	M/s Laxmi Hard coke Manufacturing Company	Coal	102	TPD	71.26	69.40	43.78	15.64	30.53
5	M/s - Sanjay Hard Coke Industries	Coal	70	TPD	48.90	47.63	30.05	10.73	20.95
6	M/s Inder Hard Coke Industries	Coal	36	TPD	25.15	24.49	15.45	5.52	10.77
7	M/s Shiv Shakti Coke Industries	Coal	80	TPD	55.89	54.43	34.34	12.26	23.94
8	Khetawat Coke Manufacturing Company	Coal	4.5	MT/Oven/ Batch (24hrs)	3.14	3.06	1.93	0.69	1.35
9	M/s Pawan Hard Coke Industries	Coal	100	TPD	69.86	68.04	42.92	15.33	29.93
10	M/s Ganapati Udyog	Coal	135	TPD	94.31	91.85	57.95	20.70	40.41
11	M/s Aman Soft Coke Industries	Coal	29.76	TPD	20.79	20.25	12.77	4.56	8.91

4.1.2. Area/Distributed source

An area source emission inventory estimates the pollutant loads emanating from several small but numerous individual sources in a specific geographic area and which cannot be included underline nor point sources.

Area sources considered for emission inventory for Dhanbad city are:

- Cooking operations in households: Slum and non-slum
- Cooking operations in hotels, restaurants, open eat-outs and bakeries
- Crematoria

The following sections will detail the methodology adopted for estimating emissions from each of the above-mentioned sources and the results thus obtained.

4.1.3. Cooking operations in non-slum household

A survey of 20 non-slum household areas was conducted in randomly selected areas of Dhanbad to understand which fuels are being used in these households and their quantities. The results of the survey indicated that Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) was the fuel of choice in all the households and that each household used about 1 cylinder per month on average. It was assumed that LPG use remains the same for all 365 days of the year. The results obtained are presented in **Table 8**.

Table 8. Emissions from the use of LPG in non-slum households in Dhanbad

LPG Pollutant	PM_{10}	SO_2	NO_2	CO	HC
Emission Factor (g/kg)	2.1	0.4	1.8	0.25	0.07
Emission (T/Year)	0.00575	0.0011	0.0049	0.0007	0.0002

4.1.4. Cooking operations in slum households

A survey of 15 areas having slum households was conducted, spread in Jharia Coalfield which was known to have significant slum populations, to understand which fuels are being used in these households and their quantities. From the results of the survey, it was seen that a majority of the slum households use coal as a cooking fuel (Table 9).

Table 9. Emission from the use of coal in slum household

Pollutant	SPM	SO_2	NO_2	CO	HC
Emission Factor (g/kg)	20	13.3	3.99	24.92	0.5
Emission (T/Year)	28.354	18.856	5.657	35.330	0.709

4.1.5. Emissions from crematorium

To calculate emissions from crematoria data were obtained from crematoriums in Dhanbad. Emission from the burning of bodies using woods mainly produces PM_{10}, CO, and HC majorly as depicted in Table 10.

Table 10. Emission from Crematoria using Wood as fuel

Pollutant	PM_{10}	SO_2	NO_2	CO	HC
Emission Factor (g/Kg)	17.3	0.2	1.3	126.3	114.5
Emission (kg/day)	7.178	0.083	0.537	52.183	47.308

4.1.6. Emissions from bakeries

Data were collected from 34 bakeries operating in Dhanbad in which 12 bakeries were using electrical ovens. The emissions from such bakeries were not considered. All the other bakeries were using coal as fuel. Emissions from such bakeries are given in Table 11.

Table 11. Emission from Bakeries using Coal as fuel

Pollutant	SPM	SO_2	NO_2	CO	HC
Emission Factor (g/kg)	20	13.3	3.99	24.92	0.5
Emission (T/Year)	6.26	4.16	1.25	7.80	0.16

4.1.7. Emissions from hotels and restaurants

Data were collected from 35 hotels in Dhanbad city. It has been found that most hotel/restaurants were using a combination of coal and LPG as cooking fuel. Emission from coal and LPG were calculated and depicted in Table 12 and 13.

Table 12. Emission from Hotel & Restaurants using Coal

Pollutant	SPM	SO2	Nox	CO	HC
Emission Factor (g/kg)	20	13.3	3.99	24.92	0.5
Emission (T/Year)	8.110	5.393	1.618	10.105	0.203

Table 13. Emission from Hotel & Restaurants using LPG

Pollutant	PM_{10}	SO_2	NO_2	CO	HC
Emission Factor (g/kg)	2.1	0.4	0.8	0.25	0.07
Emission (T/Year)	0.136	0.026	0.117	0.016	0.005

4.1.8. Emission from open eat-outs

From the survey it has been observed that most the open eat-outs were using coal as cooking fuel, only a few were using LPG (Table 14).

Table 14. Emission loads from open eat-outs

Pollutant	SPM	SO_2	NO_2	CO	HC
Emission Factor (g/kg)	20	13.3	3.99	24.92	0.5
Emission (T/Year)	14.07	9.36	2.81	17.54	0.35

The grid-wise emission load calculations are in progress.

4.2. Mass concentration of PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$

In summer monitoring, the mean mass concentrations of PM_{10} particles in all 13 sampling sites were found to be in the range of 74-184 µg/m^3 with the highest concentration of 184 µg/m^3 at my rescue site and lowest concentration of 74 µg/m^3 at Bastacola site. Also, the mean mass concentration of $PM_{2.5}$ particles was found in the range of 49-117µg/m^3 with the highest concentration of 117µg/m^3 and the lowest concentration of 49 µg/m^3 recorded at Harina and Lohapatti site respectively.

The average concentration of PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ of two seasons are described in Table 15 & 16. Results revealed that the average concentrations of PM_{10} are above the prescribed limits of CPCB except for Patherdih and Bastacola. In the case of $PM_{2.5}$, the average concentrations are exceeded then the prescribed limits of CPCB except for Lohapatti and background. The highest PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ concentrations were found in Mine rescue and Harina (Figure 6).

Table 15. Average concentration of PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ in Summer of Jharia Coalfield

Monitoring Sites	Site Description	Average Concentration (µg/m^3)-Summer	
		PM_{10} (µg/m^3) Standard: 100	**$PM_{2.5}$ (µg/m^3) Standard: 60**
Lohapatti	Core Zone	133.7	49.42
		(83-203)	(44-83)
Mines Rescue	Core Zone	184.8	83.43
		(124-255)	(55-205)
Katras	Core Zone	141.4	80.01
		(100-216)	(42-150)
Lodhna	Core Zone	156.8	63.98
		(100-303)	(32-99)
Moonidih	Core Zone	118.4	62.84
		(80-153)	(34-94)
Patherdih	Core Zone	94.7	67.22
		(50-119)	(37-91)
Bastacola	Core Zone	74.21	62.85
		(52 -209)	(36-96)
BCCL colony	Buffer Zone	157.35	74.37
		(113-222)	(47-103)
Harina	Buffer Zone	177.7	117.3
		(73-265)	(42-175)
Bhuli	Buffer Zone	141.7	105.89
		(85-243)	(44-161)
Sindri	Buffer Zone	122.2	76.05
		(82-139)	(18-127)
Parabatpur	Buffer Zone	122.4	110.98
		(86-171)	(70-150)
Background	Buffer Zone	144.4	57.13
		(24-255)	(23-97)

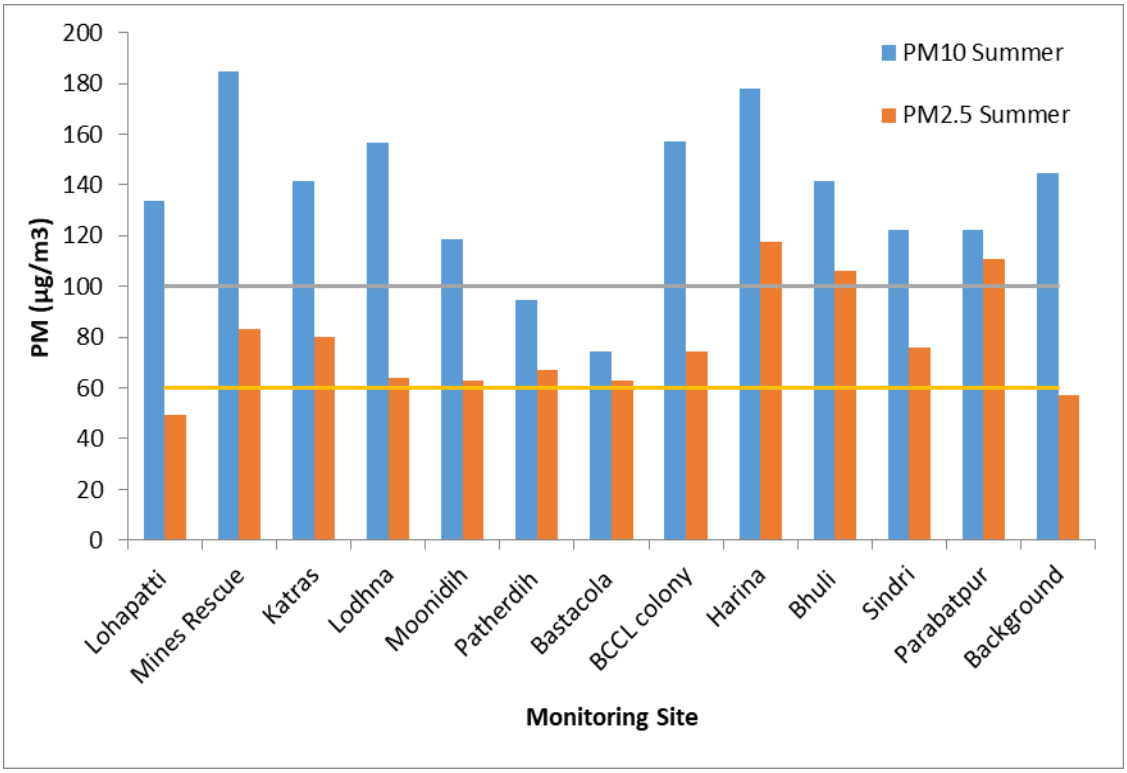


Figure 6. Average concentration of PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ in the JCF region in Summer compared to NAAQS (2009)

Whereas in winter monitoring, the highest PM_{10} mass concentration was found to be 332 µg/m^3 at Bastacola site and the lowest was 174 µg/m^3 at Lohapatti and Bhuli site. The average concentrations of PM_{10} at all the sites are above the prescribed limits of CPCB. Similarly, $PM_{2.5}$ concentrations are above the limit at all monitoring sites except Katras (50.87 µg/m^3) and Harina (42.93 µg/m^3) (Figure 7).

Table 16. Average concentration of PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ in winter of Jharia Coalfield.

Monitoring Sites		Average Concentration (µg/m^3)-Winter	
	Site Description	**PM_{10} (µg/m^3) Standard: 100**	**$PM_{2.5}$ (µg/m^3) Standard: 60**
Lohapatti	Core Zone	174.28	139.59
		(122-241)	(114-236)
Mines Rescue	Core Zone	303.49	176.97
		(175-350)	(114-233)
Katras	Core Zone	230.06	50.87
		(134-332)	(24-78)

Lodhna	Core Zone	322.8	112.17
		(243-412)	(98-209)
Moonidih	Core Zone	300.16	188.27
		(128-728)	(64-600)
Patherdih	Core Zone	222.71	113.23
		(182-246)	(111-167)
Bastacola	Core Zone	332.05	176.48
		(251-663)	(54-425)
BCCL colony	Buffer Zone	219.98	128.79
		(155-300)	(94-175)
Harina	Buffer Zone	130.73	42.93
		(65-215)	(44-98)
Bhuli	Buffer Zone	174.75	151.66
		(150-200)	(89-180)
Sindri	Buffer Zone	171.82	167.07
		(81-210)	(142-184)
Parabatpur	Buffer Zone	228.76	148.16
		(75-660)	(101-192)
Background	Buffer Zone	233	121.18
		(195-254)	(63-170)
Katras II		107.13	98.42
	Core Zone	(128-181)	(94-104)

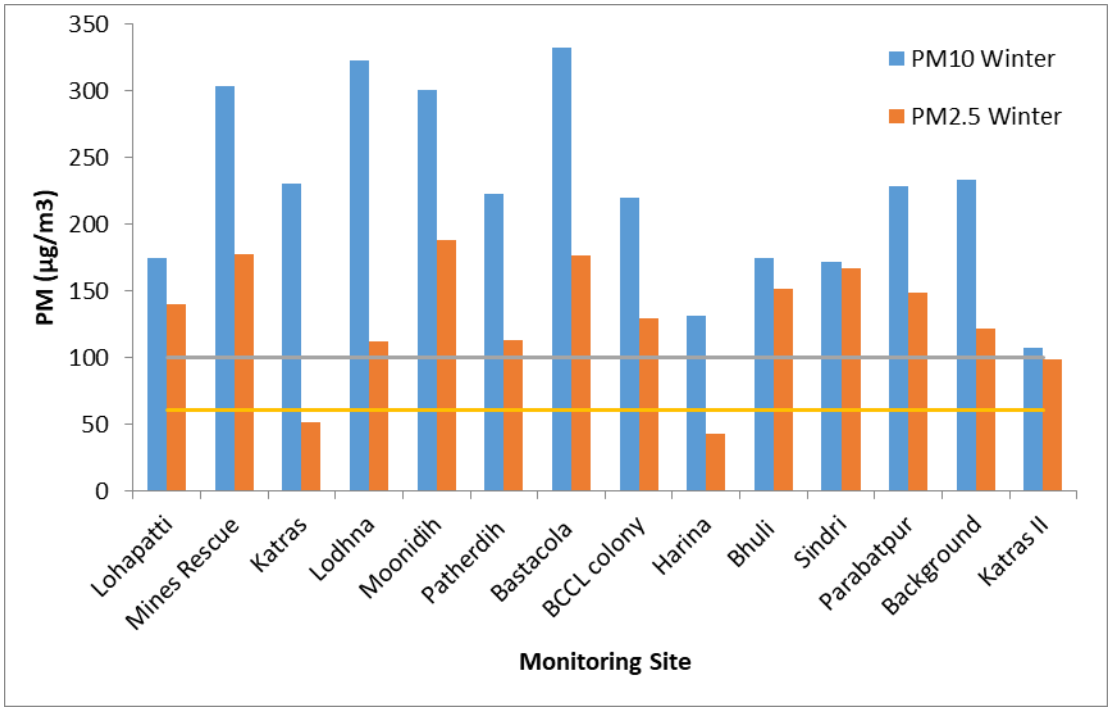


Figure 7. Average concentration of PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$ in the JCF region in Winter compared to NAAQS (2009)

4.3. Chemical Characterization

Status of chemical characterizations viz. Metals, EC, OC, PAH, etc of collected samples are depicted in Table 17. The final draft report will be submitted after completion of the chemical characterization and modeling component.

Table 17. Status of chemical analysis of samples

Components	Filter Matrix	Analytical Methods	Status
PM10/ PM2.5	Teflon/Quartz filter paper	Gravimetric	Completed
Elements (Na, Mg, Al, Si, P, S, Cl, Ca, Ti, V, Cr, Mn, Fe, Co, Ni, Cu, Zn, Ga, As, Se, Br, Rb, Sr, Y, Zr, Mo, Pd, Ag, Cr, Cd, In, Sn, Sb, Ba, La, Hg, Ti, and Pb)	Teflon/Quartz filter paper	ICP-OES	Summer season completed Winter samples are in progress
Ions ($NO2^-$, $NO3^-$, SO_4^{-2}, K+, NH^{4+}, Na^+)	Teflon/Quartz filter paper	Ion chromatography with conductivity detector	Summer season completed Winter samples are in progress

Carbon Analysis (OC, EC)	Quartz filter paper	TOR/TOT method	Summer season completed Winter samples are in progress
PAHs	Teflon/Quartz filter paper	Extraction followed by GC-MS analysis with and without derivatization	Completed

Annexure-X

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DETAILS OF THE REPORT

Sl No.	ITEMS	INFORMATIONS
1	Geographical Area	Jharia Coalfield (JCF): 453 sq. km. Raniganj Coalfield (RCF part): 19.64 sq. km. (Cluster-XVI area only)
2	Major Physiographic Units	Dissected Pediplain with surface Reduced Level (RL) varies from 160 m to 220 m above mean sea level (AMSL) in JCF and 100 m to 140 m AMSL in RCF.
3	Drainage System	Damodar River is the master drainage flowing along western boundary of the JCF. Jamunia River, Khudia River, Katri River, Jarian Nala, Ekra Jore, Kari Jore, Kashi Jore, Chatkari Jore and their tributaries are flowing through the JCF area. Damodar River, Barakar River is the master drainage of the part of RCF area (CV Area).
4	Annual Rainfall	Dhanbad Dist: Bokari Dist:
5	Geological Formations	Gondwana Formation (Talchir Formation, Barakar Formation, Barren Measure Formation & Raniganj Formation)
6	Aquifer System	Unconfined/Phreatic Aquifer – thickness 25 m (Avg.) Semi-confined to confined Aquifer – thickness from 25 m upto 650 m
7	Hydrogeological properties	Unconfined Aquifer (Damoda BJ Section & Block-III): Hydraulic Conductivity – upto 0.50 m/day Transmissivity – 10 - 42 m^2/day
		Semi-confined to confined Aquifer (Sitanala & Kumari Block): Hydraulic Conductivity – 0.0006-1.44 & 0.05-0.0027 m/day Transmissivity – 0.06 – 0.573 m^2/day
8	Groundwater Level Monitoring Network	Out of total 252 nos. of monitoring stations 64 nos located within core mining area and rest comes within Buffers zone. 60 Nos. of Groundwater monitoring well (Dug Wells) network established by CMPDI to record groundwater level data in and around the Core Zone of JCF and 4 Nos. of Groundwater monitoring well (Dug Wells) in RCF (CV Area).
9	Groundwater Levels Below Ground Level (bgl)	JCF area: Pre-monsoon – 0.80 to 16.25 m (Avg. 4.95 m bgl) in '2020 Post-monsoon – 0.75 to 10.10 m (Avg. 3.26 m bgl) in '2020 RCF area (part): Pre-monsoon – 2.30 to 9.70 m (Avg. 4.30 m bgl) in '2020 Post-monsoon – 1.75 to 5.50 m (Avg. 2.70 m bgl) in '2020
10	Groundwater Quality	Potable (Annexure- VII)
11	Proposed Piezometers	Proposed piezometers (23 nos.) to monitor impact of coal mining on groundwater regime within the coalfield area (JCF & part of RCF) for maximum depth upto 290 m.
12	Stage of Groundwater Development (CGWB)	Dhanbad District-76.30% (GWRE-2017)

GROUNDWATER LEVEL & QUALITY REPORT FOR CLUSTER OF MINES OF BCCL

1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 LOCATION DETAILS AND BRIEF ABOUT THE PROJECT

The 15 nos. Cluster of mines (Cluster-I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XIII, XIV, XV and XVI) of BCCL is located in the Jharia coalfield in Bokaro district of and Dhanbad district of Jharkhand and part of Raniganj coalfield of Dhanbad district of Jharkhand.

The area of Jharia Coalfield (JCF) is 453 sq. km. and Raniganj Coalfield (RCF part) is 19.64 sq. km. (Cluster-XVI area only). Located about 3.0 km south-west of Dhanbad town and 10.0 km north-east of Bokaro town. The coalfield bounded by Jamunia River in the west, Damodar river in the south, and metamorphics (hard rock) in the north and east side. **(Plate-I)**.

1.2 OBJECTIVE OF THE STUDY:

The objective of the report is to conducting hydrogeological study by quarterly monitoring of groundwater level and quality of the Jharia coalfield and Raniganj coalfield (part) within BCCL command area for 15 nos. Cluster of mines of BCCL. The data collected shall submitted to the MoEF&CC, CPCB & SPCB within stipulated timeframe. The work being done yearly and require d to be continued as per the specific condition mentioned invariably in Environmental Condition (EC) for all of the Clusters of BCCL.

1.3 SCOPE OF THE STUDY:

The following scope has taken into account for hydro-geological investigation of the study area.

i) The monitoring of the groundwater levels done four times/year during (May, August, Nov and Jan).
ii) The monitoring of the groundwater quality done during May including Arsenic and Fluride.
iii) To evaluate the status of ground water level condition in the area.
iv) To study the ground water flow direction in the mining areas.
v) To study the depth to ground water level condition in the mining areas.
vi) To study the ground water quality data and interpretation in the mining areas.

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Sub: For work of Ground water level and quality monitoring

महोदय,

This is with reference to earlier letter ref no. BCCL/HOD(Env)/F-Env/13/161 dated 11.02.2014 regarding conducting hydrological study by quarterly monitoring of groundwater level and quality of the study to be carried out by establishing a network of existing wells. The monitoring for quantity shall be done four times a year in pre-monsoon (May), monsoon (August), post-monsoon (November) and winter (January) season and for quality including Arsenic and Fluoride during month of May. Data thus collected shall be submitted to the Ministry of Environment & Forest and to Central Pollution Control Board/SPCB quarterly within one month of monitoring.

The above work is being done yearly and required to be continued as per the specific condition mentioned invariably in Environment Clearance order of all clusters of BCCL.

This is for your kind information and further necessary action

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1.4 TOPOGRAPHY AND DRAINAGE

Northern part of the JCF area covered with hills and thin forest. In general, the altitude varies from 220 m AMSL in Barora area (Cluster-I) to 160 m above mean sea level (AMSL) in Sudamdih area (Cluster-X). Pediplains developed over sedimentary rocks or Gondwana formation consisting of Sandstone, Shale, coal, etc. Dissected pediplains developed over Gondwana formations found in Jharia, Baghmara, Katras areas etc. However, in RCF (part) areas the altitude varies from 100 m to 140 m AMSL (Cluster-XVI). The general slope of the topography is towards south, i.e. Damodar River.

The drainage pattern of the area is dendritic in nature. The drainage system of the area is the part of Damodar sub-basin. All the rivers that originate or flow through the coalfield area have an easterly or southeast course and ultimately joins Damodar River, the master drainage. The drainage of the JCF is mainly controlled by Jamuniya River (5th order), Khudia nala (3rd order), Katri River (4th) and Chatkari nala (3rd order) flowing from north to south and joins Damodar River. Whereas, Barakar River and Khudia River are controlling the drainage pattern of RCF (part) and joins Damodar River in the south. Damodar River is the main drainage channel and flows from west to east along the southern boundary of JCF and RCF.

The drainage map of the JCF and part of RCF has been prepared on topographic map of scale 1:50,000 (***Plate-II***). The watershed of all tributary rivers (Jamuniya River to Barakar River) falls within the north-western part of Damodar sub-basin which comes under Lower Ganga Basin.

Besides, a large number of ponds/tanks distributed in and around JCF, out of which one prominent lake is located at Topchanchi in the north-west part. Two reservoirs, Maithon dam in Barakar River and Panchet dam in Damodar River near to Chanch Victoria Area of BCCL (part of RCF) are the main source of water supply to the nearby area. Jharia Water Board, Damodar Water Supply Scheme and Mineral Area Development Authority (MADA) are supplying water.

1.5 DETAILS REGARDING WETLANDS

A **wetland** is a distinct ecosystem that flooded by water, either permanently or seasonally. The primary factor that distinguishes **wetlands** from other landform or water bodies is the characteristic vegetation of aquatic plants. Wetland are protective ecosystem as per new guidelines of CGWA & MoEF&CC. There are no Wetlands in and around the area (Jharia coalfield and Raniganj coalfield) as per the list given on official website of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India. The list enclosed as **Annexure-III.**

1.6 CLIMATE & RAINFALL

The Jharia Coalfield (JCF) and part of Raniganj Coalfield (RCF) area in Dhanbad District belongs to sub-humid tropical climatic region. The maximum temperature during summer shoots upto 45^{o} C and falls between 10^{o} C to 5^{o} C in winter. The maximum rainfall occurs during the period between June and September. Rainfall data of IMD Dhanbad and Mine Rescue Station Dhanbad given in ***Annexure-IV***.

In Jharkhand state, Daily Rainfall data from 1989 to 2018 considered for analysis of trend variability and mean rainfall patterns. From the daily rainfall data, monthly rainfall series of each stations computed and then monthly district rainfall series has constructed by considering arithmetic average of all the station rainfall values within the district. The monthly rainfall series of the state has computed by using area weighted rainfall values of all the districts within the state. The objective of the analysis is to:

1. Identify the spatial pattern of the mean rainfall
2. Understand district wise observed rainfall trend and variability in annual and SW monsoon season (June, July, august and September).

Daily station rainfall data utilized for identification of the mean spatial patterns and rainfall intensity trends. From mean and standard deviation (SD), the coefficient of variation (CV) calculated as follows: Coefficient of variation (CV) = [Standard Deviation / Mean] × 100

The analysis has done in two parts. For identification of the spatial pattern mean rainfall and variability and observed trends we have used district rainfall series and results have been brought out for four southwest monsoon months viz. June, July, August, September, for the southwest monsoon season and also for annual.

Table shows the mean rainfall (mm) and coefficient of variation of the state for the monsoon months, southwest monsoon season and annual during the period 1989-2018. It can see that the state gets highest rainfall (31%) of southwest monsoon rainfall in July month while the August month get 28% of the southwest monsoon rainfall. June and September receive 19% and 22% of southwest monsoon rainfall. Also more than 84% of annual rainfall receives during the southwest monsoon season only. The variability of monsoon or annual rainfall is also very less.

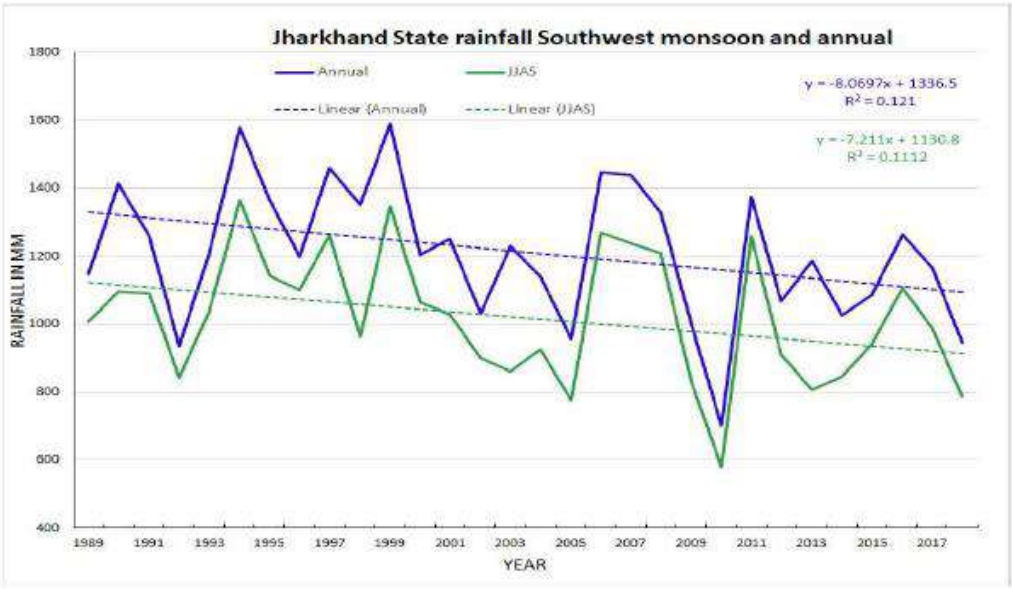
Jharkhand State

	June	July	August	September	Sub-total	Annual
Mean	190.3	313.9	289.2	225.7	1019.1	1211.4
CV	44.4	29.0	24.8	37.0	18.7	16.9

Dhanbad District

	June	July	August	September	Sub-total	Annual
Mean	203.9	327.7	302.5	271.5	1105.6	1332.2
CV	41.0	35.0	33.5	48.7	20.8	19.4

Fig. 1 and 2 show the time series of rainfall in mm for the months of June, July, August, September and southwest monsoon season, annual respectively. The trend lines displayed for each of the series. Neither monthly rainfall nor seasonal rainfall shows any significant increasing/decreasing trend while annual rainfall shows significant decreasing trend. In the monthly rainfall June, July, August, September and seasonal rainfall shows decreasing trend. During the last 30 years highest rainfall of 390.3 mm received in June in the year 1994, 492.1 mm received in June in the year 2017, 431.5 mm received in August in the year 1997, while highest rainfall of 395.2 in September received in the year 1995. Highest annual rainfall of 1587.9 mm received in the year 1999 and highest southwest monsoon rainfall of 1364.6 mm received in the year 1994 (Climate Research and Services, IMD, Ministry of Earth Sciences, Pune, Jan'2020).



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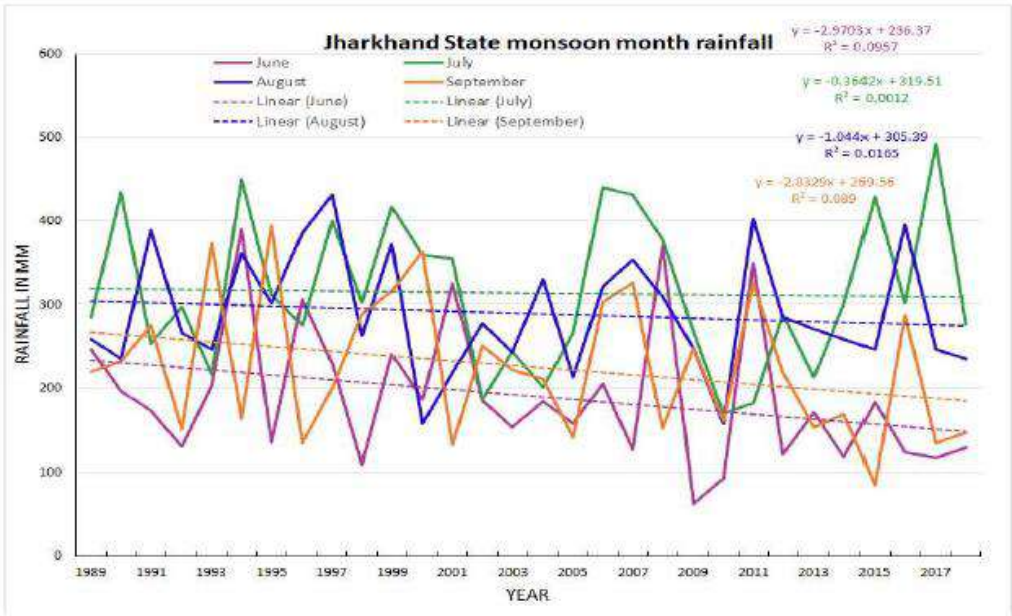

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2.0 GEOLOGY AND HYDROGEOLOGICAL SETUP OF THE AREA

2.1 REGIONAL GEOLOGY

The Jharia Coalfield covers an area of 453 sq. km. located in Dhanbad District, Jharkhand. The non-coal bearing Talchir Formation exposed in patches along the northern fringe of the Coalfield. The Barakar FormatioN overlies the Talchir is covering the most part of the Jharia Coalfield and having an area of 218 sq. km. This successively overlain by the non-coal bearing Barren Formation mainly exposed in the central part of the Coalfield. This, in turn, overlain by the Raniganj formation (Coal Bearing horizon) in the south-west part of the Coalfield and covers an area of 54 sq. km.

Chanch-Victoria Area is located in the western part of Raniganj Coalfield. The Raniganj coalfield represents the eastern most coal basin in the Damodar Valley Region, located in the border of Dhanbad District of Jharkhand and Bardhaman District of West Bengal. The Coalfield is almost elliptical in shape and covers an area of about 1530 sq. km. out of which only 35 sq. km. comes under leasehold area of BCCL out of which 19.64 sq. km is the study area (Cluster-XVI only). The coal bearing formations of the area belongs to Barakar Formation of the Lower Gondwana in **Table-1**.

Table – 1: Regional Geological Succession of Jharia Coalfield in the area

Geological Formations		Age
Quaternary/Recent	Soil cover/Weathered mantle	Recent
Post-Gondwana	Dolerite	Upper Cretaceous
	Lamprophyres	Jurassic
Damoda Group	Raniganj Formation	Upper Permian
	Barren Measures Formation	Middle Permian
	Barakar Formation	Lower Permian
	Karharbari	
	Talchir Formaton	Upper Carboniferous
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Metamorphics		Proterozoic

2.2 HYDROGEOLOGICAL SET- UP

The permeable formations mainly composed of sandstone behave as aquifer units. The coal seam and shales developed in the area act as impermeable beds i.e. aquiclude. The aquifer materials of Gondwana Formation constituted of fine to coarse grain sandstone having primary porosity of intergranular void space. The secondary porosity formed due to presence of faults, fracture, joints, etc. Sandstone of Gondwana formations in JCF and RCF are very hard, compact and cemented sandstone and forming less potential aquifer, particularly the deeper aquifer system. The secondary porosity along with primary porosity forms a conduit system making these formations good aquifers for movement and storage of ground water.

2.3 AQUIFERS DESCRIPTION

The aquifer system for shallow and deeper aquifer has established through hydrogeological studies, exploration, surface and subsurface geophysical studies in the JCF and RCF (part) covering all geological formations. The aquifer can be divided into two zones – Un-confined/Phreatic (shallow) and Semi-confined to confined (deeper) aquifer.

PHREATIC/UN-CONFINED AQUIFER

The top aquifer occurred above the top most coal seam/shale bed called un-confined or water table aquifer and it consists of relatively permeable formation such as weathered sandstone and loose soil. The thickness of the un-confined aquifer is varying from few meters to 50 m. This un-confined aquifer is potential than semi-confined to confined aquifer.

SEMI-CONFINED TO CONFINED AQUIFER

The semi-confined to confined aquifer consisting of sandstone bed is sandwiched with coal seams/shale beds and multiple aquifer system developed due to presence of multiple numbers of coal seams/shale beds. With the presence of intercalated shale and carbonaceous shale beds and reduction in permeability with depth, the lower aquifers are poor in potential.

Table –2 Generalized Hydrogeological Units developed in the study Area

Sl. No.	Type of Aquifer	Depth range (m)	Core zone (within 3 km)	Buffer zone (within 10 km)
1.	Unconfined	0 – 25 (Avg.)	Alluvium, weathered sandstone	Alluvium, weathered sandstone
2.	Semiconfined/ confined	Beyond 25 upto 650 m	Multiple Sandstone horizons in Barakar formation	Multiple Barakar, sandstone, Barren Measure, Raniganj sandstone and Talchir shale

2.4 GENERAL AQUIFER PARAMETERS

PHREATIC/UN-CONFINED AQUIFER

The wells tested by CMPDI for determination of aquifer parameters in Damuda (BJ Section) and Block-III area of JCF. The hydraulic conductivity of the un-confined aquifer is 0.50 m/day as computed from pumping tests on the wells. The transmissivity of the unconfined aquifer ranges from 10.68 m^2 /day to 41.48 m^2 /day.

SEMI-CONFINED TO CONFINED AQUIFER

The un-confined aquifer, the sandstone partings in-between impervious layers of shale and coal seams designated as semi-confined / confined aquifers. The sandstones in these aquifers are fine to coarse grained, hard and compact with very low porosity. Mostly groundwater occurs in the weak zones formed due to weathering, fracture, faults, which create the secondary porosity. The hydrogeological parameter has determined by CMPDI in Sitanala Block by conducting aquifer performance test (APT). The hydraulic conductivity (K) of semi-confined aquifer in Barakar Formation ranges from 0.0006 m/day to 1.44 m/day. The hydrogeological parameter has also been determined at Kumari OCP Block in the central JCF by conducting aquifer performance test. The hydraulic conductivity (K) of semi-confined aquifer in Barakar Formation in this area ranges from 0.0027 m/day to 0.05 m/day.

Table – 3: Aquifer parameters considered for the study Area

Hydraulic Parameter	Unconfined aquifer Site: Damuda (BJ Section) and Block-III area	Semi-confined aquifer Site: (1): Sitanala Block (2): Kumari Block
Transmissivity (m^2/d)	10.68 – 41.48	0.0621 – 0.573
Hydraulic conductivity (m/d)	0.5	0.05 – 0.0027
Specific yield	0.03 to 0.04 (as per GEC recommended values)	

3.0 GROUND WATER LEVEL MONITORING

To collect the representative groundwater levels in the study area, CMPDI has established a monitoring network of total 252 monitoring stations out of which 64 located within core zone and rest comes within Buffer zone. Total 60 nos. dug well within JCF and 04 nos. dug well within RCF (part) area (Details of the Hydrograph stations & water level given in **Annexure-V, VA** & **VB**) spread over the entire BCCL leasehold area, **Plate-II**. Water level monitoring in all hydrograph stations has been done in pre-monsoon as well as in post monsoon whereas in 64 stations monitoring done in quarterly (May'20, Aug'20, Nov'20 and Jan'21) basis.

Depth to water level of the water table depict the inequalities in the position of water table with respect to ground surface and is useful in delineating recharge / discharge areas, planning of artificial recharge structure and shows the overall status of the groundwater level in the area. Historical groundwater level (GWL) of entire JCF and part of RCF with fluctuation, GWL of Non-mining / Mining areas and GWL of the Cluster of Mines of BCCL are shown in this report to assess the effect of Coal mining activity in the groundwater regime in and around the Coalfield area.

Mining is a dynamic phenomenon. The mining activity creates dis-equilibrium in environmental scenario of the area and disturbs the groundwater conditions/regime in particular. The impact on shallow water regime due to mining activity can broadly viewed as under:

- Historical GWL with annual fluctuation over the years
- GWL scenario in Non-mining and Mining area (OC/UG mines)
- GWL scenario of Cluster of mines of BCCL

3.1 HISTORICAL GROUNDWATER LEVEL (GWL)

Historical GWL of JCF and part of RCF given from 2005 to 2020 of CMPDI monitoring stations (total 64 stations within Coalfield area). Pre-monsoon and Post-monsoon GWL with Fluctuation has been mentioned below in the table.

Table – 4: Historical Groundwater Level

Period		(Water level in metre below ground level)								
		Pre-Monsoon (April/May)			Post-Monsoon (Nov/Dec)			Fluctuation		
		From	To	Average	From	To	Average	From	To	Average
JCF	2005	0.07	19.08	6.29	0.84	12.13	3.20	0.12	12.45	3.21
	2007	0.40	19.27	5.66	0.35	8.21	2.87	0.02	16.15	2.96
	2008	0.45	18.35	5.42	0.35	14.20	3.62	0.03	9.22	2.45
	2010	0.85	14.47	5.24	0.10	15.88	4.48	0.02	5.55	1.54
	2012	1.27	18.68	5.58	0.15	7.80	2.72	0.08	13.45	2.96
	2013	0.70	19.20	5.65	0.45	8.35	2.77	0.29	15.88	3.17
	2014	0.70	16.28	4.92	0.75	14.98	3.27	0.25	10.15	2.17
	2015	1.38	17.20	6.00	0.45	14.58	3.92	0.28	7.62	2.15
	2016	0.78	16.73	5.64	0.30	12.43	3.19	0.23	6.35	2.88
	2017	0.67	16.28	5.61	0.15	6.97	2.41	0.10	12.10	3.25
	2018	1.20	14.58	5.55	0.40	7.17	2.83	0.20	9.45	2.68
	2019	0.95	15.88	5.46	0.45	5.95	2.34	0.20	13.40	3.05
	2020	0.80	16.25	4.95	0.75	10.10	3.26	0.25	11.05	2.15
RCF (part)	2008	5.02	10.50	7.59	2.85	4.90	3.71	1.82	6.60	3.87
	2010	2.20	8.85	4.74	2.78	9.58	4.63	0.68	1.10	0.89
	2011	3.57	8.02	4.98	2.50	6.21	3.75	0.55	1.90	1.23
	2012	3.10	7.34	4.59	1.55	7.00	3.66	0.05	2.78	0.94
	2013	1.70	9.87	6.54	2.90	8.85	4.71	1.02	5.54	2.84
	2014	3.27	6.48	4.57	2.13	3.03	2.63	0.54	3.45	1.94
	2015	3.38	9.52	5.33	2.68	8.20	5.11	1.06	1.32	1.81
	2016	3.61	10.65	6.24	0.90	6.50	3.18	1.63	4.40	3.06
	2017	1.93	5.80	3.25	1.63	3.78	2.47	1.63	3.78	0.78
	2018	2.34	8.70	4.35	1.75	5.70	2.75	0.41	2.55	1.59
	2019	1.60	9.35	5.29	0.80	3.88	2.10	0.80	5.47	3.20
	2020	2.30	9.70	4.30	1.75	5.50	2.70	0.40	2.75	1.60

3.2 GROUNDWATER LEVEL SCENARIO IN NON-MINING/MINING AREA

Depth to water level (DTW) range in different formations with respect of mining and non-mining areas summarized in the Table-5.

Table – 5: Depth to water table

Formation	*Area*		*DTW (bgl, m) [Year-2020]*		*Average GWL (m)*	
			Pre-monsoon (Apr/May)	*Post-monsoon (Nov/Dec)*	*Pre-monsoon*	*Post-monsoon*
Sedimentary (Gondwana)	Non-mining		1.40-11.35	0.75-4.60	5.45	2.55
	Mining	OC	0.90-12.50	0.55-5.85	5.15	2.24
		UG	1.20-16.25	0.55-4.75	5.85	2.75
Metamorphics (Hard rock)	Peripheral part of the Coalfield		0.45-15.10	0.45-9.50	7.25	3.85

The study revealed that water table is in shallow depth and there is no significant stress in the water table due to coal mining activity. Mining and Non-mining areas shows barely any difference in water table condition in the JCF and RCF (part) area. The average hydraulic gradient of the water table within mining and non-mining areas given in Table-6. There is no significant change in hydraulic gradient observed. Relatively steep gradient near active opencast mining areas w.r.t., Non-Mining, Underground mines and Metamorphics areas observed.

Table – 6: Average hydraulic gradient

Sl. No	*Formation*	*Area*		*Average hydraulic gradient*
1	Sedimentary (Gondwana)	Non-Mining		1.0×10^{-3} to 3.0×10^{-3}
		Mining	OC	3.0×10^{-2} to 6.0×10^{-3}
			UG	2.0×10^{-2} to 4.0×10^{-3}
2	Metamorphics (Hard rock)	Peripheral part of the Coalfield		1.0×10^{-3} to 3.0×10^{-3}

3.3 GROUND WATER LEVEL DATA OF THE CLUSTER OF MINES OF BCCL

A GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-I

Cluster-I (Damuda Group of Mines) consisting of (Cluster-I consisting of Damoda UG, Albion OCP, Proposed BJ Section OCP and Abandoned Gutway OCP) of Barora area, BCCL is located in the western most part of Jharia coalfield in Bokaro district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out upto 15 years considering annual target production of 1.17 MTPA. It is located in the extreme western part of JCF in Bokaro district of Jharkhand (Toposheet no – 73 I/1).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-I is 575.0 Ha. The Damoda block area marked by more or less flat and gently undulating topography. The RL varies from 179 m to 208 m AMSL and the general slope of topography is towards east. Jamuniya River, Kari Jore, Podo Jore and its tributaries are controlling the drainage system of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Jamuniya River.

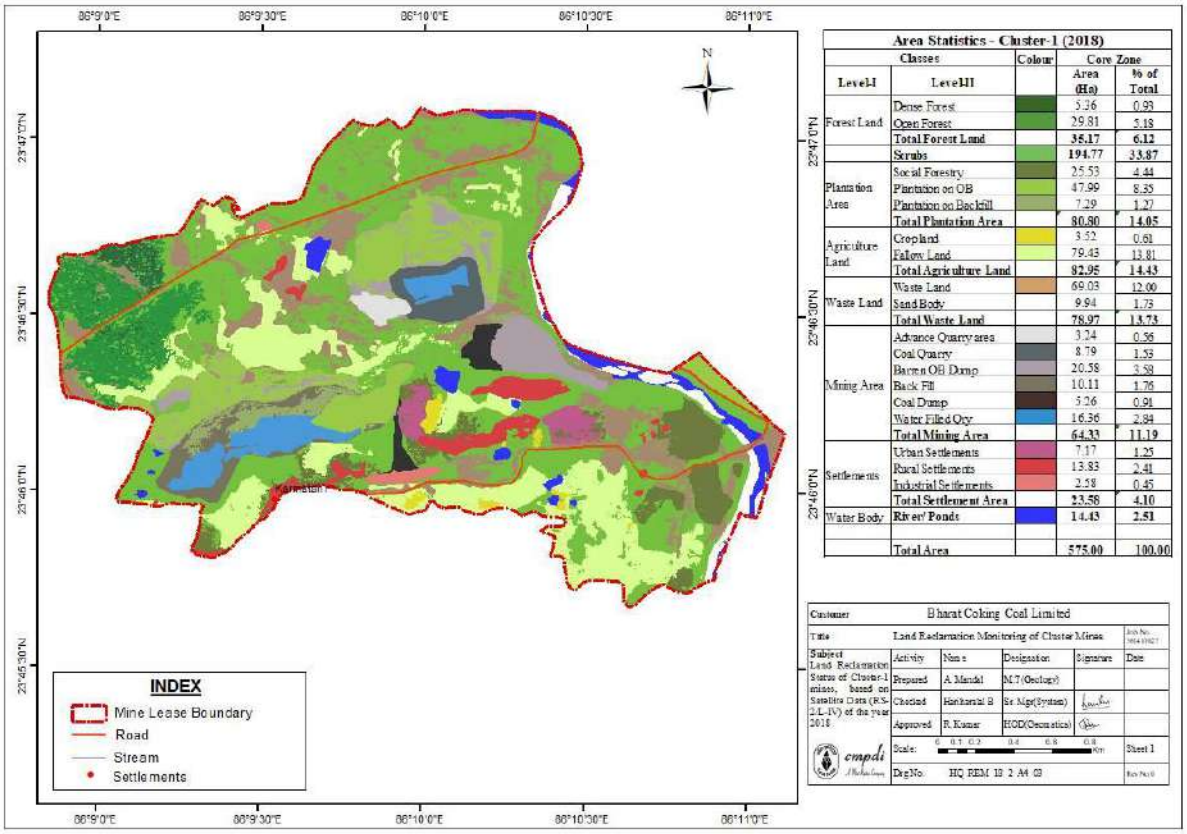
Monitoring stations (**B-15, B-21A, B51 and B-53**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	B-15	Bera Basti	3.70	0.15	1.47	1.70	1.90	0.45	1.65	2.65	1.56	1.85	0.75	0.85
2	B21A	Dugdha	10.00	4.15	5.80	6.70	9.45	1.90	-	-	6.73	9.65	3.45	2.65
3	B-51	Taranga	5.00	0.88	2.10	3.00	5.10	1.10	2.70	2.90	3.00	5.02	2.25	2.42
4	B-53	Karmatanr	3.12	1.07	1.40	1.92	3.22	0.97	1.42	2.12	2.52	3.92	1.62	1.42
Average WL (bgl)			5.46	1.56	2.69	3.33	4.92	1.11	1.92	2.56	3.45	5.11	2.02	1.84

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.85 m Max – 10.00 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.85 m Max – 5.80 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-I MINES, BCCL



Level-I	Level-II	Core Zone Area (Ha)	Core Zone % of Total
Forest Land	Dense Forest	5.36	0.93
	Open Forest	29.81	5.18
	Total Forest Land	**35.17**	**6.12**
	Scrubs	**194.77**	**33.87**
Plantation Area	Social Forestry	25.53	4.44
	Plantation on OB	47.99	8.35
	Plantation on Backfill	7.29	1.27
	Total Plantation Area	**80.80**	**14.05**
Agriculture Land	Cropland	3.52	0.61
	Fallow Land	79.43	13.81
	Total Agriculture Land	**82.95**	**14.43**
Waste Land	Waste Land	69.03	12.00
	Sand Body	9.94	1.73
	Total Waste Land	**78.97**	**13.73**
Mining Area	Advance Quarry area	3.24	0.56
	Coal Quarry	8.79	1.53
	Barren OB Dump	20.58	3.58
	Back Fill	10.11	1.76
	Coal Dump	5.26	0.91
	Water Filled Qry	16.36	2.84
	Total Mining Area	**64.33**	**11.19**
Settlements	Urban Settlements	7.17	1.25
	Rural Settlements	13.83	2.41
	Industrial Settlements	2.58	0.45
	Total Settlement Area	**23.58**	**4.10**
Water Body	**River/ Ponds**	**14.43**	**2.51**
	Total Area	**575.00**	**100.00**

Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	393.69 x 10^4	393.69 x 10^4	393.69 x 10^4
2	Open Land	204.89 x 10^4	204.89 x 10^4	204.89 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	09.0 x 10^4	09.0 x 10^4	09.0 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	14.58 x 10^4	14.58 x 10^4	14.58 x 10^4
5	Total	575.00 x 10^4	575.00 x 10^4	575.00 x 10^4

B. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-II

Cluster-II consists of seven mines namely; (Block II Mixed mines (OCP & UGP), Jamunia OCP, Shatabdi OCP, Muraidih Mixed mines (OCP & UGP), and Phularitand OCP of BCCL is located in the western most part of Jharia coalfield in Bokaro district and Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out upto 30 years considering annual target production of 20.215 MTPA. It is located in the extreme western part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand (Toposheet no- 73 I/1 and I/5).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-II is 2260.54 Ha. The Damoda block area marked by more or less flat and gently undulating topography. The RL varies from 176 m to 235 m AMSL. Jamuniya River, Khudia River and its tributaries are controlling the drainage system of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Jamuniya River and Khudia River.

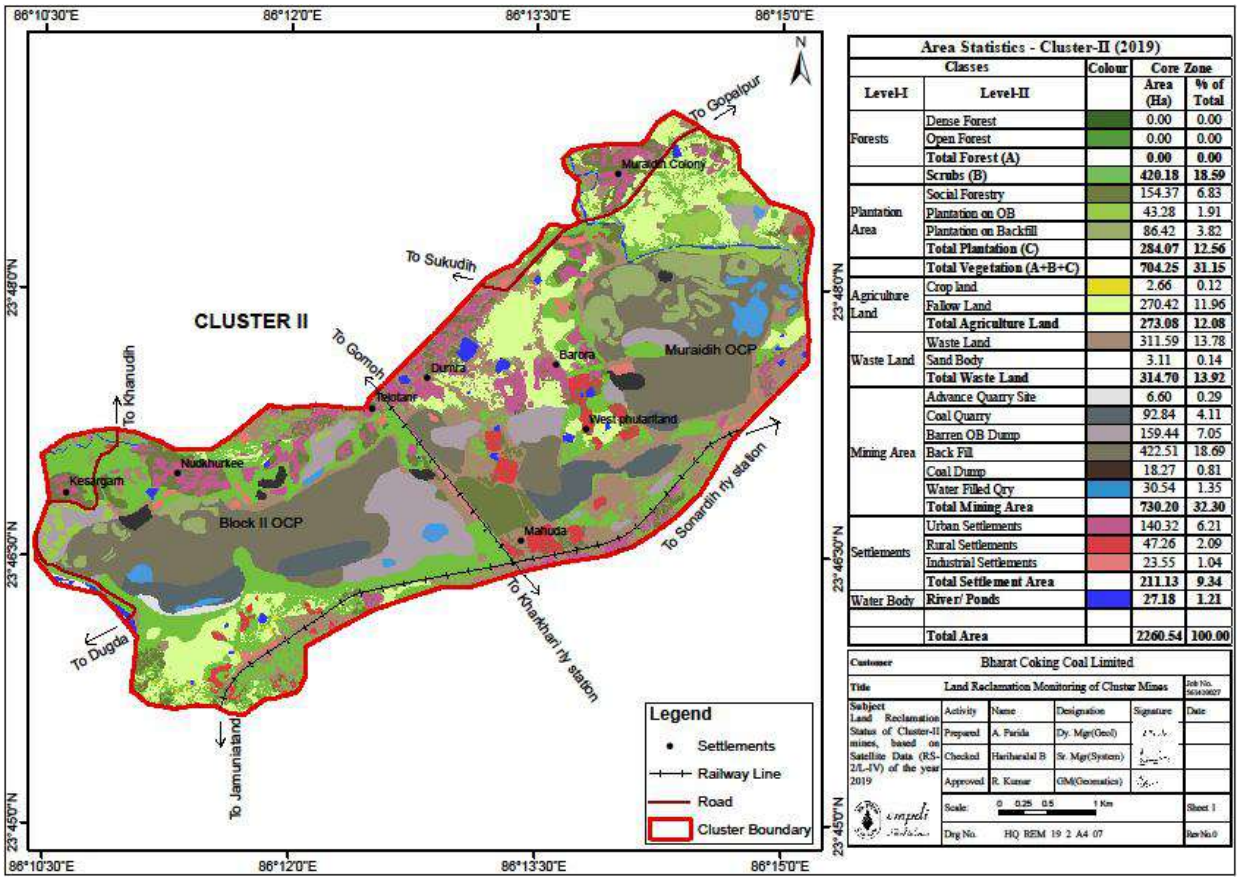
Monitoring stations (**B-1, B-59, B-60, B-61A and B-62A**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	B-1	Muraidih	3.28	0.73	1.63	1.73	3.18	1.33	1.73	1.98	1.68	2.88	1.48	2.08
2	B-59	Khodovaly	5.25	0.67	1.40	2.10	6.20	0.80	0.90	1.20	1.38	5.47	0.90	1.10
3	B-60	Bahiyardih	10.33	0.91	3.21	6.13	8.13	1.23	3.23	4.93	8.21	13.68	3.13	4.23
4	B61A	Kesargora	3.32	0.85	1.60	2.07	3.32	1.39	0.52	1.12	1.27	2.57	2.62	2.02
5	B62A	Sadiyardih	6.95	2.77	3.00	4.95	7.55	2.80	3.25	4.95	5.87	8.27	4.00	4.78
Average WL (bgl)			5.83	1.19	2.17	3.40	5.68	1.51	1.93	2.84	3.68	6.57	2.43	2.84

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 2.57 m Max – 13.68 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.52 m Max – 4.78 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-II MINES, BCCL



Area Statistics - Cluster-II (2019)

Classes		Colour	Core Zone	
Level-I	Level-II		Area (Ha)	% of Total
Forests	Dense Forest		0.00	0.00
	Open Forest		0.00	0.00
	Total Forest (A)		**0.00**	**0.00**
	Scrubs (B)		**420.18**	**18.59**
Plantation Area	Social Forestry		154.37	6.83
	Plantation on OB		43.28	1.91
	Plantation on Backfill		86.42	3.82
	Total Plantation (C)		**284.07**	**12.56**
	Total Vegetation (A+B+C)		**704.25**	**31.15**
Agriculture Land	Crop land		2.66	0.12
	Fallow Land		270.42	11.96
	Total Agriculture Land		**273.08**	**12.08**
Waste Land	Waste Land		311.59	13.78
	Sand Body		3.11	0.14
	Total Waste Land		**314.70**	**13.92**
Mining Area	Advance Quarry Site		6.60	0.29
	Coal Quarry		92.84	4.11
	Barren OB Dump		159.44	7.05
	Back Fill		422.51	18.69
	Coal Dump		18.27	0.81
	Water Filled Qry		30.54	1.35
	Total Mining Area		**730.20**	**32.30**
Settlements	Urban Settlements		140.32	6.21
	Rural Settlements		47.26	2.09
	Industrial Settlements		23.55	1.04
	Total Settlement Area		**211.13**	**9.34**
Water Body	**River/ Ponds**		**27.18**	**1.21**
	Total Area		**2260.54**	**100.00**

Customer	Bharat Coking Coal Limited				
Title	Land Reclamation Monitoring of Cluster Mines				Job No. 200419027
Subject: Land Reclamation Status of Cluster-II mines, based on Satellite Data (RS-2/L-IV) of the year 2019	Activity	Name	Designation	Signature	Date
	Prepared	A. Parida	Dy. Mgr(Geol)		
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	Approved	R. Kumar	GM(Geomatics)		
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Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	977.33 x 10^4	977.33 x 10^4	977.33 x 10^4
2	Open Land	1072.08 x 10^4	1072.08 x 10^4	1072.08 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	140.32 x 10^4	140.32 x 10^4	140.32 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	70.81 x 10^4	70.81 x 10^4	70.81 x 10^4
5	Total	2260.54 x 10^4	2260.54 x 10^4	2260.54 x 10^4

C. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-III

Cluster-III consists of nine mines namely, Jogidih UG, Govindpur UG, Maheshpur UG, Kooridih/Block-IV Mixed Mine, New Akashkinaree Mixed Mine, South Govindpur UG (closed), and Teturiya UG (closed) mines. It is located in the western most part of Jharia coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out upto 60 years considering annual target production of 3.60 MTPA. This Cluster of mines is located in western part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand (Toposheet no – 73 I/5).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-III is 1552.53 Ha. The area is plain with gentle undulation with RL varies from 160 m to 208.80 m AMSL. The general slope of the area is towards south. Khudia River, Baghdihi Jore, Katri River and its tributaries are controlling the drainage system of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Khudia River.

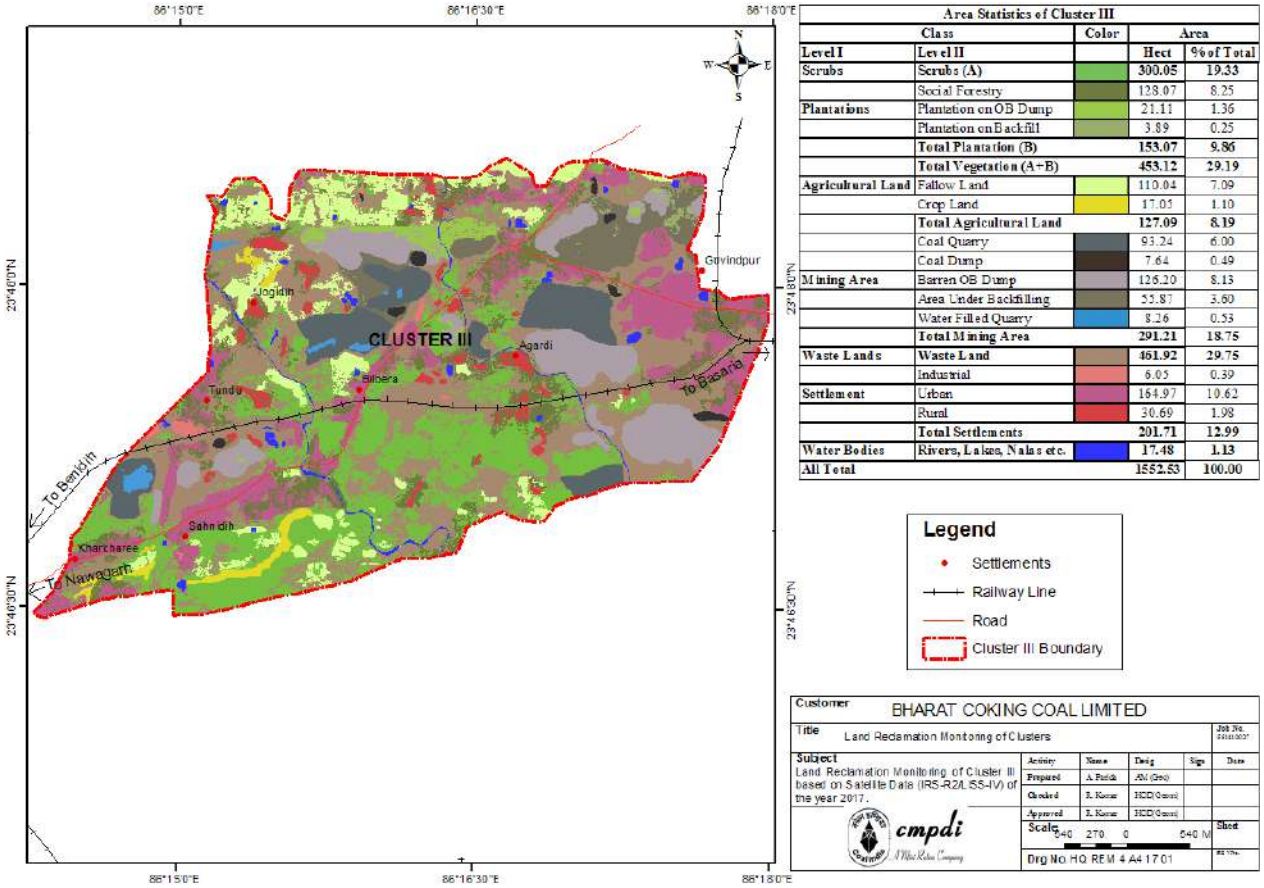
Monitoring stations (**A-12, A-25, A-29, B-14 and B-60**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	A12	Jamua	2.60	0.32	0.50	1.20	2.10	0.29	0.45	0.75	1.20	2.80	0.40	1.0
2	A25	Sinidih	2.98	1.30	1.83	2.53	6.08	1.43	1.93	2.48	4.88	6.63	2.88	3.13
3	A29	Dharmaband	6.20	1.21	3.20	3.25	4.85	1.20	3.40	3.65	3.25	6.45	2.86	2.10
4	B14	Mathadih	2.44	0.32	1.04	1.69	2.24	0.54	0.94	2.04	1.69	3.64	1.22	2.84
5	B60	Sonardih	10.33	0.91	3.21	6.13	8.13	1.23	3.23	4.93	8.21	13.68	3.13	4.23
Average WL (bgl)			4.91	0.81	1.96	2.96	4.68	0.94	1.99	2.77	3.85	6.64	2.12	2.64

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 2.10 m Max – 13.68 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.45 m Max – 4.23 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-III MINES, BCCL



Area Statistics of Cluster III				
Class		Color	Area	
Level I	Level II		Hect	% of Total
Scrubs	Scrubs (A)		300.05	19.33
	Social Forestry		128.07	8.25
Plantations	Plantation on OB Dump		21.11	1.36
	Plantation on Backfill		3.89	0.25
	Total Plantation (B)		**153.07**	**9.86**
	Total Vegetation (A+B)		**453.12**	**29.19**
Agricultural Land	Fallow Land		110.04	7.09
	Crop Land		17.05	1.10
	Total Agricultural Land		**127.09**	**8.19**
	Coal Quarry		93.24	6.00
	Coal Dump		7.64	0.49
Mining Area	Barren OB Dump		126.20	8.13
	Area Under Backfilling		55.87	3.60
	Water Filled Quarry		8.26	0.53
	Total Mining Area		**291.21**	**18.75**
Waste Lands	**Waste Land**		**461.92**	**29.75**
	Industrial		6.05	0.39
Settlement	Urban		164.97	10.62
	Rural		30.69	1.98
	Total Settlements		**201.71**	**12.99**
Water Bodies	Rivers, Lakes, Nalas etc.		17.48	1.13
All Total			1552.53	100.00

Customer: BHARAT COKING COAL LIMITED

Title: Land Reclamation Monitoring of Clusters

Subject: Land Reclamation Monitoring of Cluster III based on Satellite Data (IRS-R2A LISS-IV) of the year 2017.

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Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	580.21×10^4	580.21×10^4	580.21×10^4
2	Open Land	770.61×10^4	770.61×10^4	770.61×10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	164.97×10^4	164.97×10^4	164.97×10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	36.74×10^4	36.74×10^4	36.74×10^4
5	Total	1552.53×10^4	1552.53×10^4	1552.53×10^4

D. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-IV

Cluster-IV consists of six mines namely, Amalgamated Keshalpur & West Mudidih colliery, Amalgamated Angarpathra & Ramkanali colliery, Katras-Choitudih Colliery, Salanpur colliery and Gaslitand colliery of Katras area, BCCL. It is located in the north-central part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out more than 30 years considering annual target production of 9.55 MTPA (Toposheet no – 73 I/5).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-IV is 1123.79 Ha. The area has a general undulating topography, with an overall gentle south-westerly slope. The RL varies from 182 m to 216 m AMSL. Katri River, Kumari Jore and its tributaries are controlling the drainage pattern of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Katri River.

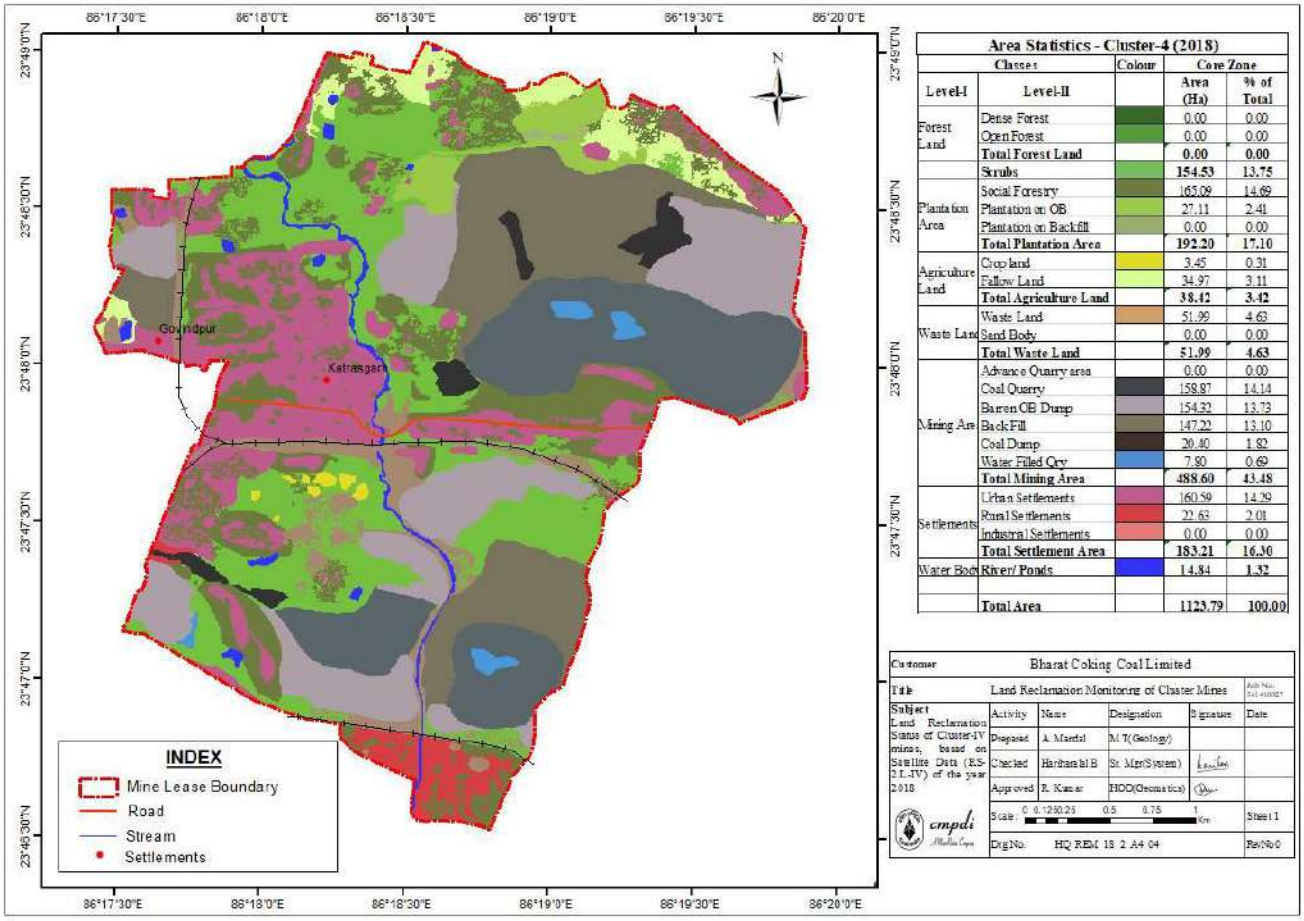
Monitoring stations (**A-26, A28A, B-64 and B-65A**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	A-26	Malkhera	6.98	2.69	3.18	4.78	6.58	2.23	3.33	3.83	4.75	6.23	3.58	3.88
2	A28A	Lakarka	4.00	1.33	3.03	3.35	2.45	1.25	3.15	3.60	2.22	4.15	2.00	2.51
3	B-64	Keshalpur	1.85	0.93	0.50	1.37	0.95	0.30	0.45	1.20	1.42	2.15	0.55	1.85
4	B65A	Jhinjipahari	9.25	0.03	2.30	4.10	11.05	1.85	0.95	2.95	4.18	10.03	2.10	2.40
Average WL (bgl)			5.52	1.25	2.25	3.40	5.26	1.41	1.97	2.90	3.14	5.64	2.16	2.66

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.95 m Max – 11.05 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.45 m Max – 3.88 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-IV MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	385.15×10^4	385.15×10^4	385.15×10^4
2	Open Land	555.43×10^4	555.43×10^4	555.43×10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	160.59×10^4	160.59×10^4	160.59×10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	22.63×10^4	22.63×10^4	22.63×10^4
5	Total	1123.79×10^4	1123.79×10^4	1123.79×10^4

E. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-V

Cluster-V consists of twelve mines namely; Tetulmari OC & UG mines, Mudidih OC & UG mines, Nichitpur OC mine, Sendra Bansjore OC & UG mines, Bansdeopur OCP (proposed) & UG Mines, Kankanee OC & UG mines and Loyabad UG mine (closed) of Sijua area, BCCL. This Cluster of mines is located in northern part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out more than 30 years considering annual target production of 6.311 MTPA (Toposheet no – 73 I/6).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-V is 1724.52 Ha. The area has a general undulating topography, with an overall gentle south westerly slope. The RL varies from 210 m to 170 m AMSL. Jarian Nala, Nagri Jore, Ekra Jore and its tributaries are controlling the drainage pattern of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Jarian Nala and Ekra Jore.

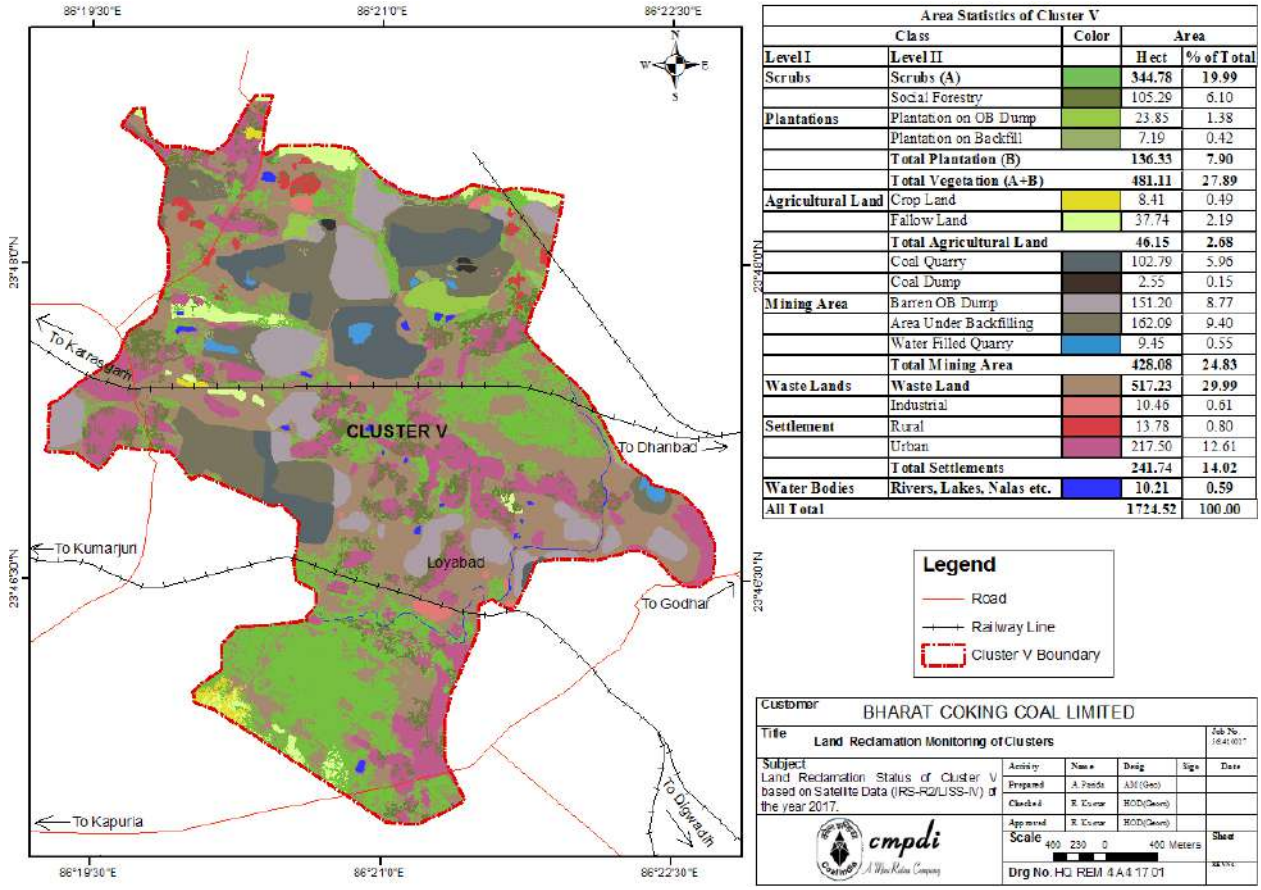
Monitoring stations (**A-3, A-16, A-27 and D-23**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	A-3	Sijua	1.57	0.02	0.47	0.77	3.47	0.32	0.47	0.62	0.77	1.27	0.37	0.47
2	A-16	Ekra	7.15	1.34	1.75	3.20	5.45	1.65	1.95	4.55	2.60	4.30	2.05	3.65
3	A-27	Tetulmari	2.40	0.03	1.10	1.90	2.40	0.15	0.92	1.30	1.90	2.90	1.49	1.00
4	D-23	Jogta	5.60	1.69	3.35	3.70	4.70	1.65	1.40	1.50	2.70	4.40	2.60	3.40
Average WL (bgl)			4.18	0.77	1.67	2.39	4.01	0.94	1.19	1.99	1.99	3.22	1.63	2.13

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.27 m Max – 5.60 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.47 m Max – 3.65 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-V MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	527.26×10^4	527.26×10^4	527.26×10^4
2	Open Land	973.52×10^4	973.52×10^4	973.52×10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	217.50×10^4	217.50×10^4	217.50×10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	24.24×10^4	24.24×10^4	24.24×10^4
5	Total	1724.52×10^4	1724.52×10^4	1724.52×10^4

F. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-VI

Cluster–VI consists of four coal mines; East Bassuriya opencast (OC), Bassuriya underground (UG), Gondudih Khas-Kusunda OC and Godhur Mixed Mines (OC and UG) of BCCL. This Cluster of mines is located in central part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out more than 30 years considering annual target production of 7.631 MTPA (Toposheet no – 73 I/6).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-VI is 831.83 Ha. The area has a general undulating topography with general slope towards south. The RL varies from 180 m to 240 m AMSL. Ekra Jore, Kari Jore and their tributaries are controlling the drainage pattern of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Ekra Jore and Kari Jore.

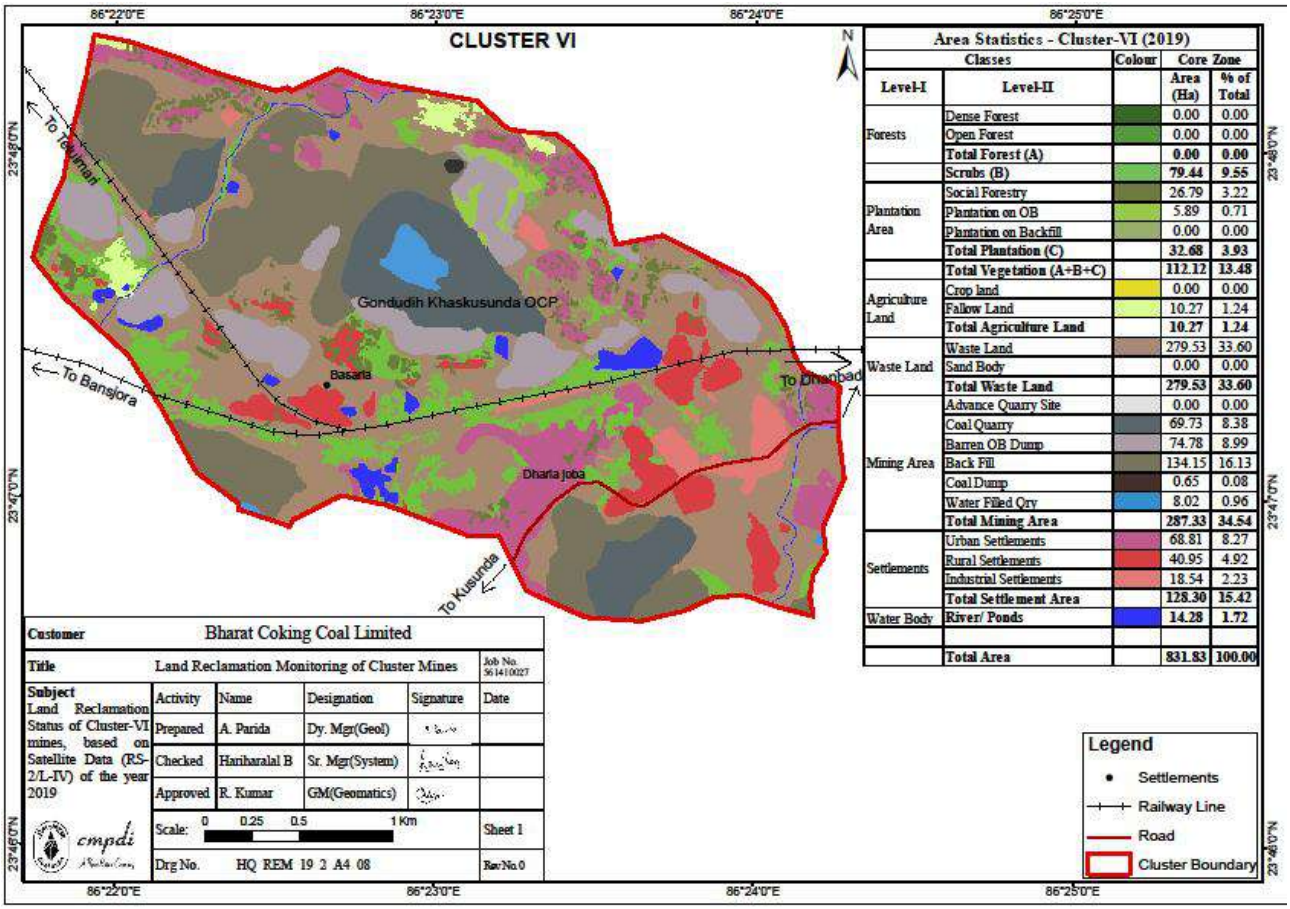
Monitoring stations (**D-25 and D-30**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	D25	Godhur	10.50	2.28	5.62	6.40	9.90	4.35	5.38	5.50	0.50	2.60	0.60	2.40
2	D30	Borkiboa	4.50	1.65	1.35	2.40	4.60	0.38	0.75	1.95	2.60	4.58	1.00	1.10
Average WL (bgl)			7.50	1.97	3.49	4.40	**7.25**	**2.37**	**3.07**	**3.73**	***1.55***	***3.59***	***0.80***	***1.75***

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 2.60 m Max – 10.50 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.75 m Max – 5.62 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-VI MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	122.39 X 10^4	122.39 X 10^4	122.39 X 10^4
2	Open Land	581.14 X 10^4	581.14 X 10^4	581.14 X 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	68.81 X 10^4	68.81 X 10^4	68.81 X 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	59.49 X 10^4	59.49 X 10^4	59.49 X 10^4
5	Total	831.83 X 10^4	831.83 X 10^4	831.83 X 10^4

G. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-VII

Cluster-VII consists of fourteen mines namely; Kusunda Area, Bastacolla Area and PB Area B.C.C.L (Jharia Coalfield) is located in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. Cluster–VII consists of coal mines; Dhansar UG, Dhansar OCP, Kusunda OCP and Viswakarma OCP (proposed) are under the administrative control of Kusunda Area and Industry UG (closed), Alkusa UG, Ena OCP, S.Jharia/Rajapur OCP, Burragarh UG, Simlabahal UG, Hurriladih UG, Bhutgoria UG (Re-opening), Kustore UG (closed) and E.Bhuggatdih UG (closed) are under Bastacolla and PB Area of BCCL. This Cluster of mines is located in east central part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out more than 30 years considering annual target production of 8.226 MTPA (Toposheet no – 73 I/6).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-VII is 2127.70 Ha. The area has a general undulating topography with general slope towards south. The RL varies from 172 m to 221 m above M.S.L. Kari Jore, Chatkari Jore and its tributaries are controlling the drainage pattern of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Kari Jore and Chatkari Jore.

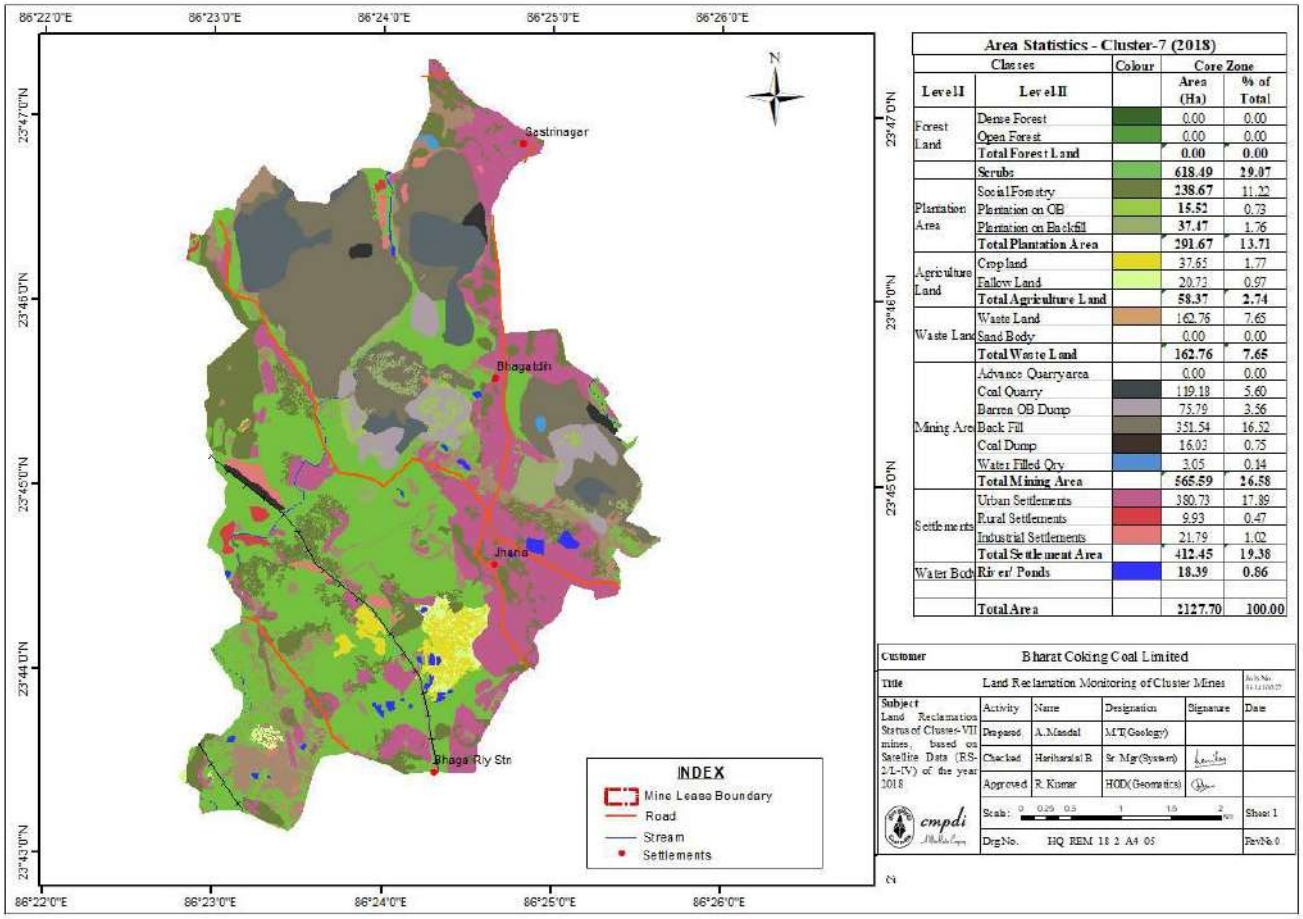
Monitoring stations (**D-3, D-4, D-33, D-34, D-47, D-55 and D-80**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	D-3	Dhansar	5.40	0.56	1.38	1.90	1.75	1.05	1.30	1.45	1.65	3.43	1.50	2.45
2	D-4	Jharia	3.41	0.51	1.41	2.26	2.81	1.16	1.71	2.16	1.21	1.91	0.91	1.56
3	D33	Kustore	3.65	0.48	1.45	1.80	2.35	0.25	1.65	2.35	0.55	2.85	0.55	0.95
4	D34	Kusunda	3.30	2.00	2.80	2.95	4.75	2.10	2.40	2.55	0.60	2.80	0.45	0.70
5	D47	Parastanr	9.45	3.41	5.45	5.83	4.55	1.90	4.35	4.20	3.55	5.33	2.55	3.65
6	D55	Hariladih	9.42	3.88	8.60	8.62	8.42	2.97	5.47	8.62	4.42	8.42	1.57	4.02
7	D80	Bastacolla	4.30	2.08	4.90	5.00	5.00	2.30	3.05	3.80	4.35	9.35	3.28	4.20
Average WL (bgl)			5.56	1.85	3.71	4.05	4.23	1.68	2.85	3.59	2.33	4.87	1.54	2.50

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.75 m Max – 9.45 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.70 m Max – 8.60 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-VII MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	968.53 x 10^4	968.53 x 10^4	968.53 x 10^4
2	Open Land	746.72 x 10^4	746.72 x 10^4	746.72 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	380.73 x 10^4	380.73 x 10^4	380.73 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	31.71 x 10^4	31.71 x 10^4	31.71 x 10^4
5	Total	2127.70 x 10^4	2127.70 x 10^4	2127.70 x 10^4

H. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-VIII

Cluster - VIII of B.C.C.L mines under administrative control of Bastacolla Area of B.C.C.L (Jharia Coalfield) is located in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. Cluster-VIII consists of ten mines namely; Bastacolla mixed mines (OC & UG), Bera mixed mines (OC&UG), Dobari UG, Kuya mixed mines (OC&UG), Proposed Goluckdih (NC) OC mine, Ghanoodih OC mine and Kujama OC mine are under Bastacolla Area of BCCL is located in the west part of Jharia Coalfield. All above the mines are contiguous in nature and the environmental impact is overlapping in ambient environment due to cumulative effect of the mining activities. The life of the project works out upto 25 years considering annual target production of 6.383 MTPA (toposheet no. 73 I/5 and I/6).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-VIII is 1331.95 Ha. The area has a general undulating topography with general slope towards south and south-west. The ground elevation in the area ranges from 175 m to 221 m AMSL. Chatkari Jore, Tisra Jore and its tributaries controlling the drainage pattern of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Chatkari Jore.

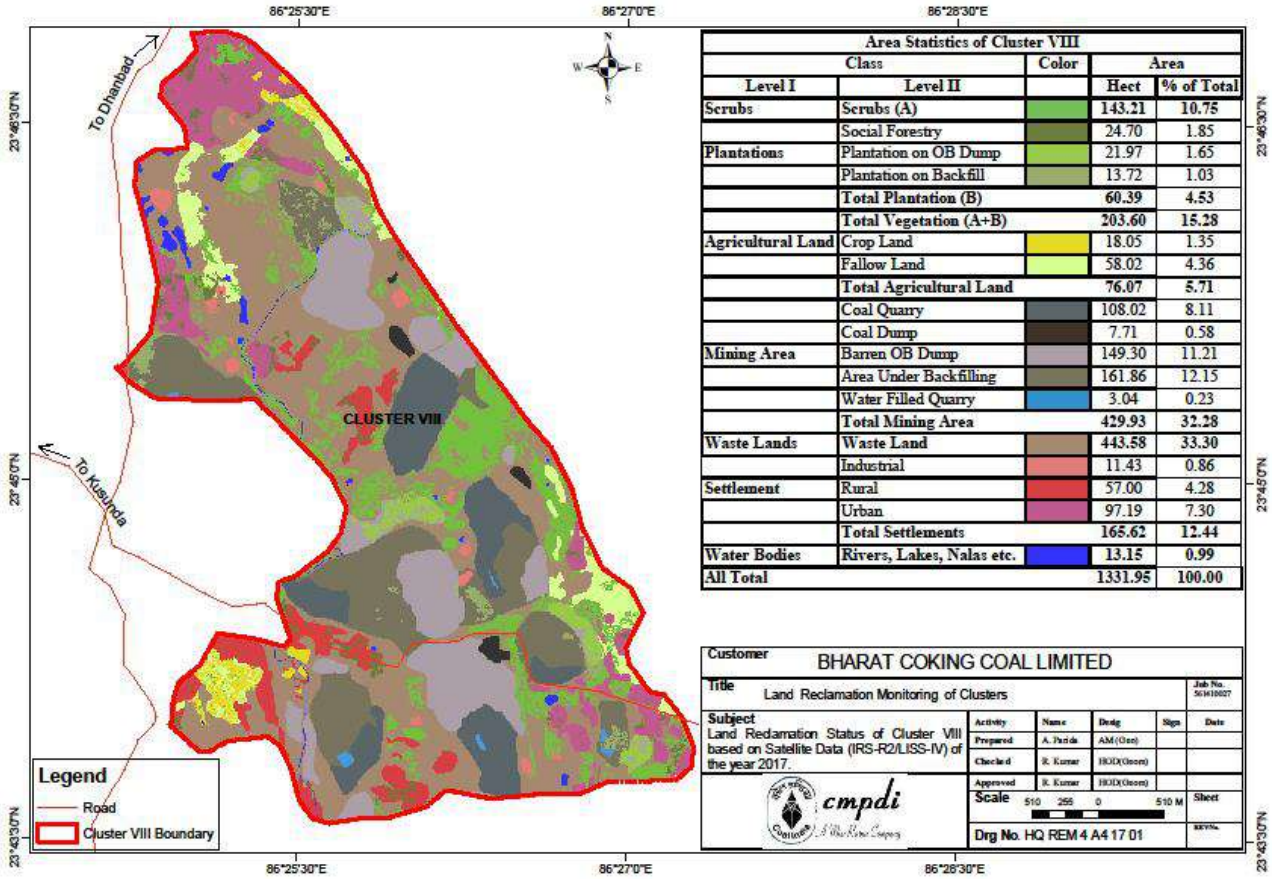
Monitoring stations (**D-8, D-43, D-49 and D-51**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	D-8	Alokdiha	5.83	1.70	2.75	3.20	4.80	1.95	2.85	4.25	3.20	5.65	1.65	1.85
2	D43	Alagdih	6.60	2.31	2.55	3.05	7.35	3.55	2.70	4.25	3.05	7.15	2.90	3.45
3	D49	Galucdih	3.25	1.41	1.65	1.98	1.75	0.60	1.50	1.25	1.98	3.45	1.45	2.45
4	D51	Chankuiya	8.45	6.03	5.70	7.35	9.95	8.05	5.75	7.75	8.26	10.93	4.80	7.10
Average WL (bgl)			6.03	2.86	3.16	3.90	5.96	3.54	3.20	4.38	4.12	6.80	2.70	3.71

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.75 m Max – 10.93 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.50 m Max – 5.75 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-VIII MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	279.69 x 10^4	279.69 x 10^4	279.69 x 10^4
2	Open Land	886.66 x 10^4	886.66 x 10^4	886.66 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	97.19 x 10^4	97.19 x 10^4	97.19 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	68.43 x 10^4	68.43 x 10^4	68.43 x 10^4
5	Total	1331.95 x 10^4	1331.95 x 10^4	1331.95 x 10^4

I. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-IX

Cluster - IX of B.C.C.L mines under administrative control of Lodna Area of B.C.C.L (Jharia Coalfield) is located in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. Cluster- IX consists of eight mines namely; North Tisra/South Tisra OCP, Jeenagora OCP, North Tisra UG, Lodna UG, Bagdigi UG, Bararee UG, Joyrampur UG and Jealgora UG (closed) are under the administrative control of Lodna Area of Bharat Coking Coal Limited (B.C.C.L - A Subsidiary of Coal India Limited). Among them N. Tisra/S. Tisra OCP, Jeenagora OCP and N. Tisra UG mine will be amalgamated and will formed North Tisra/South Tisra Expansion OCP. North Tisra/South Tisra Expansion OCP, Lodna UG, Bagdigi UG, Bararee UG and Joyrampur UG are under Lodna Area of BCCL is located in the west part of Jharia Coalfield. All above the mines are contiguous in nature and the environmental impact is overlapping in ambient environment due to cumulative effect of the mining activities. The life of the project works out upto 30 years considering annual target production of 8.513 MTPA (toposheet no. 73 I/6).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-IX is 1967.22 Ha. The topography of the area is undulating with gentle slope towards south. The RL varies from 221 m to 188.44 m AMSL. Chatkari Jore, Tisra Jore, Sulunga Jore and its tributaries controlling the drainage pattern of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Chatkari Jore.

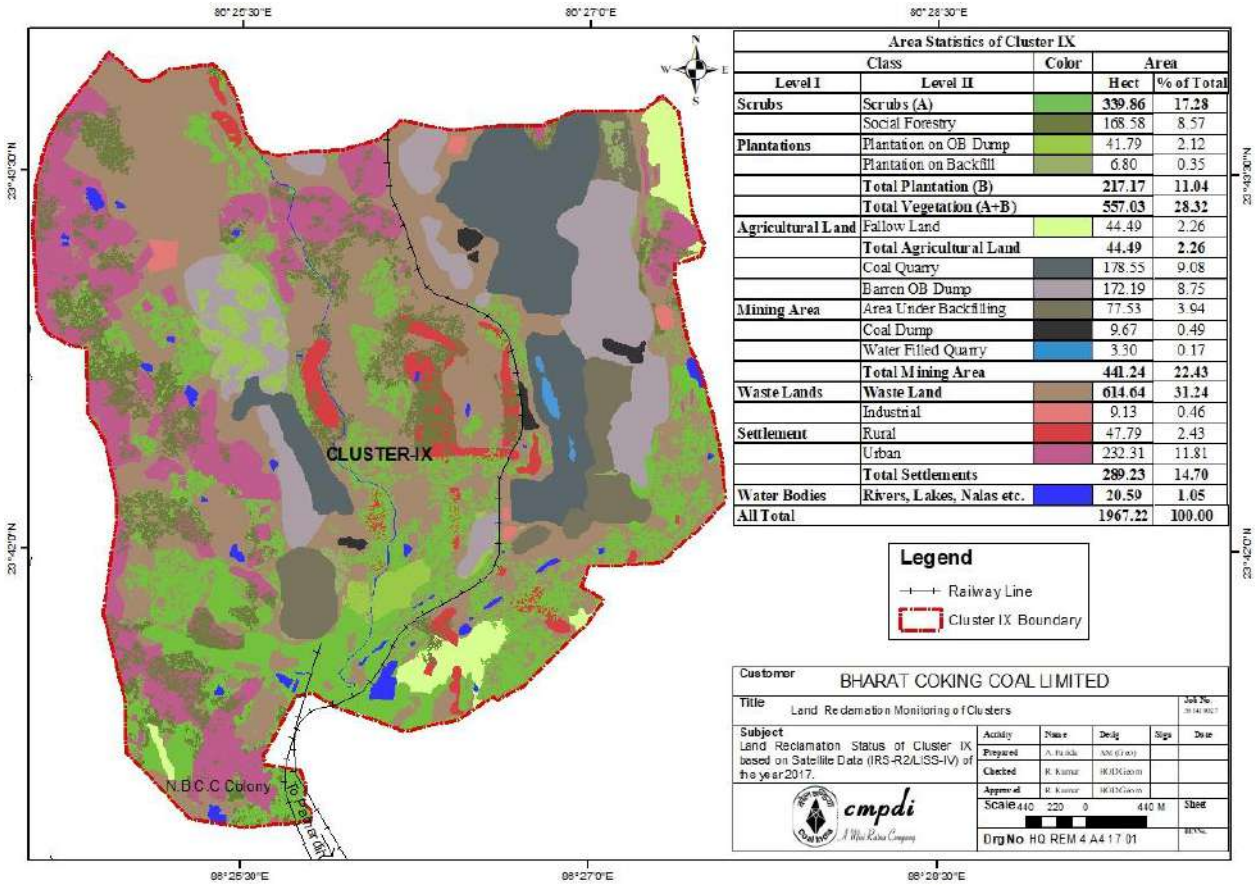
Monitoring stations (**D-5, D-7, D-39, D-40A, D-41 and D-74**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	D-5	Jiyalgora	8.60	3.20	7.70	7.90	8.25	2.90	4.85	8.20	5.80	7.80	4.39	5.30
2	D-7	Golden Pahari	7.33	2.56	5.13	5.35	8.23	1.88	3.28	4.86	5.15	7.53	2.23	2.83
3	D-39	Tilaboni	9.40	3.35	6.05	6.78	12.60	4.00	5.95	12.45	3.18	4.95	2.50	4.35
4	D40A	Khapa Dhawra	1.95	0.30	1.43	6.78	1.85	1.50	1.45	1.95	1.70	2.10	1.10	1.40
5	D-41	Joyrampur	3.30	1.43	1.45	1.60	2.30	0.70	1.25	1.40	1.30	1.59	1.08	1.32
6	D-74	Bhulan Bararee	4.30	2.58	3.93	4.00	5.80	2.35	3.57	4.95	5.80	8.60	3.40	4.80
Average WL (bgl)			5.81	2.24	4.28	4.54	6.51	2.22	3.39	5.64	3.82	5.43	2.45	3.33

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.59 m Max – 12.60 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.25 m Max – 7.70 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-IX MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	601.52×10^4	601.52×10^4	601.52×10^4
2	Open Land	1076.47×10^4	1076.47×10^4	1076.47×10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	232.31×10^4	232.31×10^4	232.31×10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	56.92×10^4	56.92×10^4	56.92×10^4
5	Total	1967.22×10^4	1967.22×10^4	1967.22×10^4

J. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-X

Cluster-X consists of Bhowrah North OC & UG, Bhowrah South OC & UG, Amalgamated Sudamdih Patherdih, Sudamdih Shaft, Amlabad UG (Closed) and Sudamdih Coal Washery comes under the administrative control of Eastern Jharia Area of Bharat Coking Coal Limited (B.C.C.L - A Subsidiary of Coal India Limited). This cluster of mines is located in eastern part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out is more than 30 years considering annual target production of 2.289 MTY.

Cluster-X mine involves leasehold area of about 2057.47 Ha of land. It covered in Survey of India toposheet no. 73 I/6. The area of Bhowrah North OC & UG, Bhowrah South OC & UG, Amalgamated Sudamdih Patherdih, Sudamdih Shaft, Amlabad UG (Closed) are 280.83 Ha, 571.58 Ha, 498.61 Ha, 391.50 Ha and 386.95 Ha respectively.

The present leasehold area of Cluster-X is 2057.47 Ha. The area has an undulating topography with gentle slope towards south and south east. The RL varies from 185 m to 150.0 m AMSL. Gaurkuthi Nala and few seasonal streams are controlling the drainage pattern of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Damodar River.

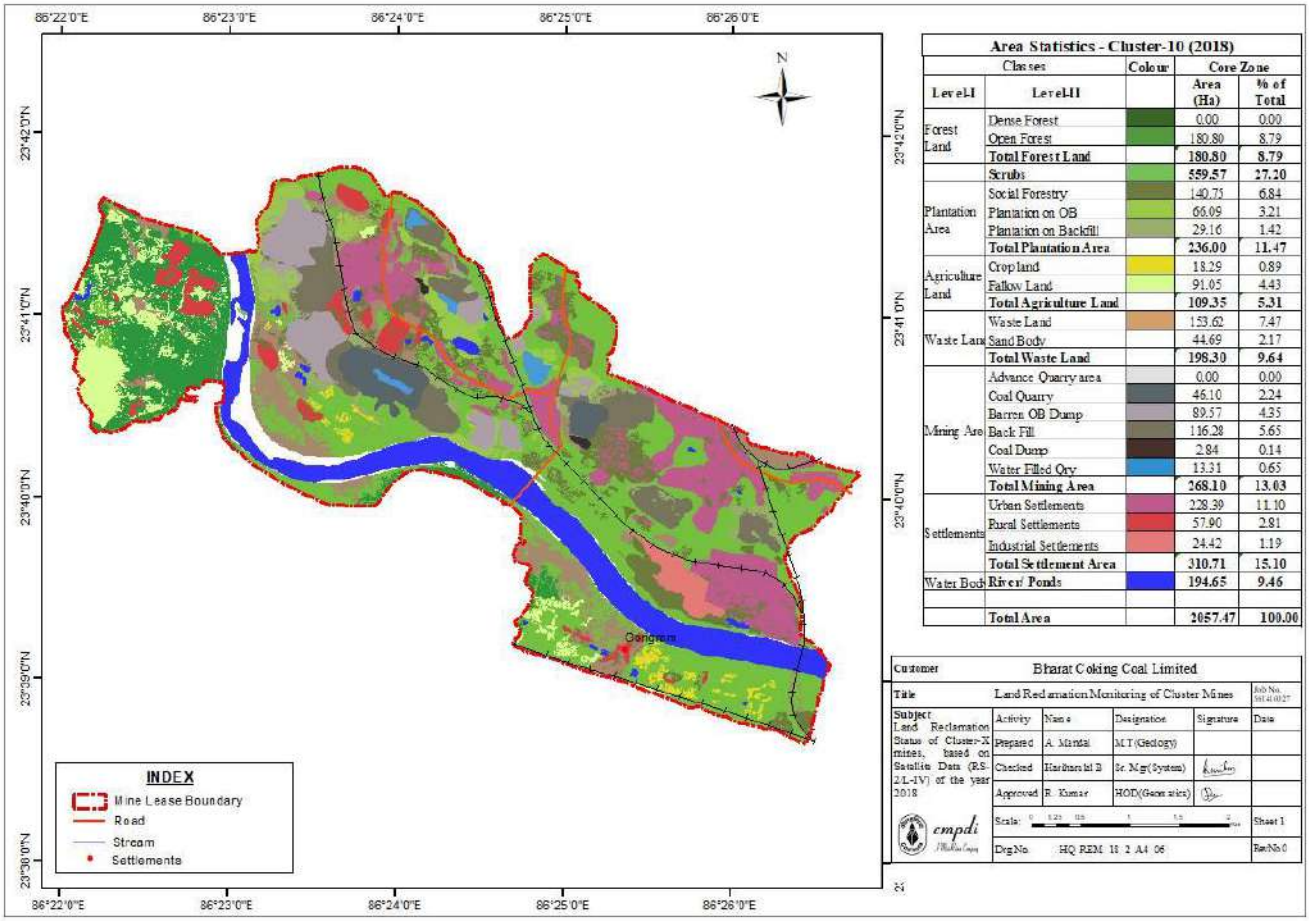
Monitoring stations (**A-19, D-35, D-36 and D-77**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	A-19	Bhowrah	6.05	2.30	3.25	3.70	4.85	0.95	3.43	4.95	2.95	5.55	1.85	2.45
2	D-35	Patherdih	8.20	2.98	5.40	5.62	8.00	3.15	3.80	5.90	6.58	8.40	3.58	4.45
3	D-36	Sudamdih	2.10	0.06	1.00	1.15	1.20	0.10	0.55	0.65	1.00	1.20	0.45	0.60
4	D-77	Amlabad	6.40	5.90	3.50	4.25	6.40	2.80	3.20	4.50	3.63	6.30	4.00	5.20
Average WL (bgl)			5.69	2.81	3.29	3.68	5.11	1.75	2.75	4.00	3.54	5.36	2.47	3.18

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.20 m Max – 8.40 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.55 m Max – 5.40 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-X MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	1085.72 x 10^4	1085.72 x 10^4	1085.72 x 10^4
2	Open Land	661.04 x 10^4	661.04 x 10^4	661.04 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	228.39 x 10^4	228.39 x 10^4	228.39 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	82.32 x 10^4	82.32 x 10^4	82.32 x 10^4
5	Total	2057.47 x 10^4	2057.47 x 10^4	2057.47 x 10^4

K. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-XI

Cluster–XI consists of eight coal mines; Moonidih UG, Gopalichak UG Project, Kachi Balihari 10/12 Pit UG, Pootkee Balihari Project UG, Bhagaband UG, Kendwadih UG (closed), Pootkee UG (closed), Kachi Balihari 5/6 Pit UG (closed) are under the administrative control of Western Jharia Area of Bharat Coking Coal Limited (B.C.C.L - A Subsidiary of Coal India Limited). The Cluster- XI is located in central part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out about upto 50 years considering annual target production of 6.604 MTPA (toposheet no. no. 73 I/5 7 73 I/6).

The present leasehold area of Cluster-XI is 3527.58 Ha. The area has an undulating topography with gentle slope towards south. The RL varies from 201 m to 166 m AMSL. Katri River, Jarian Nala, Ekra Jore and Kari Jore are controlling the drainage of the area. The area comes under the watershed of Katri River and Kari Jore.

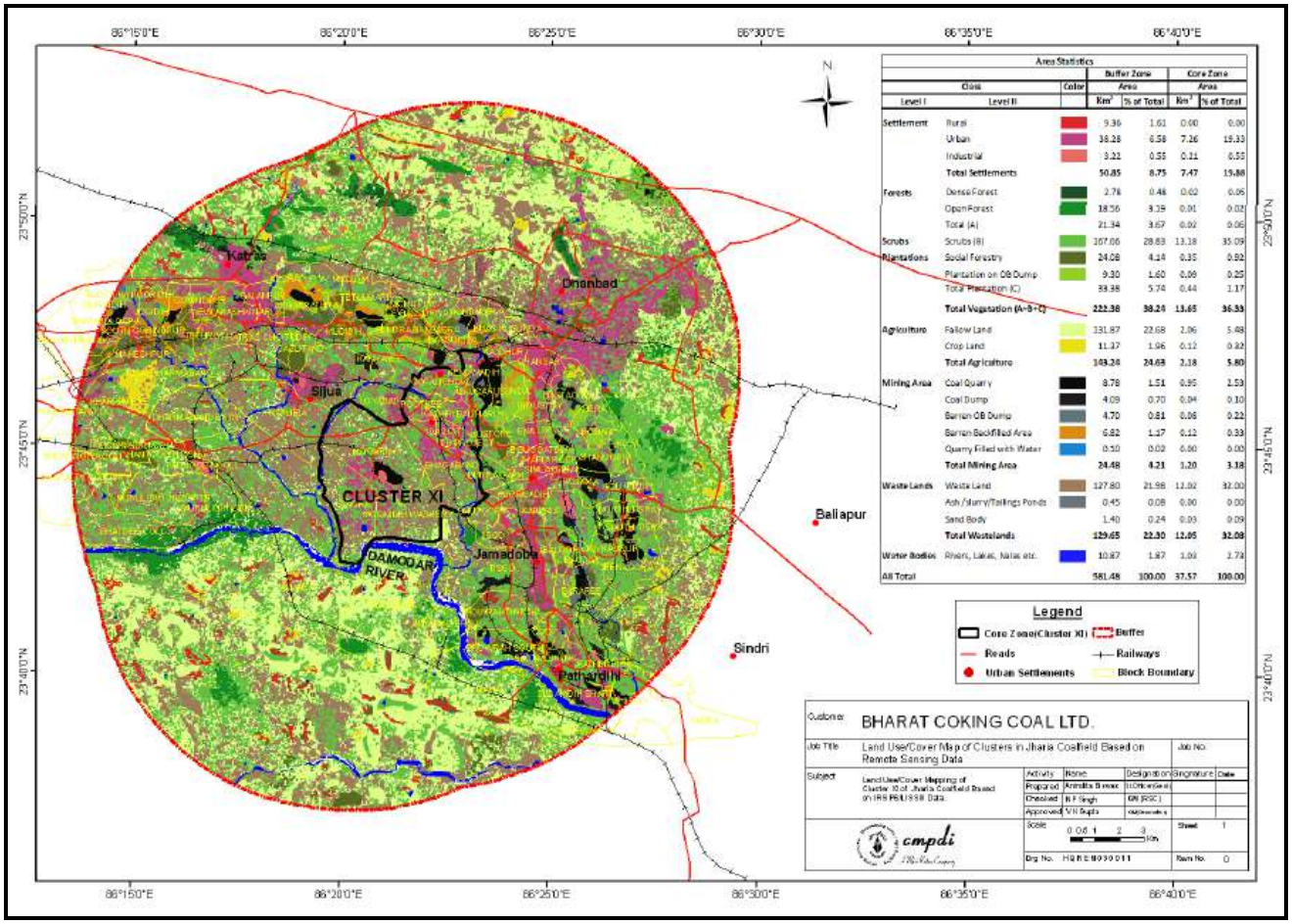
Monitoring stations (**A-17, A-18, A-20 and A-32**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	A-17	Kachi Balihari	2.14	0.64	1.69	1.79	2.94	0.34	2.24	2.42	2.07	3.34	1.64	2.84
2	A-18	Baghaband	1.09	0.39	0.34	0.89	2.29	1.09	0.69	1.09	0.89	1.24	1.34	0.99
3	A-20	Gorbudih	8.47	1.44	3.87	4.42	4.57	3.32	1.82	4.02	3.59	4.57	1.92	2.57
4	A-32	Baludih	1.90	0.36	1.75	1.80	2.75	0.62	0.95	1.65	0.60	2.80	0.45	0.70
Average WL (bgl)			3.40	0.71	1.91	2.23	3.14	1.34	1.43	2.30	2.26	3.20	1.64	2.16

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.62 m Max – 8.47 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.34 m Max – 3.87 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-XI MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	1060.61×10^4	1293.46×10^4	1293.46×10^4
2	Open Land	1518.33×10^4	1509.06×10^4	1509.06×10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	171.08×10^4	171.08×10^4	171.08×10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	777.56×10^4	563.06×10^4	563.06×10^4
5	Total	3527.58×10^4	3527.58×10^4	3527.58×10^4

L. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-XIII

Cluster-XIII, consists of one running mine (Murulidih 20/21 pit UG mine) and six abandoned mines i.e. Bhurungiya colliery, Muchraidih colliery, Hantoodih colliery, Padugora colliery, Murulidih colliery and Bhatdee colliery of Western Jharia area, BCCL is located in the south-western part of Jharia coal field in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The area is covered by Survey of India toposheet no. 73 I/6. The life of the project works out about 15 years considering annual target production of 0.234 MTPA.

The present leasehold area of Cluster-XIII is 1898.62 Ha. The area has an undulating topography with gentle slope towards south-east. The maximum RL is 224 m AMSL in the north-western part of the area whereas the minimum RL is 179 m AMSL at southern part. The area comes under the watershed area of Jamunia River and Katri River.

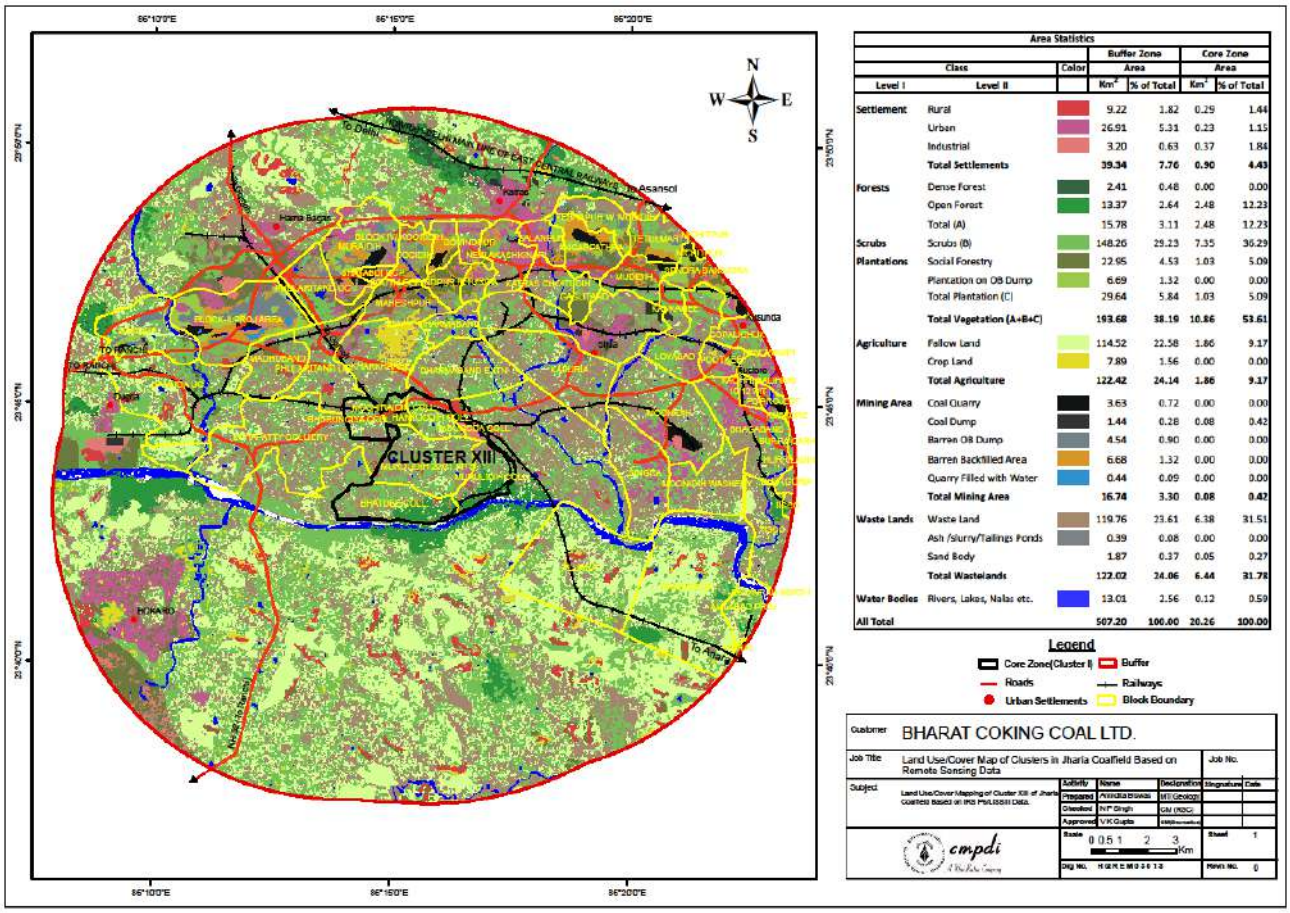
Monitoring stations (**A-22, A-23, A-33, A-34, B-25 and B-48**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	A-22A	Nagdah Basti	2.90	0.20	1.98	2.00	2.60	1.75	2.00	2.85	1.70	3.35	1.10	1.30
2	A-23	Machhayara	8.92	1.12	5.62	7.12	11.97	5.37	3.77	6.57	8.92	11.15	6.46	7.17
3	A-33	Mahuda Washery	4.55	0.38	1.85	2.85	3.65	0.55	1.25	1.55	2.24	4.07	1.26	2.35
4	A-34	Mahuda Mosque	8.35	3.43	3.45	5.35	6.35	3.45	3.95	5.45	5.32	9.45	4.75	5.35
5	B-25	Mahuda More	7.90	3.02	2.55	3.45	4.80	1.38	1.40	3.50	3.68	5.90	2.90	3.70
6	B-48	Mahuda	8.20	3.37	3.85	4.51	7.05	2.85	4.35	5.45	3.55	7.33	2.95	3.97
Average WL (bgl)			6.80	1.92	3.22	4.21	6.07	2.56	2.79	4.23	4.24	6.88	3.24	3.97

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 2.60 m Max – 11.15 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.25 m Max – 5.62 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-XIII MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	1484.41 x 10^4	1570.48 x 10^4	1570.48 x 10^4
2	Open Land	183.28 x 10^4	97.22 x 10^4	97.22 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	71.84 x 10^4	71.83 x 10^4	71.83 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	159.09 x 10^4	159.09 x 10^4	159.09 x 10^4
5	Total	1898.62 x 10^4	1898.62 x 10^4	1898.62 x 10^4

M. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-XIV

Cluster-XIV of B.C.C.L mines under administrative control of Western Jharia Area of B.C.C.L (Jharia Coalfield) is located in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. Lohapatty UG and Lohapatty OC patch (proposed) are under the administrative control of Western Jharia Area of Bharat Coking Coal Limited (B.C.C.L - A Subsidiary of Coal India Limited). The Cluster- XIV is located in western part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out upto 08 years considering annual target production of 0.526 MTPA. Cluster-XIV mine involves leasehold area of about 1418.25 Ha of land. It covered in Survey of India toposheet no. 73 I/2.

The present leasehold area of Cluster-XIV is 1418.25 Ha. The topography of the area is undulating with slope towards south west. The maximum RL is 224 m in the north-eastern part whereas the minimum RL is 170 m above mean sea level on the south-western part of the area. Jamunia River and its tributaries are controlling the drainage of the area. The area comes under the watershed area of Jamunia River.

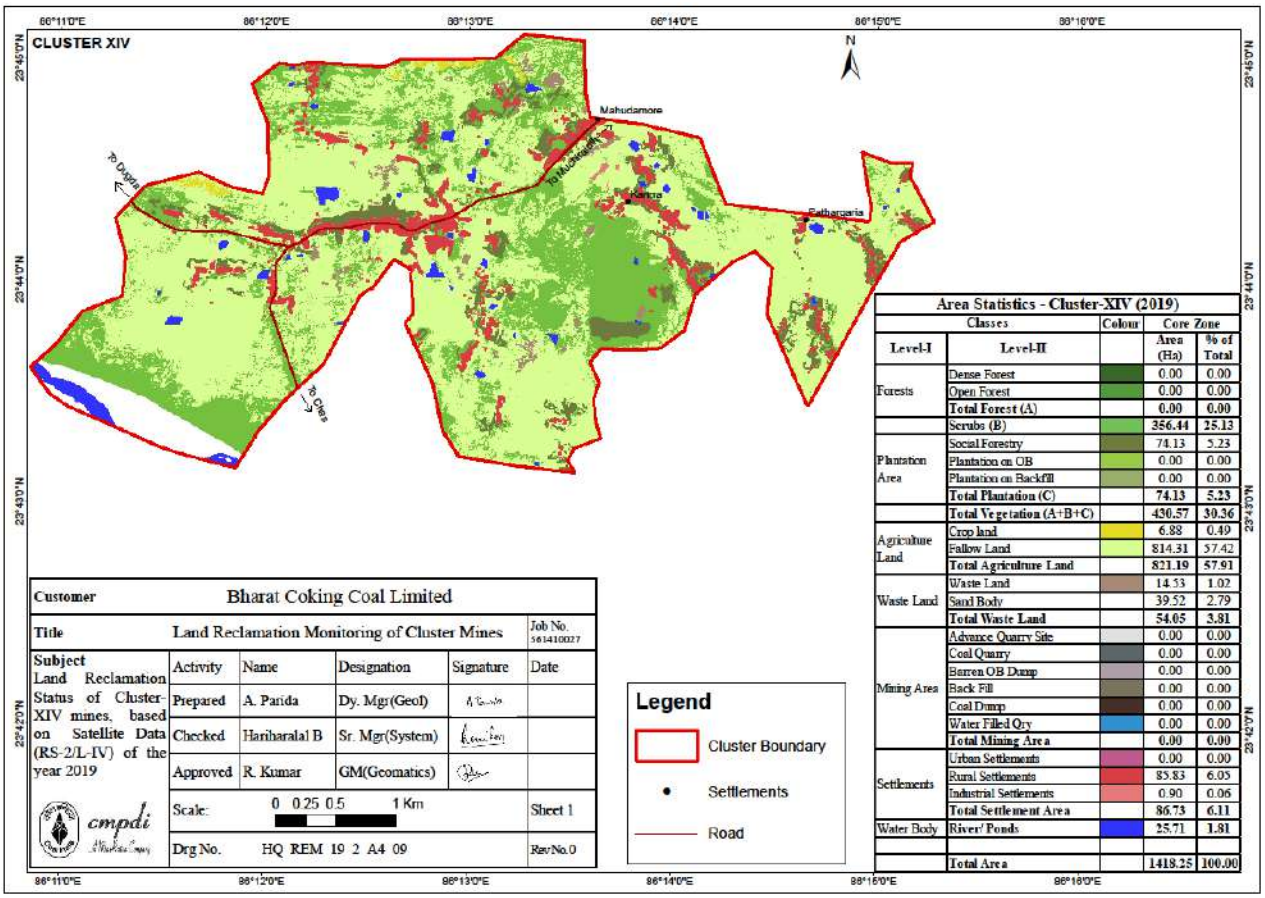
Monitoring stations (**B-23, B-24 and B-67**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	B-23	Lohapatti	3.24	0.77	1.76	2.69	2.84	1.12	1.34	2.24	3.04	6.64	1.74	2.14
2	B-24	Telmuchu	5.48	1.13	3.53	4.38	4.58	1.23	2.33	3.63	6.43	9.28	3.31	4.33
3	B-67	Simatanr	7.55	1.83	3.95	5.90	8.57	3.37	4.35	4.65	6.50	9.55	3.60	4.00
Average WL (bgl)			5.42	1.24	3.08	4.32	5.33	1.91	2.67	3.51	5.32	8.49	2.88	3.49

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 2.84 m Max – 9.55 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.34 m Max – 4.35 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-XIV MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	1251.76 x 10^4	1251.76 x 10^4	1251.76 x 10^4
2	Open Land	79.76 x 10^4	79.76 x 10^4	79.76 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	85.83 x 10^4	85.83 x 10^4	85.83 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	0.90 x 10^4	0.90 x 10^4	0.90 x 10^4
5	Total	1418.25 x 10^4	1418.25 x 10^4	1418.25 x 10^4

N. GROUND WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-XV

Cluster - XV of B.C.C.L mines under administrative control of Govindpur Area and barora Area of B.C.C.L (Jharia Coalfield) is located in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. Cluster–XV consists of four coal mines; Kharkharee UG (underground mine) and Dharmaband UG are under the administrative control of Govindpur Area and Madhuband UG & Phularitand UG are under the administrative control of Barora Area of Bharat Coking Coal Limited (B.C.C.L - A Subsidiary of Coal India Limited). The Cluster-XV is located in western part of Jharia Coalfield in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The life of the project works out upto 30 years considering annual target production of 0.423 MTPA. Cluster-XV mine involves leasehold area of about 1696.55 Ha of land. It covered in Survey of India toposheet no. 73 I/1 and 73 I/5.

The present leasehold area of Cluster-XV is 1696.55 Ha. The topography of the area is undulating with slope towards south-west. The maximum RL is 235 m in the Kharkharee mine area whereas the minimum RL is 165 m AMSL on the eastern & western part of the Cluster. Jamunia River and Khudia River are controlling the drainage of the area. The area comes under the watershed area of both Jamunia River and Khudia River.

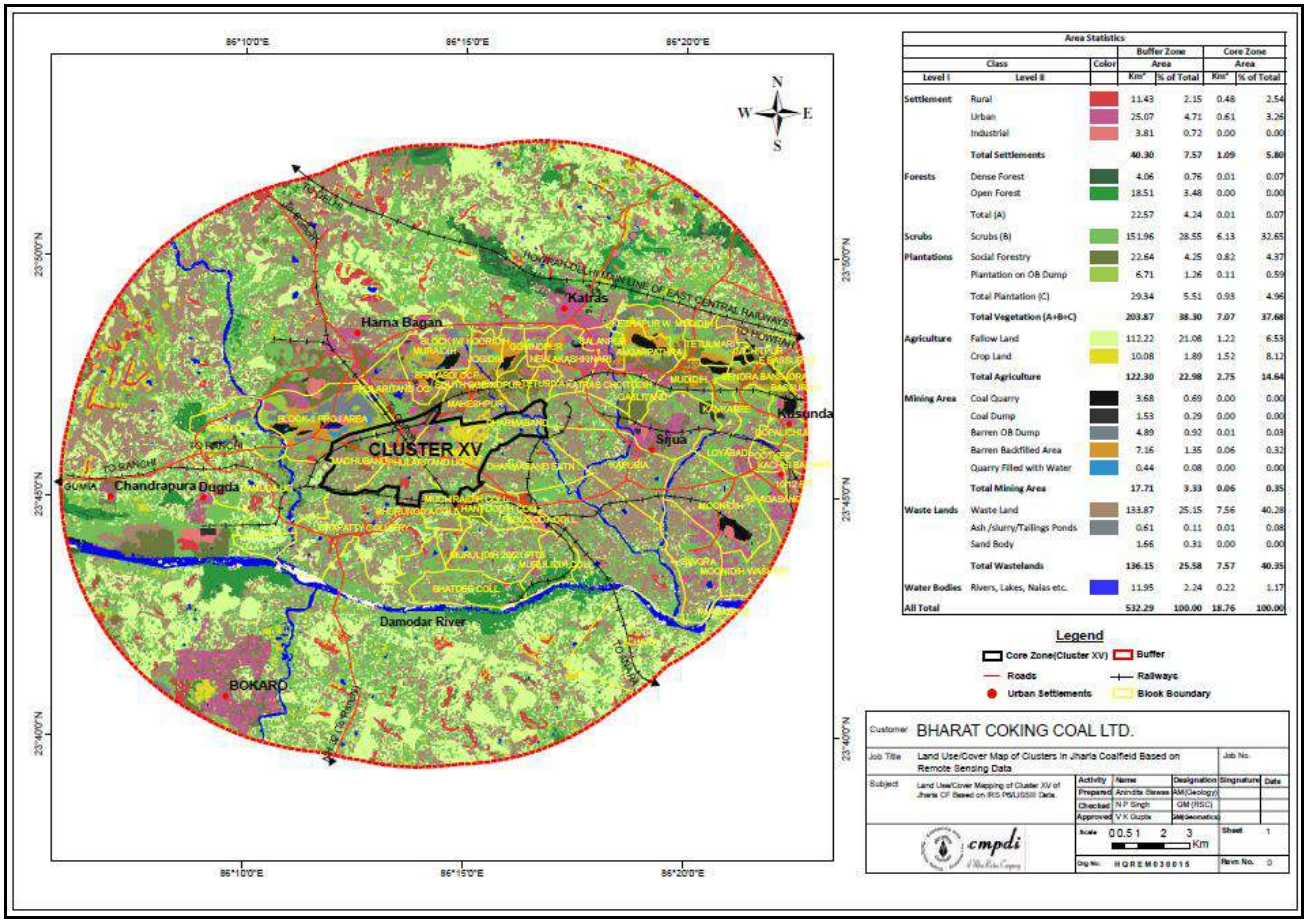
Monitoring stations (**A-24, B-32A and B-61A**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	A24	Pipratanr	4.88	-	4.28	4.68	15.88	1.73	2.48	4.08	11.68	14.58	5.78	6.88
2	B32A	Madhuband	3.30	1.18	2.00	2.21	5.55	1.25	1.70	2.35	3.23	6.75	2.80	3.90
3	B61A	Kesargora	3.32	0.85	1.60	2.07	3.35	1.39	0.52	1.12	1.27	2.57	2.0	2.02
Average WL (bgl)			3.83	1.02	2.63	2.99	8.25	1.46	1.57	2.52	5.39	7.97	3.63	4.27

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 2.57 m Max – 15.88 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.52 m Max – 6.88 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-XV MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	365.18×10^4	957.34×10^4	957.34×10^4
2	Open Land	1130.53×10^4	538.37×10^4	538.37×10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	101.67×10^4	101.67×10^4	101.67×10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	99.17×10^4	99.17×10^4	99.17×10^4
5	Total	1696.55×10^4	1696.55×10^4	1696.55×10^4

O. GROUN D WATER LEVEL OF CLUSTER-XVI

Cluster - XVI of B.C.C.L mines under administrative control of Chanch Victoria Area of B.C.C.L (Raniganj Coalfield) is located in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. The Cluster-XVI (Dahibari-Basantimata Group of mines) is located on the western part of the Raniganj Coalfield and falls within Dhanbad district of Jharkhand. There are total five collieries within this Clusture- XVI (Dahibari-Basantimata OC, Basantimata UG, New Laikdih OC, Laikdih Deep UG and Chanch UG Colliery). All above the mines are contiguous in nature and the environmental impact is overlapping in ambient environment due to cumulative effect of the mining activities. The life of the project works out upto 24 years considering annual target production of 1.963 MTPA. Cluster-XVI mine involves leasehold area of about 2008.40 Ha of land. It covered in Survey of India toposheet no. 73 I/14.

The present leasehold area of Cluster-XVI is 2008.40 Ha. The topography of the area is undulating with slope towards south west. The area is plain with gently undulating with elevation varying from 100 m to 140 m AMSL. The general slope of the area is towards southeast. Barakar River and Khudia River are controlling the drainage of the area. The area comes under the watershed area of Barakar River.

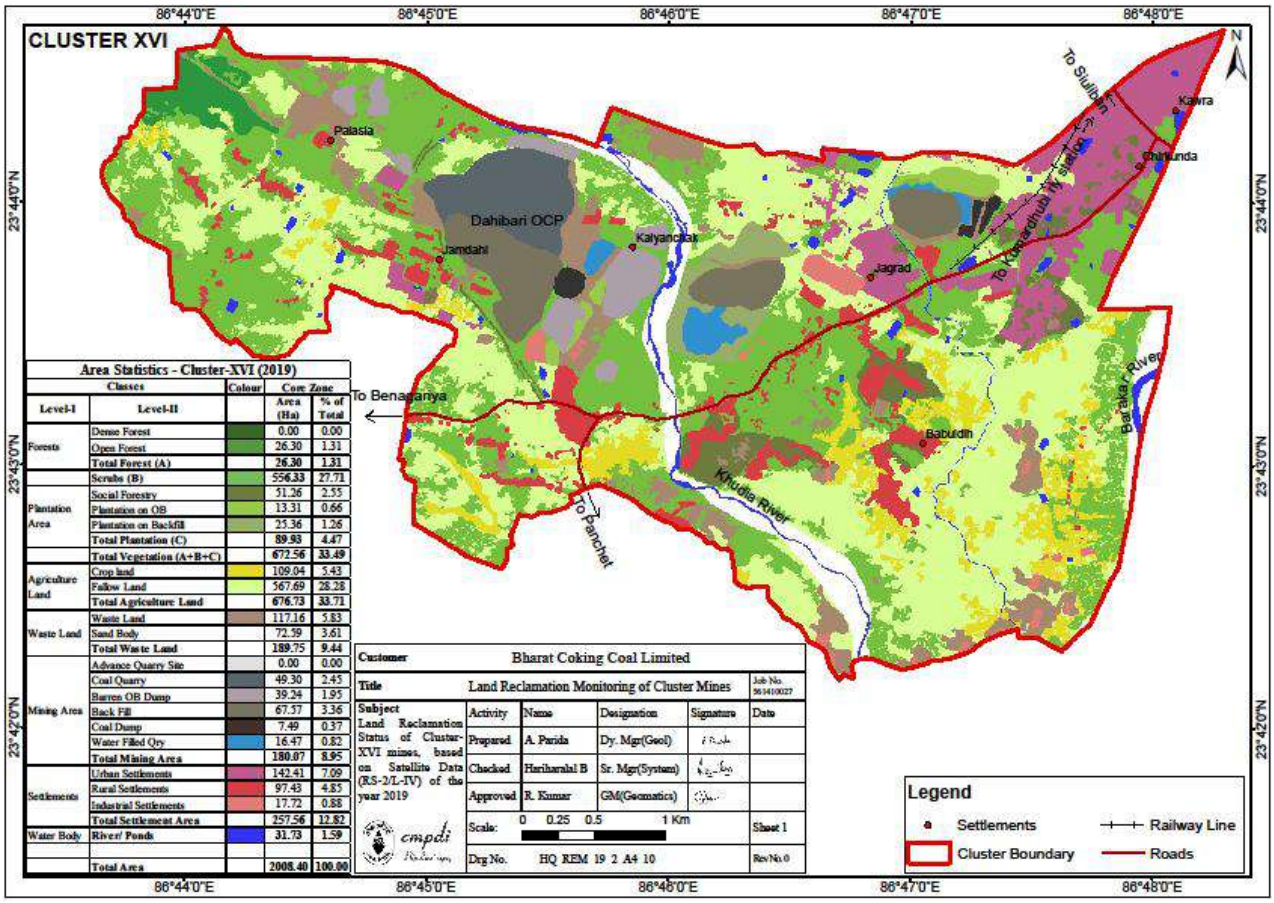
Monitoring stations (**DB-22, DB-23, DB-24 & DB-25**) are located in the core zone of the mine area. Water level monitoring in these monitoring stations has done in the months of May'20, August'20, and Nov'20 and January'21, the Ground water level data enclosed in the table below:

Sl No.	Well No.	Location	Water level (bgl in meters)											
			2020-21				2019-20				2018-19			
			May	Aug	Nov	Jan	May	Aug	Nov	Jan	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
1	DB22	Dahibari, Niche Basti	2.63	1.30	2.25	2.38	4.93	1.38	1.63	1.73	1.98	2.34	1.35	1.93
2	DB23	Dahibari OC	2.50	0.70	1.95	2.17	1.60	0.88	0.80	1.00	2.00	2.85	1.20	1.75
3	DB24	Dahibari	3.60	1.57	5.70	5.90	9.35	3.20	3.88	4.80	8.70	8.25	4.43	5.70
4	DB25	Basantimata UG	3.98	1.19	2.63	2.68	-	-	-	-	3.23	3.93	1.41	1.63
Average WL (bgl)			3.18	1.19	3.13	3.28	4.53	1.82	2.10	2.51	3.98	4.34	2.10	2.75

LAST THREE-YEAR ASSESSMENT:

Pre-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 1.60 m Max – 9.35 m
Post-monsoon GW Level (m): Min – 0.80 m Max – 5.70 m

LAND USE / LAND COVER MAP OF THE CLUSTER-XVI MINES, BCCL



Sl no	Land Use Details	Existing (sq. meter)	Proposed (sq. meter)	Grand Total (sq. meter)
1	Green Belt Area	1349.29 x 10^4	1349.29 x 10^4	1349.29 x 10^4
2	Open Land	401.55 x 10^4	401.55 x 10^4	401.55 x 10^4
3	Road/ Paved Area	142.41 x 10^4	142.41 x 10^4	142.41 x 10^4
4	Rooftop area of building/ sheds	115.15 x 10^4	115.15 x 10^4	115.15 x 10^4
5	Total	2008.40 x 10^4	2008.40 x 10^4	2008.40 x 10^4

4.0 GROUND WATER LEVEL SCENARIO

The summarized water level data of all clusters given in **Table – 7**.

Table –7: Groundwater level data Cluster-wise

Sl. No.	Cluster of BCCL	No. of Monitoring Wells	Water level fluctuation Below ground level (May, Aug, Nov'20 & Jan'21)	Avg. Fluctuation (in meters) during 2020-21	Geological Formation
1	I	4 nos.	0.15 to 10.00 m	2.76 m	Barakar
2	II	5 nos.	0.67 to 10.33 m	3.66 m	Barakar
3	III	5 nos.	0.32 to 10.33 m	2.95 m	Barakar
4	IV	4 nos.	0.03 to 9.25 m	3.27 m	Barakar
5	V	4 nos.	0.02 to 5.60 m	2.51 m	Barakar
6	VI	2 nos.	1.65 to 10.50 m	4.02 m	Barakar
7	VII	7 nos.	0.48 to 9.45 m	2.26 m	Barakar
8	VIII	4 nos.	1.41 to 8.45 m	2.87 m	Barakar
9	IX	6 nos.	0.30 to 9.40 m	1.53 m	Barakar
10	X	4 nos.	0.06 to 6.40 m	2.40 m	Barakar
11	XI	4 nos.	0.36 to 8.47 m	1.50 m	Barakar & Barren Measure
12	XIII	6 nos.	0.20 to 8.92 m	3.60 m	Raniganj
13	XIV	3 nos.	0.77 to 7.55 m	2.35 m	Raniganj
14	XV	3 nos.	0.85 to 4.88 m	1.20 m	Barakar & Barren Measure
15	XVI	3 nos.	0.70 to 5.90 m	0.75 m	Barakar

Depth to water level (in bgl) values described that water level goes down to maximum 10.50 m during pre-monsoon'2020 and maximum upto 8.60 m during post-monsoon'2020. Un-confined aquifer affected around 20 m to 30 m maximum close to active opencast mining areas, showing steep gradient towards mine void. Other than that, there is no mining effect in the water level within JCF area and RCF area (part). Historical water level data and hydrograph of permanent observation stations from CGWB shown in **Annexure–VII**. Water Table contour map and Depth to water level map shown in **Plate-IV & V**.

Monitoring groundwater (quantity & quality) to assess the present condition and resource has done regularly in the coalfield areas. Well hydrographs (**Annexure–VI and VII**) are prepared and studied to identify potentially adverse trends so that appropriate action can protect groundwater resource. Hydrograph trend analysis of CGWB monitoring wells and CMPDI observation wells, reveals decline

trends in both Pre and Post-monsoon GW level trends (max. upto 0.55 cm/year in Cluster-I, Cluster-V and Cluster-VII) but no significant decline trend (>1.0 m/year) of water level is noticed in any particular area for the last 10 years within the coalfield area. Regarding quality monitoring, the water sample location map (**Plate–II**) with collection points details (dug wells) given in **Annexure–V** and Quality is given in **Annexure–VII**.

5.0 GROUND WATER QUALITY

The ground water sample of the study area (15 nos. of Cluster of mines, BCCL) collected from dug wells and analyzed. Fifteen ground water samples (GW-1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15 & 16) analyzed during the month of June'2020 at CMPDI, RI-II, Dhanbad. The water sampling details given in **Annexure–V** and Water sample locations shown in **Plate-II**. The water quality data enclosed in **Annexure–VII.**

The study of the variations in water quality parameters described below:

The pH of the groundwater samples varies between 7.81 (GW-6) to 8.21 (GW-3), the pH is within the IS 10500 limit of drinking water standard.

The mineral constituents dissolved in water constitute the dissolved solids. The total dissolve solids vary from 178 (GW-11) to 764 mg/l (GW-5), the TDS values are above the IS 10500 standards of drinking water.

The alkalinity of the water samples varies from 76 (GW-6) to 152 mg/l (GW-11) and are within the stipulated standard of (200 mg/l) drinking water. The concentrations of calcium in the water samples vary from 32 (GW-11) to 180 mg/l (GW-15) and are ***slightly above*** the permissible limit (75 mg/l) of drinking water standards. The total hardness ranges between 148 (GW-8) to 680 mg/l (GW-5) and the value of total hardness in water samples are ***above*** the permissible limit (200 mg/l). The sulphate ranges between 38 (GW-8) to 178 mg/l (GW-13) and the value of sulphate in water sample are within the permissible limit (200 mg/l). The Iron, Copper, Manganese, Lead, Zinc and Chromium concentration in the water samples found to be below the upper ISI limits for drinking water.

6.0 STAGE OF GROUNDWATER EXTRACTION

The groundwater mainly utilized for domestic needs and for irrigation purposes. The groundwater abstraction is mainly through dug wells and bore wells. The stage of groundwater development in Dhanbad District is 76.30% (as per 2017 GWRE). The highest stage of development is in Jharia Block (127.0%) & Dhanbad Block (107.50%) and lowest stage of development is in Baliapur Block (78.24%) as per GWRE-2013. The Gondwana sandstones in general, known to constitute good aquifers at many places. However, the yield potential of the area adjoining to active mines in the coal belt is poor. The active mines often act as groundwater "sinks". In contrast, the water logged abandoned mines and pits act as potential sources of groundwater. As per the assessment by Central Ground Water Board (CGWB), Patna in 2017, Block wise data of Dhanbad District given below:

Table–8A: Block wise Stage of Groundwater development

Sl No.	Administrative Unit		Stage of GW Development	Category (GWRE-2013)	Category (GWRE-2017)
	District	Block			
1	Bokaro	Bermo	156.30%	**Over- exploited**	**Over- exploited**
2	Dhanbad	Baghmara	91.74%	Critical	Critical
3	Dhanbad	Baliapur	78.24%	Semi- Critical	Semi- Critical
4	Dhanbad	Dhanbad	107.50%	**Over- exploited**	**Over- exploited**
5	Dhanbad	Jharia	127.0%	**Over- exploited**	**Over- exploited**
6	Dhanbad	Topchachi	98.45%	Critical	Critical

- **Dynamic Groundwater Resource Assessment, CGWB as per 2013 & 2017.**

Table–8B: Cluster wise Groundwater development scenario

Cluster/ Area	Adminis-trative Blocks/Stage Of GW Extraction	Total Water demand (cum/day)				Avg. GW level (bgl in m) 2020		GW level declining trend 2005-2020		Remarks
		Mine Discharge + BH pumping	Surface Water Source	Total Use (Domestic + Industrial)	Excess Or other use	Pre-monsoon	Post-monsoon	Pre-monsoon	Post-monsoon	
Cluster-I	Bermo (SOD: Over-exploited)	2173 (2065+108)	NIL	2112 (1698+414)	61	5.46	2.69	YES	YES	Recharge structure needed
Cluster-II	Baghmara (SOD: Critical)	8350	Jamunia river	6737 (2755+3982)	1613	5.83	2.17	NO	NO	Excess mine water needed to be utilized
Cluster-III		12760 (10960+1800)	NIL	8946 (7849+1097)	3814	4.91	1.96	NO	NO	
Cluster-IV		5900	MADA	5100 (3605+1495)	800	5.52	2.25	NO	NO	
Cluster-V		12690 (11025+1665)	MADA	11063 (5710+5353)	1897	4.18	1.67	YES	YES	
Cluster-VI	Dhanbad (SOD: Over-exploited)	4150	MADA	4150 (1664+2486)	0.0	7.50	3.49	YES	NO	--
Cluster-VII		21565	MADA	20826 (17596+3230)	739	5.56	3.71	YES	YES	Excess mine water needed to be utilized water
Cluster-VIII	Jharia (SOD: Over-exploited)	9320	MADA	5294 (3730+1564)	4026	6.03	3.16	NO	NO	
Cluster-IX		12980	MADA	9358 (4549+4809)	3622	5.81	4.28	NO	NO	
Cluster-X		11825	Damodar river	6201 (4255+1946)	5624	5.69	3.29	YES	NO	
Cluster-XI	Dhanbad (SOD: Over-exploited)	24960	MADA & DVC	19425 (14015+5410)	5535	3.40	1.91	NO	NO	
Cluster-XIII	Baghmara (SOD: Critical)	4815	Damodar river	4815 (4679+136)	0.0	6.80	3.22	NO	NO	--
Cluster-XIV		2600	NA	2550 (2412+138)	50	5.42	3.08	NO	NO	--
Cluster-XV		6200	NA	5941 (4600+1341)	259	3.83	2.63	NO	NO	--
Cluster-XVI	Nirsa (SOD:Safe)	1910	DVC (Barakar river)	1730 (1380+350)	180	3.18	3.13	NO	NO	--

MADA – Mineral Area Development Authority, Jharkhand, Dhanbad (payment basis).

DVC – Damodar Valley Corporation, Maithon/Panchet, Jharkhand (payment basis).

7.0 IMPACT OF MINING ON GROUND WATER REGIME

7.1 GENERAL CONSEQUENCES OF COAL MINES ON AMBIENT HYDROGEOLOGICAL REGIME

Mining of coal either by opencast or underground method is bound to incise one or more water bearing strata (aquifers) which in turn may result in depletion or draw down in water levels and a corresponding inflow of water into the mine workings. The potential effects of coal mining operations on the hydrogeological regime are as under:

- Creates disruption in formation/aquifer
- Dewatering of aquifers
- Change in hydraulic gradient
- Modification of recharge to aquifers
- Change in groundwater flow pattern

The general need in mine planning from the hydrogeological point of view is the estimation of make of water (ground water seepage) into the mine, its rate, the mine pumping capacity to meet the storm rainwater accumulation, extent of depression of water surface and management of mine effluent (mine water). It is also desirable that the consequences of mining operation on the groundwater regime be determined in advance. However, the mine pumping in most of the cases are passive dewatering for the safety of the mine pit, active mine dewatering is done in few cases for very high potential aquifers.

7.2 POTENTIAL CONSEQUENCES OF OPENCAST AND UNDERGROUND COAL MINES OF JHARIA COALFIELD ON HYDROGEOLOGICAL REGIME

Generally, in the opencast and underground mines of Jharia Coalfield, alluvium and overlying weathered mantle are the first to excavate followed by upper Barakar Formation / Aquifer. Since these formations vary in thickness, compaction and their constituents over the area, their aquifer properties also vary.

The porosity and the compactness in the sandstone controls the discharge from these aquifers. The alluvium and weathered Formation wherever loose and fragile possess more porosity and this has high groundwater potential. Due to the mine cut, the depression in the water table created. The initial discharges due to this depression is large in amount due to concentration of flow to that region. In the top zones, water table condition prevails and away from the opening in the stratified section, semi-confined conditions exist. With progress of mine operations, there is an increase in the depth of incision as a result; the semi-confined aquifers are also punctured.

During mining the hydraulic gradients generally, steeps down near mine i.e. within the mine influence area. In the up-dip region, only un-confined aquifer punctured through the mining process and thus only it

affected whereas in the down-dip region both un-confined and semi-confined aquifers may be affected. The confined aquifers of lower Barakar Formation in the mining area not punctured as it lies below the working coal seams and hence normally there is no noticeable effect in the aquifer related to this formation.

7.3 ESTIMATION OF RADIUS OF MINE INFLUENCE ZONE

Radius of Influence can defined as the radial distance from the center of the borehole to the point where there is no lowering of groundwater table/potentiometric surface.

The radius of influence (R) for Opencast and UG Mines within Jharia CF calculated by using Sichardt's formula based on present mining scenario.

$$R_0 = C*(H-h) * \sqrt{(K)}$$

Where, R_0- Radius of influence (m), C - Constant =3000,

(H-h)- Drawdown (m), K – Hydraulic conductivity (m/s).

Here, K has used for Barakar Formations i.e. 0.05 m/d or 5.7×10^{-7} m/sec.

It may be appropriate to mention here that the presence of prominent boundaries/water bodies, faults or interfringing of sandstone and shale beds may restrict propagation of the drawdown cone. With the presence of low permeable beds such as clay/shale and younger coal seams in the formation, laying above the working seams the water level in the phreatic aquifer not directly affected. During the working of board and pillar method, subsidence takes place during the extraction of total coal (depillaring), both the phreatic and semi-confined aquifers get affected. Surface vigilance and filling up subsided zone, if any, has to constantly in view. The effect on groundwater level for most of the coal mine in Jharia coalfield has been observed in the down-dip side, generally within a distance upto 500 m and becomes milder/ negligible thereafter.

8.0 CONSERVATION MEASURES & FUTURE STRATEGY

- BCCL has installed 25 Pressure Filter Plant of total capacity of 4.16 MGD to meet drinking water requirement nearby the area. At present 63 Water Treatment Plants are operational having capacity of 16.16 MGD within Jharia Coalfield area. Further installation of 28 more Pressure Filter Plants with the capacity of 5.84 MGD are in progress.

- BCCL participated in development of low cost technology for drinking water in a CSIR project along with CIMFR, Dhanbad and a pilot plant of 4000 Liters/hour is functional at PB Project site of BCCL. Similar plant has proposed at other sites of BCCL.
- A scheme entitled 'Scheme for multi-purpose utilization of surplus mine water of Barora Area, Block II and Govindpur Area of BCCL' was prepared with a view to harness the excess water discharge to take care of the persistence problem of water scarcity in the nearby villages. In the scheme, two water reservoirs of capacity 27 MG and 17 MG have been proposed in the non-coal bearing area for storage of 3250 GPM and 2000 GPM surplus mine water which will be fed through pipe line by mine discharge at mines of Barora, Block-II and Govindpur Area.
- Rooftop rainwater harvesting (RWH) will took up in the project area using the administrative buildings. 138 no. of quarters having roof-top area of about 14950 sq. m. is already prepared to harvest rainwater and around 13150 cum/annum of water is going to be recharged the nearby groundwater system through RWH structures. Proposal already made to facilitate this kind of RWH structure at suitable locations i.e. Lodna Area, Kusunda Area (Jawahar Nagar, Matkuria, Coal Board Colony), Sijua Area (Nichitpur and Tetulmari Colony) within Jharia Coalfield to augment groundwater recharge.
- After cessation of mining, with plenty rainfall and abundant ground water recharge, the water levels will recoup and attain normalcy. Thus, the impact of mining on groundwater system may considered as a temporary phenomenon. The abandoned mine workings (UG) behave as water pool and improves the resources availability in the coalfield area.
- Utilization of treated mine water discharge by both industry and local people in the mine influence area. The excess mine water can be used to recharge groundwater system through connecting pipeline to abandoned dug wells. Utilization of mine water for irrigation use will also enhance the ground water recharge potential through artificial recharge in the area.
- Increase vegetative cover by plantation in the mine area under land amelioration measures. This will contain the surface run-off and increase the groundwater recharge.
- Creation of awareness among workers and local peoples about Rainwater harvesting and artificial recharge will have priority. This aspect usually covered during the Environmental Week celebrated every year (5 to 12 June).
- 23 nos. of Piezometer proposed to install within JCF and RCF to monitor GW level (**Plate-III**).

Monitoring of water quality of mine water discharge, local River/nala and domestic water source (dug well/hand pump wells) will continued under routine monitoring (May, August, November & Jan).

9.0 EXISTING/PROPOSED RAINWATER HARVESTING STRUCTURES IN BCCL COAL MINES

Fig-3 to 4.

Proposed Rain Water Harvesting Site GVTC, Cluster-I, Barora Area

Proposed Rain Water Harvesting Site Nehru Balika Vidhalaya, Cluster-I, Barora Area

Fig-5 to 6.

Proposed Rain Water Harvesting Site Barora Area Guest House, Cluster-I, Barora Area

Proposed Rain Water Harvesting Site Regional Hospital Baghmara, Cluster-I, Barora Area

Fig-7 to 8.

Proposed Rain Water Harvesting Site – Barora Area Office, Cluster-I, Barora Area

RECHARGE POND / ABANDONDED IN THE JCF MINE AREA

Fig-9 to 10.

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Fig-11 to 12.

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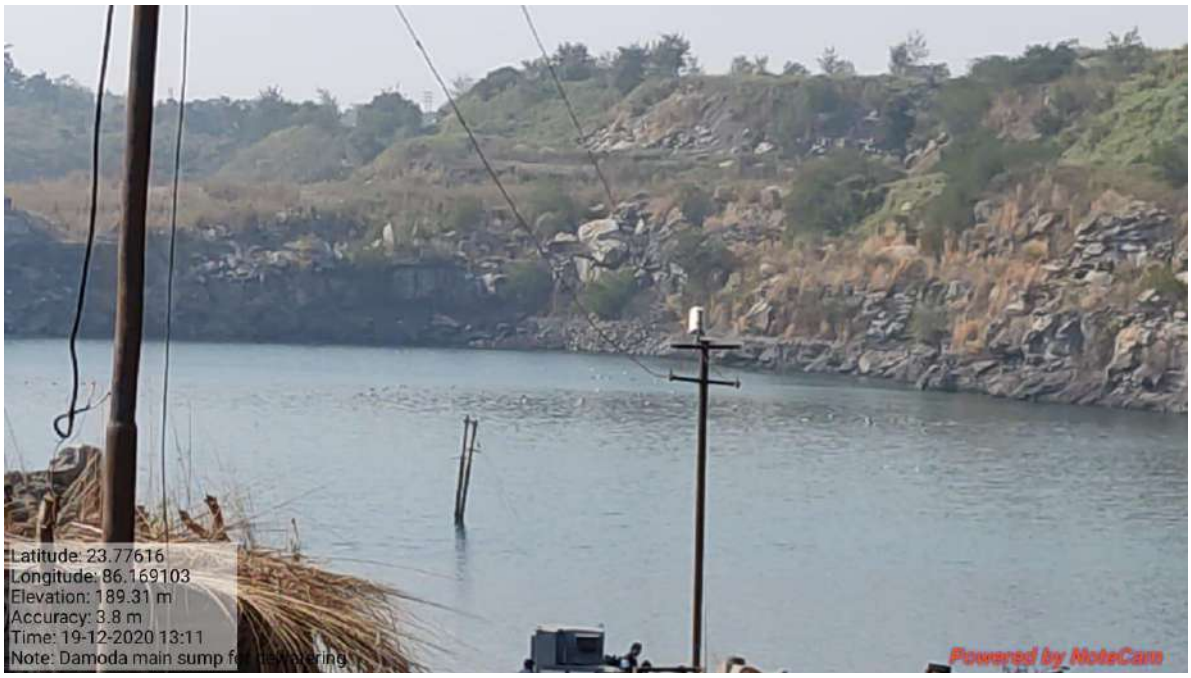

RECHARGE POND / ABANDONDED IN THE JCF MINE AREA

FILTER PLANT IN THE MINE AREA

Fig-15.

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List of Ramsar Sites in India

S. No	Name of Ramsar site	State	Area in hectares	Date of designation	Coordinates
1.	Ashtamudi Wetland	Kerala	6,140	19/08/2002	08°57'N 076°34'E
2.	Beas Conservation Reserve	Punjab	6,429	26/09/2019	31°23'N 075°11'E
3.	Bhitarkanika Mangroves	Odisha	65,000	19/08/2002	20°39'N 086°54'E
4.	Bhoj Wetland	Madhya Pradesh	3,201	19/08/2002	23°13'N 077°19'E
5.	Chandertal Wetland	Himachal Pradesh	49	08/11/2005	32°28'N 077°36'E
6.	Chilika Lake	Odisha	116,500	01/10/1981	19°42'N 085°21'E
7.	Deepor Beel	Assam	4,000	19/08/2002	26°07'N 091°39'E
8.	East Calcutta Wetlands	West Bengal	12,500	19/08/2002	22°27'N 088°27'E
9.	Harike Lake	Punjab	4,100	23/03/1990	31°13'N 075°12'E
10.	Hokera Wetland	Jammu & Kashmir	1,375	08/11/2005	34°04'N 074°42'E
11.	Kanjli	Punjab	183	22/01/2002	31°25'N 075°22'E
12.	Keoladeo National Park (MR)	Rajasthan	2,873	01/10/1981	27°13'N 077°31'E
13.	Keshopur-Miani Community Reserve	Punjab	344	26/09/2019	32°05'N 075°23'E
14.	Kolleru Lake	Andhra Pradesh	90,100	19/08/2002	16°37'N 081°12'E
15.	Loktak Lake (MR)	Manipur	26,600	23/03/1990	24°25'N 093°49'E
16.	Nalsarovar	Gujarat	12,000	24/09/2012	22°46'N 072°02'E
17.	Nandur Madhameshwar	Maharashtra	1,437	21/06/2019	20°01'N 074°06'E
18.	Nangal Wildlife Sanctuary	Punjab	116	26/09/2019	31°23'N 076°22'E
19.	Nawabganj Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	225	19/09/2019	26°36'N 080°39'E
20.	Parvati Arga Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	722	02/12/2019	26°56'N 082°09'E
21.	Point Calimere Wildlife and Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	38,500	19/08/2002	10°19'N 079°37'E
22.	Pong Dam Lake	Himachal Pradesh	15,662	19/08/2002	32°01'N 076°04'E
23.	Renuka Wetland	Himachal Pradesh	20	08/11/2005	31°37'N 077°27'E
24.	Ropar	Punjab	1,365	22/01/2002	31°01'N 076°30'E
25.	Rudrasagar Lake	Tripura	240	08/11/2005	23°28'N 091°16'E
26.	Saman Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	526	02/12/2019	27°00'N 079°10'E
27.	Samaspur Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	799	03/10/2019	25°59'N 081°23'E
28.	Sambhar Lake	Rajasthan	24,000	23/03/1990	27°00'N 075°00'E
29.	Sandi Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	309	26/09/2019	27°18'N 079°58'E
30.	Sarsai Nawar Jheel	Uttar Pradesh	161	19/09/2019	26°58'N 079°15'E

Annexure – IV

Rainfall Data (in mm) At Dhanbad Observatory Station, IMD (Source: WRIS Website data)

Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
1994	26.5	20.0	3.3	23.5	4.5	289.5	245.5	240.0	134.0	40.5	0.0	0.0	1027.3
1995	15.0	18.3	20.0	0.0	34.5	122.0	140.1	257.0	446.0	0.0	34.0	5.5	1092.4
1996	12.5	12.5	5.2	0.0	0.0	210.5	138.5	400.0	214.0	24.0	0.0	0.0	1017.2
1997	10.5	17.5	2.8	63.5	41.5	231.5	599.3	621.1	196.8	16.5	34.0	16.0	1851.0
1998	20.5	21.0	160.0	18.0	40.0	80.0	347.0	409.0	123.0	120.5	11.0	0.0	1350.0
1999	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	64.0	150.0	511.0	336.0	510.5	124.0	0.0	0.0	1695.5
2000	2.0	15.0	0.0	20.0	68.0	452.5	270.5	89.0	234.5	-	0.0	0.0	1151.5
2001	0.0	0.0	34.0	13.0	104.0	448.7	552.5	121.0	107.0	126.5	0.0	0.0	1506.7
2002	12.0	10.0	26.0	0.0	32.5	185.0	150.0	125.5	310.0	64.0	0.0	0.0	915.0
2003	6.0	58.5	38.5	40.0	24.0	-	366.1	279.0	145.1	151.6	0.0	2.3	1111.1
2004	18.45	2.13	1.55	53.93	9.53	95.95	408.57	261.07	174.01	63.01	51.10	12.85	1152.15
2005	44.49	23.11	26.16	17.90	28.95	272.26	388.86	158.86	69.03	117.63	0.09	1.67	1149.01
2006	0.00	0.00	3.11	12.64	86.68	113.20	505.72	316.06	339.51	9.80	3.73	0.00	1390.45
2007	0.00	58.69	35.76	21.08	25.33	139.60	666.30	416.85	363.93	43.63	1.57	0.00	1772.74
2008	16.44	1.96	6.27	6.78	37.26	180.58	422.25	275.33	198.31	27.64	0.00	0.00	1172.82
2009	0.00	0.26	5.81	0.19	105.82	78.32	232.20	370.39	429.16	68.56	11.31	0.98	1303.00
2010	0.59	19.64	7.62	38.24	93.72	146.68	157.31	198.97	239.75	78.76	5.26	40.53	1027.07
2011	0.00	1.60	18.25	12.81	102.58	294.61	174.35	445.43	214.88	30.35	0.69	0.00	1295.55
2012	18.45	2.13	1.55	53.93	9.53	95.95	408.57	261.07	174.01	63.01	51.10	12.85	1152.15
2013	0.07	17.62	0.79	15.24	105.51	176.77	170.14	276.70	135.76	304.46	0.00	0.00	1203.06
2014	9.27	35.71	21.21	8.16	62.77	112.58	283.73	223.38	214.48	30.30	0.00	0.00	1001.59
2015	12.06	3.33	26.71	45.73	32.91	162.96	385.21	239.38	71.34	15.62	0.00	0.61	995.86
2016	6.16	17.59	1.73	1.33	73.90	197.34	248.86	395.33	424.81	30.45	0.00	0.00	1397.50
2017	5.12	0.00	34.96	59.89	81.01	141.66	502.58	168.84	111.95	274.18	0.64	4.12	1384.95
2018	0.00	0.06	2.90	159.52	31.22	202.84	344.59	211.91	153.63	16.31	0.04	20.99	1144.01
2019	0.00	25.18	7.24	46.99	109.43	109.11	292.02	234.65	327.95	199.63	0.10	5.13	1357.43
2020	21.14	5.94	74.96	27.94	71.32	218.12	187.01	258.74	196.87	52.23	1.23	0.00	1115.50

Rainfall Data (in mm) At Dhansar (Rescue station) Observatory Station
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Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
2005	34.20	22.80	41.80	32.20	33.00	193.00	542.00	107.80	185.60	39.20	0.00	2.00	1233.60
2006	0.00	0.00	34.40	33.80	87.60	214.20	477.70	246.30	172.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	1267.00
2007	0.00	22.00	37.80	0.00	78.70	167.20	545.00	426.40	351.40	52.00	0.00	0.00	1680.50
2008	5.80	4.80	17.80	18.40	18.00	216.10	433.48	183.80	297.80	85.80	0.00	0.00	1281.78
2009	0.00	0.00	1.60	2.20	112.00	72.80	269.20	192.80	333.00	98.20	10.20	0.00	1092.00
2010	0.00	12.20	7.60	9.20	64.30	206.20	199.40	212.60	230.10	45.30	3.4	----	991.90
2011	7.60	0.00	18.0	11.40	121.60	344.20	163.40	452.0	374.0	41.80	0.00	0.00	1534.20
2012	17.6	13.4	1.0	9.0	6.60	52.0	328.20	315.10	367.70	11.60	61.60	18.0	1201.80
2013	0.0	32.0	3.0	33.90	190.40	244.20	192.80	364.40	304.70	233.60	0.0	0.0	1599.0
2014	12.40	36.80	21.80	2.60	79.80	217.60	305.30	315.60	178.0	6.40	0.0	0.0	1176.0
2015	23.80	0.0	6.20	76.20	35.80	122.10	407.60	244.40	145.20	25.60	0.0	6.20	1093.10
2016	3.0	20.60	5.50	0.0	99.40	181.60	248.80	456.70	443.60	50.40	0.0	0.0	1509.60
2017	8.80	0.0	3.80	17.90	33.20	120.0	533.40	284.70	247.40	207.70	3.40	0.0	1460.30
2018	0.0	0.0	0.0	102.90	76.30	270.60	382.30	338.80	159.50	38.90	2.40	37.90	1346.60
2019	0.0	49.60	10.20	54.20	132.0	188.0	319.10	343.60	403.10	156.40	3.20	10.80	1667.00
2020	22.0	7.60	77.80	76.80	86.20	214.10	296.80	351.40	214.0	92.0	0.0	0.0	1438.70

Annexure – V

Location of Hydrograph Stations (Dug Wells)

Well No	Latitude	Longitude	Well No	Latitude	Longitude
A-3	23^{0}47'53.35" N	86^{0}19'55.14" E	**B-63**	Abandoned due to OCP	
A-12	23^{0}48'20.31" N	86^{0}16'51.64" E	**B-64**	23^{0}48'43.14" N	86^{0}18'44.25" E
A-16	23^{0}46'57.00" N	86^{0}21'38.57" E	**B-65A**	23^{0}48'53.65" N	86^{0}18'11.82" E
A-17	23^{0}45'09.44" N	86^{0}22'16.35" E	**B-67**	23^{0}43'30.70" N	86^{0}14'01.45" E
A-18	23^{0}44'37.65" N	86^{0}22'58.90" E	**D-3**	23^{0}46'46.31" N	86^{0}24'49.30" E
A-19	23^{0}41'12.86" N	86^{0}23'55.27" E	**D-4**	23^{0}44'29.37" N	86^{0}24'42.88" E
A-20	23^{0}44'56.64" N	86^{0}19'55.35" E	**D-5**	23^{0}42'20.05" N	86^{0}24'86.06" E
A-22	23^{0}43'06.65" N	86^{0}14'48.53" E	**D-7**	23^{0}43'12.08" N	86^{0}27'11.89" E
A-23	23^{0}45'06.38" N	86^{0}15'12.69" E	**D-8**	23^{0}44'06.13" N	86^{0}27'20.72" E
A-24	23^{0}45'20.44" N	86^{0}13'45.12" E	**D-23**	23^{0}47'20.89" N	86^{0}20'09.96" E
A-25	23^{0}47'06.20" N	86^{0}15'27.79" E	**D-25**	23^{0}47'03.28" N	86^{0}23'29.56" E
A-26	23^{0}46'49.24" N	86^{0}18'12.12" E	**D-30**	23^{0}48'36.10" N	86^{0}21'50.07" E
A-27	23^{0}48'42.55" N	86^{0}20'21.80" E	**D-33**	23^{0}45'34.62" N	86^{0}23'18.50" E
A-28A	23^{0}47'34.74" N	86^{0}18'04.18" E	**D-34**	23^{0}45'36.50" N	86^{0}23'02.45" E
A-29	23^{0}47'08.02" N	86^{0}16'02.72" E	**D-35**	23^{0}40'46.54" N	86^{0}25'46.33" E
A-32	23^{0}44'15.56" N	86^{0}20'43.80" E	**D-36**	23^{0}40'19.26" N	86^{0}25'18.98" E
A-33	23^{0}44'32.58" N	86^{0}16'58.28" E	**D-39**	23^{0}43'28.50" N	86^{0}26'0.10" E
A-34	23^{0}42'58.63" N	86^{0}15'19.31" E	**D-40A**	23^{0}43'20.18" N	86^{0}25'45.70" E
B-1	23^{0}48'48.06" N	86^{0}14'16.87" E	**D-41**	23^{0}42'40.00" N	86^{0}26'17.20" E
B-14	23^{0}48'00.81" N	86^{0}16'25.88" E	**D-43***	NA	NA
B-15	23^{0}46'06.92" N	86^{0}08'59.30" E	**D-47**	23^{0}45'20.59" N	86^{0}24'34.86" E
B-21A	23^{0}45'10.50" N	86^{0}09'36.38" E	**D-49**	23^{0}44'08.96" N	86^{0}26'32.71" E
B-23	23^{0}44'13.05" N	86^{0}11'46.56" E	**D-51**	23^{0}44'20.86" N	86^{0}27'11.37" E
B-24	23^{0}44'26.80" N	86^{0}13'09.38" E	**D-55**	23^{0}43'58.37" N	86^{0}24'07.45" E
B-25	23^{0}44'44.98" N	86^{0}13'57.80" E	**D-74**	23^{0}41'33.66" N	86^{0}25'06.10" E
B-32A	23^{0}45'49.18" N	86^{0}13'03.64" E	**D-77**	23^{0}41'00.74" N	86^{0}22'25.55" E
B-48	23^{03}4'35.09" N	86^{0}16'38.30" E	**D-80**	23^{0}46'09.46" N	86^{0}24'33.08" E
B-51	23^{0}47'40.20" N	86^{0}09'11.90" E	**DB-22**	23^{0}43'38.81" N	86^{0}45'09.00" E
B-53	23^{0}45'55.25" N	86^{0}09'35.44" E	**DB-23**	23^{0}43'44.24" N	86^{0}45'06.39" E
B-53A	DO	DO	**DB-24**	23^{0}43'53.00" N	86^{0}45'03.88" E
B-59	23^{0}47'59.87" N	86^{0}13'37.97" E	**DB-25**	23^{0}44'10.75" N	86^{0}44'35.84" E
B-60	23^{0}48'7.87" N	86^{0}15'37.12" E			
B-61A	23^{0}45'59.85" N	86^{0}11'40.80" E			
B-62A	23^{0}45'44.15" N	86^{0}11'27.80" E			

Annexure – VA

Details of Hydrograph Stations (Dug Wells)

Well No	Location	M.P. (agl) in m	Well Dia in m	Well Depth (m bmp)	R.L. (G.L) (m)	Formation	Owner	Utility
A-3	Sijua	0.53	3.00	5.20	203	Barakar	Govt.	Domestic
A-12	Jamua	0.80	1.90	3.30	202	Barakar	Govt.	Domestic
A-16	Ekra, Kalali More	0.45	3.10	6.50	205	Barakar	Govt.	Domestic
A-17	Kachi Balihari	0.56	1.60	5.30	182	Barakar	Govt.	Domestic
A-18	Bhagabandh	0.61	1.45	3.37	182	Barakar	Govt.	Domestic
A-19	Bhaura	0.54	3.15	11.65	162	Barakar	Govt.	Domestic
A-20	Gorbhudih	0.43	3.30	8.30	181	BM	Govt.	Domestic
A-22	Nagdah, Niche	0.00	1.40	9.50	171	Raniganj	Govt	Irrigation
A-23	Machhyara	0.43	1.85	12.40	203	Raniganj	Govt	Domestic
A-24	Pipra Tanr	0.22	1.80	19.55	208	Raniganj	Govt	Domestic
A-25	Sinidih	0.22	2.00	11.30	203	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
A-26	Pasitanr	0.32	1.80	9.65	198	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
A-27	Chandor	0.60	2.50	5.50	221	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
A-28A	Lakarka 6 no.	0.65	1.30	5.25	199	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
A-29	Aambagan	0.10	2.60	9.15	186	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
A-32	Baludih	0.55	2.30	6.85	182	BM	Govt	Domestic
A-33	Mahuda	0.75	2.00	10.80	195	BM	BCCL	Domestic
A-34	Bhatdih	0.55	3.50	24.50	162	Raniganj	BCCL	Domestic
B-1	Muraidih	0.47	1.80	5.35	212	Talchir	Govt	Domestic
B-14	Mathadih	0.76	2.15	3.75	201	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
B-15	Bera Basti	0.55	1.60	2.50	221	Talchir	Dhanu Roy	Domestic
B-21A	Dugdha	0.55	2.10	10.35	220	Metamorphics	Govt	Domestic
B-23	Lohapati	0.26	3.60	10.85	204	Raniganj	Govt	Domestic
B-24	Telmuchu	0.67	4.35	10.83	207	Raniganj	Govt	Domestic
B-25	Mahuda More	0.10	2.45	8.45	205	Raniganj	Govt	Domestic
B-32A	Madhuband	0.80	4.30	8.60	205	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
B-48	Mahuda	0.65	2.10	11.50	181	Raniganj	Mosque	Domestic
B-51	Taranga	0.00	2.50	5.75	215	Metamorphics	Bisun	Irrigation
B-53	Karmatanr	0.58	2.70	13.25	195	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
B-53A	Damoda OCP							
B-59	Khodovaly	0.60	2.40	9.30	202	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
B-60	Bahiyardih	0.77	3.00	15.60	196	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
B-61A	Kesargora	0.48	2.00	11.20	201	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
B-62A	Sadariyadih	0.15	3.10	9.50	188	Barakar	Govt	Domestic

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Details of Hydrograph Stations (Dug Wells)

Well No	Location	M.P. (agl) in m	Well Dia in m	Well Depth (m bmp)	R.L. (G.L) (m)	Formation	Owner	Utility
B-63	West Mudidih	0.60	1.70	3.35	196	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
B-64	Keshalpur	0.65	1.10	3.40	195	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
B-65A	Jhinjipahari	0.95	2.20	12.40	196	Barakar	Shiv Temple	Domestic
B-67	Simatanr	0.55	2.20	11.80	198	Raniganj	Govt	Domestic
D-3	Dhansar	0.60	1.70	8.70	217	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
D-4	Jharia	0.59	1.90	5.73	218	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
D-5	Jiyalgora	0.70	2.80	10.55	183	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
D-7	Golden Pahari	0.67	2.85	10.05	201	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-8	Alokdiha	0.35	1.75	7.57	201	Metamorphics	BCCL	Domestic
D-23	Jogta (Sindra)	0.40	3.10	7.25	205	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-25	Godhar More	0.60	2.75	5.60	219	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
D-30	Borkiboa	0.70	2.00	5.60	221	Talchir	H.Kumbhakar	Domestic
D-33	Kustore-4	0.55	1.85	3.45	196	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-34	Kusunda-7	0.60	1.50	3.45	201	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-35	Patherdih	0.40	2.00	11.20	160	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-36	Sudamdih	0.90	2.00	6.20	141	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-39	Tilabani	0.85	2.00	5.90	178	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-40A	Khapra Dhaora	0.55	1.95	3.70	180	Barakar	Panchayat	Domestic
D-41	Joyrampur	0.50	1.80	4.00	180	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-43	Alagdih	0.45	2.20	8.90	200	Metamorphics	Govt	Domestic
D-47	Parastanr	0.45	3.20	23.80	206	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-49	Goluckdih	0.55	1.80	6.15	192	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-51	Chankuiya	0.55	3.70	11.90	197	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
D-55	Hariladih	0.48	2.80	11.80	184	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
D-74	Bhulan Barari	0.10	1.60	12.80	173	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
D-77	Rohoniatanr	0.40	3.15	6.70	156	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
D-80	Bastacolla	0.70	2.50	24.95	219	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
DB-22	Nichebasti	0.67	2.40	10.65	121	Barakar	Govt	Domestic
DB-23	Dahibari OC	0.70	2.30	8.00	-	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
DB-24	Dahibari	0.60	3.60	13.70	125	Barakar	BCCL	Domestic
DB-25	Palasya	0.37	1.55	5.25	127	Barakar	Govt	Domestic

MP: Measuring Point R.L.: Reduced Level W.L.: Water Level m: Meter
Abn.: Abandoned b.g.l.: Below Ground Level a.g.l.: Above Ground Level
G.L.: Ground Level bmp: Below Measuring Point BM: Barren Measure

Annexure – VB

Historical Water Level data of Hydrograph Stations

Well No	Water level below ground level (bgl) in meters													
	May 14	Nov 14	May 15	Nov 15	May 16	Nov 16	May 17	Nov 17	May 18	Nov 18	May 19	Nov 19	May 20	Nov 20
A-3	4.67	2.37	3.70	3.42	4.87	0.47	0.67	0.77	1.27	0.47	3.47	0.47	1.57	0.47
A-12	2.45	1.4	3.00	2.68	2.50	0.70	2.55	0.85	2.80	1.0	2.10	0.45	2.60	0.50
A-16	5.5	2.9	5.55	4.17	5.85	3.15	3.65	2.20	4.30	3.65	5.45	1.95	7.15	1.75
A-17	2.19	1.91	3.79	2.64	2.44	2.69	2.44	2.24	3.34	2.84	2.94	2.24	2.14	1.69
A-18	1.76	1.19	2.84	1.29	1.14	0.89	1.29	0.99	1.24	0.99	2.29	0.69	1.09	0.34
A-19	3.00	2.75	3.05	2.75	7.81	4.11	6.37	2.45	5.55	2.45	4.85	3.43	6.05	3.25
A-20	3.97	2.55	4.59	2.93	7.49	3.50	4.27	1.77	4.57	2.57	4.57	1.82	8.47	3.87
A22A	1.50	2.0	3.20	1.96	3.25	1.75	4.27	1.77	3.35	1.30	2.60	2.00	2.90	1.98
A-23	8.76	6.82	11.3	9.37	11.87	8.13	6.40	1.50	11.15	7.17	11.97	3.77	8.92	5.62
A-24	16.28	14.98	17.2	14.5	16.62	12.43	11.87	6.97	14.58	6.88	15.88	2.48	*4.88	4.28
A-25	7.03	5.28	7.78	5.85	7.43	4.58	6.38	2.88	6.63	3.13	6.08	1.93	2.98	1.83
A-26	7.71	4.58	7.73	3.18	8.93	4.48	5.28	2.53	6.23	3.88	6.58	3.33	6.98	3.18
A-27	1.63	1.55	4.40	3.95	4.85	1.80	2.90	1.25	2.90	1.0	2.40	0.92	2.40	1.10
A28A	3.29	1.91	4.35	3.60	3.35	1.47	4.30	1.55	4.15	2.51	2.45	3.15	4.00	3.03
A-29	3.3	2.35	4.55	4.60	5.92	6.96	4.40	1.30	6.45	2.10	4.85	3.40	6.20	3.20
A-32	3.15	2.45	4.41	2.13	4.75	2.10	3.15	1.55	2.80	0.70	2.75	0.95	1.90	1.75
A-33	4.08	1.57	4.91	1.97	5.75	2.60	6.45	1.55	4.07	2.35	3.65	1.25	4.55	1.85
A-34	4.45	4.45	8.40	4.81	4.75	4.45	12.45	4.45	5.90	3.70	6.35	3.95	8.35	3.45
B-1	2.43	1.81	3.28	2.75	3.58	1.93	2.33	0.85	2.88	2.08	3.18	1.73	3.28	1.63
B-14	3.24	4.44	2.94	2.29	2.44	0.47	2.94	1.84	3.64	2.84	2.24	0.94	2.44	1.04
B-15	0.95	1.45	1.50	0.45	1.85	0.55	4.85	0.15	1.85	0.85	1.90	1.65	3.70	1.47
B21A	9.54	3.7	7.37	4.65	5.55	4.50	8.85	5.65	9.65	2.65	9.45	-	10.00	5.80
B-23	6.57	2.74	7.86	4.29	6.81	2.41	7.74	2.14	6.64	2.14	2.84	1.34	3.24	1.76
B-24	9.40	2.21	10.0	5.78	10.63	4.28	10.03	4.03	9.28	4.33	4.58	2.33	5.48	3.53
B-25	5.82	5.15	6.88	-	7.05	1.70	6.70	1.40	5.90	3.70	4.80	1.40	7.90	2.55
B32A	8.33	2.05	7.55	3.32	6.95	3.07	6.95	2.80	6.75	3.90	5.55	1.70	3.30	2.00
B-48	6.38	4.35	7.90	5.42	9.35	4.60	7.70	4.15	7.33	3.97	7.05	4.35	8.20	3.85
B-51	2.09	1.98	4.65	3.40	4.90	3.18	4.98	2.55	5.02	2.42	5.10	2.70	5.00	2.10
B-53	3.39	-	5.58	2.82	4.70	1.45	4.02	1.92	3.92	1.42	3.22	1.42	3.12	1.40
B-59	2.65	1.0	4.12	1.60	4.40	0.50	5.40	0.60	5.47	1.10	6.20	0.90	5.25	1.40
B-60	9.82	4.59	9.21	5.28	10.33	5.03	13.23	3.18	13.68	4.23	8.13	3.23	10.33	3.21
B61A	6.93	3.57	6.15	4.52	6.58	3.87	2.57	0.82	2.57	2.02	3.32	0.52	3.32	1.60
B62A	8.83	5.85	9.10	5.21	9.30	4.95	8.15	4.35	8.27	4.78	7.55	3.25	6.95	3.00

Annexure – VB

Historical Water Level data of Hydrograph Stations

Well No	Water level below ground level (bgl) in meters													
	May 14	Nov 14	May 15	Nov 15	May 16	Nov 16	May 17	Nov 17	May 18	Nov 18	May 19	Nov 19	May 20	Nov 20
B-64	0.7	1.15	1.38	0.95	2.35	0.55	1.25	0.85	2.15	1.85	0.95	0.45	1.85	0.50
B65A	10.45	2.4	7.82	5.87	7.15	2.68	9.05	1.25	10.03	2.40	11.05	0.95	9.25	2.30
B-67	9.80	3.72	9.23	5.53	9.53	4.30	10.00	2.15	9.55	4.0	8.57	4.35	7.55	3.95
D-3	2.54	2.11	4.25	2.25	2.35	1.90	2.15	2.30	3.43	2.45	1.75	1.30	5.40	1.38
D-4	1.23	0.91	2.41	1.27	1.21	1.36	1.21	1.46	1.91	1.56	2.81	1.71	3.41	1.41
D-5	9.0	7.8	9.37	8.33	9.40	6.40	7.90	5.20	7.80	5.30	8.25	4.85	8.60	7.70
D-7	5.28	5.53	8.25	5.61	7.53	4.03	7.33	2.88	7.53	2.83	8.23	3.28	7.33	5.13
D-8	7.73	-	6.24	4.38	8.00	3.43	5.15	1.85	5.65	1.85	4.80	2.85	5.83	2.75
D-23	6.38	2.4	6.55	3.48	5.70	1.63	2.80	2.98	4.40	3.40	4.70	1.40	5.60	3.35
D-25	4.42	2.9	4.48	2.45	2.40	1.90	2.40	1.20	2.60	2.40	*9.90	*5.38	10.50	5.62
D-30	4.17	3.3	4.55	3.15	4.45	3.20	4.40	1.25	4.58	1.10	4.60	0.75	4.50	1.35
D-33	1.72	0.35	2.25	1.10	2.50	1.95	0.75	0.75	2.85	0.95	2.35	1.65	3.65	1.45
D-34	2.80	0.30	2.55	1.45	2.30	0.30	0.80	0.55	2.80	0.45	4.75	2.40	3.30	2.80
D-35	6.94	6.15	9.80	7.90	9.52	6.45	8.80	3.60	8.40	4.45	8.00	3.80	8.20	5.40
D-36	1.82	0.75	1.66	1.13	0.78	0.95	1.30	0.70	1.20	0.60	1.20	0.55	2.10	1.00
D-39	5.03	2.25	5.00	2.61	2.18	2.65	6.17	4.75	4.95	4.35	*12.60	*5.95	9.40	6.05
D40A	2.35	2.45	3.07	2.45	1.40	0.85	1.45	1.35	2.10	1.40	1.85	1.45	1.95	1.43
D-41	3.20	1.35	2.65	2.32	1.30	1.52	1.40	1.20	1.59	1.32	2.30	1.25	3.30	1.45
D-43	6.0	4.75	6.61	5.05	8.20	3.35	7.50	3.60	7.15	3.45	7.35	2.70	6.60	2.55
D-47	8.0	2.37	9.60	3.60	3.18	2.95	3.15	2.85	5.33	2.55	4.55	4.35	9.45	5.45
D-49	2.51	1.65	3.55	2.35	2.45	1.72	2.70	2.05	3.45	2.45	1.75	1.50	3.25	1.65
D-51	9.60	9.05	10.48	9.15	11.15	6.45	10.45	5.43	10.93	7.10	9.95	5.75	8.45	5.70
D-55	1.95	2.07	6.15	1.57	2.52	3.62	6.42	2.37	8.42	1.57	8.42	5.47	9.42	8.60
D-74	5.0	4.0	10.05	7.20	7.73	5.00	9.25	3.85	8.60	4.80	5.80	3.57	4.30	3.93
D-77	6.23	6.0	6.44	5.60	4.60	2.90	6.50	4.90	6.30	5.20	6.40	3.20	6.40	3.50
D-80	13.3	3.15	10.97	3.35	6.55	4.15	8.65	3.70	9.35	4.20	5.00	3.05	4.30	4.90
RCF (part)	May 14	Nov 14	May 15	Nov 15	May 16	Nov 16	May 17	Nov 17	May 18	Nov 18	May 19	Nov 19	May 20	Nov 20
DB22	6.48	3.03	4.59	3.53	5.38	3.33	1.93	1.63	2.34	1.93	4.93	1.63	2.63	2.25
DB23	3.95	2.13	3.38	6.04	5.30	0.90	2.05	1.90	2.85	1.75	1.60	0.80	2.50	1.95
DB24	-	8.45	9.52	8.20	10.65	6.50	5.80	3.78	8.25	5.70	9.35	3.88	5.70	3.60
DB25	3.27	2.73	3.83	2.68	3.61	1.98	3.23	2.58	3.93	1.63	-	-	3.98	2.63

***New well**

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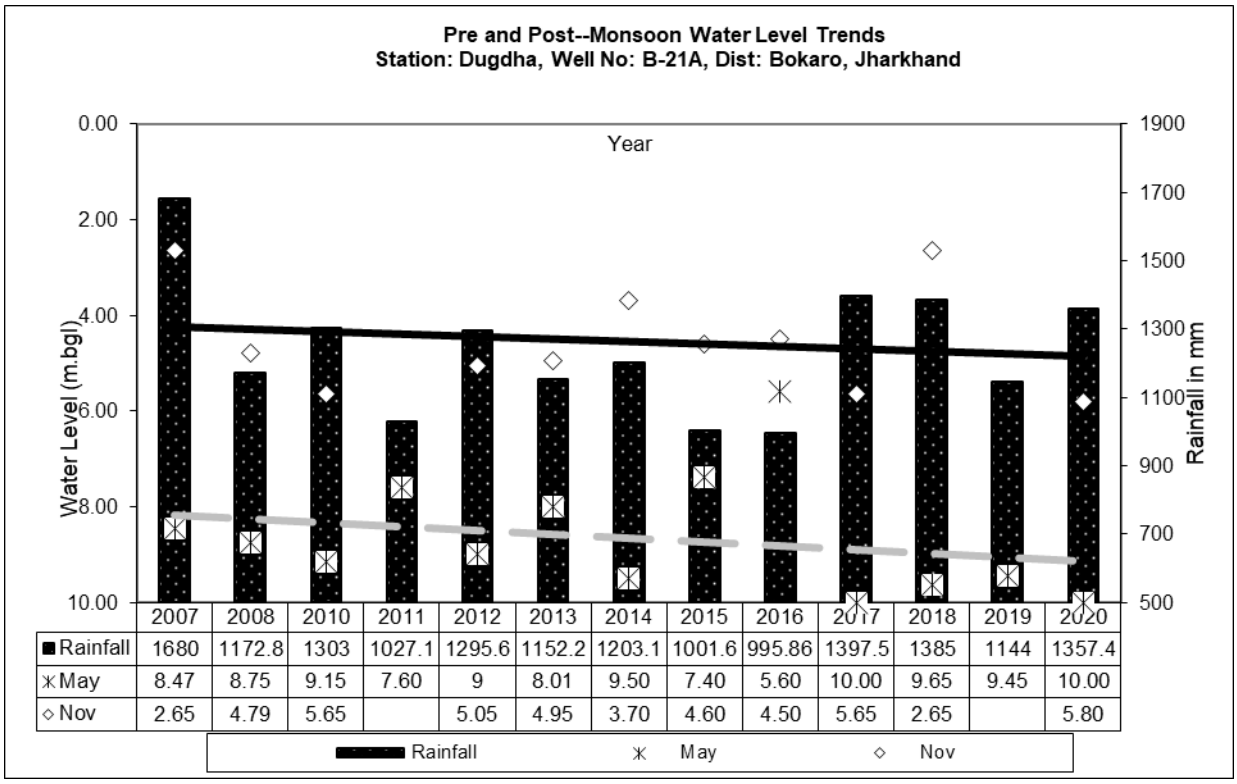

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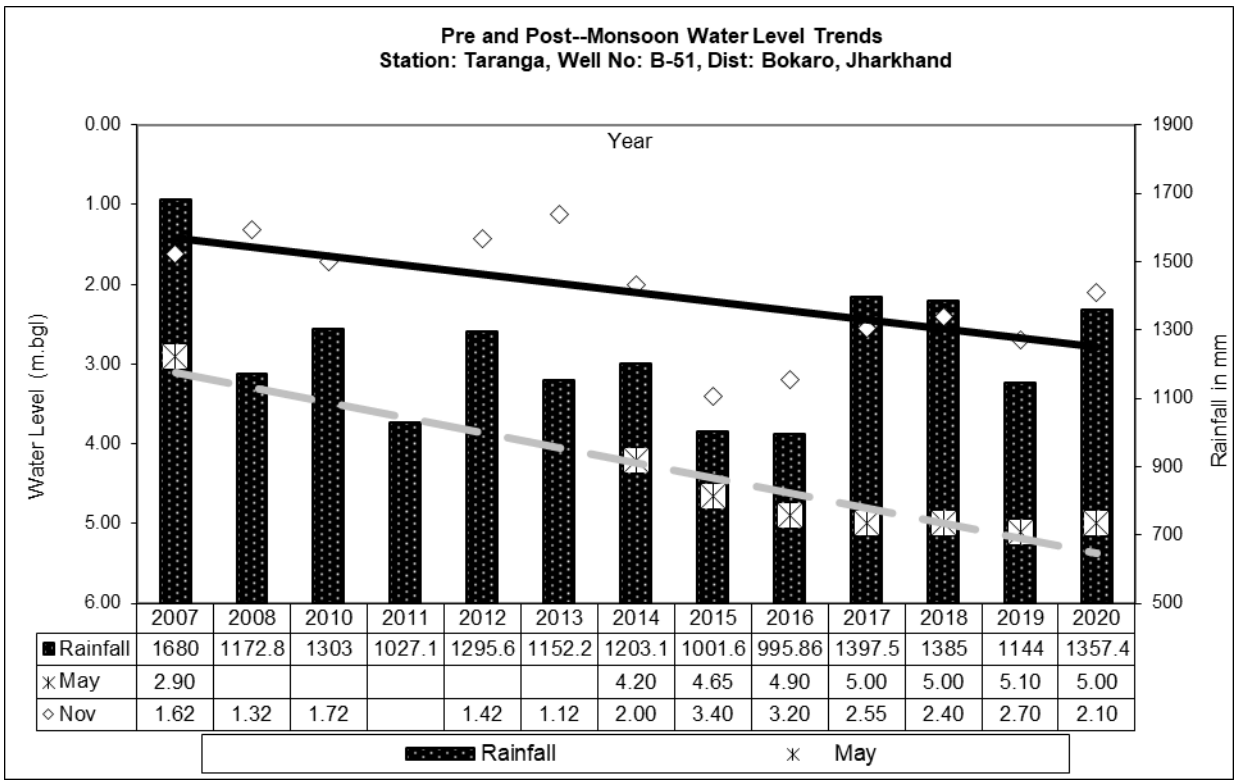

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May	2.90						4.20	4.65	4.90	5.00	5.00	5.10	5.00
Nov	1.62	1.32	1.72		1.42	1.12	2.00	3.40	3.20	2.55	2.40	2.70	2.10

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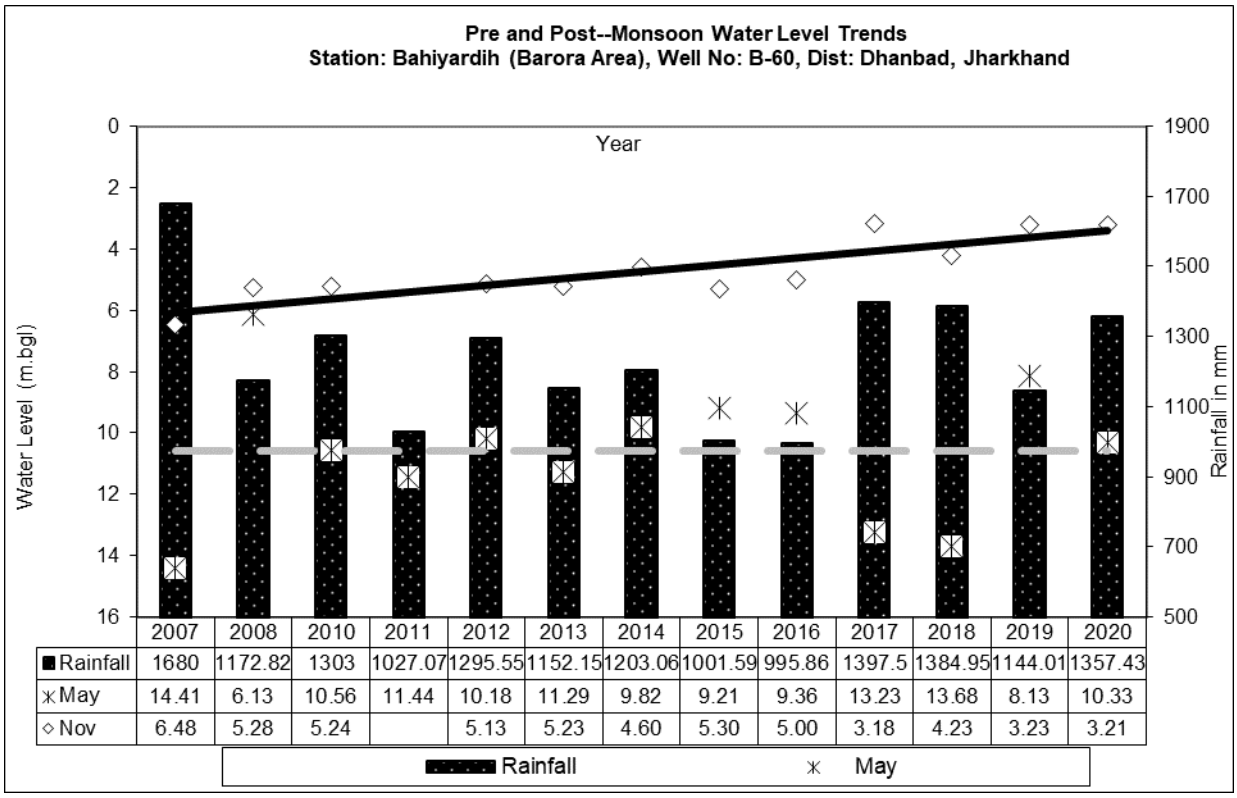

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May	14.41	6.13	10.56	11.44	10.18	11.29	9.82	9.21	9.36	13.23	13.68	8.13	10.33
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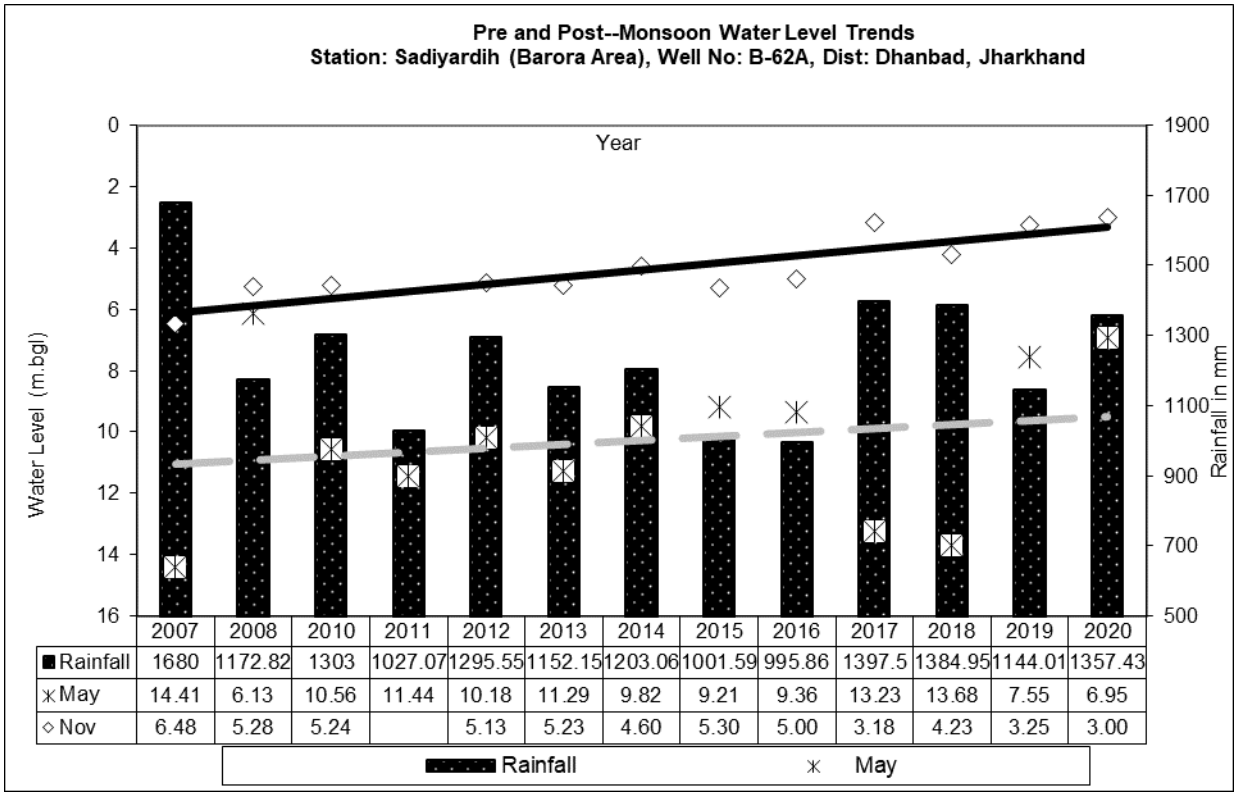

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May	14.41	6.13	10.56	11.44	10.18	11.29	9.82	9.21	9.36	13.23	13.68	7.55	6.95
Nov	6.48	5.28	5.24		5.13	5.23	4.60	5.30	5.00	3.18	4.23	3.25	3.00

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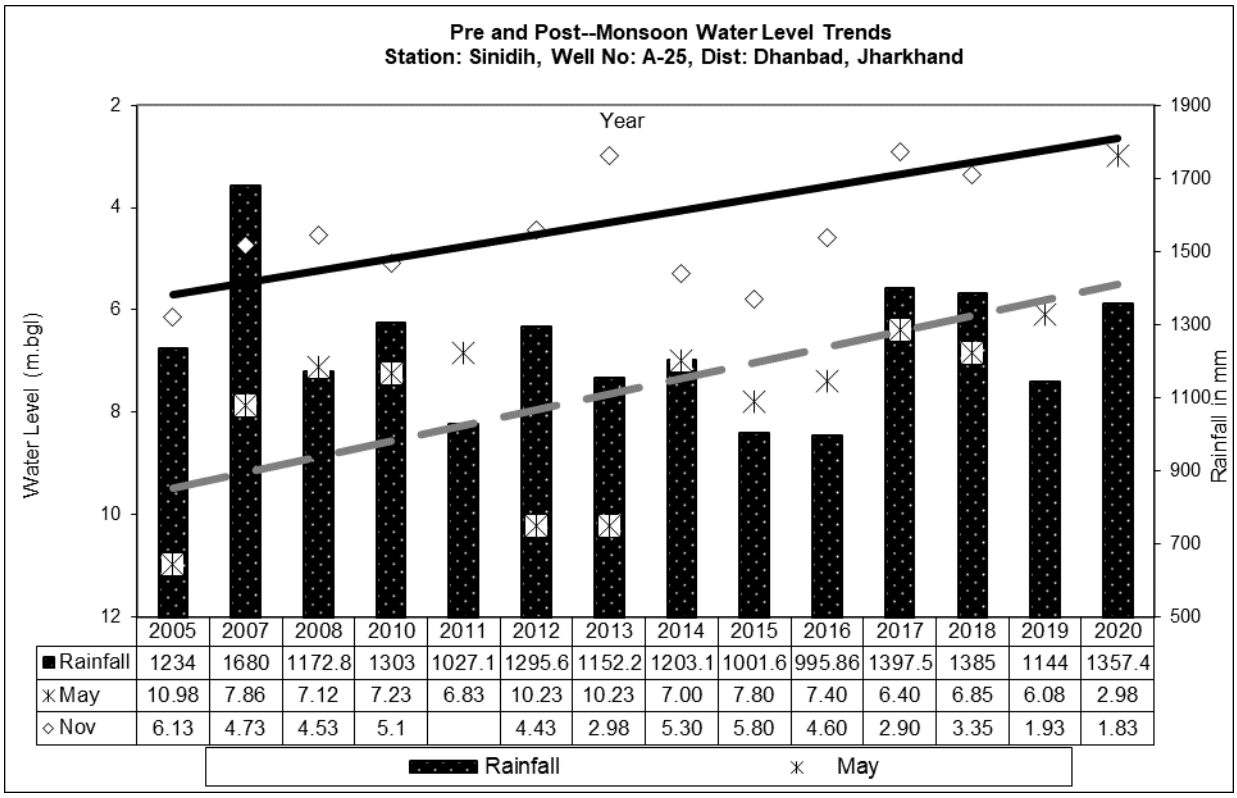

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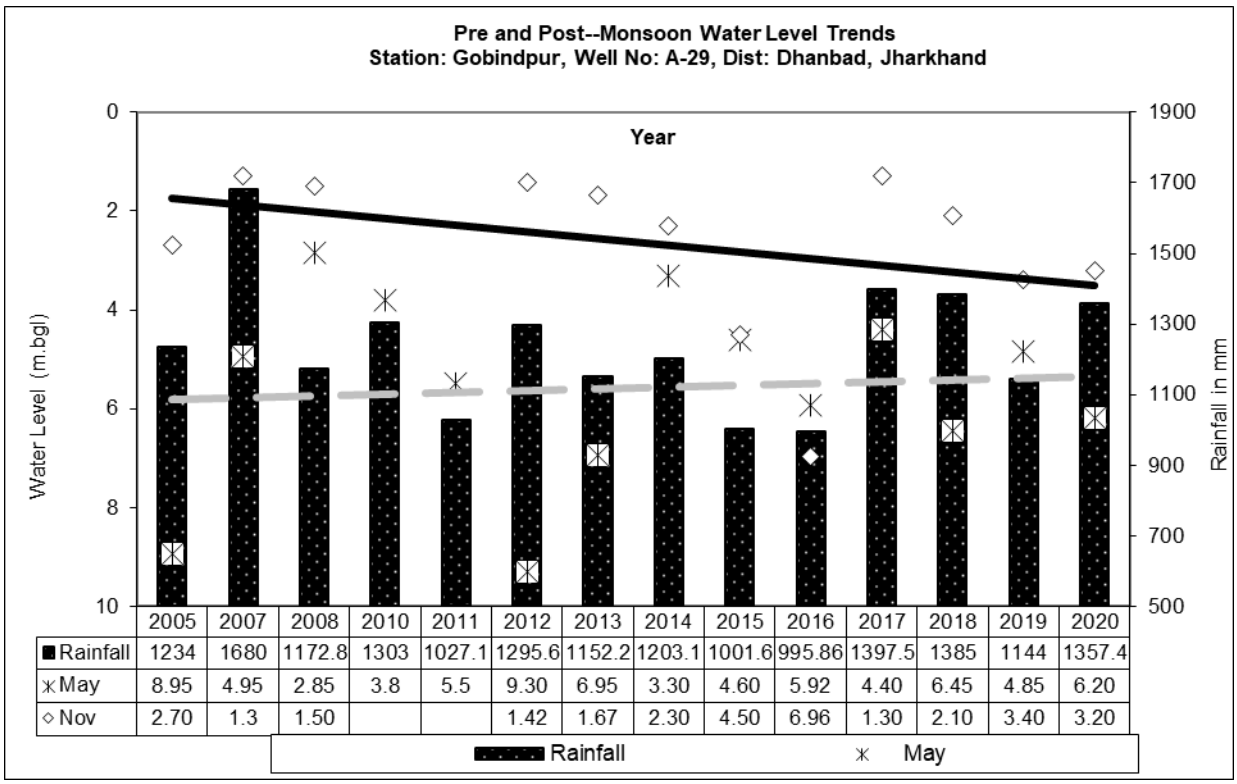
Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	10.98	7.86	7.12	7.23	6.83	10.23	10.23	7.00	7.80	7.40	6.40	6.85	6.08	2.98
Nov	6.13	4.73	4.53	5.1		4.43	2.98	5.30	5.80	4.60	2.90	3.35	1.93	1.83



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May	8.95	4.95	2.85	3.8	5.5	9.30	6.95	3.30	4.60	5.92	4.40	6.45	4.85	6.20
Nov	2.70	1.3	1.50			1.42	1.67	2.30	4.50	6.96	1.30	2.10	3.40	3.20

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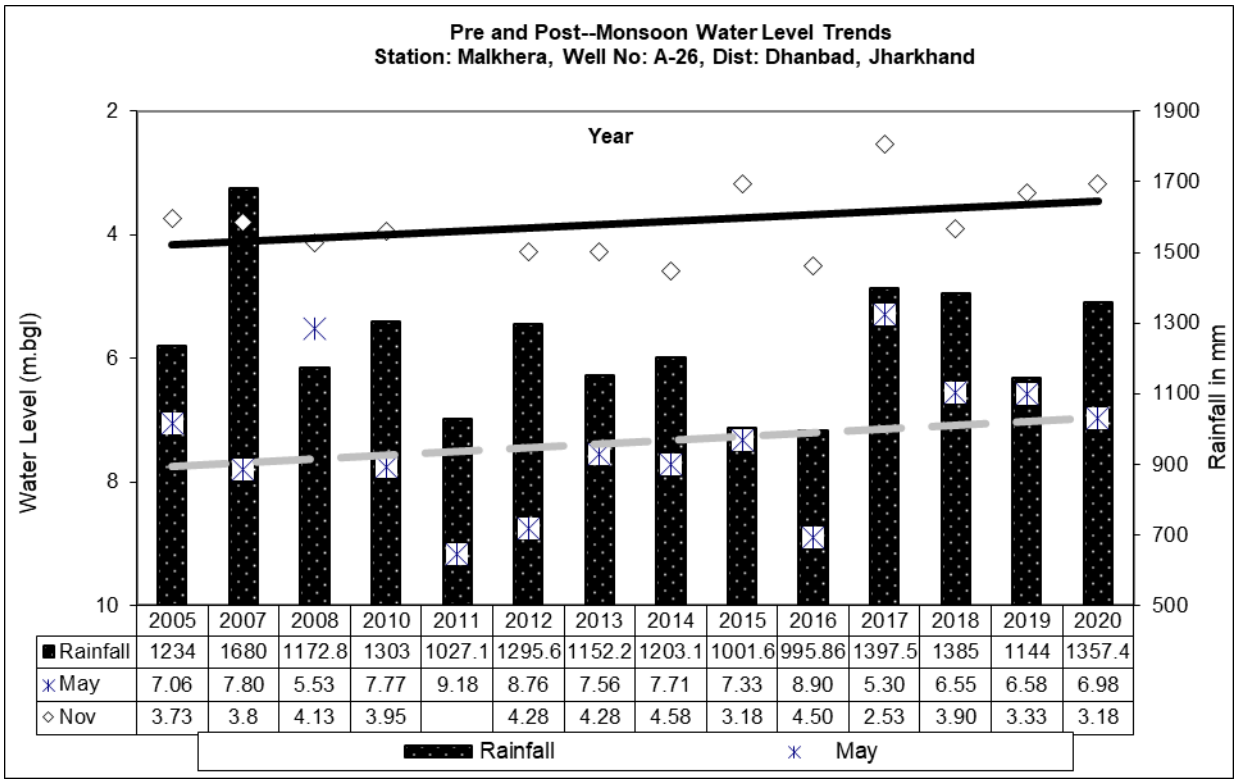

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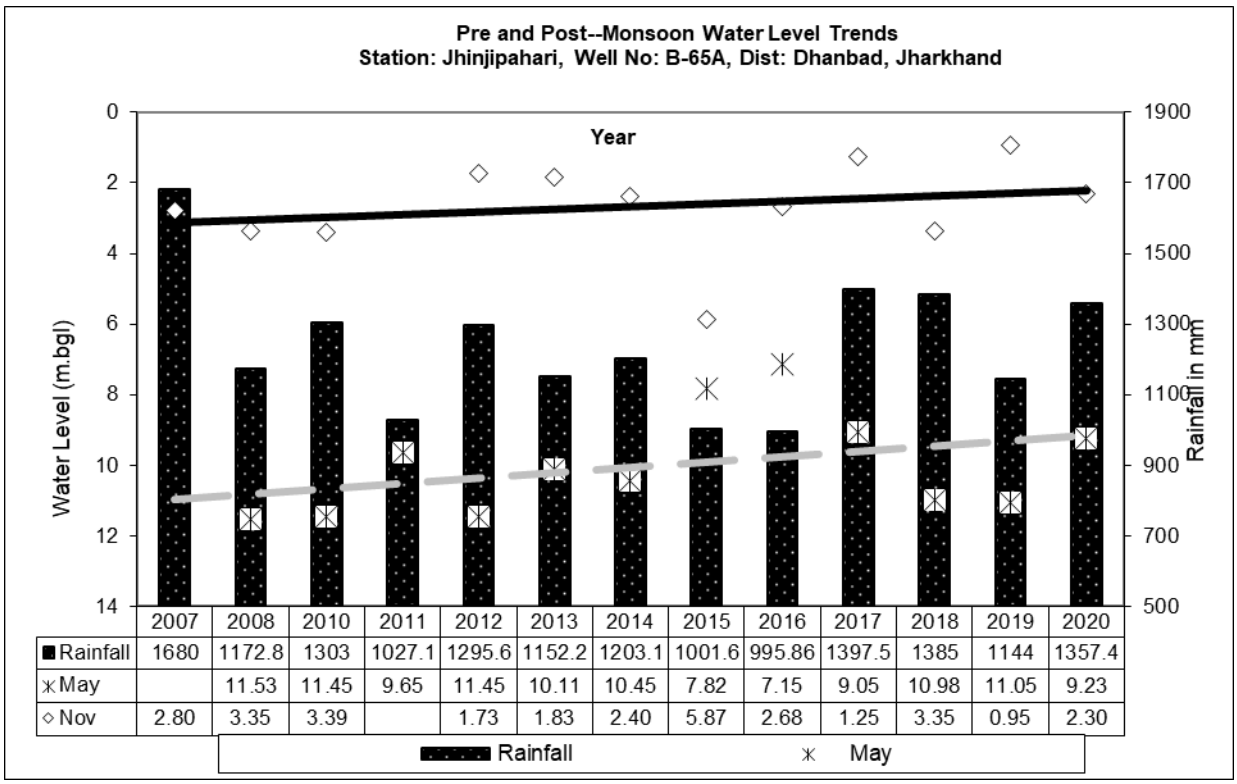
Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	7.06	7.80	5.53	7.77	9.18	8.76	7.56	7.71	7.33	8.90	5.30	6.55	6.58	6.98
Nov	3.73	3.8	4.13	3.95		4.28	4.28	4.58	3.18	4.50	2.53	3.90	3.33	3.18



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May		11.53	11.45	9.65	11.45	10.11	10.45	7.82	7.15	9.05	10.98	11.05	9.23
Nov	2.80	3.35	3.39		1.73	1.83	2.40	5.87	2.68	1.25	3.35	0.95	2.30

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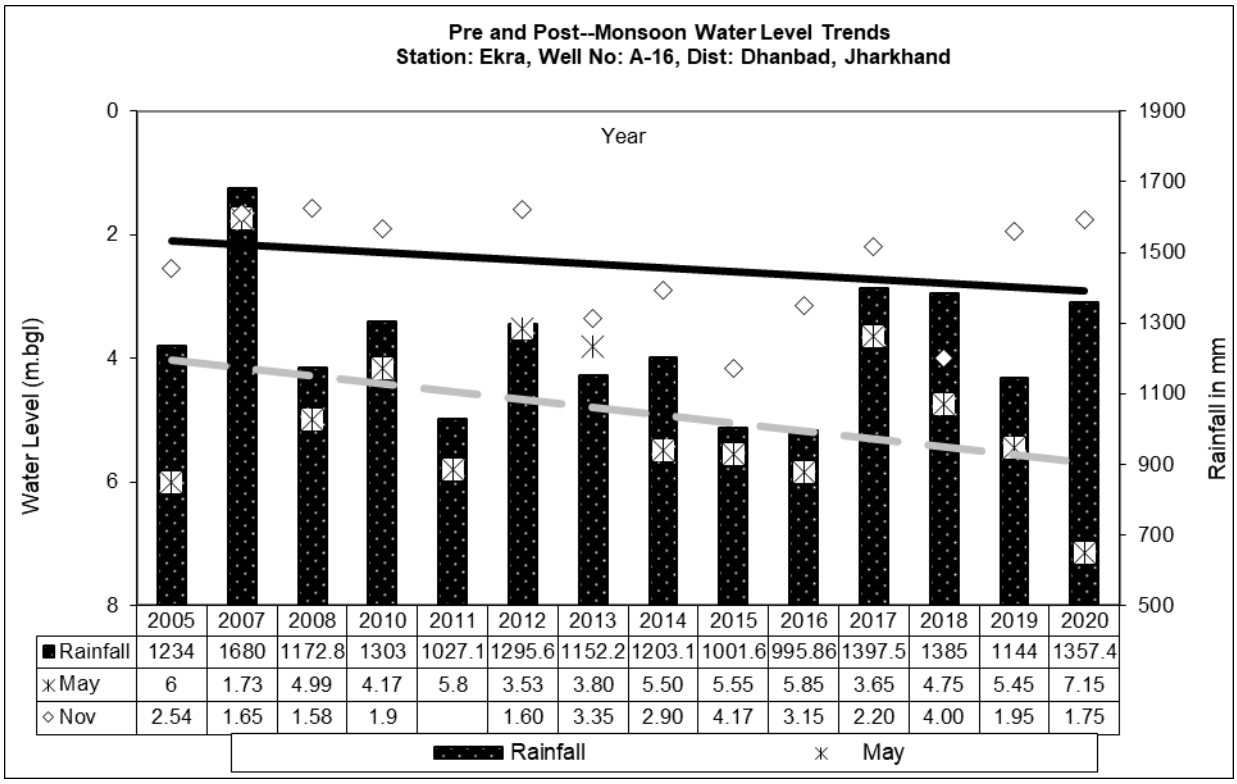

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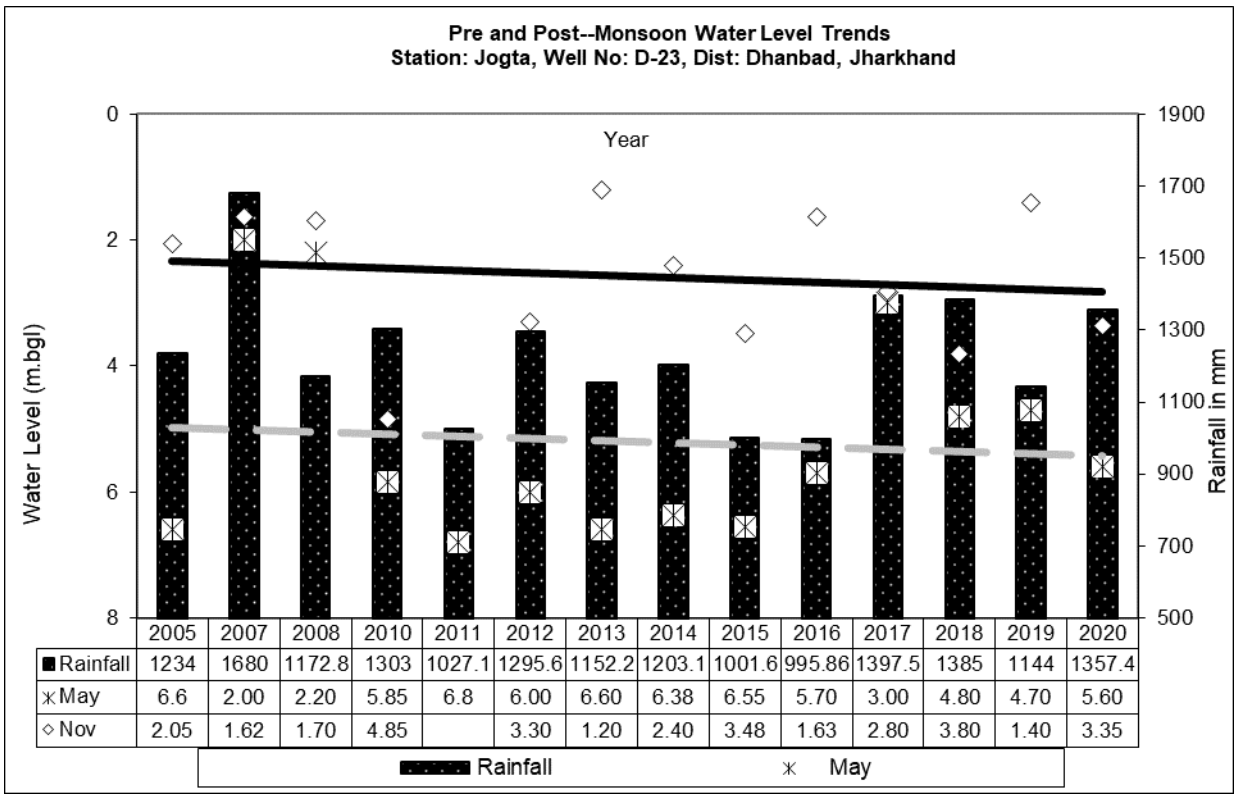
May	6	1.73	4.99	4.17	5.8	3.53	3.80	5.50	5.55	5.85	3.65	4.75	5.45	7.15
Nov	2.54	1.65	1.58	1.9		1.60	3.35	2.90	4.17	3.15	2.20	4.00	1.95	1.75



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May	6.6	2.00	2.20	5.85	6.8	6.00	6.60	6.38	6.55	5.70	3.00	4.80	4.70	5.60
Nov	2.05	1.62	1.70	4.85		3.30	1.20	2.40	3.48	1.63	2.80	3.80	1.40	3.35

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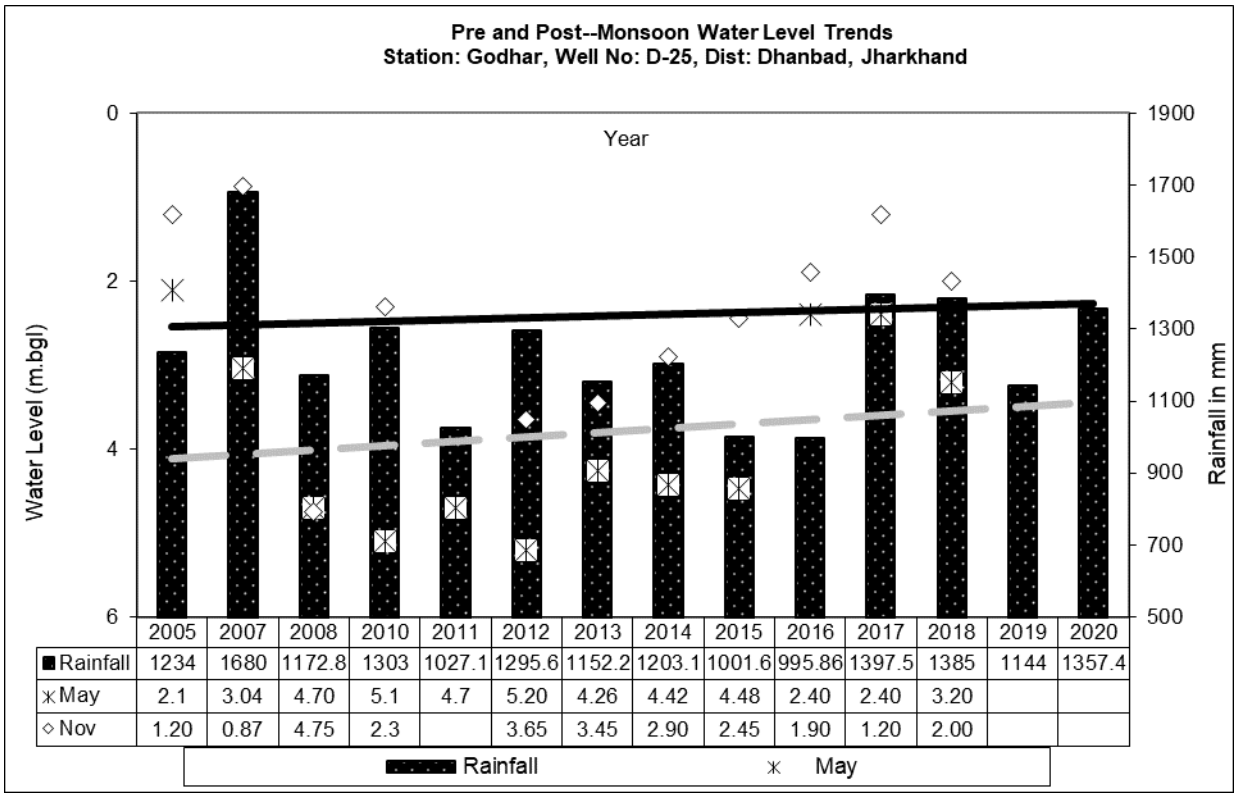

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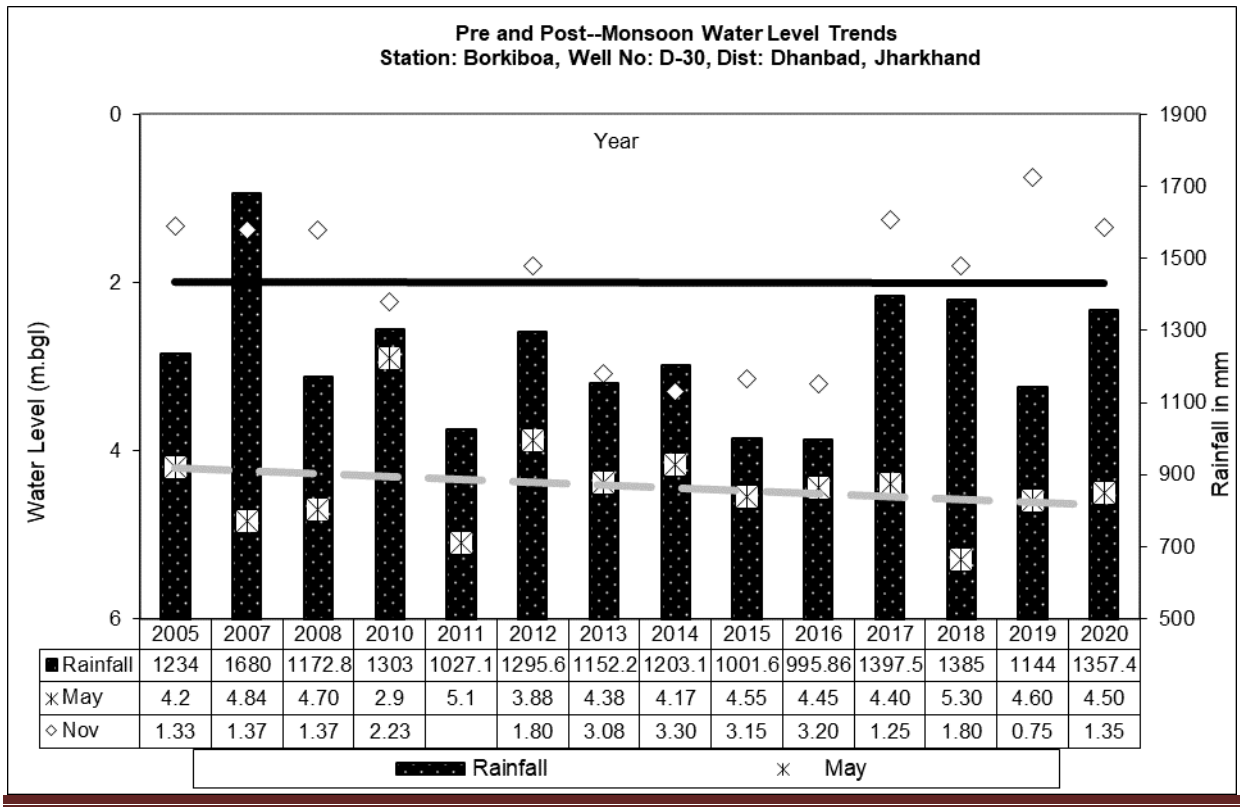
May	2.1	3.04	4.70	5.1	4.7	5.20	4.26	4.42	4.48	2.40	2.40	3.20		
Nov	1.20	0.87	4.75	2.3		3.65	3.45	2.90	2.45	1.90	1.20	2.00		



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May	4.2	4.84	4.70	2.9	5.1	3.88	4.38	4.17	4.55	4.45	4.40	5.30	4.60	4.50
Nov	1.33	1.37	1.37	2.23		1.80	3.08	3.30	3.15	3.20	1.25	1.80	0.75	1.35

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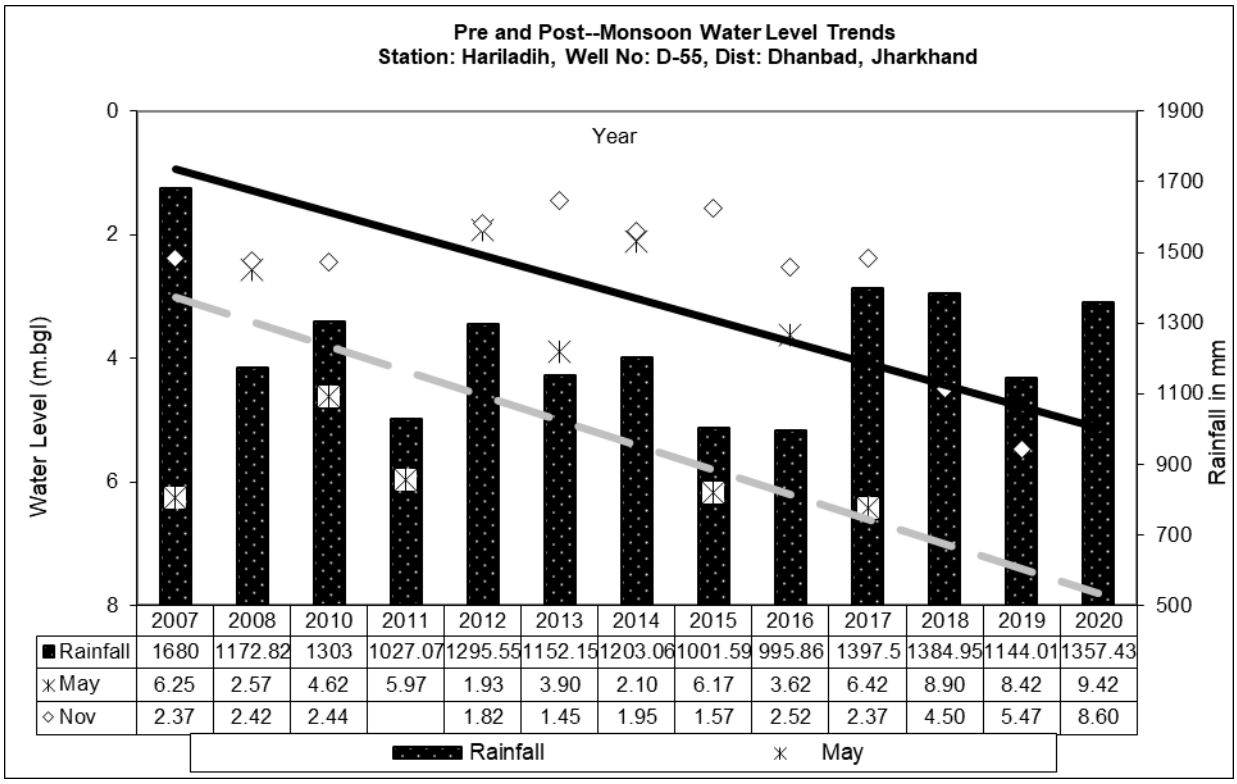

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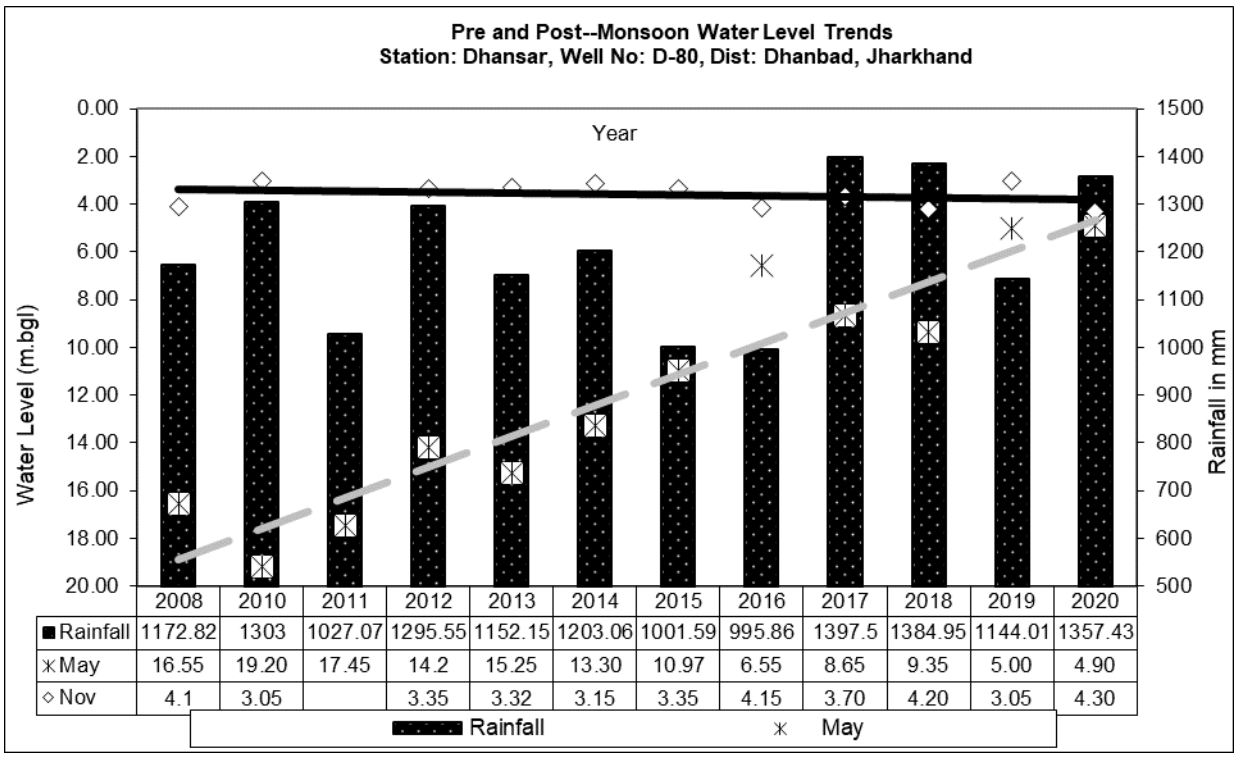
May	6.25	2.57	4.62	5.97	1.93	3.90	2.10	6.17	3.62	6.42	8.90	8.42	9.42
Nov	2.37	2.42	2.44		1.82	1.45	1.95	1.57	2.52	2.37	4.50	5.47	8.60



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May	16.55	19.20	17.45	14.2	15.25	13.30	10.97	6.55	8.65	9.35	5.00	4.90
Nov	4.1	3.05		3.35	3.32	3.15	3.35	4.15	3.70	4.20	3.05	4.30

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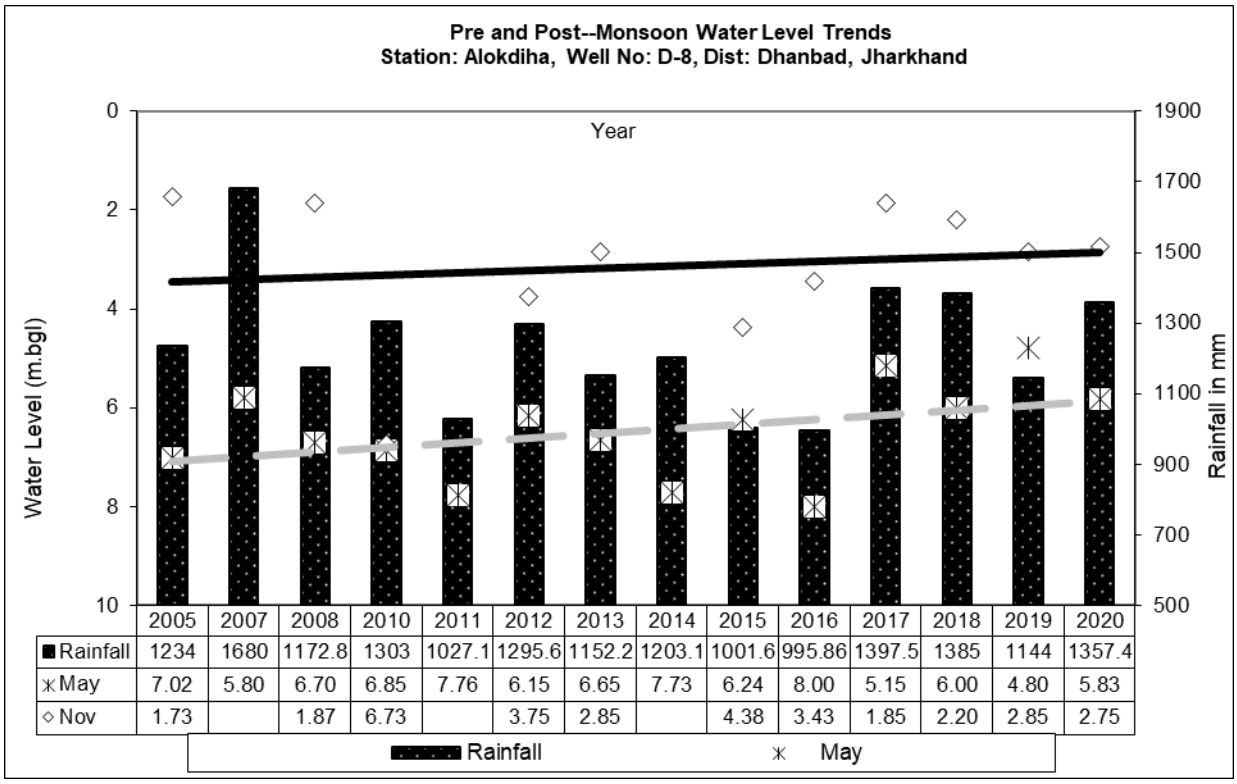

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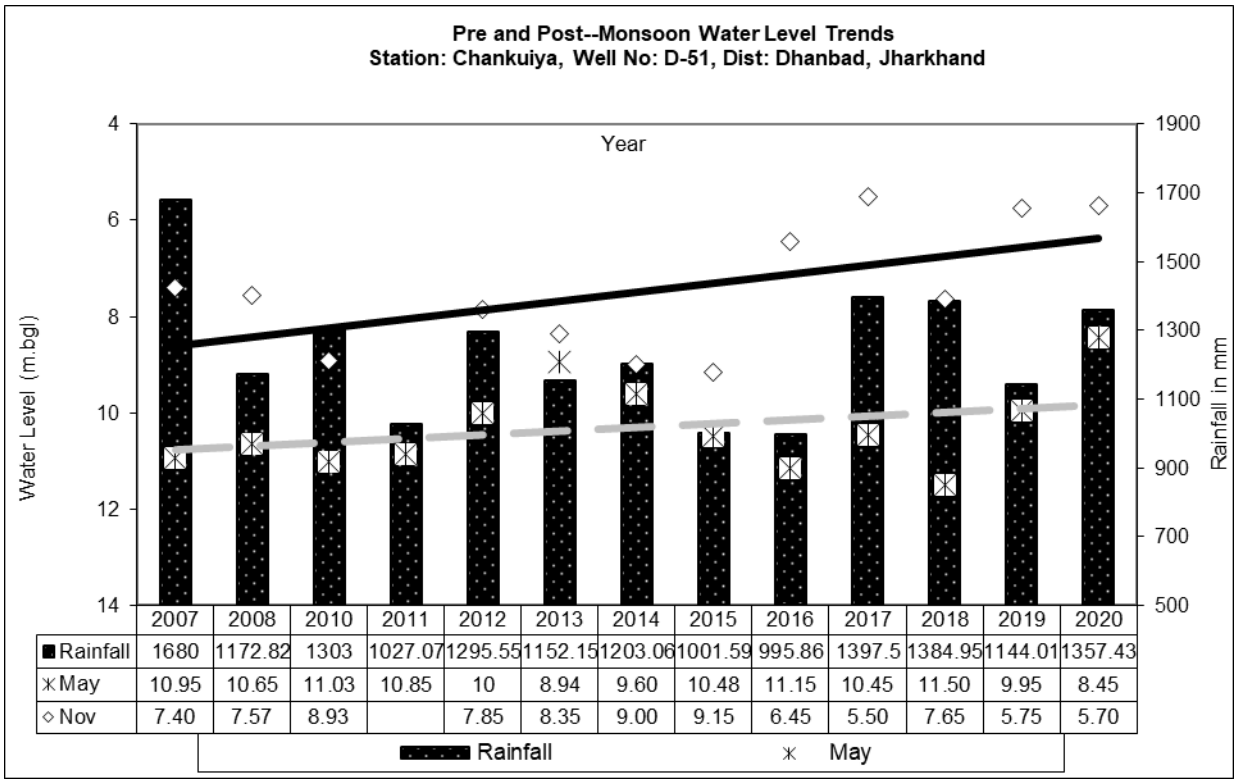
May	7.02	5.80	6.70	6.85	7.76	6.15	6.65	7.73	6.24	8.00	5.15	6.00	4.80	5.83
Nov	1.73		1.87	6.73		3.75	2.85		4.38	3.43	1.85	2.20	2.85	2.75



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May	10.95	10.65	11.03	10.85	10	8.94	9.60	10.48	11.15	10.45	11.50	9.95	8.45
Nov	7.40	7.57	8.93		7.85	8.35	9.00	9.15	6.45	5.50	7.65	5.75	5.70

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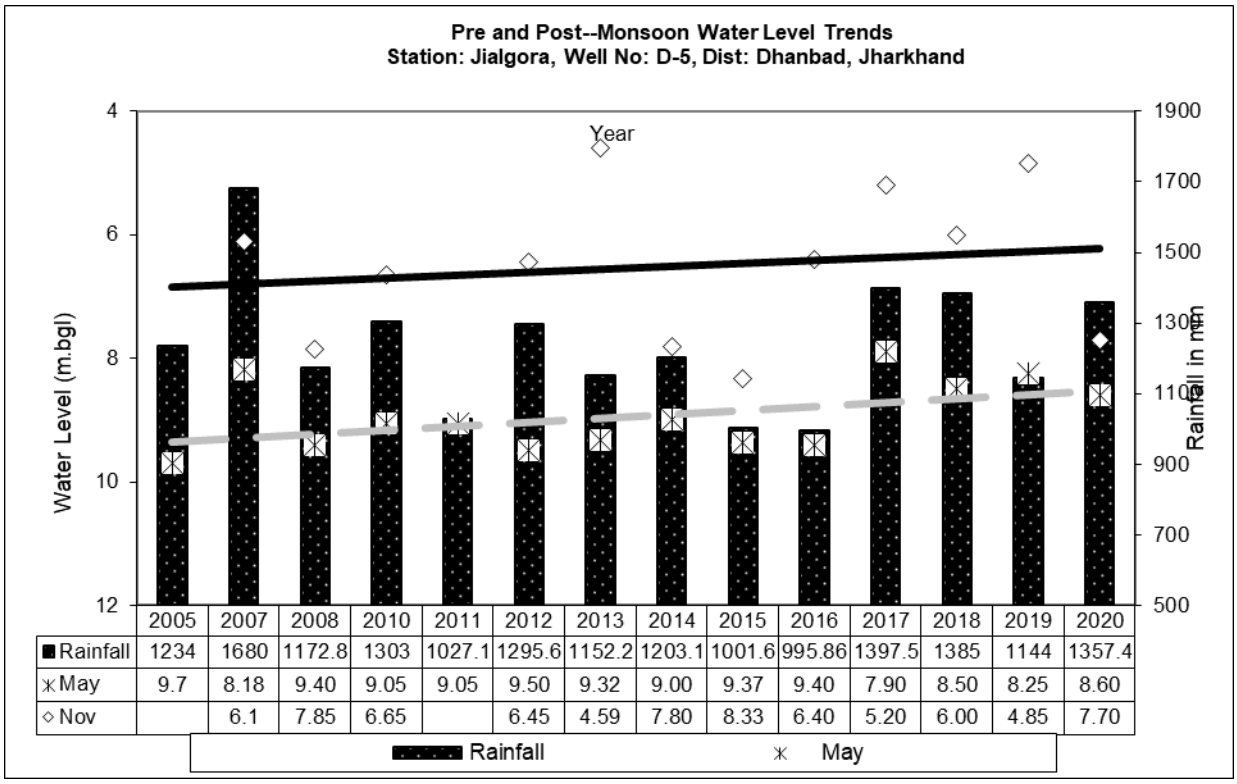

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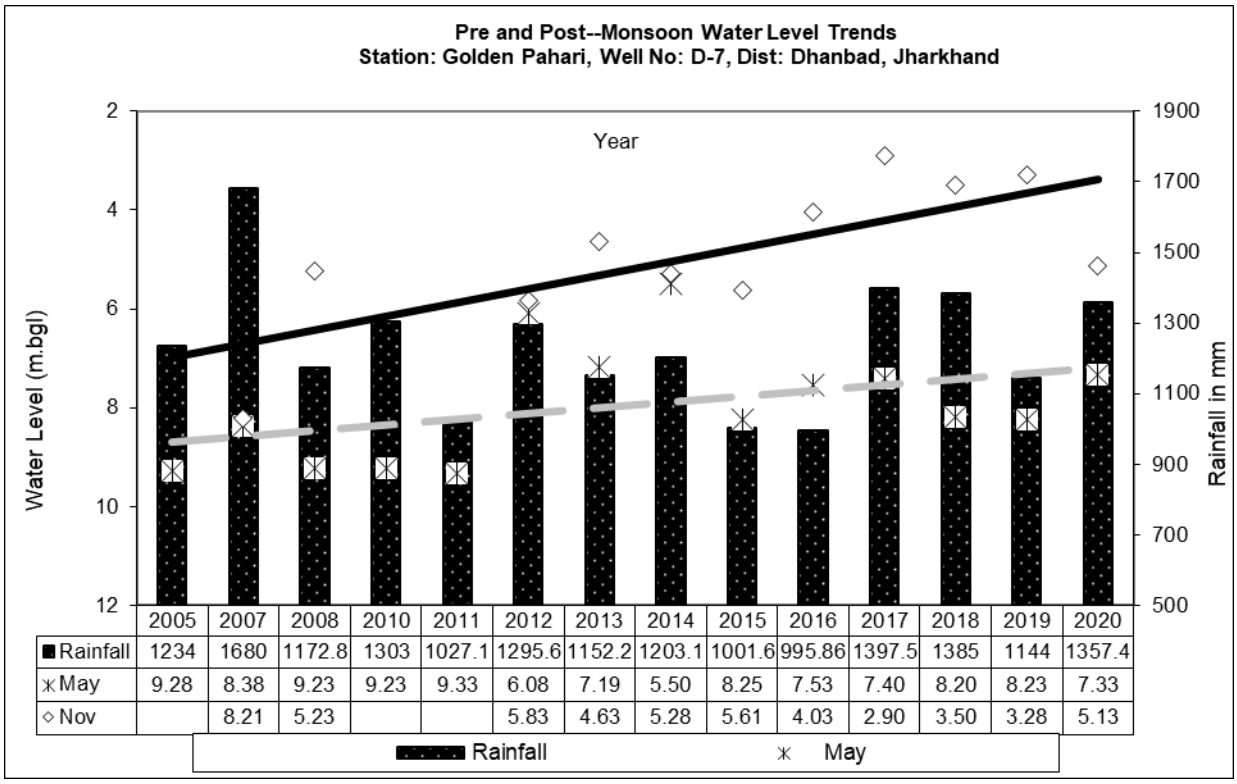
May	9.7	8.18	9.40	9.05	9.05	9.50	9.32	9.00	9.37	9.40	7.90	8.50	8.25	8.60
Nov		6.1	7.85	6.65		6.45	4.59	7.80	8.33	6.40	5.20	6.00	4.85	7.70



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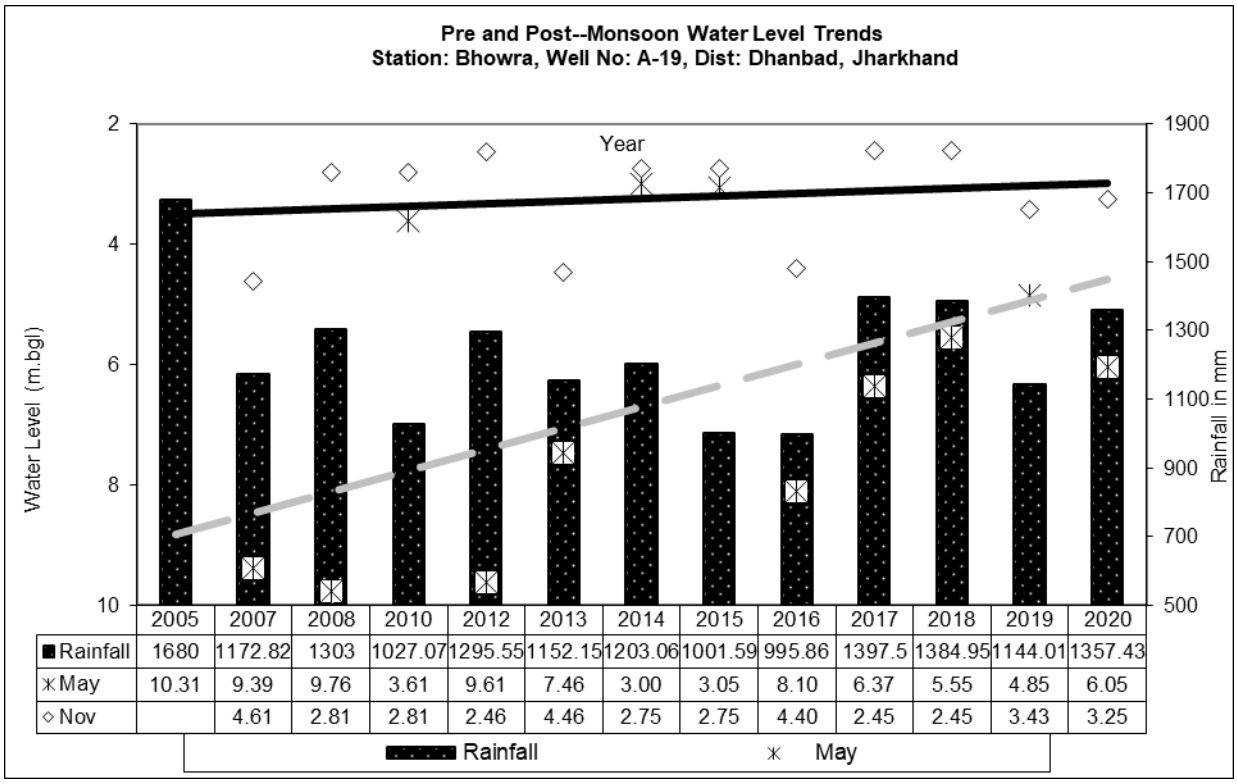
Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	9.28	8.38	9.23	9.23	9.33	6.08	7.19	5.50	8.25	7.53	7.40	8.20	8.23	7.33
Nov		8.21	5.23			5.83	4.63	5.28	5.61	4.03	2.90	3.50	3.28	5.13

HYDROGRAPHS OF CLUSTER-X



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Rainfall	1680	1172.82	1303	1027.07	1295.55	1152.15	1203.06	1001.59	995.86	1397.5	1384.95	1144.01	1357.43
May	10.31	9.39	9.76	3.61	9.61	7.46	3.00	3.05	8.10	6.37	5.55	4.85	6.05
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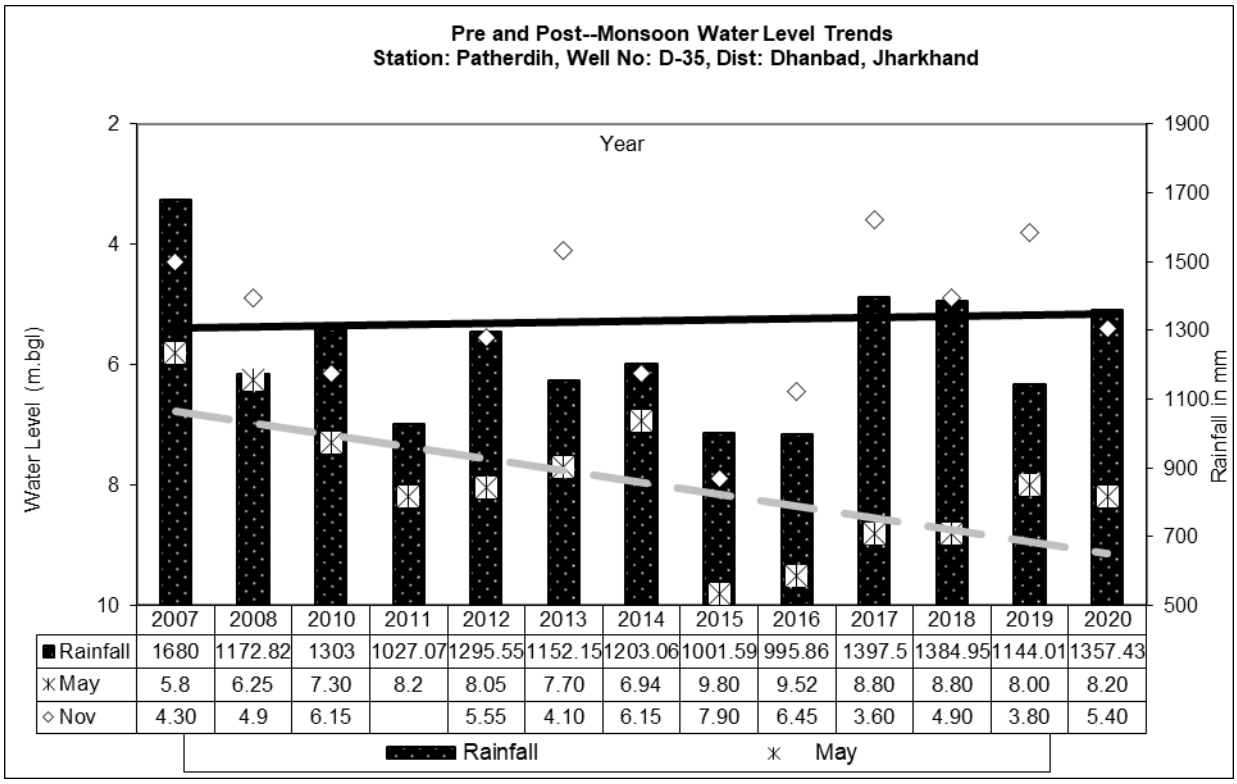

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Rainfall	1680	1172.82	1303	1027.07	1295.55	1152.15	1203.06	1001.59	995.86	1397.5	1384.95	1144.01	1357.43
May	5.8	6.25	7.30	8.2	8.05	7.70	6.94	9.80	9.52	8.80	8.80	8.00	8.20
Nov	4.30	4.9	6.15		5.55	4.10	6.15	7.90	6.45	3.60	4.90	3.80	5.40

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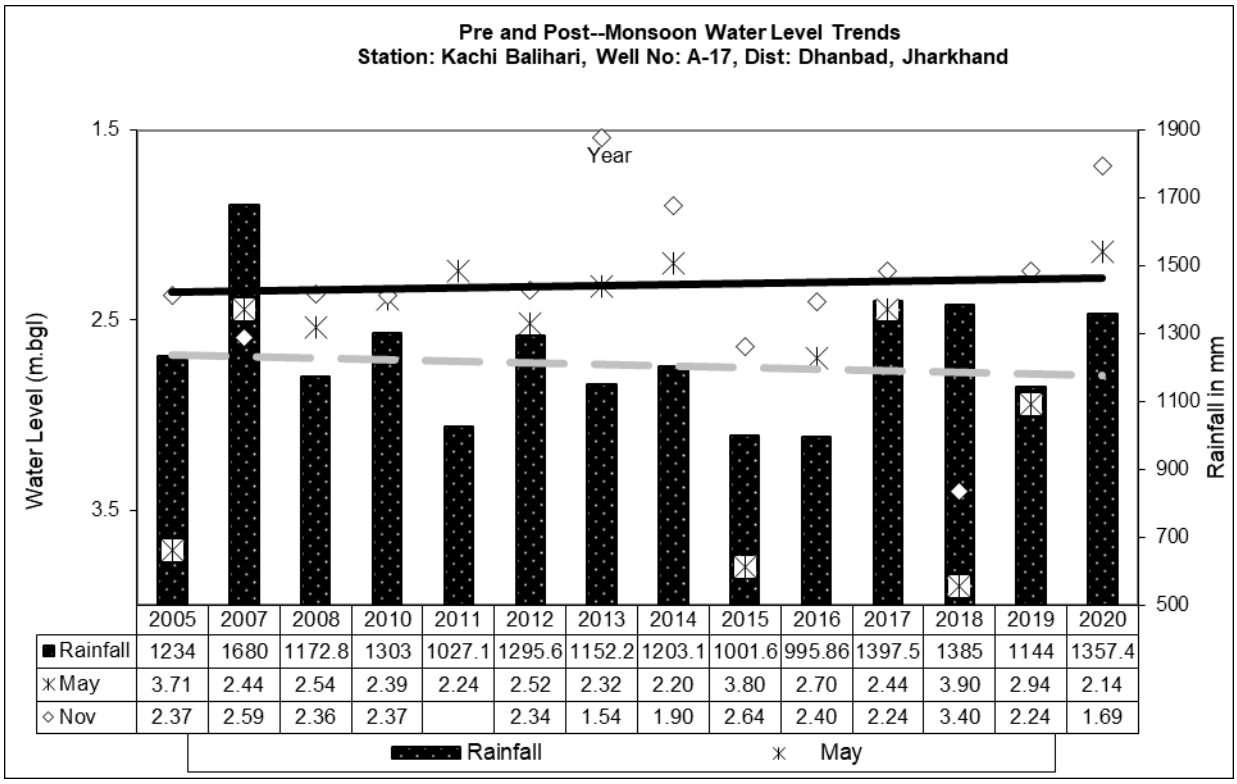

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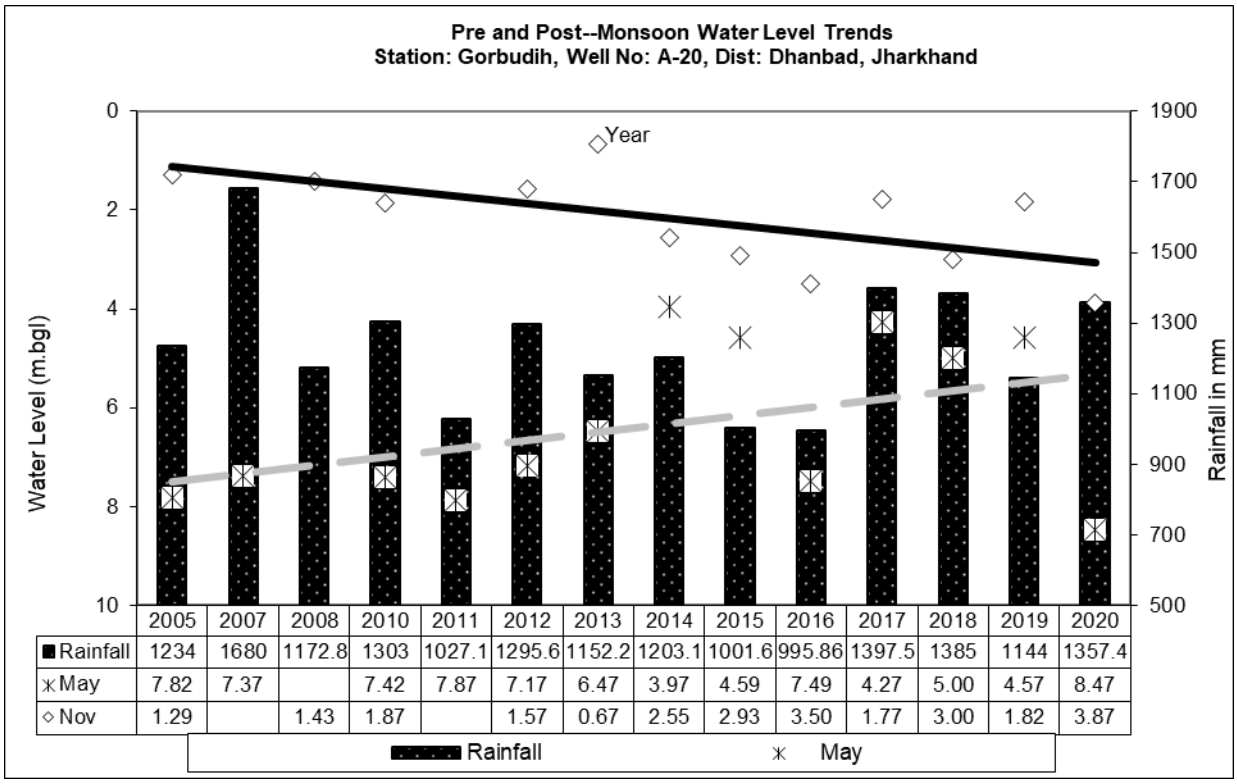
Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	3.71	2.44	2.54	2.39	2.24	2.52	2.32	2.20	3.80	2.70	2.44	3.90	2.94	2.14
Nov	2.37	2.59	2.36	2.37		2.34	1.54	1.90	2.64	2.40	2.24	3.40	2.24	1.69



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Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	7.82	7.37		7.42	7.87	7.17	6.47	3.97	4.59	7.49	4.27	5.00	4.57	8.47
Nov	1.29		1.43	1.87		1.57	0.67	2.55	2.93	3.50	1.77	3.00	1.82	3.87

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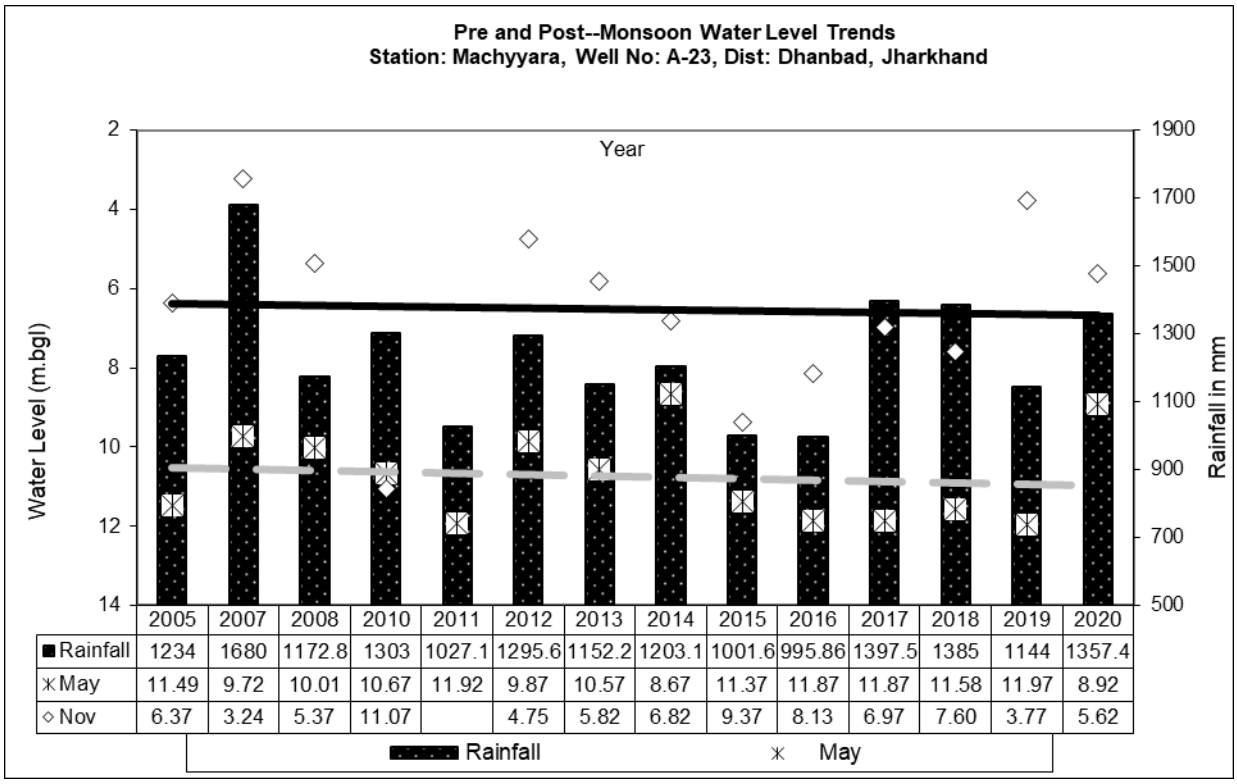

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Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	11.49	9.72	10.01	10.67	11.92	9.87	10.57	8.67	11.37	11.87	11.87	11.58	11.97	8.92
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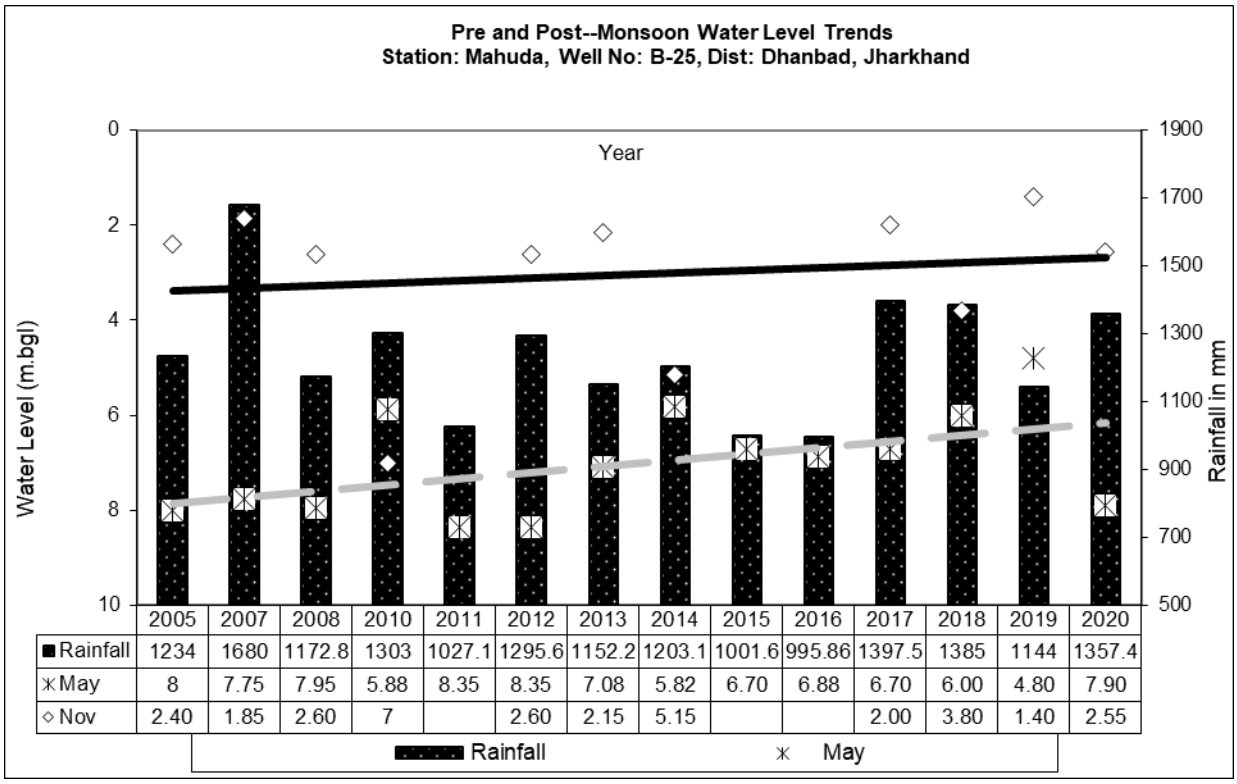

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Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	8	7.75	7.95	5.88	8.35	8.35	7.08	5.82	6.70	6.88	6.70	6.00	4.80	7.90
Nov	2.40	1.85	2.60	7		2.60	2.15	5.15			2.00	3.80	1.40	2.55

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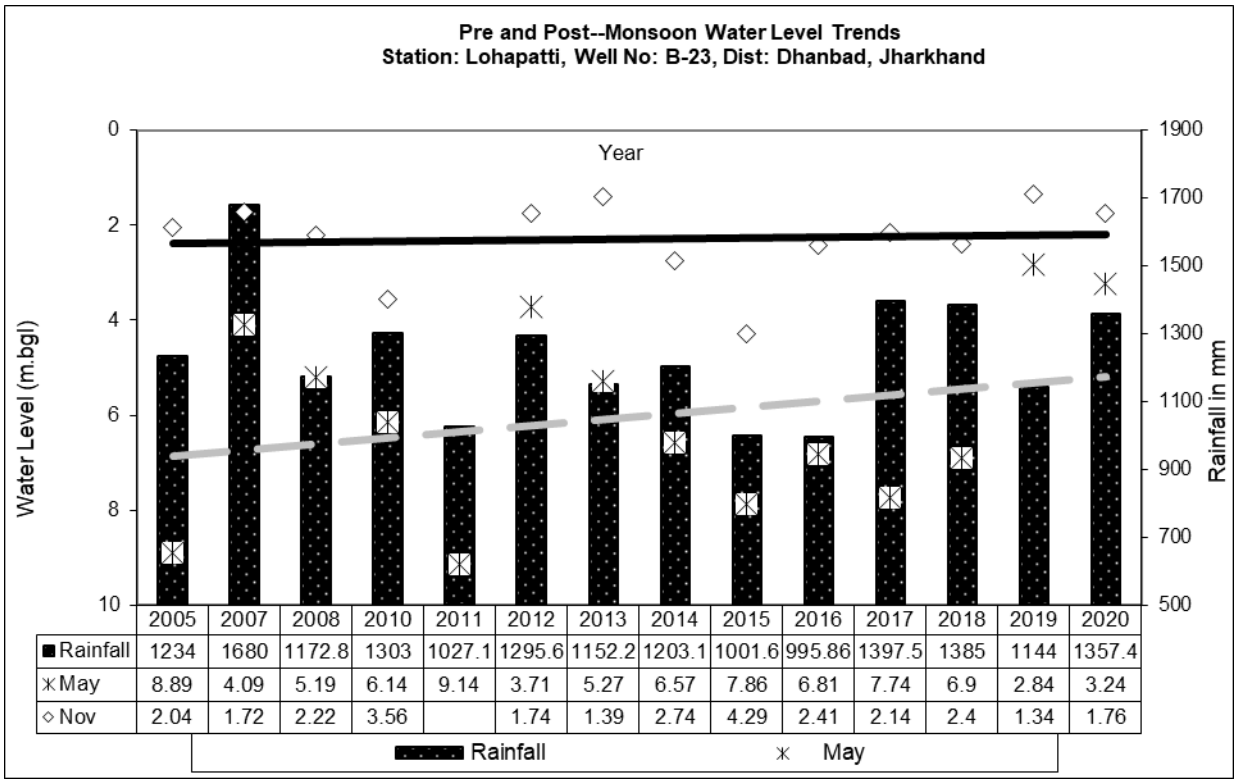

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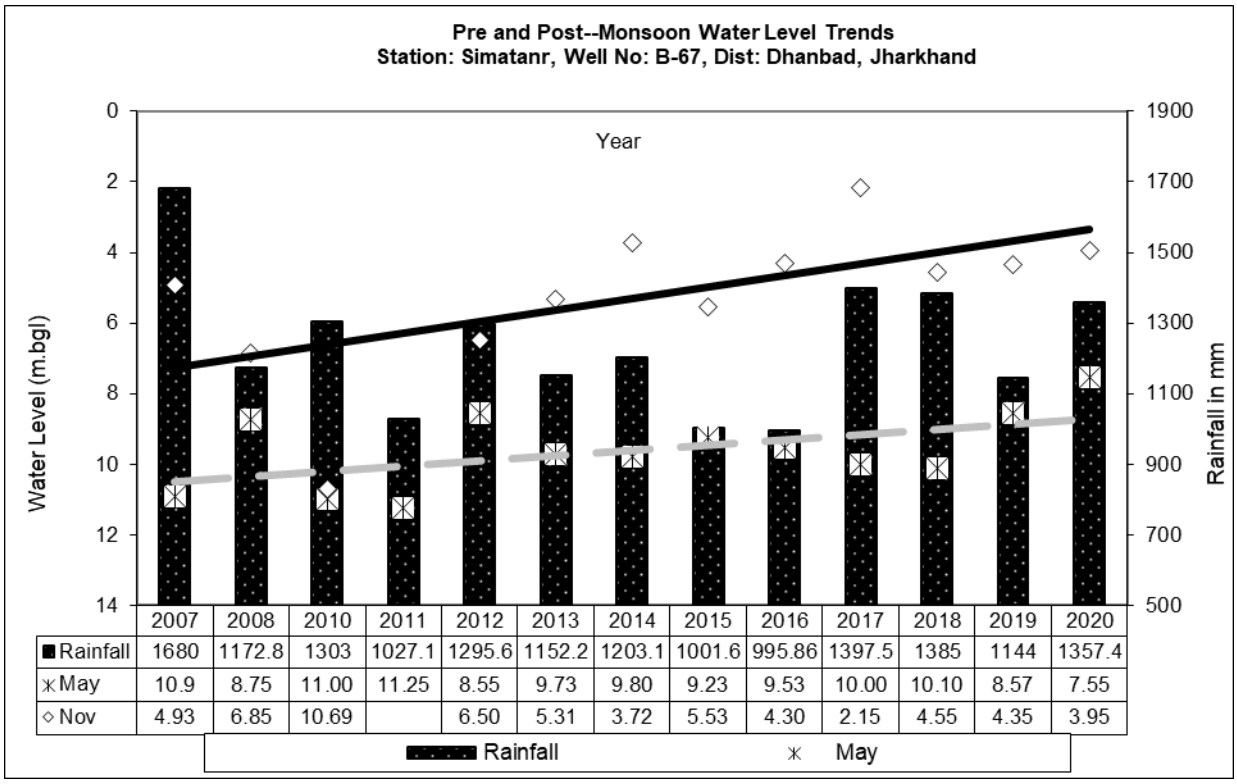
Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	8.89	4.09	5.19	6.14	9.14	3.71	5.27	6.57	7.86	6.81	7.74	6.9	2.84	3.24
Nov	2.04	1.72	2.22	3.56		1.74	1.39	2.74	4.29	2.41	2.14	2.4	1.34	1.76



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Rainfall	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May	10.9	8.75	11.00	11.25	8.55	9.73	9.80	9.23	9.53	10.00	10.10	8.57	7.55
Nov	4.93	6.85	10.69		6.50	5.31	3.72	5.53	4.30	2.15	4.55	4.35	3.95

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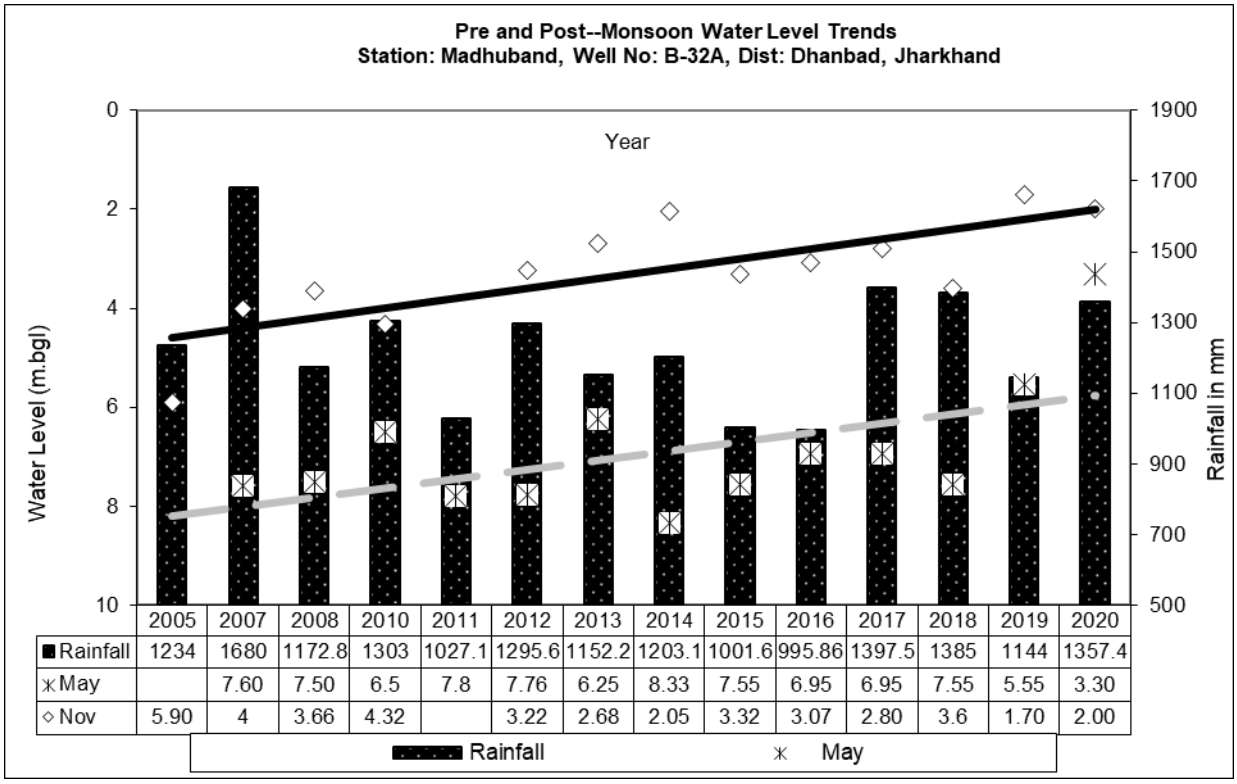

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Rainfall	1234	1680	1172.8	1303	1027.1	1295.6	1152.2	1203.1	1001.6	995.86	1397.5	1385	1144	1357.4
May		7.60	7.50	6.5	7.8	7.76	6.25	8.33	7.55	6.95	6.95	7.55	5.55	3.30
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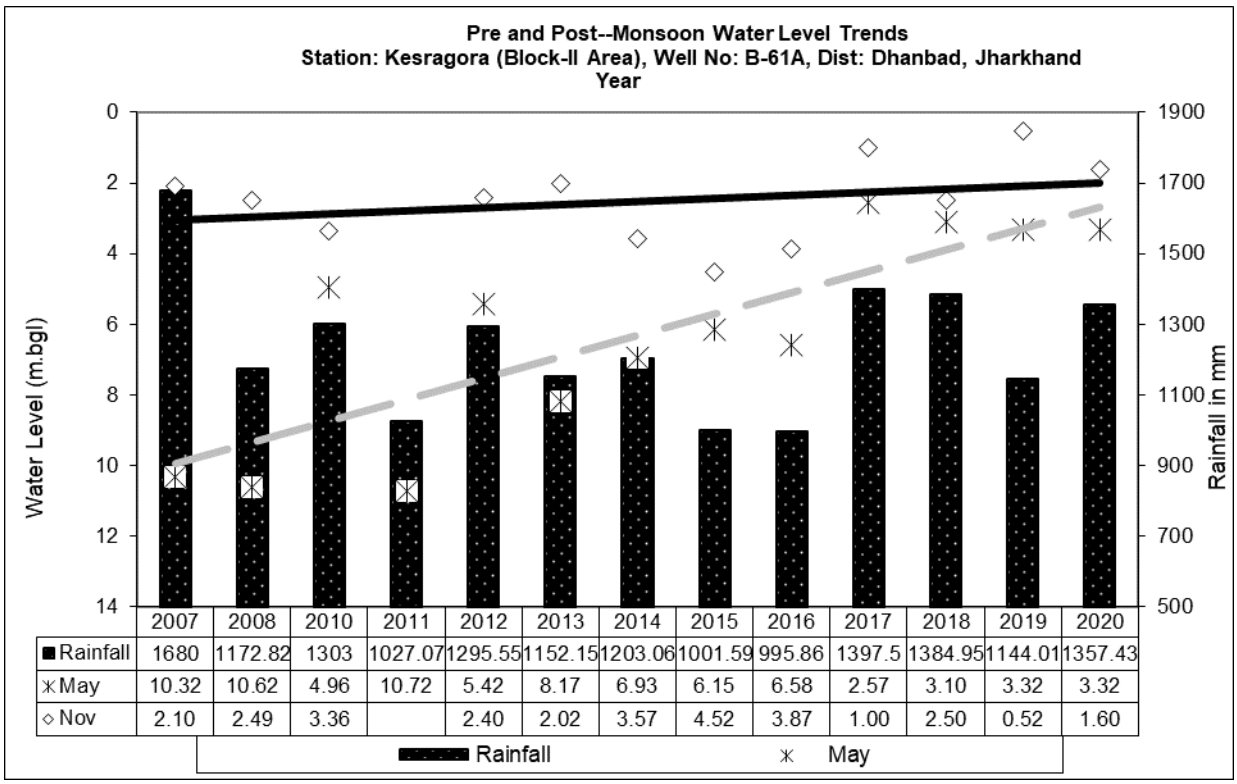

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Rainfall	1680	1172.82	1303	1027.07	1295.55	1152.15	1203.06	1001.59	995.86	1397.5	1384.95	1144.01	1357.43
May	10.32	10.62	4.96	10.72	5.42	8.17	6.93	6.15	6.58	2.57	3.10	3.32	3.32
Nov	2.10	2.49	3.36		2.40	2.02	3.57	4.52	3.87	1.00	2.50	0.52	1.60

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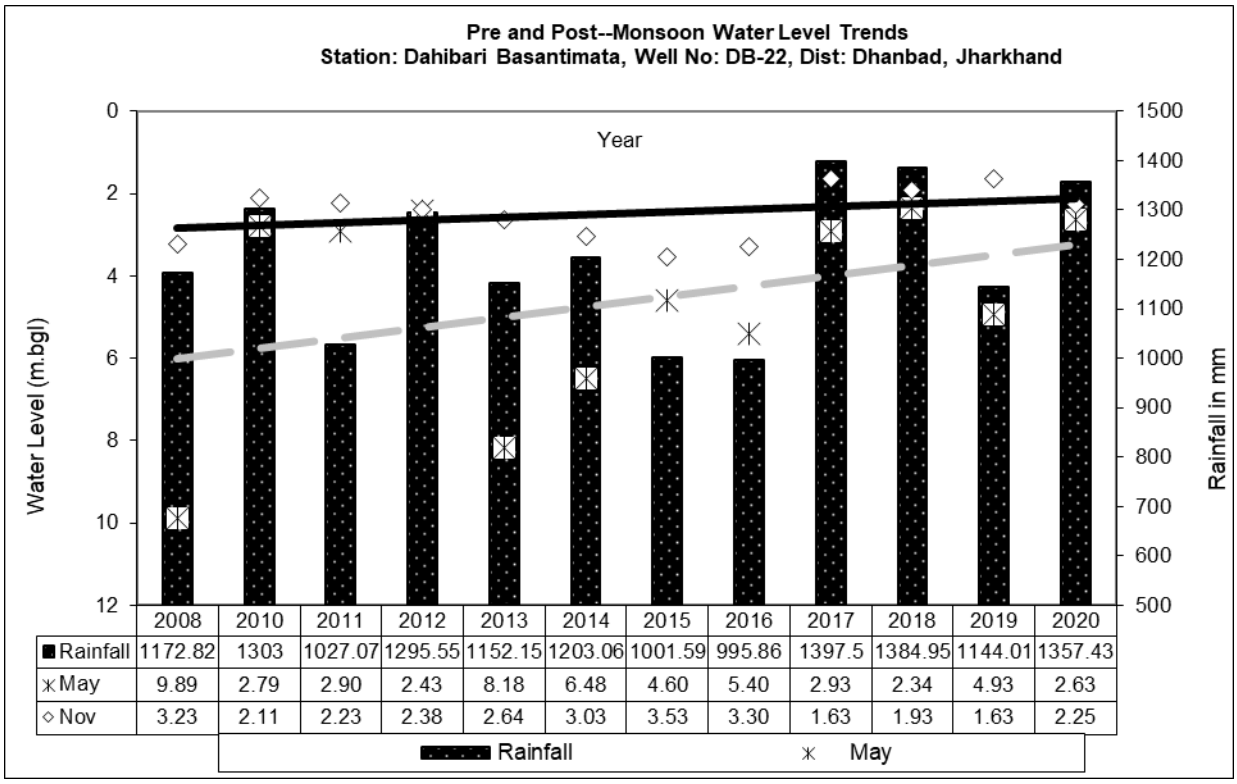

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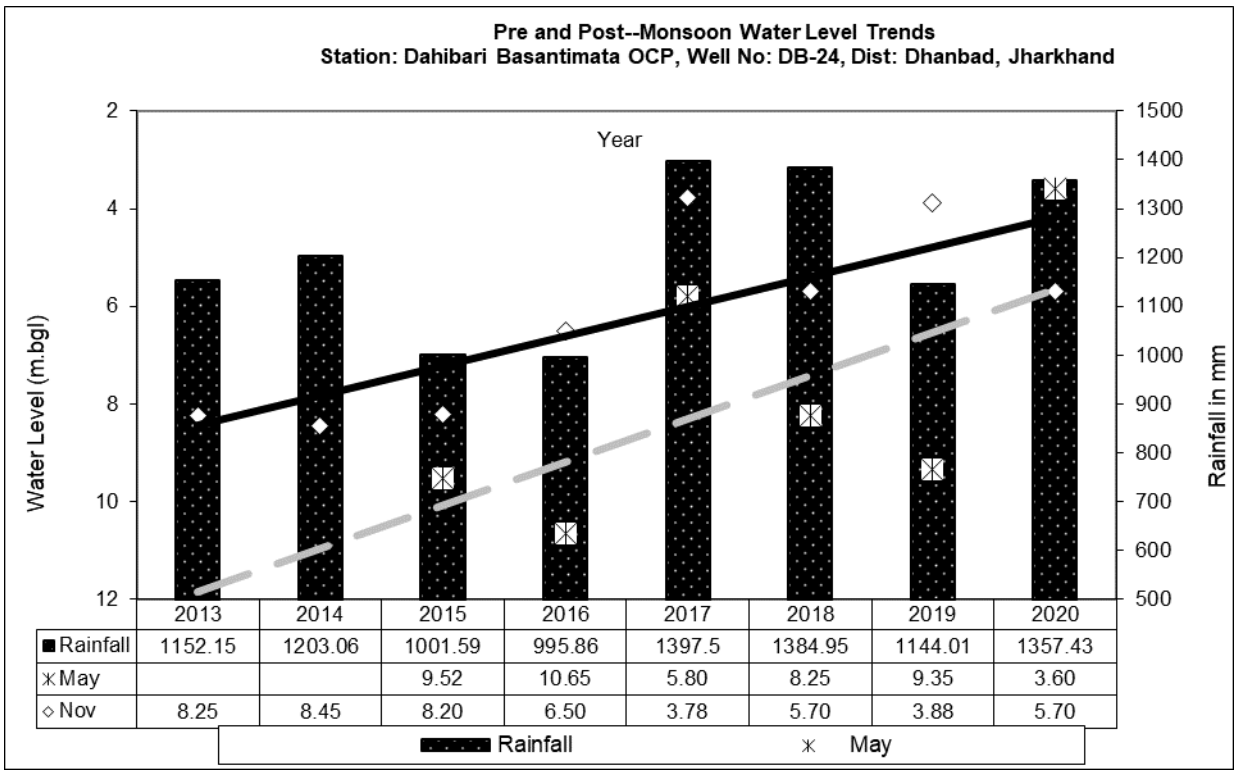
Rainfall	1172.82	1303	1027.07	1295.55	1152.15	1203.06	1001.59	995.86	1397.5	1384.95	1144.01	1357.43
May	9.89	2.79	2.90	2.43	8.18	6.48	4.60	5.40	2.93	2.34	4.93	2.63
Nov	3.23	2.11	2.23	2.38	2.64	3.03	3.53	3.30	1.63	1.93	1.63	2.25



	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Rainfall	1152.15	1203.06	1001.59	995.86	1397.5	1384.95	1144.01	1357.43
May			9.52	10.65	5.80	8.25	9.35	3.60
Nov	8.25	8.45	8.20	6.50	3.78	5.70	3.88	5.70

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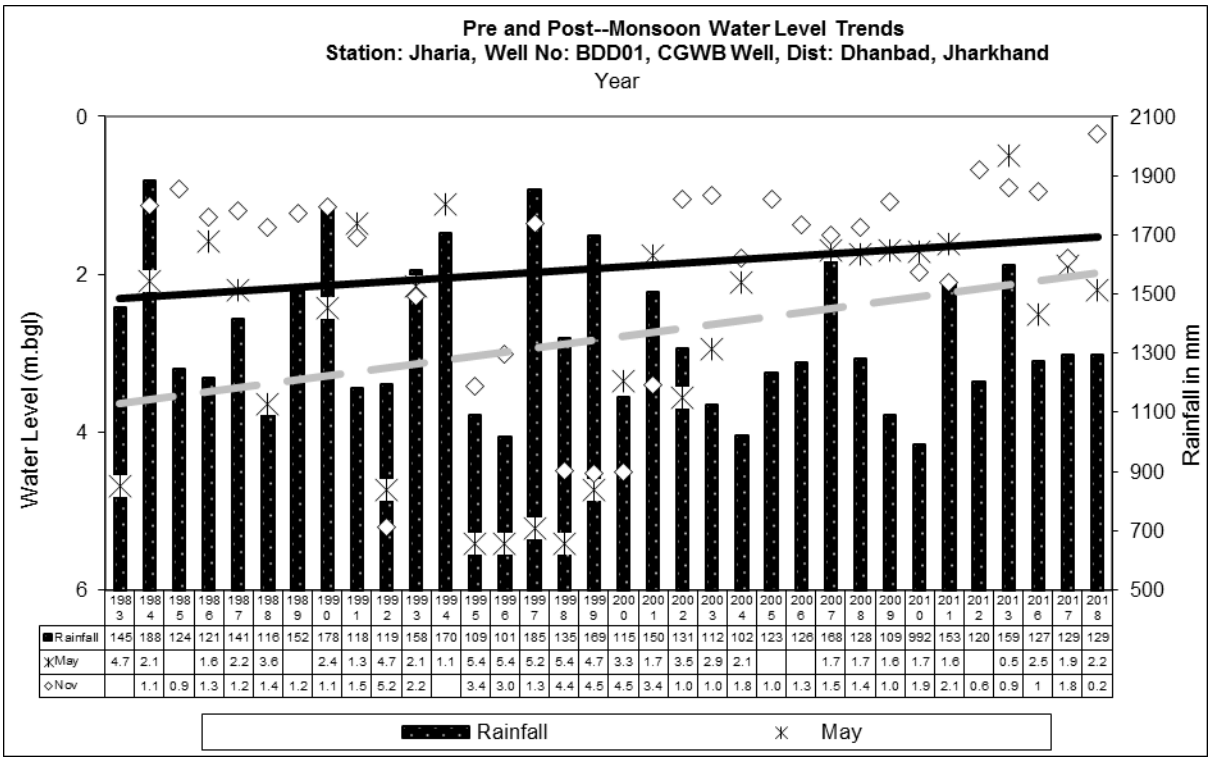

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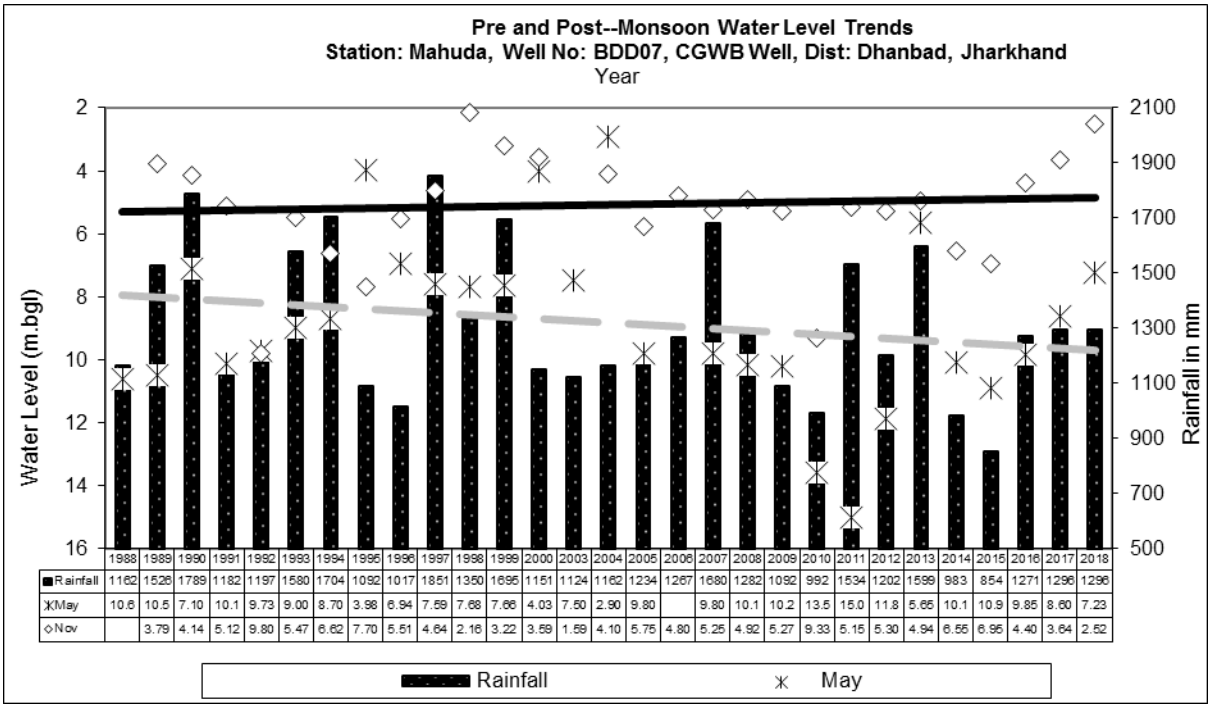
Rainfall	145	188	124	121	141	116	152	178	118	119	158	170	109	101	185	135	169	115	150	131	112	102	123	126	168	128	109	992	153	120	159	127	129	129		
May	4.7	2.1		1.6	2.2	3.6		2.4	1.3	4.7	2.1	1.1	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.4	4.7	3.3	1.7	3.5	2.9	2.1			1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.6		0.5	2.5	1.9	2.2		
Nov		1.1	0.9	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.5	5.2	2.2		3.4	3.0	1.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	3.4	1.0	1.0	1.8	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.9	2.1	0.6	0.9	1	1.8	0.2		



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Rainfall	1162	1526	1789	1182	1197	1580	1704	1092	1017	1851	1350	1695	1151	1124	1162	1234	1267	1680	1282	1092	992	1534	1202	1599	983	854	1271	1296	1296
May	10.6	10.5	7.10	10.1	9.73	9.00	8.70	3.98	6.94	7.59	7.68	7.66	4.03	7.50	2.90	9.80		9.80	10.1	10.2	13.5	15.0	11.8	5.65	10.1	10.9	9.85	8.60	7.23
Nov		3.79	4.14	5.12	9.80	5.47	6.62	7.70	5.51	4.64	2.16	3.22	3.59	1.59	4.10	5.75	4.80	5.25	4.92	5.27	9.33	5.15	5.30	4.94	6.55	6.95	4.40	3.64	2.52

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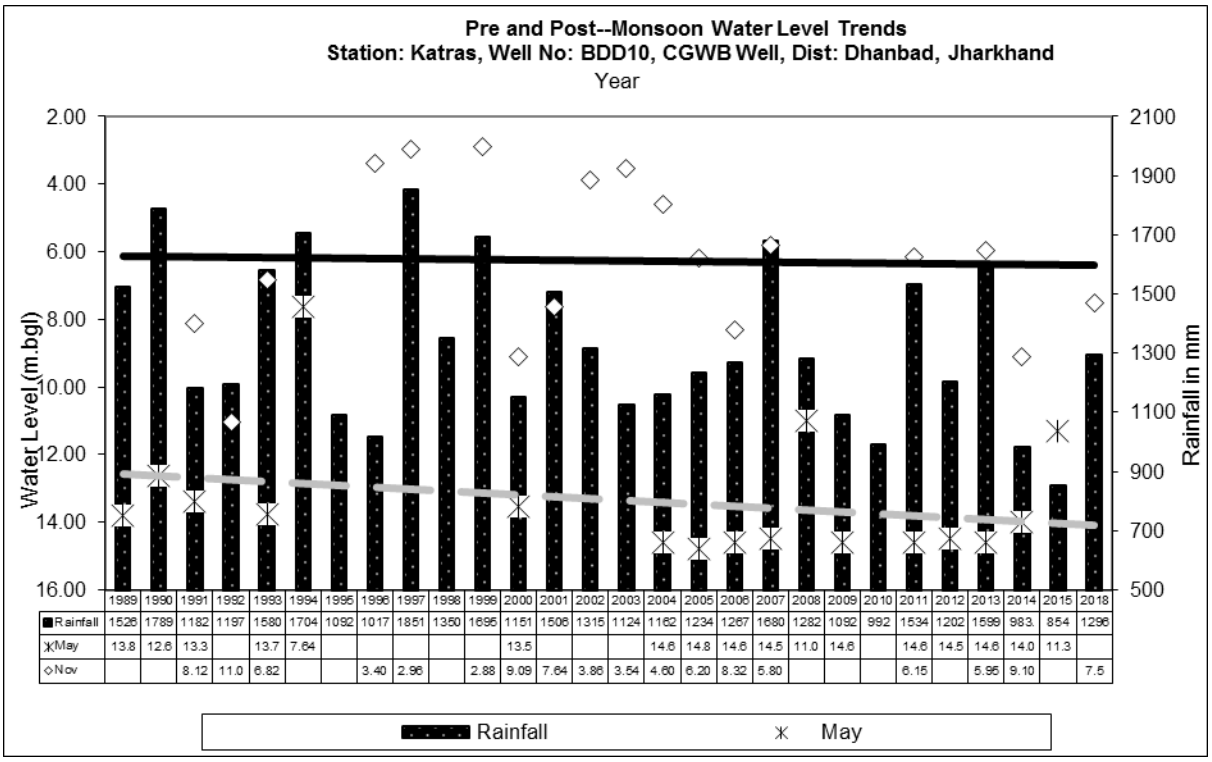

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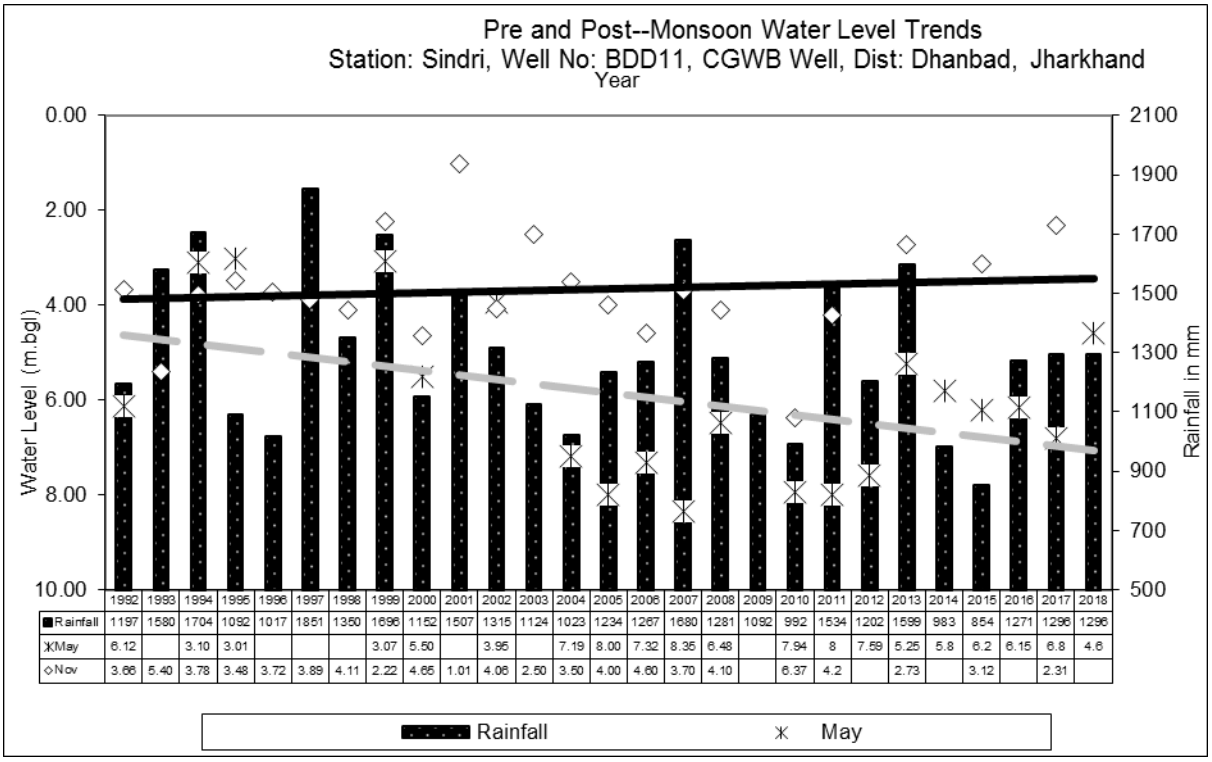
May	13.8	12.6	13.3		13.7	7.64						13.5				14.6	14.8	14.6	14.5	11.0	14.6		14.6	14.5	14.6	14.0	11.3	
Nov			8.12	11.0	6.82			3.40	2.96		2.88	9.09	7.64	3.86	3.54	4.60	6.20	8.32	5.80				6.15		5.95	9.10		7.5



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Rainfall	1197	1580	1704	1092	1017	1851	1350	1696	1152	1507	1315	1124	1023	1234	1267	1680	1281	1092	992	1534	1202	1599	983	854	1271	1296	1296
May	6.12		3.10	3.01				3.07	5.50		3.95		7.19	8.00	7.32	8.35	6.48		7.94	8	7.59	5.25	5.8	6.2	6.15	6.8	4.6
Nov	3.66	5.40	3.78	3.48	3.72	3.89	4.11	2.22	4.65	1.01	4.06	2.50	3.50	4.00	4.60	3.70	4.10		6.37	4.2		2.73		3.12		2.31	

Annexure – VIII

GROUNDWATER SAMPLE LOCATION DETAILS

Sampling month: June month of the assessment year of 2020-21

Sl No	Name of Cluster	Ground Water Sample	Dug well (CMPDI)	Location	Sampling Date
					June'2020
1	CLUSTER-I	GW-1	B-15	BERA VILLAGE	01.06.2020
2	CLUSTER-II	GW-2	B-59	KHODOVALY VILLAGE	01.06.2020
3	CLUSTER-III	GW-3	A-29	GOVINDPUR,AMBAGAN VILLAGE	01.06.2020
4	CLUSTER-IV	GW-4	B-63	KESHALPUR, BATIGHAR	01.06.2020
5	CLUSTER-V	GW-5	D-30	BORKIBOA VILLAGE	01.06.2020
6	CLUSTER-VI	GW-6	D-25	GODHUR MORE	01.06.2020
7	CLUSTER-VII	GW-7	D-80	DHANSAR MINE RESCUE STN.	02.06.2020
8	CLUSTER-VIII	GW-8	D-49	NEAR GHANOODIH OC	02.06.2020
9	CLUSTER-IX	GW-9	D-5	JEALGORA, NEAR P.O.	02.06.2020
10	CLUSTER-X	GW-10	D-35	PATHERDIH RLY. COLONY	02.06.2020
11	CLUSTER-XI	GW-11	A-32	MONNIDIH BAZAR	01.06.2020
12	CLUSTER-XIII	GW-13	A-23	MACHHAYARA	01.06.2020
13	CLUSTER-XIV	GW-14	B-23	LOHAPATTI VILLAGE	01.06.2020
14	CLUSTER-XV	GW-15	B-32A	MADHUBAND VILLAGE	01.06.2020
15	CLUSTER-XVI	GW-16	DB-22	DAHIBARI,NICHE BASTI	02.06.2020

WATER QUALITY

(GROUND WATER- ALL PARAMETERS)

Year: 2020-21

Sl. No	Parameter	Sampling Stations			Detection Limit	IS:10500 Drinking Water Standards	Standard / Test Method
		GW-1 01.06.2020	**GW-2 01.06.2020**	**GW-3 01.06.2020**			
1	Boron (as B), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	0.5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Carmine
2	Colour,in Hazen Units	1	2	1	1	5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Pt.-Co. Method
3	Calcium (as Ca), mg/l, Max	40	48	54	1.6	75	IS 3025, Part 40: 1991 R 2019 EDTA Method
4	Chloride (as Cl), mg/l, Max	18	22	28	2	250	IS-3025/32:1988, R-2019 Argentometric
5	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, Max	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.03	0.05	IS 3025 Part 42 : 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA,23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
6	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, Max	0.62	0.78	0.54	0.2	1.0	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
7	Free Residual Chlorine, mg/l, Min	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.2	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 4500-Cl^- B. (Iodometric Method-I)
8	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	1.0	IS 3025 Part 53 : 2003, R : 2019 , AAS-Flame Method
9	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, Max	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.005	0.01	IS:3025(Part 47):1994 (Reaffirmed 2019) APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
10	Manganese (as Mn), mg/l, Max	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	0.02	0.1	APHA, 23rd Edition, 3111B, Direct Air Acetylene Flame AAS-Flame
11	Nitrate (as NO_3), mg/l, Max	6.72	5.48	10.18	0.5	45	APHA, 23rd Edition, P-4-127, 4500 - NO_3^- B , UV-Spectrophotometric Screening Method
12	Odour	Agreeable	Agreeable	Agreeable	Qualitative	Agreeable	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 2150-C
13	pH value	8.21	8.10	8.12	0.2	6.5-8.5	IS 3025, Part 11 : 1983 R 2017 Electrometric method
14	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH), mg/l, Max	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	0.002	APHA, 22nd Edition,4-Amino Autipyrine
15	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	0.007	0.01	IS -3025,part 56:2003,R-2019/APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
16	Sulphate (as SO_4) mg/l, Max	42	54	38	10	200	APHA –23rd Edition. P-4-199, 4500 SO_4^{2-} E
17	Taste	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable	Qualitative	Acceptable	APHA,23rd Edition, 2160-C Flavour Rating Assesment
18	Total Alkalinity (c_aco_3),, mg/l, Max	112	138	140	4	200	IS 3025, Part 23: 1986 R 2019 Titration Method
19	Total Arsenic (as As), mg/l,Max	<0.006	<0.006	<0.006	0.006	0.01	IS-3025, part 37:1988,R-2019/APHA23rd Edition AAS-VGA
20	Total Chromium (as Cr), mg/l, Max	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.05	IS-3025 Part 52:2003, R:2019,AAS-Flame APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
21	Total Dissolved Solids, mg/l, Max	204	244	214	25	500	IS 3025, Part 16: 1984 R 2017 Gravimetric method
22	Total Hardness (c_aco_3), mg/l, Max	182	206	198	4	200	IS 3025, Part 21, 2009 R 2019 EDTA Method
23	Turbidity, NTU, Max	2	2	2	1	5	IS 3025, Part 10 : 1984 R 2017 Nephelometric Method
24	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, Max	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	0.1	5	IS 3025 Part 49 : 1994,R : 2019, AAS-Flame
25	Nickel as Ni, mg/l Max	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.02	IS 3025 Pat 54 : 2003,R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA

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Sl. No	Parameter	Sampling Stations			Detection Limit	IS:10500 Drinking Water Standards	Standard / Test Method
		GW-4 01.06.2020	**GW-5 01.06.2020**	**GW-6 01.06.2020**			
1	Boron (as B), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	0.5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Carmine
2	Colour,in Hazen Units	3	1	1	1	5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Pt.-Co. Method
3	Calcium (as Ca), mg/l, Max	36	156	64	1.6	75	IS 3025, Part 40: 1991 R 2019 EDTA Method
4	Chloride (as Cl), mg/l, Max	20	98	36	2	250	IS-3025/32:1988, R-2019 Argentometric
5	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, Max	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.03	0.05	IS 3025 Part 42 : 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA,23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
6	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, Max	0.52	0.72	0.74	0.2	1.0	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
7	Free Residual Chlorine, mg/l, Min	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.2	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 4500-Cl^- B. (Iodometric Method-I)
8	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	1.0	IS 3025 Part 53 : 2003, R : 2019 , AAS-Flame Method
9	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, Max	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.005	0.01	IS:3025(Part 47):1994 (Reaffirmed 2019) APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
10	Manganese (as Mn), mg/l, Max	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	0.02	0.1	APHA, 23rd Edition, 3111B, Direct Air Acetylene Flame AAS-GTA
11	Nitrate (as NO_3), mg/l, Max	12.84	33.08	15.28	0.5	45	APHA, 23rd Edition, P-4-127, 4500 - NO_3^- B , UV-Spectrophotometric Screening Method
12	Odour	Agreeable	Agreeable	Agreeable	Qualitative	Agreeable	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 2150-C
13	pH value	7.96	8.04	7.81	0.2	6.5-8.5	IS 3025, Part 11 : 1983 R 2017 Electrometric method
14	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH), mg/l, Max	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	0.002	APHA, 22nd Edition,4-Amino Autipyrine
15	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	0.007	0.01	IS -3025,part 56:2003,R-2019/APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
16	Sulphate (as SO_4) mg/l, Max	48	127	64	2	200	APHA –23rd Edition. P-4-199, 4500 SO_4^{2-} E
17	Taste	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable	Qualitative	Acceptable	APHA,23rd Edition, 2160-C Flavour Rating Assesment
18	Total Alkalinity (c_aco_3),, mg/l, Max	144	96	112	4	200	IS 3025, Part 23: 1986 R 2019 Titration Method
19	Total Arsenic (as As), mg/l,Max	<0.006	<0.006	<0.006	0.006	0.01	IS-3025, part 37:1988,R-2019/APHA23rd Edition AAS-VGA
20	Total Chromium (as Cr), mg/l, Max	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.05	IS-3025 Part 52:2003, R:2019,AAS-Flame APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
21	Total Dissolved Solids, mg/l, Max	208	764	236	25	500	IS 3025, Part 16: 1984 R 2017 Gravimetric method
22	Total Hardness (c_aco_3), mg/l, Max	182	680	204	4	200	IS 3025, Part 21, 2009 R 2019 EDTA Method
23	Turbidity, NTU, Max	2	3	1	1	5	IS 3025, Part 10 : 1984 R 2017 Nephelometric Method
24	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, Max	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	0.1	5	IS 3025 Part 49 : 1994,R : 2019, AAS-Flame
25	Nickel as Ni, mg/l Max	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.02	IS 3025 Pat 54 : 2003,R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA

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Sl. No	Parameter	Sampling Stations			Detection Limit	IS:10500 Drinking Water Standards	Standard / Test Method
		GW-7 02.06.2020	**GW-8 02.06.2020**	**GW-9 02.06.2020**			
1	Boron (as B), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	0.5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Carmine
2	Colour,in Hazen Units	1	1	1	1	5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Pt.-Co. Method
3	Calcium (as Ca), mg/l, Max	64	52	144	1.6	75	IS 3025, Part 40: 1991 R 2019 EDTA Method
4	Chloride (as Cl), mg/l, Max	36	24	68	2	250	IS-3025/32:1988, R-2019 Argentometric
5	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, Max	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.03	0.05	IS 3025 Part 42 : 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA,23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
6	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, Max	0.46	0.76	0.58	0.2	1.0	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
7	Free Residual Chlorine, mg/l, Min	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.2	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 4500-Cl^- B. (Iodometric Method-I)
8	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	1.0	IS 3025 Part 53 : 2003, R : 2019 , AAS-Flame Method
9	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, Max	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.005	0.01	IS:3025(Part 47):1994 (Reaffirmed 2019) APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
10	Manganese (as Mn), mg/l, Max	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	0.02	0.1	APHA, 23rd Edition, 3111B, Direct Air Acetylene Flame AAS-GTA
11	Nitrate (as NO_3), mg/l, Max	16.28	8.92	28.42	0.5	45	APHA, 23rd Edition, P-4-127, 4500 - NO_3^- B , UV-Spectrophotometric Screening Method
12	Odour	Agreeable	Agreeable	Agreeable	Qualitative	Agreeable	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 2150-C
13	pH value	7.88	8.12	8.15	0.2	6.5-8.5	IS 3025, Part 11 : 1983 R 2017 Electrometric method
14	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH), mg/l, Max	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	0.002	APHA, 22nd Edition,4-Amino Autipyrine
15	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	0.007	0.01	IS -3025,part 56:2003,R-2019/APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
16	Sulphate (as SO_4) mg/l, Max	62	38	174	2	200	APHA –23rd Edition. P-4-199, 4500 SO_4^{2-} E
17	Taste	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable	Qualitative	Acceptable	APHA,23rd Edition, 2160-C Flavour Rating Assesment
18	Total Alkalinity (c_ac_{03}),, mg/l, Max	76	132	96	4	200	IS 3025, Part 23: 1986 R 2019 Titration Method
19	Total Arsenic (as As), mg/l,Max	<0.006	<0.006	<0.006	0.006	0.01	IS-3025, part 37:1988,R-2019/APHA23rd Edition AAS-VGA
20	Total Chromium (as Cr), mg/l, Max	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.05	IS-3025 Part 52:2003, R:2019,AAS-Flame APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
21	Total Dissolved Solids, mg/l, Max	244	196	744	25	500	IS 3025, Part 16: 1984 R 2017 Gravimetric method
22	Total Hardness (c_ac_{03}), mg/l, Max	172	148	636	4	200	IS 3025, Part 21, 2009 R 2019 EDTA Method
23	Turbidity, NTU, Max	1	1	2	1	5	IS 3025, Part 10 : 1984 R 2017 Nephelometric Method
24	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, Max	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	0.1	5	IS 3025 Part 49 : 1994,R : 2019, AAS-Flame
25	Nickel as Ni, mg/l Max	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.02	IS 3025 Pat 54 : 2003,R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA

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Sl. No	Parameter	Sampling Stations			Detection Limit	IS:10500 Drinking Water Standards	Standard / Test Method
		GW-10 02.06.2020	**GW-11 01.06.2020**	**GW-13 01.06.2020**			
1	Boron (as B), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	0.5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Carmine
2	Colour,in Hazen Units	3	3	2	1	5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Pt.-Co. Method
3	Calcium (as Ca), mg/l, Max	52	32	164	1.6	75	IS 3025, Part 40: 1991 R 2019 EDTA Method
4	Chloride (as Cl), mg/l, Max	46	26	104	2	250	IS-3025/32:1988, R-2019 Argentometric
5	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, Max	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.03	0.05	IS 3025 Part 42 : 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA,23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
6	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, Max	0.82	0.56	0.76	0.2	1.0	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
7	Free Residual Chlorine, mg/l, Min	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.2	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 4500-Cl^- B. (Iodometric Method-I)
8	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	1.0	IS 3025 Part 53 : 2003, R : 2019 , AAS-Flame Method
9	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, Max	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.005	0.01	IS:3025(Part 47):1994 (Reaffirmed 2019) APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
10	Manganese (as Mn), mg/l, Max	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	0.02	0.1	APHA, 23rd Edition, 3111B, Direct Air Acetylene Flame AAS-GTA
11	Nitrate (as NO_3), mg/l, Max	18.42	12.48	7.88	0.5	45	APHA, 23rd Edition, P-4-127, 4500 - NO_3^- B , UV-Spectrophotometric Screening Method
12	Odour	Agreeable	Agreeable	Agreeable	Qualitative	Agreeable	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 2150-C
13	pH value	8.21	7.96	8.03	0.2	6.5-8.5	IS 3025, Part 11 : 1983 R 2017 Electrometric method
14	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH), mg/l, Max	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	0.002	APHA, 22nd Edition,4-Amino Autipyrine
15	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	0.007	0.01	IS -3025,part 56:2003,R-2019/APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
16	Sulphate (as SO_4) mg/l, Max	88	44	178	2	200	APHA –23rd Edition. P-4-199, 4500 SO_4^{2-} E
17	Taste	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable	Qualitative	Acceptable	APHA,23rd Edition, 2160-C Flavour Rating Assesment
18	Total Alkalinity (c_aco_3),, mg/l, Max	98	152	88	4	200	IS 3025, Part 23: 1986 R 2019 Titration Method
19	Total Arsenic (as As), mg/l,Max	<0.006	<0.006	<0.006	0.006	0.01	IS-3025, part 37:1988,R-2019/APHA23rd Edition AAS-VGA
20	Total Chromium (as Cr), mg/l, Max	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.05	IS-3025 Part 52:2003, R:2019,AAS-Flame APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
21	Total Dissolved Solids, mg/l, Max	248	178	756	25	500	IS 3025, Part 16: 1984 R 2017 Gravimetric method
22	Total Hardness (c_aco_3), mg/l, Max	192	164	680	4	200	IS 3025, Part 21, 2009 R 2019 EDTA Method
23	Turbidity, NTU, Max	2	1	2	1	5	IS 3025, Part 10 : 1984 R 2017 Nephelometric Method
24	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, Max	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	0.1	5	IS 3025 Part 49 : 1994,R : 2019, AAS-Flame
25	Nickel as Ni, mg/l Max	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.02	IS 3025 Pat 54 : 2003,R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA

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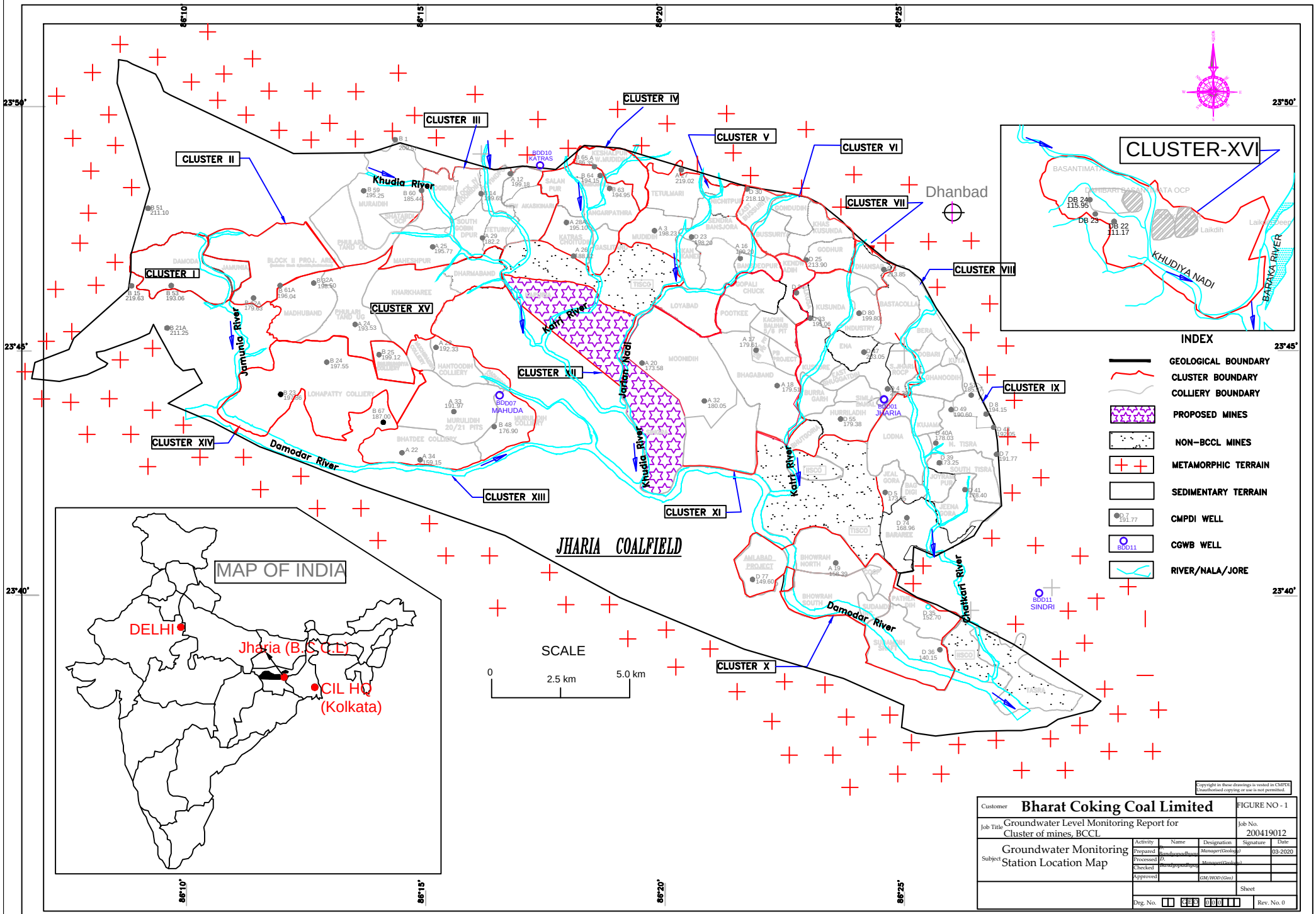
Sl. No	Parameter	Sampling Stations			Detection Limit	IS:10500 Drinking Water Standards	Standard / Test Method
		GW 14 01.06.2020	**GW15 01.06.2020**	**GW16 02.06.2020**			
1	Boron (as B), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	0.5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Carmine
2	Colour,in Hazen Units	1	1	3	1	5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Pt.-Co. Method
3	Calcium (as Ca), mg/l, Max	44	180	122	1.6	75	IS 3025, Part 40: 1991 R 2019 EDTA Method
4	Chloride (as Cl), mg/l, Max	56	104	66	2	250	IS-3025/32:1988, R-2019 Argentometric
5	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, Max	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.03	0.05	IS 3025 Part 42 : 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA,23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
6	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, Max	0.52	0.44	0.66	0.2	1.0	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
7	Free Residual Chlorine, mg/l, Min	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.2	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 4500-Cl^- B. (Iodometric Method-I)
8	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	1.0	IS 3025 Part 53 : 2003, R : 2019 , AAS-Flame Method
9	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, Max	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.005	0.01	IS:3025(Part 47):1994 (Reaffirmed 2019) APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
10	Manganese (as Mn), mg/l, Max	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	0.02	0.1	APHA, 23rd Edition, 3111B, Direct Air Acetylene Flame AAS-GTA
11	Nitrate (as NO_3), mg/l, Max	11.48	7.58	14.76	0.5	45	APHA, 23rd Edition, P-4-127, 4500 - NO_3^- B , UV-Spectrophotometric Screening Method
12	Odour	Agreeable	Agreeable	Agreeable	Qualitative	Agreeable	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 2150-C
13	pH value	8.08	7.83	7.89	0.2	6.5-8.5	IS 3025, Part 11 : 1983 R 2017 Electrometric method
14	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH), mg/l, Max	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	0.002	APHA, 22nd Edition,4-Amino Autipyrine
15	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	0.007	0.01	IS -3025,part 56:2003,R-2019/APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
16	Sulphate (as SO_4) mg/l, Max	40	152	128	2	200	APHA –23rd Edition. P-4-199, 4500 SO_4^{2-} E
17	Taste	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable	Qualitative	Acceptable	APHA,23rd Edition, 2160-C Flavour Rating Assesment
18	Total Alkalinity (c_aco_3),, mg/l, Max	110	98	116	4	200	IS 3025, Part 23: 1986 R 2019 Titration Method
19	Total Arsenic (as As), mg/l,Max	<0.006	<0.006	<0.006	0.006	0.01	IS-3025, part 37:1988,R-2019/APHA23rd Edition AAS-VGA
20	Total Chromium (as Cr), mg/l, Max	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	0.04	0.05	IS-3025 Part 52:2003, R:2019,AAS-Flame APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
21	Total Dissolved Solids, mg/l, Max	204	756	512	25	500	IS 3025, Part 16: 1984 R 2017 Gravimetric method
22	Total Hardness (c_aco_3), mg/l, Max	194	666	472	4	200	IS 3025, Part 21, 2009 R 2019 EDTA Method
23	Turbidity, NTU, Max	1	1	1	1	5	IS 3025, Part 10 : 1984 R 2017 Nephelometric Method
24	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, Max	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	0.1	5	IS 3025 Part 49 : 1994,R : 2019, AAS-Flame
25	Nickel as Ni, mg/l Max	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.02	IS 3025 Pat 54 : 2003,R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA

Abbreviations

AMSL: Above mean sea level
Avg.: Average
APT: Aquifer Pumping Test
BCCL: Bharat Coking Coal Ltd.
bgl: Below Ground Level
Buffer zone: periphery of the 10 km radius from the project boundary
Core zone: Project / mine / colliery boundary (leasehold area)
CMPDI: Central Mine Plan & Design Institute
DVC: Damodar Valley Corporation
DTW: Depth to water level
GW: Groundwater
IMD: Indian Meteorological Division
JCF: Jharia Coalfield
RCF: Raniganj Coalfield
MADA: Mineral Area Development Authority
MCM: Million Cubic Meter
MGD: Million Gallon per day
NTU: Nephlometric Turbidity unit
OC / UG: Opencast / Underground
OCP / UGP: Opencast Project / Underground Project
RL: Reduced Level
RWH: Rainwater Harvesting
FF: Fire Fighting

GROUNDWATER MONITORING STATION LOCATION MAP



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Subject	Groundwater Monitoring Station Location Map		

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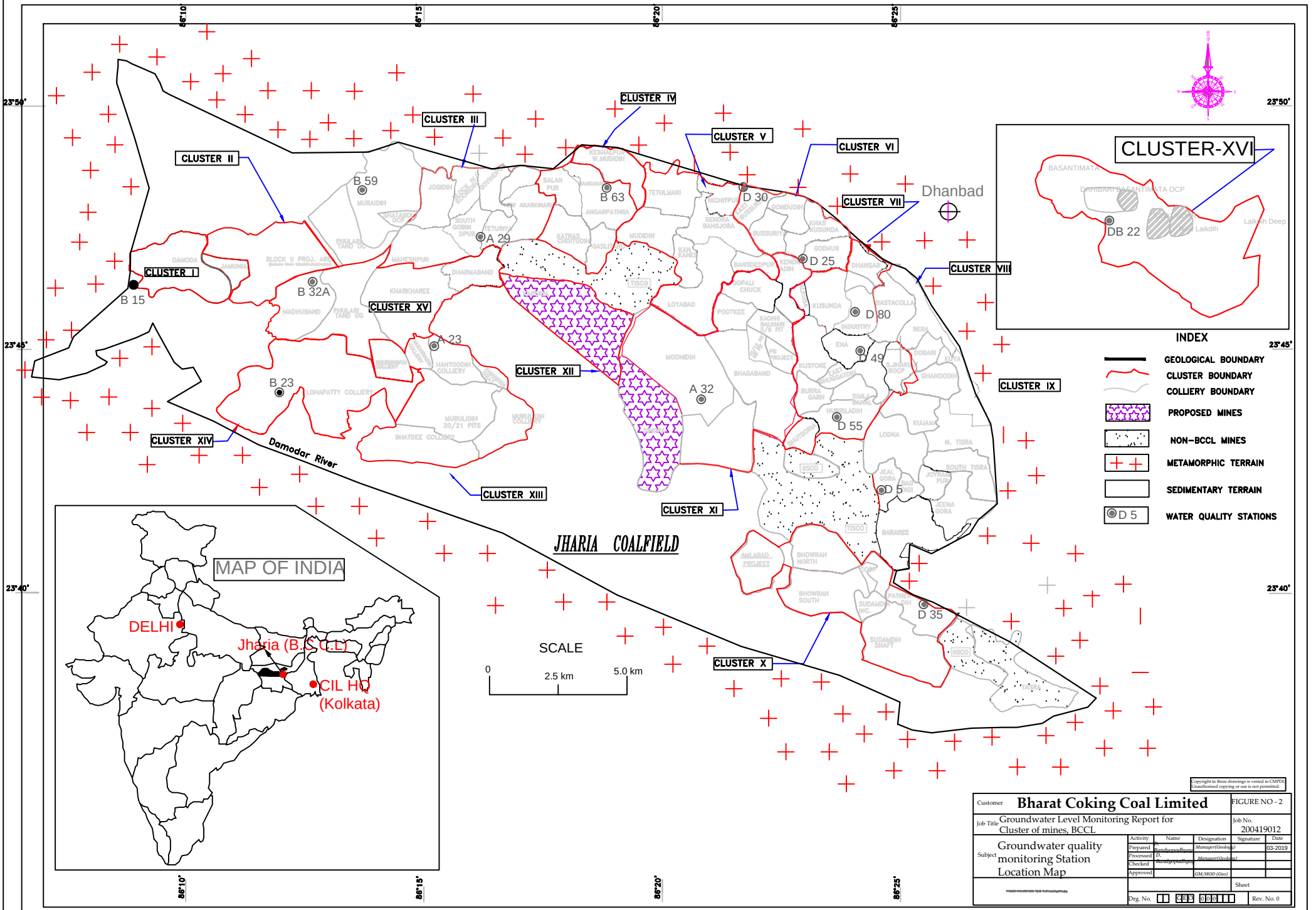
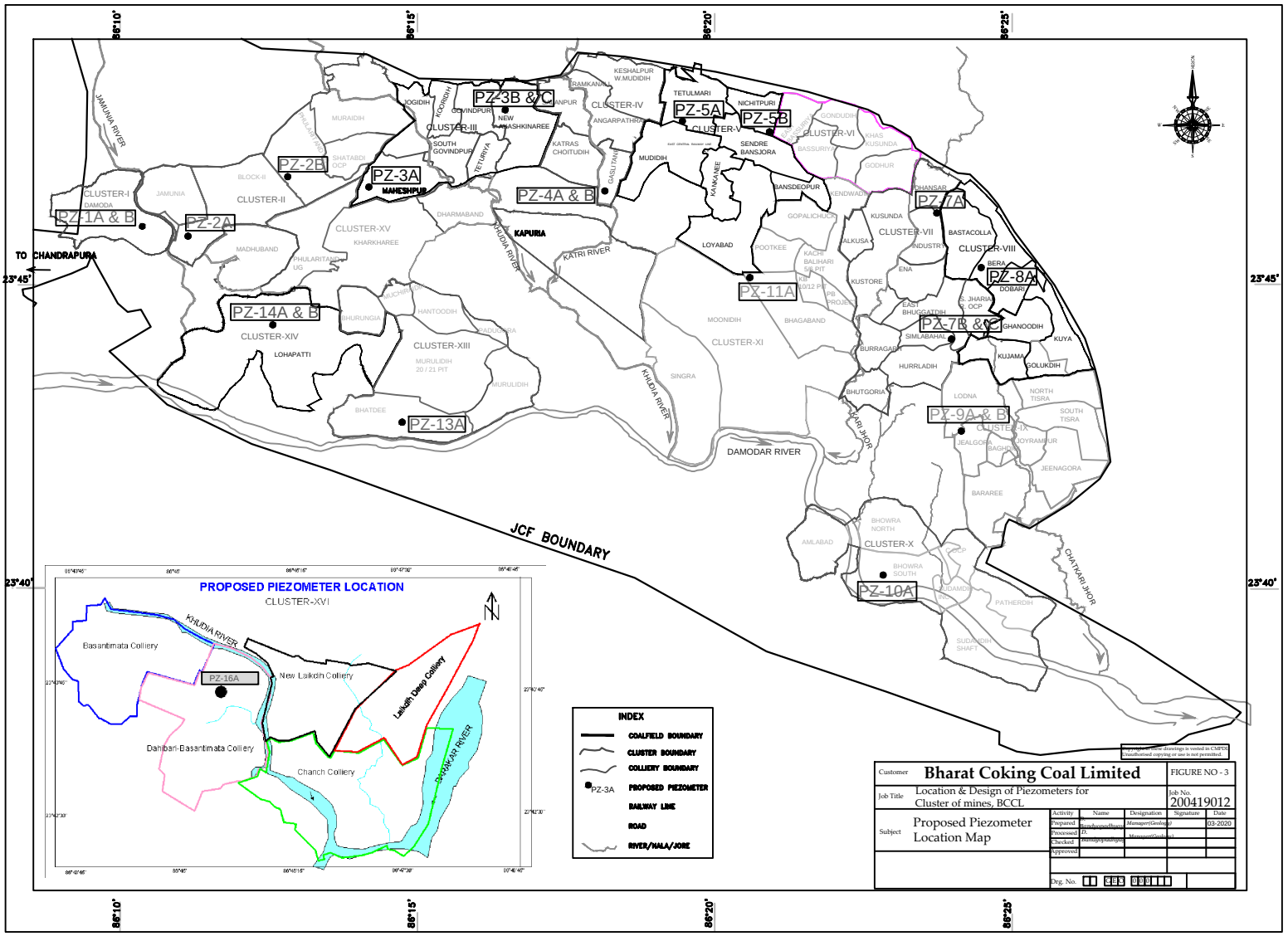


PROPOSED PIEZOMETER LOCATION MAP, JCF & RCF (part)



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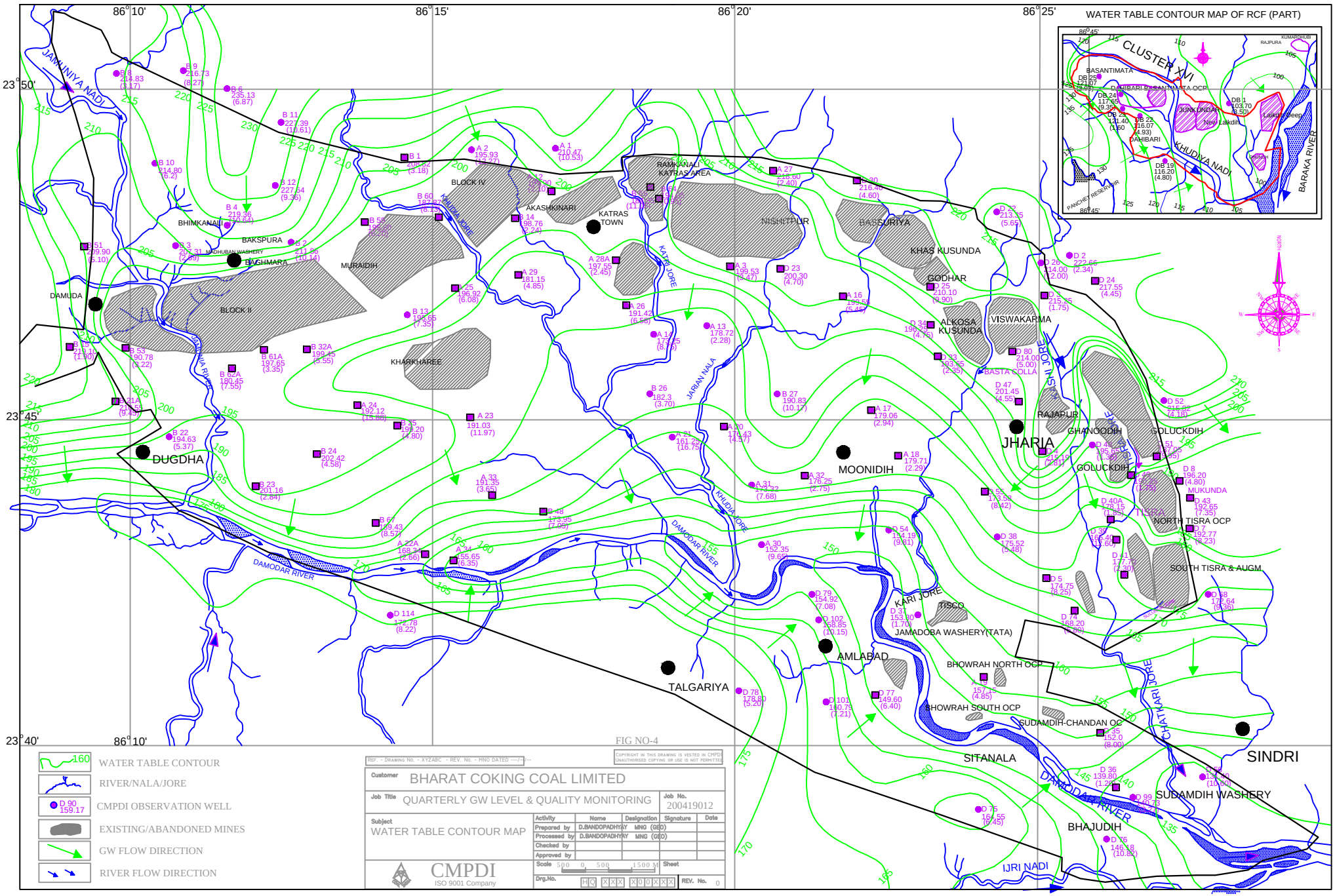
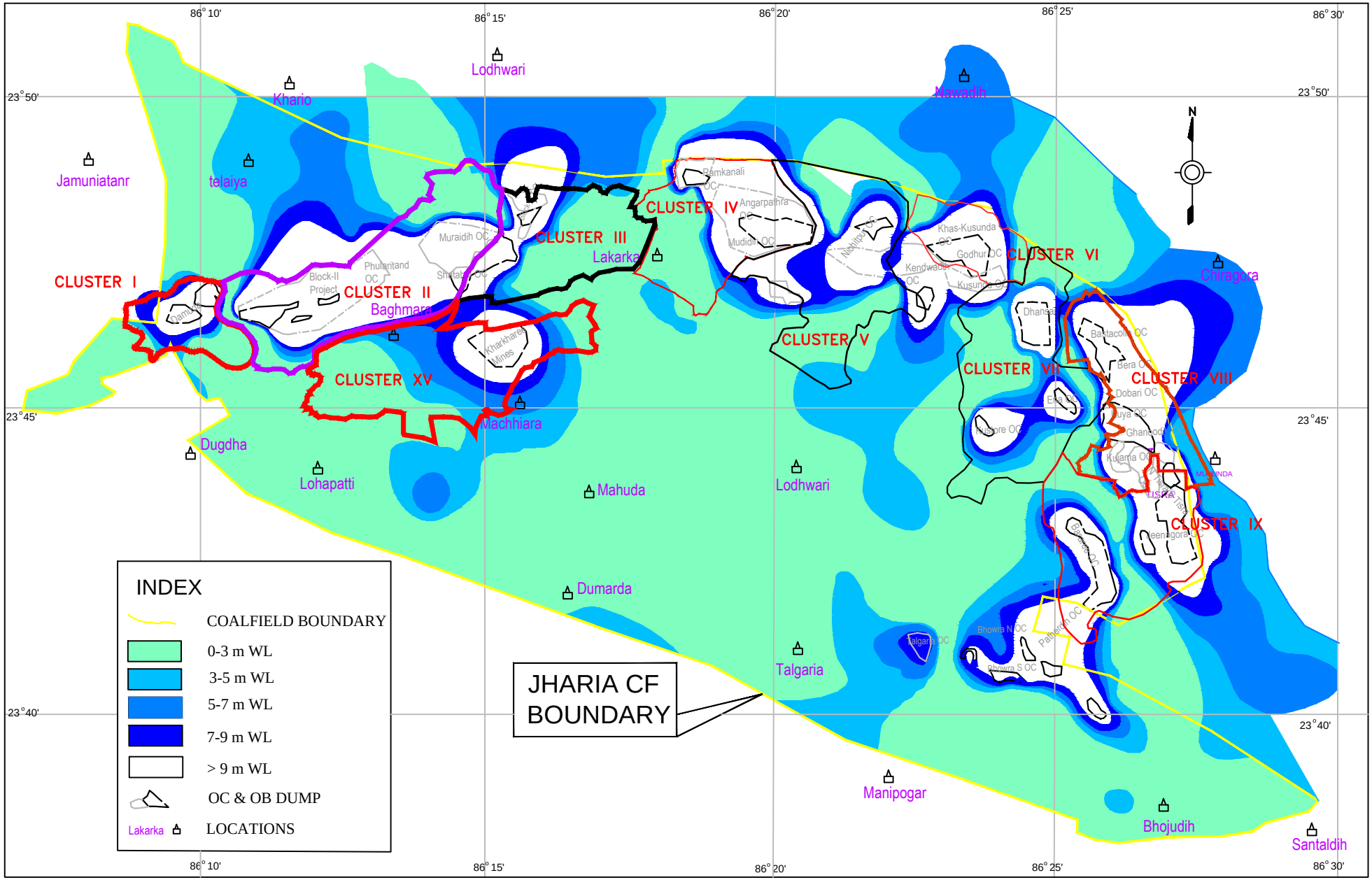


DEPTH TO WATER LEVEL MAP OF JHARIA COALFIELD



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Subject: DEPTH TO WATER LEVEL MAP

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Annexure-XI

Details of CSR expenditure made at M/s BCCL level:

FY	CSR expenditure (Amount in Cr.)
2020-21	6.21
2019-20	6.46
2018-19	1.43
2017-18	2.74

CSR activities have not been dealt at cluster level. However, expenditure was allotted and made at corporate level, i.e. M/s BCCL level and cluster III is contributor for the same.

Annexure-XII

Water Supply to nearby villagers

Treated mine water is being supplied through water pipelines and water tankers to the nearby villagers, from the different collieries of Govindpur Area under Cluster III.

There is a central water treatment plant at Sinidih with a capacity 1.3MLD. Apart from this collieries have their own water treatment plants as well to supply the water to nearby 29 villages. Details of villages, where water is being supplied and corresponding nos. of beneficiaries (Family) are given below:

Sl. No.	Colliery name	Name of beneficiary villages	No. of Beneficiaries (Family)
1.	New Akashkinaree Colliery	Behrakudar, Bahiyardih, Jogidih Basti, Bhatmorna, Maheshpur Basti, Kharkharee Basti, Deoghara, Premnagar, Sinidih village, Mathadih basti, Dharmabandh basti, chanchani colony, majhlitand, khash Tundoo, Narayan Dhowrah, Madhuban thana, Tundoo village, Jogidih village, chitahi basti, barmasiya etc.	Approx. 1,03,000
2.	Block-IV/Kooridih Colliery		
3.	Maheshpur Colliery		
4.	Jogidih Colliery		
5.	Teturiya Colliery		

In addition to this Cluster-III (Govindpur Area), BCCL is paying to **MADA** as well for the supply of water to localities in Govindpur Area. The details of payment made are given as below:

Financial Year	Amount paid (Rs.)
2013-14	84,00,275
2014-15	76,77,525
2015-16	39,35,600
2016-17	36,14,075
2017-18	29,03,400
2018-19	38,71,200
2019-20	70,88,190
2020-21	10,45,220 (Up to 30.06.2020)

Annexure-XIII

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1.0 Introduction

The purpose of environmental monitoring is to assess the quality of various attributes that affects the environment around us. In accordance with the quality of these attributes appropriate strategy is to be developed to control the pollution level within the permissible limits. One of these major attributes is water.

Bharat Coking Coal Limited (BCCL), a Subsidiary company of Coal India Limited is operating Underground and Opencast Mines in Jharia Coalfield (JCF) is a part of Gondwana Coalfields located in Dhanbad district of Jharkhand, the JCF is bounded by $23^0$37' N to $23^0$52' N latitudes and $86^0$09' E to $86^0$30' E longitude occupying an area of 450 Sq.km. BCCL has awarded Environmental monitoring work of Jharia Coalfield (JCF) to Central Mine Planning & Design Institute Limited (CMPDIL). The environmental monitoring has been carried out as per the conditions laid down by the MoEF&CC while granting environmental clearance of project, consent letter issued by the respective SPCB, and other statutory requirements.

2.0 Sampling location and rationale

2.1 Water sampling stations

The Water sampling stations were selected for mine sump water, drinking water supply, well/ Hand pump water also surface water samples.

2.2 Ambient air sampling locations

The ambient air quality monitoring stations were selected to represent core, buffer zone area. The rationale has been based on the guidelines stipulated by MoEF&CC, consent letter of SPCB, as well as other statutory requirements.

3.0 Methodology of sampling and analysis

3.1 Water quality

Water samples were collected as per standard practice. Effluent samples were analyzed for 25 parameters on quarterly basis and for 27 parameters on half yearly basis. The drinking and Surface water samples were collected and analyzed for 25 and 17 parameters respectively, on quarterly basis. Thereafter the samples were preserved and analysed at the Environmental Laboratory at CMPDI RI-II, Dhanbad.

3.2 Heavy Metal in Ambient Air

Parameters chosen for assessment of Heavy metal in Ambient Air Quality were cadmium (Cd), Mercury (Hg), Arsenic (As), Chromium (Cr), Nickel (Ni), and Lead (Pb). Respirable Dust Samplers (RDS) & fine particulates for PM 2.5 sampler were

used for sampling PM 10 & PM 2.5 respectively. These heavy metals are analyzed regularly on half yearly basis. The samples were analyzed in Environmental Laboratory of CMPDI, RI-II, Dhanbad

4.0 Results and interpretations

4.1 Water quality

The test results indicate that the major parameters compared with MoEF&CC Gazette Notification No. GSR 742(E) dt 25.09.2000 Standards for Coal Mines, IS.10500/2012 (Drinking water) and IS: 2296 (Surface water), are with in permissible limits.

4.2 Heavy Metal in Ambient Air

The results of Heavy metal in Ambient Air Quality are presented in tabular form for each monitoring station. The concentration of heavy metals in ambient air is well within the permissible limit.

CHAPTER - I

INTRODUCTION

1.0 Any industry and development activities including coal mining is bound to affect environmental attributes. There are positive as well as negative impacts of such operations. For controlling the adverse impacts a regular monitoring is essential. The environmental monitoring is being done as per the guide-lines stipulated by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Govt. of India.

Bharat Coking Coal Limited (BCCL), a subsidiary company of Coal India Limited (CIL) is operating UG Mines and Opencast Mines in Jharia Coalfield (JCF). The Jharia Coalfield (JCF) having an area of 450 Sq.KM.

Bharat Coking Coal has awarded Environmental Monitoring work of all Projects, Cluster wise, to Central Mine Planning & Design Institute Limited (CMPDIL). The environmental monitoring has been carried out as per conditions laid down by MoEF&CC while granting environmental clearance to different projects. CMPDI has trained manpower and well equipped laboratory to carry out monitoring, analysis and R&D work in the field of environment.

1.1 The CLUSTER III is in the westernmost part of the Jharia coalfield. It includes Jogidih Colliery, Maheshpur Colliery, South Govindpur Colliery, Teturiya Colliery, Govindpur Colliery, New Akashkinaree Mine and Block IV Kooridih Mixed Mine. The cluster – III is situated about 40 - 45 kms from Dhanbad Railway Station. The mines of this cluster - III are operating since pre nationalization period (prior to 1972-73). It is connected by both Railway and Road. The drainage of the area is governed by Khudia and Bagdighi Nala.

1.2 The Project has Environmental Clearance from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) for a rated capacity of 2.769 MTPA (normative) and 3.6 MTPA peak capacity of coal production vide letter no **E. C. no. J-11015/213/2010-IA.II (M) dated 06.02.2013.**

In compliance of these conditions the Environmental Monitoring has been carried out & report prepared for submission to MoEF&CC & JSPCB and other statutory authorities.

CHAPTER – II

AMBIENT AIR QUALITY MONITORING

2.1 Location of sampling station and their rationale:

(As per G.S.R. 742 (E) dt. 25th December, 2000)

2.2 Ambient Air Quality Sampling Locations

CORE ZONE Monitoring Location

i) Block IV Kooridih OCP (A6): Industrial Area

The location of the sampling station is at 23°47'54.00"N & 86°16'20.00"E.

BUFFER ZONE Monitoring Location

i) Muraidih OCP (A5) : Industrial Area

The sampler was placed at a height of 1.5 m from the ground level at Muraidih project office.

ii) Govindpur Village (A7) : Industrial area

The location of the sampling station is 23°48'34.00"N & 86°18'22.00"E.

iii)Kharkharee(A21): **Industrial Area**

The location of the sampling station is 23°46'29.00"N & 86°14'37.08"E.

2.3 Results and interpretations

The results of Heavy metal in Ambient Air Quality are presented in tabular form for each monitoring station. The concentration of heavy metals in ambient air is well within the permissible limit.

AMBIENT AIR QUALITY DATA

Name of the Company: **Bharat Coking Coal Limited** Year : **2020-21.**
Name of the Cluster : **Cluster -III** PERIOD: **Q. E. DECEMBER- 2020.**

Heavy Metal Analysis report of Ambient Air Quality

SAMPLE	Cadmium(Cd) (µg/m3)	Mercury(Hg) (µg/m3)	Arsenic(As) (ng/m3)	Chromium(Cr) (µg/m3)	Nickel (Ni) (ng/m3)	Lead (Pb) (µg/m3)
Muraidih OCP (A5)	<0.001	<0.001	<0.005	<0.01	0.96	<0.005
Block IV Kooridih OCP (A6)	<0.001	<0.001	<0.005	<0.01	0.17	0.005
Govindpur Village (A7)	<0.001	<0.001	<0.005	<0.01	<0.1	0.009
Kharkharee(A21)	<0.001	<0.001	<0.005	<0.01	<0.1	<0.005

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CHAPTER – II

WATER QUALITY MONITORING

3.1 Location of sampling sites

(Refer **Plate No. - I**)

i) Drinking water quality at **Jogidih Village (DW3)**

ii) Surface water quality at **U/S of Khudia Nala (SW4)**

iii) Surface water quality at **D/S of Khudia Nala (SW5)**

iv) Surface water quality at **U/S of Bagdighi Nala (SW6)**

v) Surface water quality at **D/S of Bagdighi Nala (SW7)**

vi) Mine Effluent quality at **Jogidih (MW3)**

3.2 Methodology of sampling and analysis

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3.3 Results & Interpretations

The results are given in tabular form along with the applicable standards. Results are compared with Schedule - VI, effluent prescribed by MoEF&CC. Results show that most of the parameters are within the permissible limits.

WATER QUALITY

(SURFACE WATER- ALL PARAMETERS)

Name of the Company: **Bharat Coking Coal Limited** Year : **2020-21**

Name of the Cluster : **Cluster - III** Month: **Q. E. DEC, 2020**

Stations: **Date of Sampling:**

1. Upstream in Khudia nala SW-4 (wrt Cluster-3) 28/12/2020
2. Down stream in Khudia nala SW-5 28/12/2020
3. Upstream in Bagdigi Nala SW-6 28/12/2020
4. Down stream in Bagdigi Nala SW-7 28/12/2020

Sl. No	Parameter	Sampling Stations				IS: 2296	Detection Limit	BIS Standard & Method
		SW-04 28.12.2020	SW-05 28.12.2020	SW-06 28.12.2020	SW-07 28.12.2020			
1	Arsenic (as As), mg/l, Max	<0.006	<0.006	<0.006	<0.006	0.2	0.006	IS-3025,part 37:1988, R-2019/ APHA 23rd Edition AAS-VGA
2	BOD (3 days 27°C), mg/l, Max	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	3.00	2.00	IS 3025 (Part 44) : 1993 Reaffirmed 2019 , 3 day incubation at 27°C
3	Colour	Colourless	Colourless	Colourless	Colourless	300	Qualitative	Physical/Qualitative
4	Chlorides (as Cl), mg/l, Max	34	64	76	72	600	2.00	IS-3025/32:1988, R-2019 Argentometric
5	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	1.5	0.2	IS 3025/42 : 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame
6	Dissolved Oxygen, min.	7.2	7.2	7.0	7.1	4	0.10	IS 3025 (Part 38) : 1989, Reaffirmed 2019 Modified Winkler Azide Method
7	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, Max	0.67	0.76	0.64	0.72	1.5	0.02	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
8	Hexavalent Chromium, mg/l, Max	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.012	0.05	0.01	IS 3025 (Part 52) : 2003,Reaffirmed 2019
9	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, Max	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	50	0.2	IS 3025 /53 : 2003,R : 2019 , AAS-Flame Method
10	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, Max	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.1	0.005	APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
11	Nitrate (as NO_3), mg/l, Max	8.38	4.16	15.05	1.66	50	0.50	APHA, 23rd Edition, P-4-127, 4500 - NO_3^- B , UV-Spectrophotometric Screening Method
12	pH value	8.03	7.64	7.70	7.82	6.5-8.5	2.5	IS 3025, Part 11 : 1983 R 2017 Electrometric method
13	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH), mg/l, Max	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	0.005	0.002	APHA, 22nd Edition 4-Amino Antipyrine
14	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	0.05	0.007	IS-3025,part 56:2003, R-2019/ APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
15	Sulphate (as SO_4) mg/l, Max	48	117	38	49	400	2.00	APHA –23rd Edition. P-4-199, 4500 SO_4^{2-} E
16	Total Dissolved Solids, mg/l, Max	259	402	360	384	1500	25.00	IS 3025, Part 16: 1984 R 2017 Gravimetric method
17	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, Max	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	15	0.1	IS 3025/ 49 : 1994, R : 2019, AAS-Flame

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WATER QUALITY

(DRINKING WATER- ALL PARAMETERS)

Name of the Company: **Bharat Coking Coal Limited** Year : **2020-21.**

Name of the Cluster : **Cluster - III** Month: **Q. E. DEC, 2020**

Stations: Jogidih village DW 3 **Year: 2020-21** **Date of sampling: 30.11.20**

Sl. No	Parameter	Sampling Stations			Detection Limit	IS:10500	Standard / Test Method
		DW-03					
1	Boron (as B), mg/l, Max	<0.2			0.2	0.5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Carmine
2	Colour,in Hazen Units	1			1	5	APHA, 23rd Edition ,Pt.-Co. Method
3	Calcium (as Ca), mg/l, Max	159			1.6	75	IS 3025, Part 40: 1991 R 2019 EDTA Method
4	Chloride (as Cl), mg/l, Max	59			2	250	IS-3025/32:1988, R-2019 Argentometric
5	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, Max	<0.03			0.03	0.05	IS 3025 Part 42 : 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA,23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
6	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, Max	0.55			0.2	1.0	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
7	Free Residual Chlorine, mg/l, Min	<0.04			0.04	0.2	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 4500-Cl^- B. (Iodometric Method-I)
8	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, Max	0.20			0.2	1.0	IS 3025 Part 53 : 2003, R : 2019 , AAS-Flame Method
9	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, Max	<0.005			0.005	0.01	IS:3025(Part 47):1994 (Reaffirmed 2019) APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
10	Manganese (as Mn), mg/l, Max	<0.02			0.02	0.1	APHA, 23rd Edition, 3111B, Direct Air Acetylene Flame AAS-Flame
11	Nitrate (as NO_3), mg/l, Max	2.26			0.5	45	APHA, 23rd Edition, P-4-127, 4500 - NO_3^- B , UV-Spectrophotometric Screening Method
12	Odour	Agreeable			Qualitative	Agreeable	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 2150-C
13	pH value	7.52			0.2	6.5-8.5	IS 3025, Part 11 : 1983 R 2017 Electrometric method
14	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH), mg/l, Max	<0.001			0.001	0.002	APHA, 22nd Edition,4-Amino Autipyrine
15	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007			0.007	0.01	IS -3025,part 56:2003,R-2019/APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
16	Sulphate (as SO_4) mg/l, Max	281			10	200	APHA –23rd Edition. P-4-199, 4500 SO_4^{2-} E
17	Taste	Acceptable			Qualitative	Acceptable	APHA,23rd Edition, 2160-C Flavour Rating Assesment
18	Total Alkalinity (c_aco_3),, mg/l, Max	160			4	200	IS 3025, Part 23: 1986 R 2019 Titration Method
19	Total Arsenic (as As), mg/l,Max	<0.006			0.006	0.01	IS-3025, part 37:1988,R-2019/APHA23rd Edition AAS-VGA
20	Total Chromium (as Cr), mg/l, Max	<0.04			0.04	0.05	IS-3025 Part 52:2003, R:2019,AAS-Flame APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
21	Total Dissolved Solids, mg/l, Max	854			25	500	IS 3025, Part 16: 1984 R 2017 Gravimetric method
22	Total Hardness (c_aco_3), mg/l, Max	613			4	200	IS 3025, Part 21, 2009 R 2019 EDTA Method
23	Turbidity, NTU, Max	3			1	5	IS 3025, Part 10 : 1984 R 2017 Nephelometric Method
24	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, Max	0.13			0.1	5	IS 3025 Part 49 : 1994,R : 2019, AAS-Flame
25	Nickel as Ni, mg/l Max	<0.01			0.01	0.02	IS 3025 Pat 54 : 2003,R : 2019, AAS-Flame APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA

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WATER QUALITY

(MINE EFFLUENT- 27 PARAMETERS)

Name of the Company: **Bharat Coking Coal Limited** Year : **2020-21.**

Name of the Cluster : **Cluster - III** Month: **Q. E. DEC, 2020**

Date of sampling: 14.12.2020

Sl.No.	Parameter	Results MW-03	Detection Limit	MOEF -SCH-VI STANDARDS Class 'A'	BIS Standard & Method
1	Ammonical Nitrogen, mg/l, Max	<0.02	0.02	50.0	IS 3025/34:1988, R : 2009, Nessler's
2	Arsenic (as As), mg/l, *Max*	<0.006	0.006	0.2	IS 3025, part 37:1988, R-2019/ APHA 23rd Edition AAS-VGA
3	B.O.D (3 days 27°C), mg/l, Max	<2.0	2.00	30.0	IS 3025 /44:1993,R:2003 3 day incubation at 27°C
4	Colour	Colourless	Qualitative	Qualitative	Physical/Qualitative
5	COD, mg/l, Max	24	4.00	250.0	APHA 23rd Edition 5220 C Titrimetric Method
6	Copper (as Cu), mg/l, *Max*	<0.2	0.2	3.0	IS 3025(Part42): 1992 R : 2019, AAS-Flame
7	Dissolved Phosphate (as P), mg/l, Max	<0.3	0.30	5.0	IS 3025/ 31, 1988 R 2019
8	Fluoride (as F) mg/l, *Max*	0.71	0.2	2.0	APHA, 23RD Edition, Page 4-90 to , 4500 –F- D (SPADNS Method)
9	Free Ammonia, mg/l, Max	<0.01	0.01	5.0	IS:3025/34:1988, Nesseler's
10	Hexavalent Chromium, mg/l, Max	<0.01	0.01	0.1	IS 3025 (Part 52) : 2003,Reaffirmed 2019
11	Iron (as Fe), mg/l, *Max*	<0.2	0.2	3.0	IS 3025 (Part 53) : 2003, R : 2019 , AAS-Flame
12	Lead (as Pb), mg/l, *Max*	<0.005	0.005	0.1	APHA, 23rd Edition, AAS-GTA
13	Manganese(as Mn), mg/l, Max	<0.2	0.2	2.0	IS-3025(Part 59):2006, R 2017 AAS-Flame /APHA, 23rd Edition, 3111B, AAS-Flame
14	Nickel (as Ni), mg/l, *Max*	<0.1	0.1	3.0	IS-3025(Part 54):2003, R:2019 AAS-Flame
15	Nitrate Nitrogen, mg/l, *Max*	9.85	0.50	10.0	APHA, 23 rd Edition,UV-Spectrphotometric
16	Oil & Grease, mg/l, Max	<2.0	2.00	10.0	IS 3025/39:1991, R : 2019, Partition Gravimetric
17	pH value	8.14	2.5	5.5 to 9.0	IS-3025/11:1983, R-2017, Electrometric
18	Phenolic compounds (as C_6H_5OH),mg/l, *Max*	<0.002	0.002	1.0	APHA, 23rd Edition 4-Amino Antipyrine
19	Selenium, mg/l, Max	<0.007	0.007	0.05	IS 3025, part 56:2003, R-2019/APHA 23rd Edition, AAS-VGA
20	Sulphide (as S^{2-}) mg/l Max.	<0.005	0.005	2.0	APHA 23rd Edition Methylene Blue Method
21	Temperature (°C)	19.2	Shall not exceed 5^0 C above the receiving temp.		IS-3025/09:1984, Thermometeric
22	Total Chromium (as Cr), mg/l, *Max*	<0.1	0.1	2.0	IS-3025(Part 52):2003, R:2019 AAS-Flame
23	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen, mg/l, Max	<1.00	1.00	100.0	IS:3025/34:1988, Nesseler's
24	Total Residual Chlorine, mg/l, Max	<0.04	0.04	1.0	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 4500-Cl B. (Iodometric Method-I)
25	Total Suspended Solids, mg/l, Max	32	10.00	100.0	IS 3025/17:1984, R :2017, Gravimetric
26	Zinc (as Zn), mg/l, *Max*	<0.1	0.1	5.0	IS 3025 /49 : 1994, R : 2019, AAS-Flame
27	Odour	Agreeable	Agreeable	Qualitative	APHA, 23rd Edition, , 2150-C

All values are expressed in mg/lit unless specified.

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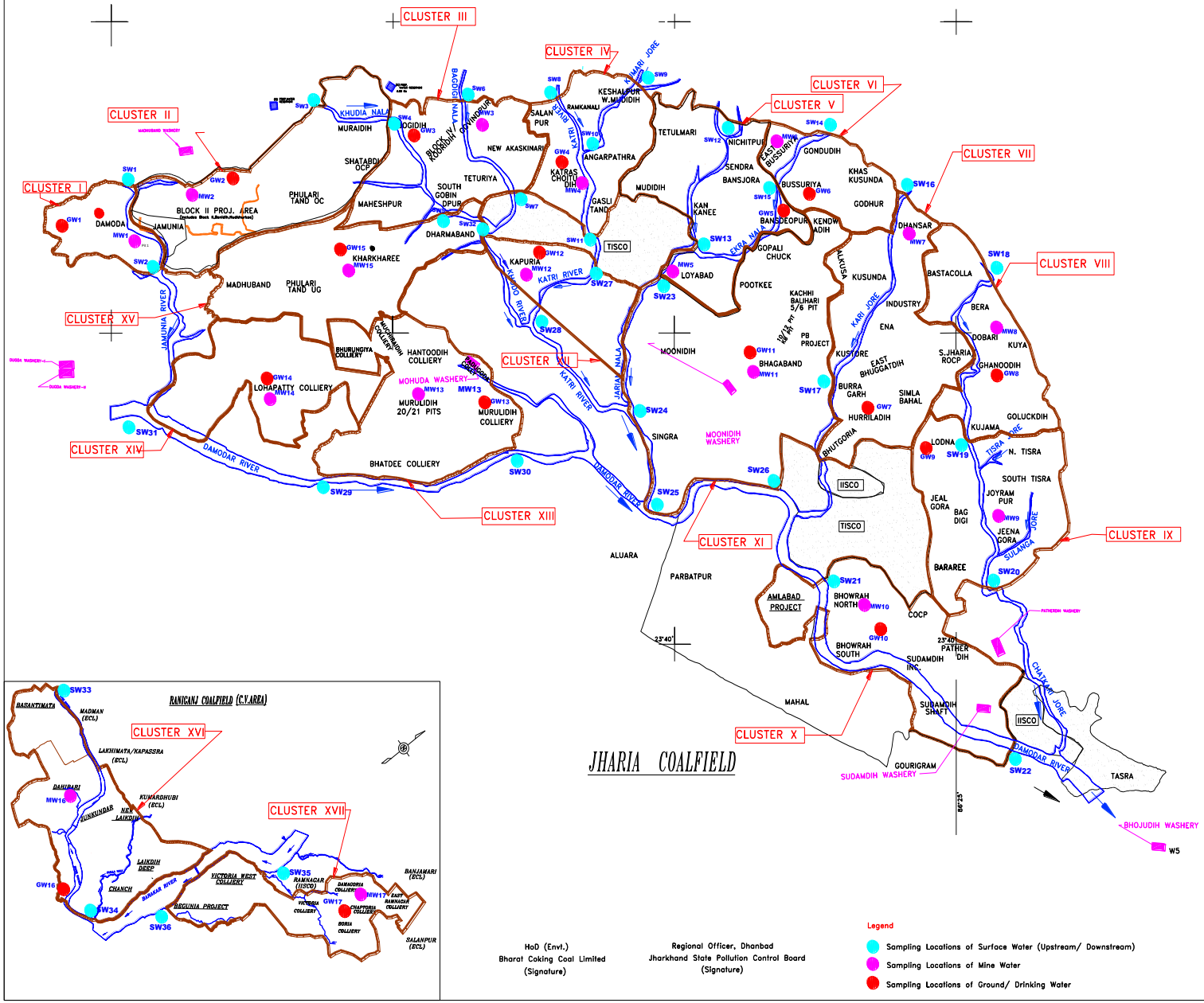
Water Sampling Locations in BCCL



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Cluster	Suface Water (U/S, D/S)	Name of River/ Nala / Jore	Mine/ Effluent Water	Sampling Location	Ground Water	Sampling Location
I	SW1, SW2	Jamunia River	MW1	Damoda Area	GW1	Ghutway Village
II	SW3, SW4	Khudia Nala	MW2	Block II OCP	GW2	Joyrampur Village
III	SW4, SW5, SW6, SW7	Khudia Nala, Bagdigi Nala	MW3	Govindpur Colliery	GW3	Jogidih Village
IV	SW8, SW11, SW9, SW10	Katri River, Kumari Jore	MW4	Chotudih	GW4	Kankanee Village
V	SW12, SW13, SW15	Jarian Nala, Ekra Nala	MW5	Mudidih	GW5	Nichitpur
VI	SW14, SW15	Ekra Nala	MW6	East Bassuria UGP	GW6	Bansjora Borewell
VII	SW16, SW17	Kari Jore	MW7	Dhansar UGP	GW7	Hurriladih
VIII	SW18, SW19	Kashi Jore	MW8	Dobari UGP	GW8	Ghanudih
IX	SW19, SW20	Kashi Jore	MW9	Jeenagora	GW9	Lodna
X	SW21, SW22	Damodar River	MW10	Bhowrah North	GW10	Bhowrah South
XI	SW23, SW24, SW25, SW26	Jarian Nala, Damodar River	MW11	Bhagaband h UGP	GW11	Bhagabandh
XII	SW27, SW28	Katri River	MW12	Kapuria	GW12	Kapuria
XIII	SW29, SW30	Damodar River	MW13	Murulidih (20/21)	GW13	Murilidih
XIV	SW31, SW29	Damodar River	MW14	Lohapatti	GW14	Lohapatti
XV	SW5, SW32	Khudia Nala	MW15	Kharkharee UGP	GW15	Kharkharee
XVI	SW33, SW34	Khudia River	MW16	Dahibari OCP	GW16	Patlabari Village
XVII	SW35, SW36	Barakar River	MW17	Damagoria Colliery	GW17	Chaptoria

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Legend

- Sampling Locations of Surface Water (Upstream/ Downstream)
- Sampling Locations of Mine Water
- Sampling Locations of Ground/ Drinking Water

Customer: BHARAT COKING COAL LIMITED
Title: WATER SAMPLING LOCATIONS
Subject: MONITORING STATIONS
CMPDI (ISO 9001 Company)
Scale: Not to Scale

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(FOR THE MONTH JANUARY, 2021)

E. C. no. J-11015/213/2010-IA.II (M) dated 06.02.2013.

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2.2 Water sampling stations

The Water sampling stations were selected for mine sump water.

2.3 Noise level monitoring locations

Noise levels vary depending on the various activities in mining areas. The monitoring of noise level in different locations will be helpful to take appropriate mitigating measures. The rationale has been based on the guidelines stipulated by MoEF&CC, consent letter of SPCB, as well as other statutory requirements.

3.0 Methodology of sampling and analysis

3.1 Ambient air quality

Parameters chosen for assessment of ambient air quality were Particulate Matter (PM_{10}), Fine Particulate Matter ($PM_{2.5}$), Sulphur Di-oxide (SO_2) and Nitrogen Oxides (NO_X). Respirable Dust Samplers (RDS) and Fine Dust

Sampler ($PM_{2.5}$ sampler) were used for sampling of $PM_{10,}$ SO_2, & NO_x and Fine Dust Sampler ($PM_{2.5}$ sampler) were used for sampling of $PM_{2.5}$ at 24 hours interval once in a fortnight and the same for the gaseous pollutants. The samples were analysed in Environmental Laboratory of CMPDI, RI-II, Dhanbad.

3.2 Water quality

Water samples were collected as per standard practice. The Mine effluent samples were collected and analysed for four parameters on fortnightly basis. Thereafter the samples were preserved and analysed at the Environmental Laboratory of CMPDI, RI- II, Dhanbad.

3.3 Noise level monitoring

Noise level measurements in form of 'L_{EQ}' were taken using Integrated Data Logging Sound Level Meter. Noise levels were measured in Decibels, 'A' weighted average, i.e. dB(A).

4.0 Results and interpretations

4.1 Air quality

It has been seen from the analysis results that the 24 hours average concentration parameters like $PM_{10,}$ $PM_{2.5}$, SO_2 and NO_x are mostly within the permissible limits in all sampling locations as per MoEF&CC Gazette Notification No. GSR 742(E) dt 25.09.2000 Standards for Coal Mines and National Ambient Air Quality Standard -2009. Sometimes the concentration of PM_{10}& $PM_{2.5}$ exceeds the limits due to heavy public traffic, poor road condition, coke oven plants, burning of coal by surrounding habitants, brick making, municipal waste dumps and industries like Steel Plant, thermal Plants including their fly ash etc.

The following preventive and suppressive mitigative measures can be undertaken to contain the pollution level within prescribed level:-

- Wet drilling and controlled blasting should be practice.
- Explosive used should be optimised to restrict the dust generation.
- Transportation roads should be permanently asphalted free of ruts, potholes etc.
- Water should be sprayed on coal transportation road, service road more frequently and at regular interval.
- Dust from roads should be removed physically or mechanically.
- Greenbelts around industrial sites, service building area besides Avenue plantation along roads should be created.
- Coal dust should be suppressed by using fixed sprinklers.
- Regular maintenance of plant and machinery should be undertaken.

4.2 Water quality

The test results indicate that the major parameters compared with MoEF&CC Gazette Notification No. GSR 742(E) dt 25.09.2000 Standards for Coal Mines, are within permissible limits.

4.3 Noise Level

During the noise level survey it has been observed that the noise level in the sampling locations is within the permissible limits prescribed as per MoEF&CC Gazette Notification No. GSR 742(E) dt 25.09.2000 Standards for Coal Mines for Industrial Area and Noise pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000.

INTRODUCTION

Any industry and development activities including coal mining is bound to affect environmental attributes. There are positive as well as negative impacts of such operations. For controlling the adverse impacts a regular monitoring is essential. The environmental monitoring is being done as per the guide-lines stipulated by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Govt. of India.

The very purpose of environmental monitoring is to assess the quality of various attributes which affects the environment. As per quality of these attributes appropriate strategy is to be developed to control the pollution level within the permissible limits. The three major attributes are air, water and noise level.

Bharat Coking Coal has awarded Environmental Monitoring work of all Projects, Cluster wise, to Central Mine Planning & Design Institute Limited (CMPDIL). The environmental monitoring has been carried out as per conditions laid down by MoEF&CC while granting environmental clearance to different projects. CMPDI has trained manpower and well equipped laboratory to carry out monitoring, analysis and R&D work in the field of environment.

The CLUSTER III is in the westernmost part of the Jharia coalfield. It includes Jogidih Colliery, Maheshpur Colliery, South Govindpur Colliery, Teturiya Colliery, Govindpur Colliery, New Akasshkinaree Mine and Block IV Kooridih Mixed Mine. The cluster – III is situated about 40 - 45 kms from Dhanbad Railway Station. The mines of this cluster - III are operating since pre nationalization period (prior to 1972-73). It is connected by both Railway and Road. The drainage of the area is governed by Khudia and Bagdighi Nala.

The Project has Environmental Clearance from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) for a rated capacity of 2.769 MTPA (normative) and 3.6 MTPA peak capacity of coal production vide letter no **E. C. no. J-11015/213/2010-IA.II (M) dated 06.02.2013.**

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change while granting environmental clearance has given one of the General conditions that " Four ambient air quality monitoring stations should be established in the core zone as well as in the buffer zone for PM_{10}, $PM_{2.5}$, SO_2, NOx monitoring. Location of the stations should be decided based on the meteorological data, topographical features and environmentally and ecologically sensitive targets, other conditions regarding water / effluent and noise level monitoring in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board."

In compliance of these conditions the Environmental Monitoring has been carried out & report prepared for submission to MoEF&CC & JSPCB and other statutory authorities.

AMBIENT AIR QUALITY MONITORING

2.1 Location of sampling station and their rationale:

(As per G.S.R. 742 (E) dt. 25th December, 2000)

2.1.1 Ambient Air Quality Sampling Locations

CORE ZONE Monitoring Location

i) Block IV Kooridih OCP (A6): Industrial Area

The location of the sampling station is at 23°47'54.00"N & 86°16'20.00"E. The sampler was placed at 1.5 m above the ground level near Safety office of Block IV OCP.

BUFFER ZONE Monitoring Location

i) Muraidih OCP (A5) : Industrial Area

The sampler was placed at a height of 1.5 m from the ground level at Muraidih project office.

ii) Govindpur Village (A7) : Industrial area

The location of the sampling station is 23°48'34.00"N & 86°18'22.00"E. The sampler was placed at height of 1.5 m above the ground level at AARC agent Office, Ramkanali.

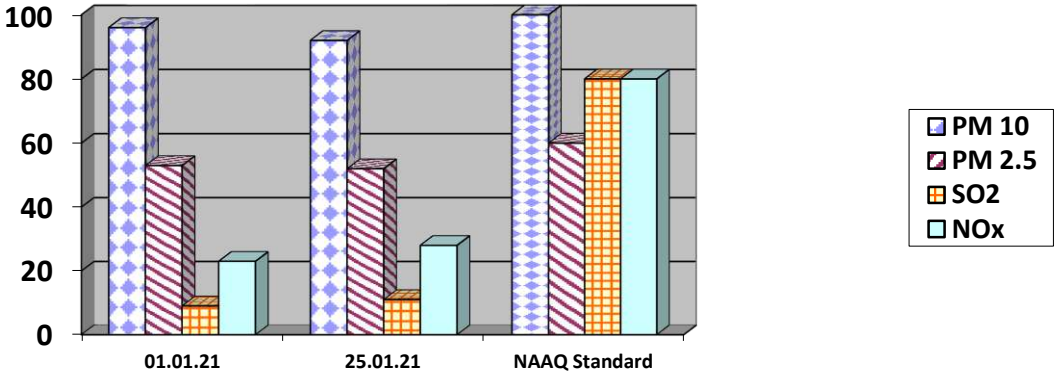
iii)Kharkharee(A21): **Industrial Area**

The location of the sampling station is 23°46'29.00"N & 86°14'37.08"E. The sampler was placed at a height of 1.5 m above the ground level at Kharkharee Colliery.

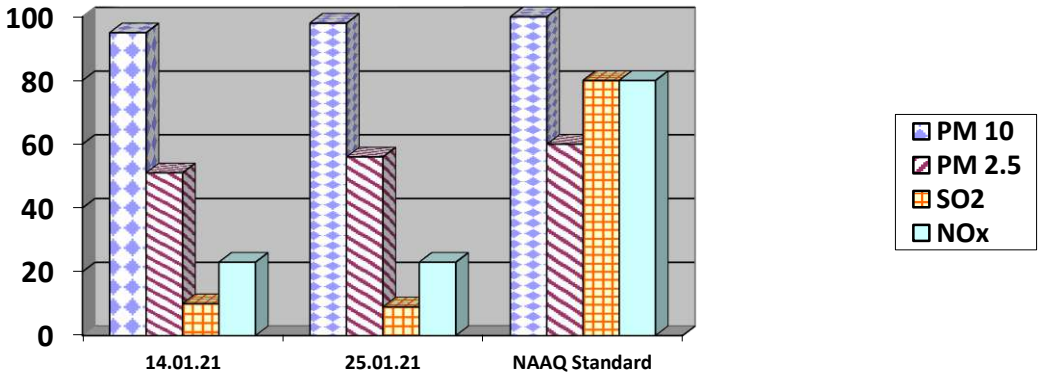
AMBIENT AIR QUALITY DATA

Cluster – III, Bharat Coking Coal limited Month: **JAN.2021** Year : **2020-21.**

Station Name: A6, Block IV		**Zone: Core**		**Category: Industrial**	
Sl. No.	**Dates of sampling**	**PM 10**	**PM 2.5**	**SO_2**	**NO_X**
1	01.01.21	96	53	9	23
2	25.01.21	92	52	11	28
	NAAQ Standard	100	60	80	80



Station Name: A5, Muraidih OCP		**Zone: Buffer**		**Category: Industrial**	
Sl. No.	**Dates of sampling**	**PM 10**	**PM 2.5**	**SO_2**	**NO_X**
1	14.01.21	95	51	10	23
2	25.01.21	98	56	9	23
	NAAQ Standard	100	60	80	80



Note:

- *All values are expressed in microgram per cubic meter.*
- *24 hours duration*

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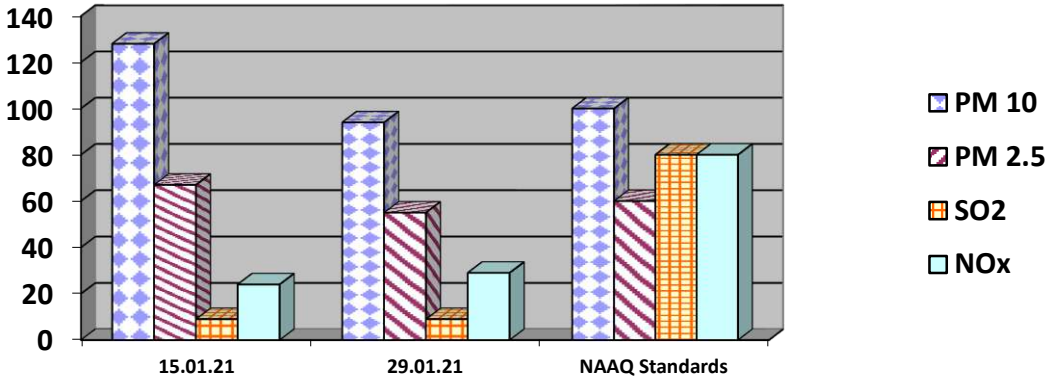
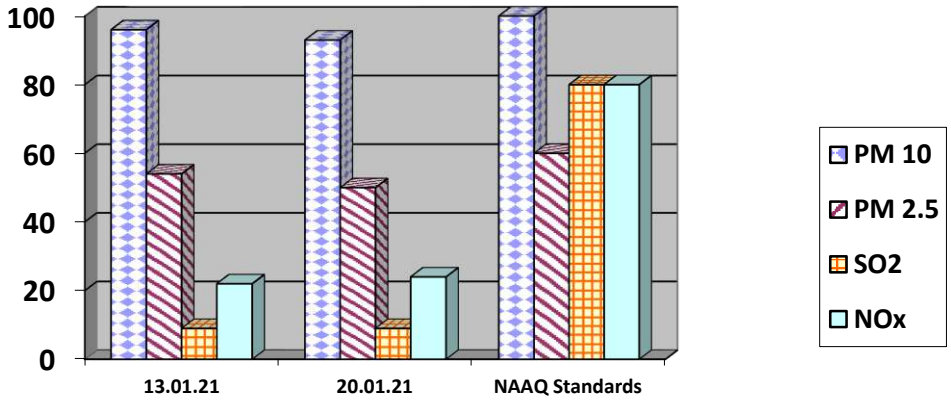
HOD(In-charge) Environment
RI-2, CMPDI, Dhanbad

Station Name: A7, Govindpur Village		Zone: Buffer		Category: Industrial	
Sl. No.	Dates of sampling	PM 10	PM 2.5	SO2	NOx
1	15.01.21	128	67	9	24
2	29.01.21	94	55	9	29
	NAAQ Standards	100	60	80	80



Station Name: A21 Kharkharee		Zone: Buffer		Category: Industrial	
Sl. No.	Dates of sampling	PM 10	PM 2.5	SO2	NOx
1	13.01.21	96	54	9	22
2	20.01.21	93	50	9	24
	NAAQ Standards	100	60	80	80



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WATER QUALITY MONITORING

3.1 Location of sampling sites

(Refer **Plate No. – II**)

i) **Mine Discharge of Govindpur (MW3)**

A sampling point is fixed to assess the effluent quality of Mine discharge. This location is selected to monitor effluent discharge in to Khudia Nala and Bagdighi Nala.

3.2 Methodology of sampling and analysis

Water samples were collected as per standard practice. The effluent samples were collected and analysed for four parameters on fortnightly basis at the Environmental Laboratory of CMPDI RI-II, Dhanbad.

3.3 Results & Interpretations

The results are given in tabular form along with the applicable standards. Results are compared with Schedule - VI, effluent prescribed by MoEF&CC. Results show that most of the parameters are within the permissible limits.

WATER QUALITY DATA

(EFFLUENT WATER- FOUR PARAMETERS)

Name of the Cluster: **Cluster -III**		Month: **JAN.2021**	Name of the Station: **Mine Discharge of Govindpur**	
Sl. No.	**Parameters**	**MW3** First Fortnight	**MW3** Second Fortnight	**As per MOEF General Standards for schedule VI**
		11.01.2021	25.01.2021	
1	Total Suspended Solids	38	41	*100 (Max)*
2	pH	8.13	8.21	*5.5 - 9.0*
3	Oil & Grease	<2.0	<2.0	*10 (Max)*
4	COD	12	20	*250 (Max)*

All values are expressed in mg/lit unless specified.

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NOISE LEVEL QUALITY MONITORING

4.1Location of sampling sites

i) **Block IV (N6)**
ii) **Muraidih OCP(N5)**
iii) **Govindpur Village(N7)**
iv) **Kharkharee (N21)**

4.2 Methodology of sampling and analysis

Noise level measurements in form of 'L_{EQ}' were taken using Integrated Data Logging Sound Level Meter (NL-52 OF RION CO. Ltd. Make) during day time. Noise levels were measured for about one hour time in day time. Noise levels were measured in Decibels, 'A' weighted average, i.e. dB (A).

4.3 Results & Interpretations

Ambient noise levels were recorded during day time and the observed values were compared with standards prescribed by MoEFCC. The results of Noise levels recorded during day time on fortnightly basis are presented in tabular form along with the applicable standard permissible limits. The observed values in terms of L_{EQ} are presented**.** The observed values at all the monitoring locations are found to be within permissible limits.

NOISE LEVEL DATA

Name of the Project: **Cluster -III**			Month: **JAN.2021**		
Sl. No.	**Station Name/Code**	**Category of area**	**Date**	**Noise level dB(A)LEQ**	***Permissible Limit of Noise level in dB(A)***
1	Muraidih (N5)	**Industrial area**	14.01.21	55.1	*75*
2	Muraidih	**Industrial area**	25.01.21	58.2	*75*
3	Block-IV(N6)	**Industrial area**	01.01.21	58.3	*75*
4	Block-IV	**Industrial area**	25.01.21	59.1	*75*
5	Govindpur/Ramkanali(N7)	**Industrial area**	15.01.21	62.2	*75*
6	Govindpur/Ramkanali	**Industrial area**	29.01.21	63.1	*75*
7	Kharkharee(N21)	**Industrial area**	13.01.21	52.6	*75*
8	Kharkharee	**Industrial area**	20.01.21	53.9	*75*

Permissible limits of Noise Level as per MOEF Gazette Notification No. GSR 742(E) dt. 25.09.2000 Standards for Coal Mines and Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000.
*** Day Time: 6.00 AM to 10.00 PM,**

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Ambient Air Quality Standards for Jharia Coal Field
As per the Environment (Protection) Amendment Rules, 2000 notified vide notification G.S.R. 742(E), dated 25.9.2000.

Category	Pollutant	Time weighted average	Concentration in Ambient Air	Method of Measurement
1	2	3	4	5
III Coal mines located in the coal fields of • Jharia • Raniganj • Bokaro	Suspended Particulate Matter (SPM)	Annual Average * 24 hours **	500 µg/m^3 700 µg/m^3	- High Volume Sampling (Average flow rate not less than 1.1 m^3
	Respirable Particulate Matter (size less than 10 µm) (RPM)	Annual Average * 24 hours **	250 µg/m^3 300 µg/m^3	Respirable Particulate Matter sampling and analysis
	Sulphur Dioxide (SO_2)	Annual Average * 24 hours **	80 µg/m^3 120 µg/m^3	1.Improvedwest and Gaeke method 2.Ultraviolet fluorescene
	Oxide of Nitrogen as NO_2	Annual Average * 24 hours **	80 µg/m^3 120 µg/m^3	1. Jacob & Hochheiser Modified (Na-Arsenic) Method 2. Gas phase Chemilumine-scence

Note:

* Annual Arithmetic mean for the measurements taken in a year, following the guidelines for frequency of sampling laid down in clause2.

** 24 hourly/8 hourly values shall be met 92% of the time in a year. However, 8% of the time it MAY exceed but not on two consecutive days.

NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARDS

New Delhi the 18th November 2009

In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-section (2) (h) of section 16 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 (Act No. 14 of 1981), and in supersession of the notification No(s).S.O.384(E), dated 11th April 1994 and S.O.935(E), dated 14th NOVEMBER 1998, the Central Pollution Control Board hereby notify the National Ambient Air Quality Standards with immediate effect.

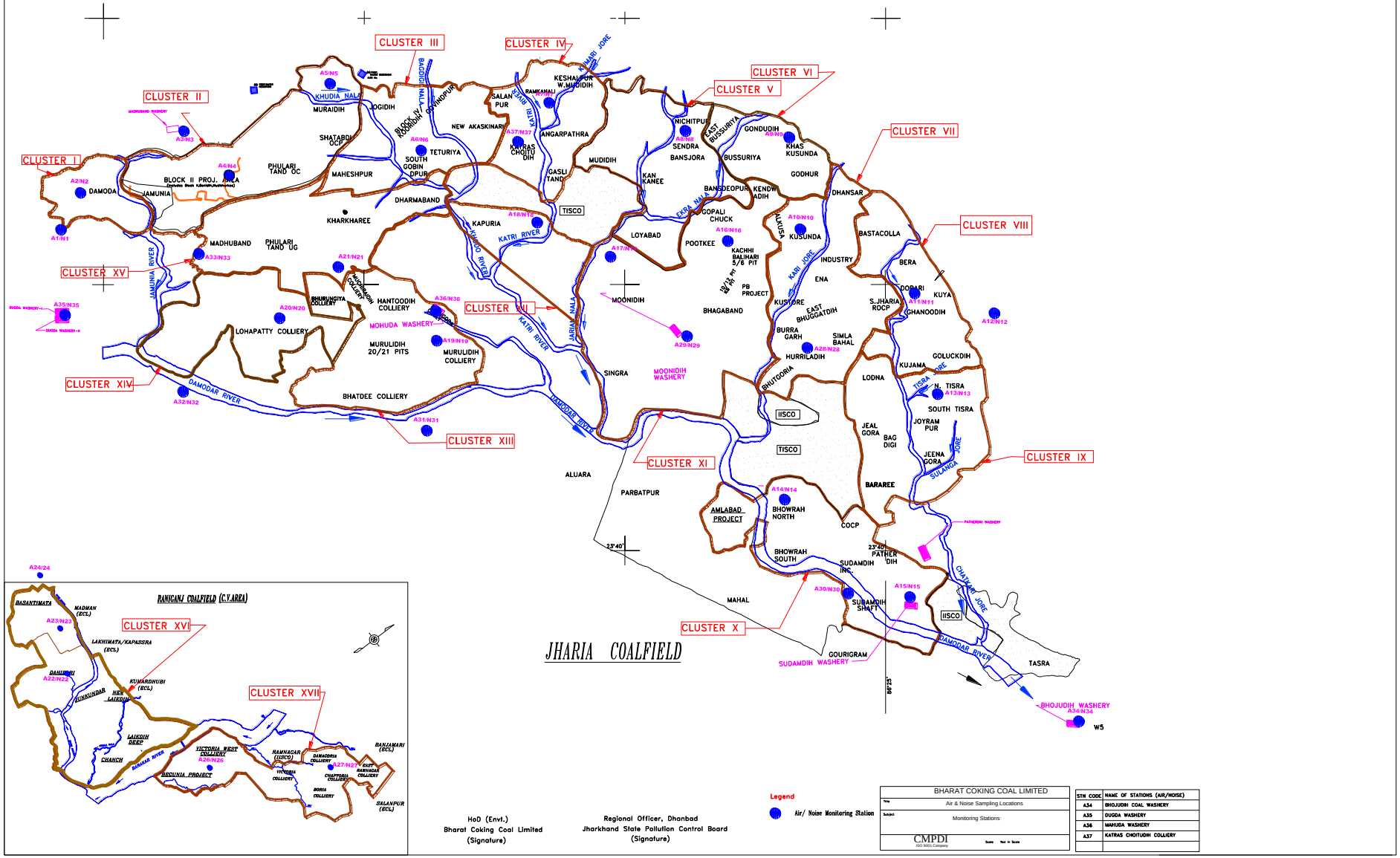
Pollutant	Time Weighted Average	Concentration in Ambient Air		Methods of Measurement
		Industrial, Residential, Rural and other Areas	Ecologically Sensitive Area (Notified by Central Government)	
Sulphur Dioxide (SO_2), µg/m³	Annual * 24 Hours **	50 80	20 80	-Improved West and Gaeke Method -Ultraviolet Fluorescence
Nitrogendioxide (NO_2), µg/m³	Annual * 24 Hours **	40 80	30 80	-Jacob &Hochheiser modified ($NaOH$-$NaAsO_2$) Method -Gas Phase Chemiluminescence
Particulate Matter (Size less than 10µm) or PM_{10}, µg/m³	Annual * 24 Hours **	60 100	60 100	-Gravimetric -TEOM -Beta attenuation
Particulate Matter (Size less than 2.5µm) or $PM_{2.5}$, µg/m³	Annual * 24 Hours **	40 60	40 60	-Gravimetric -TEOM -Beta attenuation
Ozone (O_3) , µg/m³	8 Hours * 1 Hour **	100 180	100 180	-UV Photometric -Chemiluminescence -Chemical Method
Lead (Pb) , µg/m³	Annual * 24 Hours **	0.50 1.0	0.50 1.0	-AAS/ICP Method after sampling on EPM 2000 or equivalent filter paper -ED-XRF using Teflon filter
Carbon Monoxide (CO), mg/m³	8 Hours ** 1 Hour **	02 04	02 04	-Non dispersive Infrared (NDIR) Spectroscopy
Ammonia (NH_3), µg/m³	Annual * 24 Hours **	100 400	100 400	-Chemiluminescence -Indophenol blue method
Benzene (C_6H_6), µg/m³	Annual *	05	05	-Gas Chromatography (GC) based continuous analyzer -Adsorption and desorption followed by GC analysis
Benzo(a)Pyrene (BaP) Particulate phase only, ng/m³	Annual *	01	01	-Solvent extraction followed byHPLC/GC analysis
Arsenic (As), ng/m³	Annual *	06	06	-AAS/ICP Method after sampling on EPM 2000 or equivalent filter paper
Nickel (Ni), ng/m³	Annual *	20	20	-AAS/ICP Method after sampling on EPM 2000 or equivalent filter paper

* Annual Arithmetic mean of minimum 104 measurements in a year at a particular site taken twice a week 24 hourly at uniform intervals.

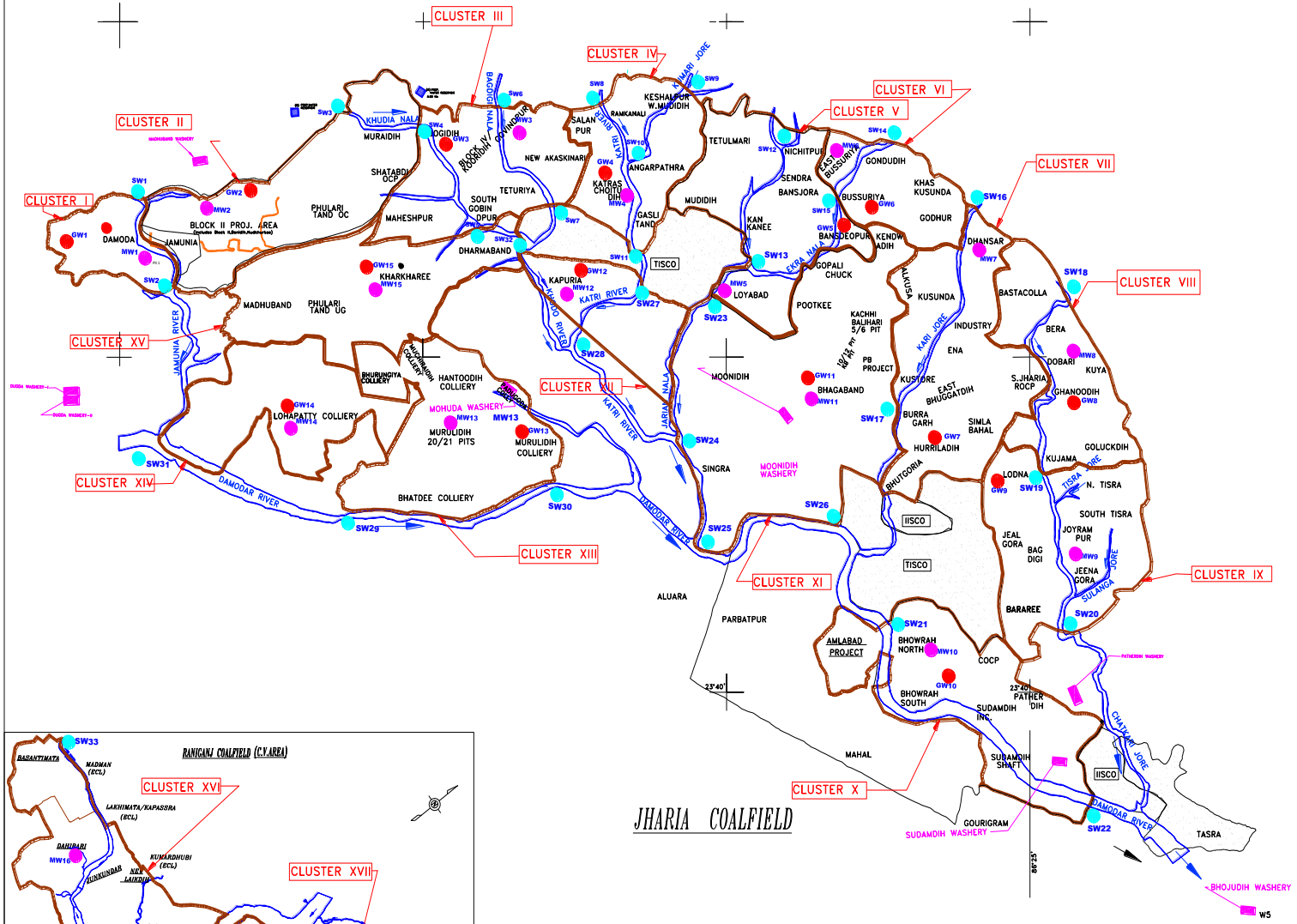
** 24 hourly or 8 hourly or 1 hourly monitored values, as applicable, shall be complied with 98% of the time in a year. 2% of the time, they MAY exceed the limits but not on two consecutive days of monitoring.

NOTE: Whenever and wherever monitoring results on two consecutive days of monitoring exceed the limits specified above for the respective category, it shall be considered adequate reason to institute regular or continuous monitoring and further investigations.

Location of Air & Noise Monitoring Stations in BCCL



Water Sampling Locations in BCCL



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I	SW1, SW2	Jamunia River	MW1	Damoda Area	GW1	Ghutway Village
II	SW3, SW4	Khudia Nala	MW2	Block II OCP	GW2	Joyrampur Village
III	SW4, SW5, SW6, SW7	Khudia Nala, Bagdigi Nala	MW3	Govindpur Colliery	GW3	Jogidih Village
IV	SW8, SW11, SW9, SW10	Katri River, Kumari Jore	MW4	Chotudih	GW4	Kankanee Village
V	SW12, SW13, SW15	Jarian Nala, Ekra Nala	MW5	Mudidih	GW5	Nichitpur
VI	SW14, SW15	Ekra Nala	MW6	East Bassuria UGP	GW6	Bansjora Borewell
VII	SW16, SW17	Kari Jore	MW7	Dhansar UGP	GW7	Hurriladih
VIII	SW18, SW19	Kashi Jore	MW8	Dobari UGP	GW8	Ghanudih
IX	SW19, SW20	Kashi Jore	MW9	Jeenagora	GW9	Lodna
X	SW21, SW22	Damodar River	MW10	Bhowrah North	GW10	Bhowrah South
XI	SW23, SW24, SW25, SW26	Jarian Nala, Damodar River	MW11	Bhagaband h UGP	GW11	Bhagabandh
XII	SW27, SW28	Katri River	MW12	Kapuria	GW12	Kapuria
XIII	SW29, SW30	Damodar River	MW13	Murulidih (20/21)	GW13	Murilidih
XIV	SW31, SW29	Damodar River	MW14	Lohapatti	GW14	Lohapatti
XV	SW5, SW32	Khudia Nala	MW15	Kharkharee UGP	GW15	Kharkharee
XVI	SW33, SW34	Khudia River	MW16	Dahibari OCP	GW16	Patlabari Village
XVII	SW35, SW36	Barakar River	MW17	Damagoria Colliery	GW17	Chaptoria

HoD (Envt.)
Bharat Coking Coal Limited
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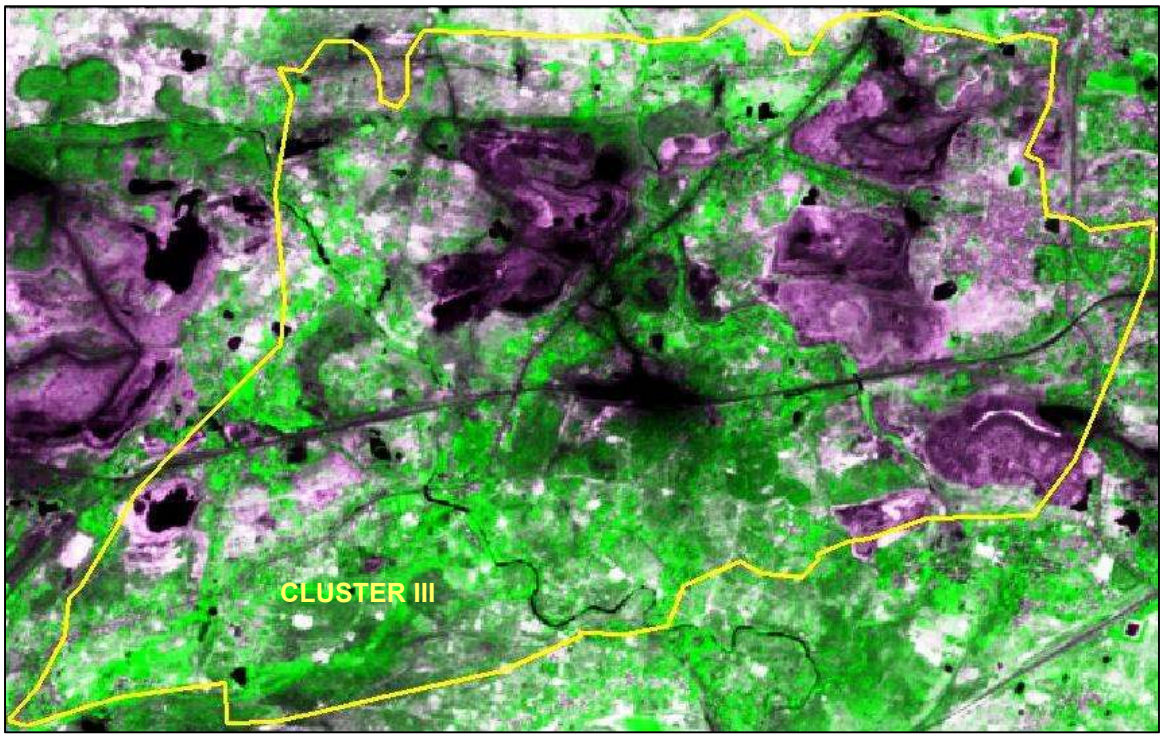
Legend
- Sampling Locations of Surface Water (Upstream/ Downstream)
- Sampling Locations of Mine Water
- Sampling Locations of Ground/ Drinking Water

Customer	BHARAT COKING COAL LIMITED
Title	WATER SAMPLING LOCATIONS
Subject	MONITORING STATIONS
CMPDI (ISO 9001 Company)	Scale: Not to Scale

Annexure-XIV

Land Restoration / Reclamation Monitoring of 4 Clusters of Opencast Mines of Bharat Coking Coal Limited producing less than 5 m.cu.m. (Coal + OB) based on Satellite Data for the Year 2017



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March-2018

Remote Sensing Cell
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1.0 Project

Land restoration / reclamation monitoring of 4 clusters of Opencast Mines of Bharat Coking Coal Ltd. (BCCL) producing less than 5 million cu. m. (Coal + OB) per year based on satellite data of the year 2017 on three year interval.

2.0 Objective

Objective of the land restoration / reclamation monitoring is to assess the area of backfilling, plantation, social forestry, active mining area, water bodies and distribution of wasteland, agricultural land and forest land in the leasehold area of the various projects. This will help in assessing the progressive status of mined out land reclamation and to take up remedial measures, if any, required for environmental protection.

3.0 Salient Findings

- Out of the total mine leasehold area of 6576.22 hectares of the 4 Clusters of mines viz. Cluster III, Cluster V, Cluster VIII & Cluster IX considered for monitoring during year 2017-18; total excavated area is 995.60 ha, out of which 31.60 ha (3.17%) has been planted, 457.35 ha (45.94%) area is under backfilling and 506.65 ha (50.89%) area is under active mining. It is evident from the analysis that 49.11% area of the above clusters is under reclamation (biological and technical) and balance 50.89% area is under active mining. Project wise details are given in Table-1 & Fig -1.

- From the analysis of land reclamation for the year 2017 it is evident that the area under technical reclamation is 457.35 Ha. and area under biological reclamation is 31.60 Ha. Out of 4 clusters of BCCL considered for monitoring, Cluster VIII is on top for land reclamation (61.25%) followed by Cluster V (60.13%) and Cluster III (37.06%).

TABLE-1

Cluster wise Land Reclamation Status in Clusters of Bharat Coking Coal Ltd based on satellite data of the year 2017

(Area in Hectare)

Sl. No.	Project	Total Leasehold Area	Technical Reclamation	Plantation			Area under Active Mining	Total Excavated Area	Total Area under Plantation (% Green Cover Generated in Leasehold)	Total Area under Reclamation
				Biological Reclamation	Other Plantations					
			Area under Backfilling	Plantation on Excavated / Backfilled Area	Plantation on External Over Burden Dumps	Social Forestry, Avanue Plantation Etc.				
1	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*	*6*	*7*	*8*	*9 (=4+5+8)*	*10 (=5+6+7)*	*11(=4+5)*
			2017	*2017*	*2017*	*2017*	*2017*	*2017*	*2017*	*2017*
1	Cluster III	1552.53	55.87	3.89	21.11	128.07	101.5	161.26	153.07	59.76
			34.65%	2.41%			62.94%		9.86%	37.06%
2	Cluster V	1724.52	162.09	7.19	23.85	105.29	112.24	281.52	136.33	169.28
			57.58%	2.55%			39.87%		7.91%	60.13%
3	Cluster VIII	1331.95	161.86	13.72	21.97	24.70	111.06	286.64	60.39	175.58
			56.47%	4.79%			38.75%		4.53%	61.25%
4	Cluster IX	1967.22	77.53	6.80	41.79	168.58	181.85	266.18	217.17	84.33
			29.13%	2.55%			68.32%		11.04%	31.68%
	TOTAL	**6576.22**	**457.35**	**31.60**	**108.72**	**426.64**	**506.65**	**995.60**	**566.96**	**488.95**
			45.94%	**3.17%**			**50.89%**		**8.62%**	**49.11%**

(% is calculated with respected to Excavated Area as applicable)

Note: In reference of the above Table, different parameters are classified as follows:

1. *Area under Biological Reclamation includes Areas under Plantation done on Backfilled Area Only.*
2. *Area under Technical Reclamation includes Area under Barren Backfilling only*
3. *Area under Active Mining Includes Coal Quarry, Advance Quarry Site, Quarry filled with water etc., if any.*
4. *Social Forestry and Plantation on External OB Dumps are not included in Biological Reclamation and are put under separate categories as shown in the Table above..*
5. *(%) calculated in the above Table is in respect to Total Excavated Area except for ""Total Area under Plantation" where % is in terms of "Leasehold Area".*

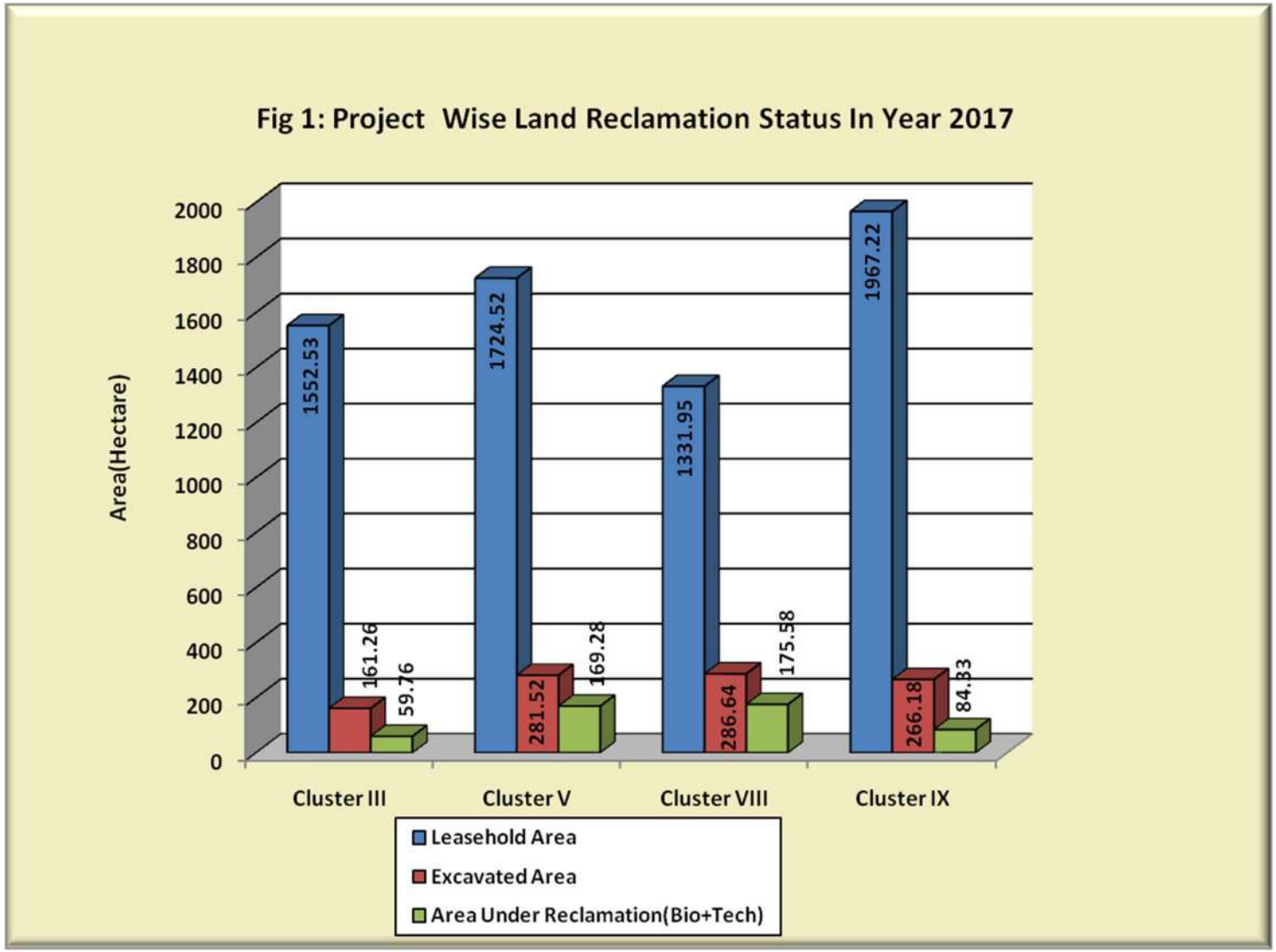


Fig 1: Project Wise Land Reclamation Status In Year 2017
Area(Hectare)
2000
1800
1600
1400
1200
1000
800
600
400
200
0
1552.53
161.26
59.76
1724.52
281.52
169.28
1331.95
286.64
175.58
1967.22
266.18
84.33
Cluster III
Cluster V
Cluster VIII
Cluster IX
Leasehold Area
Excavated Area
Area Under Reclamation(Bio+Tech)

1.0 Background

1.1 Land is the most important natural resource which embodies soil, water, flora, fauna and total ecosystem. All human activities are based on the land which is the most scarce natural resource in our country. Mining is a site specific industry and it could not be shifted anywhere else from the location where mineral occurs. It is a fact that surface mining activities do effect the land environment due to ground breaking. Therefore, there is an urgent need to reclaim and restore the mined out land for its productive use for sustainable development of mining. This will not only mitigate environmental degradation, but would also help in creating a more congenial environment for land acquisition by coal companies in future.

1.2 Keeping above in view, M/s. Coal India Ltd. (CIL) issued a work order vide letter no. CIL/WBP/ENV./2017/DP/8477 dated 21/09/17 for monitoring of opencast mines of less than 5 million m^3 per annum capacity (Coal +OB) for the period 2017-18 to 2021-22 at intervals of three years. The result of land reclamation status of all such mines is uploaded on the website of the concerned coal companies in public domain. Detailed reports are to be submitted to Coal India and respective subsidiaries.

1.3 Land reclamation monitoring of all opencast coal mining projects would also comply the statutory requirements of Ministry of Environment & Forest (MoEF).Such monitoring would not only facilitate in taking timely mitigation measures against environmental degradation, but would also enable coal companies to utilize the reclaimed land for larger socio-economic benefits in a planned way.

1.4 Present report is embodying the finding of the study based on satellite data of the year 2017 carried out for 4 clusters of Bharat Coking Coal Ltd. producing less than 5 mcm (Coal+OB) per annum.

2.0 Objective

Objective of the land reclamation/restoration monitoring is to assess the area of backfilled, plantation, OB dumps, social forestry, active mining area, settlements and water bodies, distribution of wasteland, agricultural land and forest land in the leasehold area of the project. This is an important step taken up for assessing the progressive status of mined land reclamation and for taking up remedial measures, if any, required for environmental protection.

3.0 Methodology

There are number of steps involved between raw satellite data procurement and preparation of final map. National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC) Hyderabad, being the nodal agency for satellite data supply in India, provides only raw digital satellite data, which needs further digital image processing for extracting the information and map preparation before uploading the same in the website. Methodology for land reclamation monitoring is given in given in fig 2. Following steps are involved in land reclamation /restoration monitoring:

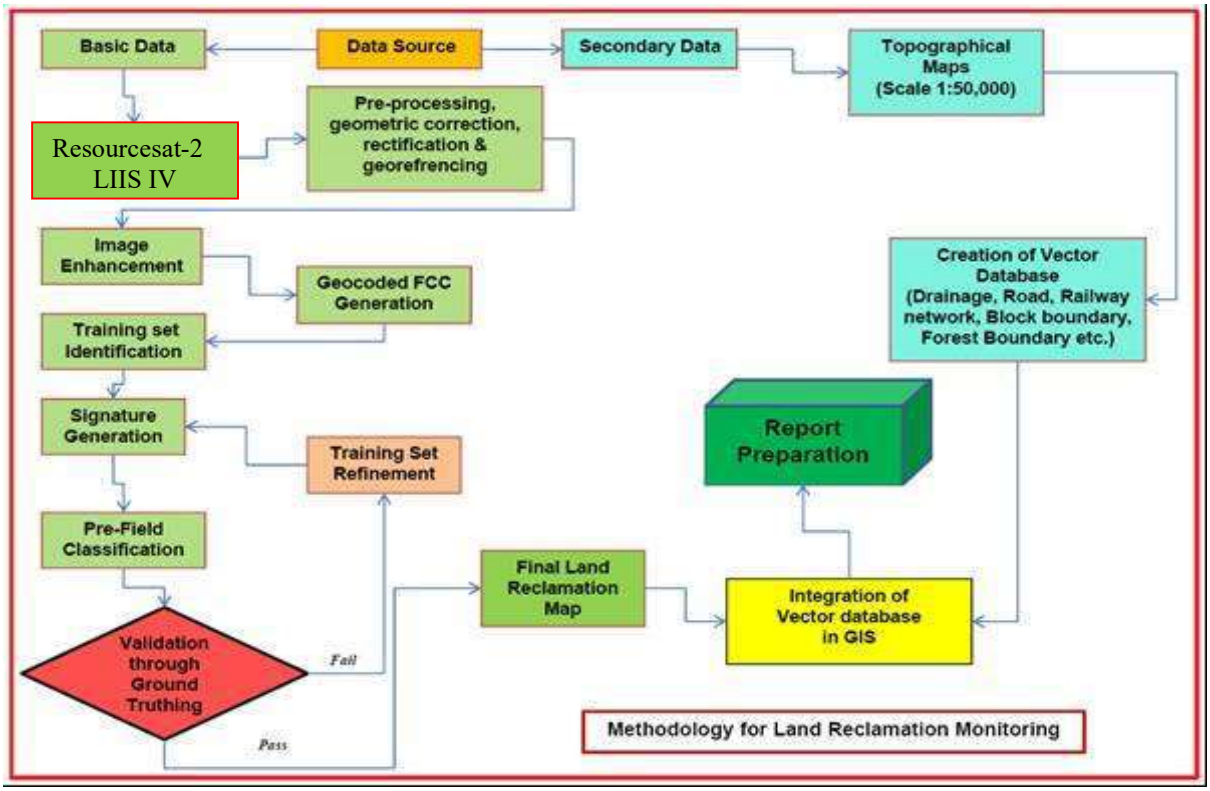


Figure: 2 Methodology for Land Reclamation Monitoring

3.1 Data Procurement: After browsing the data quality and date of pass on internet, supply order for data is placed to NRSC. Secondary data like leasehold boundary, topo sheets are procured for creation of vector database.

3.2 Satellite Data Processing: Satellite data are processed using ERDAS IMAGINE digital image processing s/w. Methodology involves the following major steps:

- **Rectification & Georeferencing:** Inaccuracies in digital imagery may occur due to 'systematic errors' attributed to earth curvature and rotation as well as 'non-systematic errors' attributed to satellite receiving station itself. Raw digital images contain geometric distortions, which make them unusable as maps. Therefore, georeferencing is required for correction of image data using ground control points (GCP) to make it compatible to SOI topo sheet.

- **Image enhancement:** To improve the interpretability of the raw data, image enhancement is necessary. Local operations modify the value of each pixel based on brightness value of neighbouring pixels using ERDAS IMAGINE 2014 s/w and enhance the image quality for interpretation.

- **Training set selection**

  Training set requires to be selected, so that software can classify the image data accurately. The image data are analysed based on the interpretation keys. These keys are evolved from certain fundamental image-elements such as tone/colour, size, shape, texture, pattern, location, association and shadow. Based on the image-elements and other geo-technical elements like land form, drainage pattern and physiography; training sets were selected/identified for each land use/cover class. Field survey was carried out by taking selective traverses in order to collect the ground information (or reference data) so that training sets are selected accurately in the image. This was intended to serve as an aid for classification.

- **Classification and Accuracy assessment**

  Image classification is carried out using the maximum likelihood algorithm. The classification proceeds through the following steps: (a) calculation of statistics [i.e. signature generation] for the identified training areas, and (b) the decision boundary of maximum probability based on the mean vector, variance, covariance and correlation matrix of the pixels. After evaluating the statistical parameters of the training sets, reliability test of training sets is conducted by measuring the statistical separation between the classes that resulted from computing divergence matrix. The overall accuracy of the classification was finally assessed with reference to ground truth data.

- **Area calculation**

  The area of each land use class in the leasehold is determined using ERDAS IMAGINE v. 2014 software and given in table 2.

- **Overlay of Vector data base**

  Vector data base created based on secondary data. Vector layer like drainage, railway line, leasehold boundary, forest boundary etc. are superimposed on the image as vector layer in the Arc GIS database.

- **Pre-field map preparation**

  Pre-field map is prepared for validation of the classification result

3.3 Ground Truthing:

Selective ground verification of the land use classes are carried out in the field and necessary corrections if required, are incorporated before map finalization.

3.4 Land reclamation database on GIS:

Land reclamation database is created on GIS platform to identify the temporal changes identified from satellite data of different cut-off dates.

4.0 Land Reclamation Status in Bharat Coking Coal Ltd.

4.1 Following 4 clusters of opencast mines producing less than 5 million m^3. (Coal + OB together) of Bharat Coking Coal Ltd. have been taken up during the year 2017-18 for land reclamation monitoring:

- Cluster-III
- Cluster-V
- Cluster-VIII
- Cluster-IX

4.2 Area statistics of different land use classes present in clusters in the year 2017 is given in Table 2. Land use maps derived from the satellite data is given in Plate no. 1 to 4. Land use statuses are shown in Fig. 3 – 6.

4.3 Study reveals that 49.11% of excavated area is under reclamation in the above mentioned clusters of BCCL, out of which 3.17% area has been planted and 45.94% area is under backfilling.

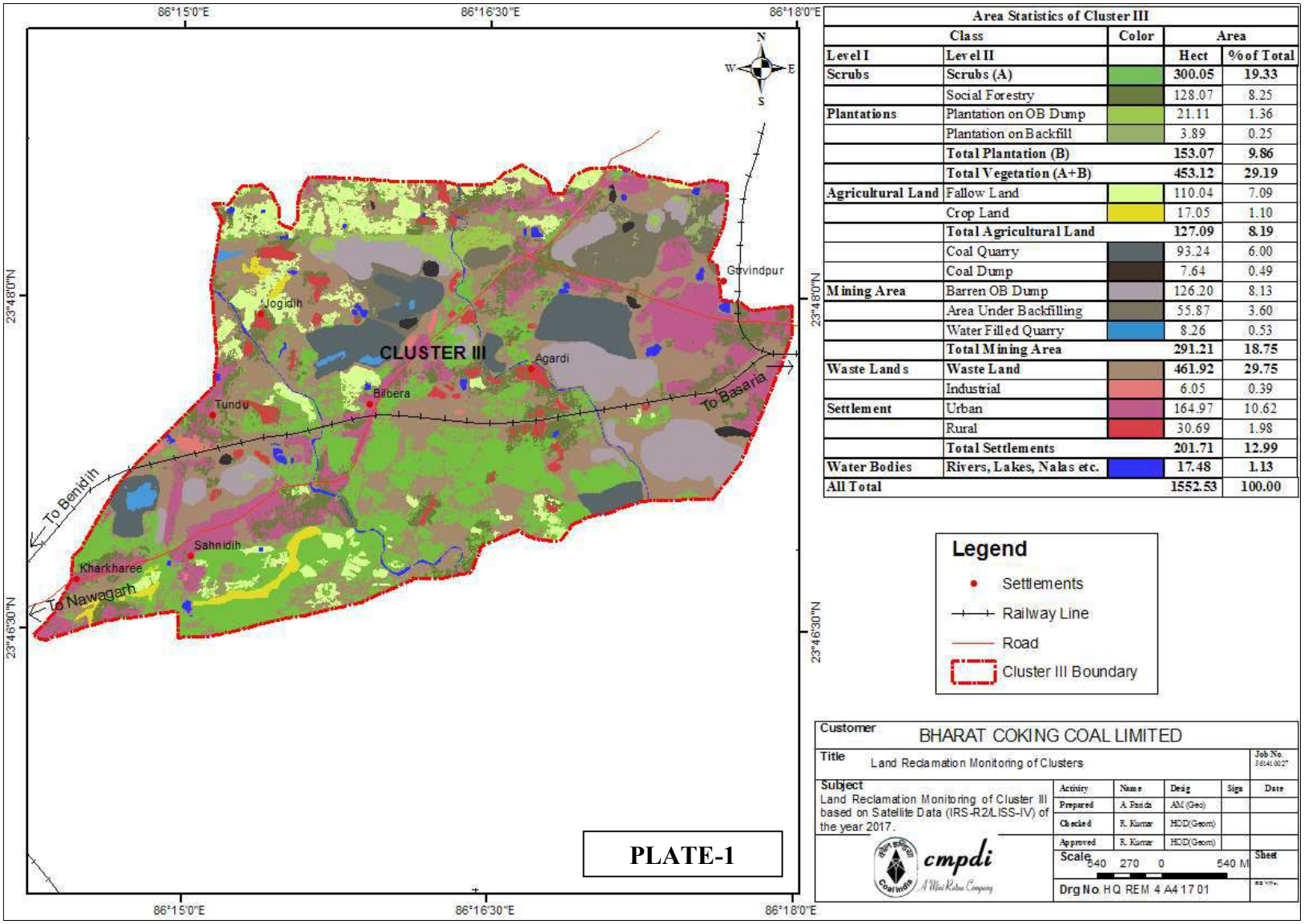
4.4 After analyzing the satellite data of year 2017, it is evident that plantation carried out on backfilled area, OB dumps as well as under social forestry in all the 4 clusters of BCCL taken up for study has reached only 8.62% of the total leasehold area of the above clusters till now. It can also be seen from Table.1 that the total area under reclamation has reached 49.11% of the total excavated area till the year 2017 in the 4 clusters taken up for study.

Table 2

STATUS OF LAND USE/COVER IN CLUSTERS (<5 m cu .m) OF BHARAT COKING COAL LIMITED BASED ON SATELLITE DATA OF THE YEAR 2017

(Area in Hectare)

		Cluster III		Cluster V		Cluster VIII		Cluster IX		TOTAL	
		Area	%	Area	%	Area	%	Area	%	Area	%
FORESTS	Dense Forest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Open Forest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Total Forest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
SCRUBS	Scrubs	300.05	19.33	344.78	19.99	143.21	10.75	339.86	17.28	1127.90	17.15
PLANTATION	Social Forestry	128.07	8.25	105.29	6.10	24.70	1.85	168.58	8.57	426.64	6.49
	Plantation on OB Dump	21.11	1.36	23.85	1.38	21.97	1.65	41.79	2.12	108.72	1.65
	Plantation on Backfill (Biological Reclamation)	3.89	0.25	7.19	0.42	13.72	1.03	6.80	0.35	31.60	0.48
	Total Plantation	153.07	9.86	136.33	7.90	60.39	4.53	217.17	11.04	566.96	8.62
	Total Vegetation	**453.12**	**29.19**	**481.11**	**27.89**	**203.60**	**15.28**	**557.03**	**28.32**	**1694.86**	**25.77**
	Coal Dump	7.64	0.49	2.55	0.15	7.71	0.58	9.67	0.49	27.57	0.42
ACTIVE MINING	Coal Quarry	93.24	6.00	102.79	5.96	108.02	8.11	178.55	9.08	482.60	7.34
	Advance Quarry Site	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Quarry Filled With Water	8.26	0.53	9.45	0.55	3.04	0.23	3.30	0.17	24.05	0.37
	Total Area under *Active Mining*	**101.50**	**6.53**	**112.24**	**6.51**	**111.06**	**8.34**	**181.85**	**9.25**	**506.65**	**7.70**
	Barren OB Dump	126.20	8.13	151.20	8.77	149.30	11.21	172.19	8.75	598.89	9.11
RECLAIMED	Area Under Backfilling (Technical Reclamation)	55.87	3.60	162.09	9.40	161.86	12.15	77.53	3.94	457.35	6.95
	Total Area under *Technical Reclamation*	**55.87**	**3.60**	**162.09**	**9.40**	**161.86**	**12.15**	**77.53**	**3.94**	**457.35**	**6.95**
	Total Area under Mine Operation	**291.21**	**18.75**	**428.08**	**24.83**	**429.93**	**32.28**	**441.24**	**22.43**	**1590.46**	**24.19**
WATERBODIES	Waste Lands	461.92	29.75	517.23	29.99	443.58	33.30	614.64	31.24	2037.37	30.98
	Fly Ash Pond / Sand Body	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Total Wasteland	**461.92**	**29.75**	**517.23**	**29.99**	**443.58**	**33.30**	**614.64**	**31.24**	**2037.37**	**30.98**
	Reservoir, nallah, ponds	17.48	1.13	10.21	0.59	13.15	0.99	20.59	1.05	61.43	0.93
	Total Waterbodies	**17.48**	**1.13**	**10.21**	**0.59**	**13.15**	**0.99**	**20.59**	**1.05**	**61.43**	**0.93**
AGRICULTURE	Crop Lands	17.05	1.10	8.41	0.49	18.05	1.35	0.00	0.00	43.51	0.66
	Fallow Lands	110.04	7.09	37.74	2.19	58.02	4.36	44.49	2.26	250.29	3.81
	Total Agriculture	**127.09**	**8.19**	**46.15**	**2.68**	**76.07**	**5.71**	**44.49**	**2.26**	**293.80**	**4.47**
SETTLEMENTS	Urban Settlement	164.97	10.62	217.50	12.61	97.19	7.30	232.31	11.81	711.97	10.83
	Rural Settlement	30.69	1.98	13.78	0.80	57.00	4.28	47.79	2.43	149.26	2.27
	Industrial Settlement	6.05	0.39	10.46	0.61	11.43	0.86	9.13	0.46	37.07	0.56
	Total Settlement	**201.71**	**12.99**	**241.74**	**14.02**	**165.62**	**12.44**	**289.23**	**14.70**	**898.30**	**13.66**
	Grand Total	**1552.53**	**100.00**	**1724.52**	**100.00**	**1331.95**	**100.00**	**1967.22**	**100.00**	**6576.22**	**100.00**



Area Statistics of Cluster III				
Class		Color	Area	
Level I	Level II		Hect	%of Total
Scrubs	Scrubs (A)		300.05	19.33
	Social Forestry		128.07	8.25
Plantations	Plantation on OB Dump		21.11	1.36
	Plantation on Backfill		3.89	0.25
	Total Plantation (B)		**153.07**	**9.86**
	Total Vegetation (A+B)		**453.12**	**29.19**
Agricultural Land	Fallow Land		110.04	7.09
	Crop Land		17.05	1.10
	Total Agricultural Land		**127.09**	**8.19**
	Coal Quarry		93.24	6.00
	Coal Dump		7.64	0.49
Mining Area	Barren OB Dump		126.20	8.13
	Area Under Backfilling		55.87	3.60
	Water Filled Quarry		8.26	0.53
	Total Mining Area		**291.21**	**18.75**
Waste Lands	Waste Land		461.92	29.75
	Industrial		6.05	0.39
Settlement	Urban		164.97	10.62
	Rural		30.69	1.98
	Total Settlements		**201.71**	**12.99**
Water Bodies	Rivers, Lakes, Nalas etc.		17.48	1.13
All Total			1552.53	100.00

Legend

- Settlements
- Railway Line
- Road
- Cluster III Boundary

Customer: BHARAT COKING COAL LIMITED

Title: Land Reclamation Monitoring of Clusters

Job No. 561410027

Subject: Land Reclamation Monitoring of Cluster III based on Satellite Data (IRS-R2/LISS-IV) of the year 2017.

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Annexure-XV

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(कोल इण्डिया लिमिटेड का एक अंग)
ऐक मिनीरतन कम्पनी
क्षेत्र संख्या– 3

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Ref. No. - BCCL/Ar.-III/~~AGM~~Env/2021/133 **Dated: 12.05.2021**

To
HoD (Env)
Koyla Bhawan, BCCL

Sub: Expenditure details as per EIA/EMP (FY 2020-21) for Cluster-III group of Mines, BCCL

Dear Sir

With reference to above mentioned subject; kindly find herewith the attached expenditure details as per EIA/EMP for Cluster-III group of Mines, BCCL

This is for your kind information.

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully

13/5/21

AGM/Nodal Officer (Env)
Govindpur Area

Copy for kind information:

1. General Manager, Govindpur Area

Revenue Expenditure on Environment Management (Cluster-III)

Sl. No.	Element	Annually Recurring Cost (Rs. in Lakhs) as per EIA/EMP	Actual cost incurred (Lakhs) FY 2020-21	Remarks
1.	Pollution control	20.00	25.22	Water Sprinkling on haul roads, railway siding and public roads.
2.	Pollution monitoring	5.00	29.22914	As per information provided by Env departmen HQ; Being done by CMPDIL RI-II, Dhanbad
3.	Occupational health	5.00	5.15751	Expenditure incurred on purchase of safety shoe ear plugs, Safety helmets, goggles, dust masks f persons engaged in mining activities.
4.	Green belt & biological reclamation	10.00	144.63 (10 nos. of Manpower with EMS@ Rs. 4382.6)	Manpower Cost incurred on biological reclamation of OB dumps
			10.49250	Expenditure on completion work of OB plantation on 9.5 Ha by DFO, Dhanbad.
5.	Corporate Social Responsibility	138.45	CSR: 621*	Being dealt at HQ level. Cluster-III is contribu for the same.
6.	Corpus fund for mine-closure	130.00	288.83	Deposited in Escrow account.
7.	Water cess and consent to operate	6.00	7.395	CTO fee for Cluster-III with RLS (SILO)
8.	Others (Lump sum)	5.00	NIL	As per data provided by Env Dept, HQ. Monitoring of Eco restoration sites by FR Dehradun
9.	Mine Reclamation	25.00	210.44**	** 50% of cost deposited in escrow amount interest for FY 2020-21. Reimbursement subjected to Third party audit of the claim as approved Mine Closure Plan.
	Total *	**344.45**	**660.06**	

*** Cost of CSR expenditure done at corporate level is not included.**

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Capital cost of Environment Management for Cluster-III

Sl. No.	Activity head as per EMP	Item	Unit Name	Year	Cost (Lakhs)	Remarks
1.	Pollution abatement cost including providing 02 additional water sprinklers.	Procurement of two Mobile water Sprinkler (28 KL Capacity)	New Akashkinaree Colliery	2013-14	126.67	As per information provided by Colliery.
			Block-IV Colliery	2020-21	162.84	
2.	Development of green belt (100 Ha and the left out area will be taken up during mine closure period) (Rs. 1 lakh per Ha)	Seed Ball Broadcasting	New Akashkinaree Colliery, Maheshpur Colliery	2018-19	0.35	Expenditure incurred on seed ball broadcasting.
			New Akashkinaree Colliery, Maheshpur Colliery	2019-20	0.43	
			New Akashkinaree Colliery, Maheshpur Colliery	2020-21	0.51	
3.	Dust suppression & extraction in coal handling plant & feeder breaker	Installation of fixed type water sprinkler	SLG Railway Siding	2019-20	1.48	
4.	EMP Report	Preparation of EIA and EMP report	Cluster-III	2012-13	89.34851	As per information provided Env Dept, BCCL HQ
5.	Industrial sewage treatment in workshop	Construction of Oil & Grease trap	New Akashkinaree Colliery and Block-IV Colliery	2020-21	22.40	As per details provided by Area Civil Deptt.
6.	Cost of Anti-pollution measures in mine & Industrial area	Construction of Coal transportation Road	Block-IV Colliery	2020-21	5.78	WBM Road for coal transportation. As per details provided by Area Civil Deptt.
			SLG Siding	2020-21	17.72	
			Maheshpur Colliery	2019-20	21.08	
			New Akashkinaree Colliery	2019-20	19.74	
7.	Other provisions	Construction of Toe wall around OB dump	Maheshpur Colliery	2020-21	9.61268	As per details provided by Area Survey Deptt.

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Annexure- XVI

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Ref: BCCL: AR.III:GM:20: 18 **Dated: 13.04.2020**

To
Panchayat Sachiwalay,
Tundoo Panchayat,
KalludihPanchayat,
AkashkinareePanchayat,
BahiyardihPanchayat,
Jamua Panchayat

Sub: Copy of Environmental Clearance granted to Cluster-III group of Mines, BCCL by Ministry of Environment & Forest

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अमित कुमार झौलिया, सीए

ऑफ कॉमर्स

सुशील नारनोली

झरिया के लोगों ने कहा

आम बजट से जनता को राहत नहीं मिली है। बेरोजगार युवकों को रोजगार का अवसर नहीं मिला है। बजट ने सभी को निराश किया है। इसका खमियाजा चुनाव में कांग्रेस को भुगतना पड़ेगा।

संजीव सिंह, संयुक्त महामंत्री जमसं।

बजट कहीं से संतोषप्रद नहीं है। निराशाजनक बजट है। आम जनता पर बोझ बढ़ेगा। उद्योग खोलने पर कोई ध्यान नहीं दिया गया है।

एसके बख्शी, केंद्रीय उपाध्यक्ष सीटू

आम बजट में बेरोजगारों के लिए कुछ नहीं किया गया। आम लोगों पर बोझा लादा गया

शिवबालक पासवान, माकपा

कांग्रेस ने जनता को निराश किया है। जनता इस बार आम बजट का जवाब बैलेट से देगी।

मुनिलाल राम, झाविमो

आम बजट जनविरोधी और महंगाई बढ़ाने वाला है। आंकड़ों के जाल में यूपीए ने फंसा कर जनता को दिग्भ्रमित किया है।

राजकुमार अग्रवाल, भाजपा नेता

आम बजट से जनता को उतनी राहत नहीं मिलेगी जितना होने वाले चुनाव को रखकर जनता ने उम्मीद लगा रखी थी।

डॉ. जेके सिन्हा, निदेशक आइएसएल

बजट संतुलित है। लेकिन आम जनता को ध्यान में नहीं रखा गया है। जनता को निराशा हाथ लगी है।

अनूप साव, पार्षद

आम बजट का बोझ जनता के सिर पर पड़ा है। जनता को कोई राहत नहीं मिली है।

हरीश जोशी, अधिवक्ता

बजट से महंगाई बढ़ेगी। यह बजट वोट को प्रभावित करनेवाला वित्त मंत्री चिदंबरम का आखिरी बजट कहलाएगा।

कादिर अंसारी, व्यवसायी

बजट में व्यवसायियों पर कोई ध्यान नहीं दिया गया है। लोगों को भी इससे कोई फायदा नहीं है।

मणिशंकरकेसरी, पूर्व जिलाध्यक्ष चैंबर

भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड

(कोल इण्डिया लिमिटेड का एक अंग)

संदर्भ सं.:- बी सी सी एल/टी ए/चीफ मैनेजर (सी) आई सी/12-13/1490 दिनांक:- 26.02.2013

शुद्धि पत्र

कोयला नगर में विभिन्न कार्यों के लिए आमंत्रित की गई निविदा आमंत्रण सूचना संदर्भ सं०:- बी सी सी एल / टी ए / चीफ मैनेजर (सी) आई सी / टेण्डर - 1/12-13/1477 दिनांक: 21.02.2013 के संदर्भ में कार्य पूर्णता का समय 12 (बारह) महीने होंगे।

निविदा आमंत्रण सूचना के अन्य सभी शर्तें यथावत् रहेगी।

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भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड

(कोल इण्डिया लिमिटेड का एक अंग)

सभी संबंधित व्यक्तियों को यह सूचित किया जाता है कि निम्नलिखित 09 (नौ) भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड का समूह (Cluster) जिसमें 63 खाने एवं 02 वाशरीज सम्मिलित हैं, को पर्यावरण एवं वन मंत्रालय के द्वारा पर्यावरण सफाया (Environmental Clearance) प्रदान किया जा चुका है।

क्र. सं.	समूह (Cluster) का नाम	स्वीकृति आदेश संख्या एवं तिथि
1.	समूह (Cluster) I : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, ब्लॉक चन्द्रपुरा, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड की दामोदा समूह की 3 खानें- दामोदा (बलबिहार शाखा) ओसीपी, दामोदा पुरानी एवं दामोदा बीजे सेक्शन समूह की खानें (575 हेक्टेयर की एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 0.9 एम टी पी ए सामान्य एवं 1.17 एम टी पी ए (उच्च))	जे-11015/93/ 2009-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 6 फरवरी 2013
2.	समूह (Cluster) II : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड की 2025.71 हेक्टेयर की एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में (20.215 एम टी पी ए की उच्च उत्पादन के साथ 18.55 एम टी पी ए सम्मिलित उत्पादन क्षमता की 5 खानें)	जे-11015/35/ 2011-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 6 फरवरी 2013
3.	समूह (Cluster) III : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड की 1420.61 हेक्टेयर की एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 3.6 एम टी पी ए की उच्च उत्पादन की 7 खानें (04.11.2010 को प्रदान की गई टी ओ आर पर आधारित ईसी)	जे-11015/213/ 2010-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 6 फरवरी 2013
4.	समूह (Cluster) IV : गोलकडीह कोलियरी भूमिगत को छोड़कर मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड की 1123.79 हेक्टेयर की एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 2.851 एम टी पी ए (सामान्य) 3.706 एम टी पी ए (उच्च) की उत्पादन क्षमता के साथ 6 खानें।	जे-11015/212/ 2010-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 6 फरवरी 2013
5.	समूह (Cluster) V : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड की 1957.08 हेक्टेयर की एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 4.854 (सामान्य) 6.311 (उच्च) एम टी पी ए के उत्पादन की 7 खानें (16.03.2011 को प्रदान की गई आई टी ओ आर पर आधारित ई सी)	जे-11015/01/ 2011-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 11 फरवरी 2013
6.	समूह (Cluster) VII : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड की 2127.7 हेक्टेयर की एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 8.16 एम टी पी ए की उच्च उत्पादन के साथ 6.227 एम टी पी ए की सम्मिलित क्षमता (09.12.2010 को प्रदान की गई टी ओ आर पर आधारित ईसी) (कुसतौर भूमिगत एवं पुरी भगतडीह को छोड़कर)	जे-11015/238/ 2010-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 6 फरवरी 2013
7.	समूह (Cluster) X : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड की (2057.95 हेक्टेयर की एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 1.762 एम टी पी ए की सामान्य एवं 2.289 एम टी पी ए की उच्च उत्पादन की 6 खानें) एवं 18 हेक्टेयर के एक क्षेत्र के लिए 1.6 एम टी पी ए सामान्य तथा 2.08 एम टी पी ए उच्च उत्पादन की सुदामडीह कोल वाशरी (सुदामडीह शॉफ्ट माईन के लीज होल्ड के अन्दर) (09.02.2011 को प्रदान की गई टी ओ आर पर आधारित ई सी)	जे-11015/380/ 2010-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 6 फरवरी 2013
8.	समूह (Cluster) XVI : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड में कोयला खानें (दहीबाड़ी -बसंतीमाता ओ सी पी, बसन्तीमाता भूमिगत खान, नई लायकडीह ओ सी पी (दहीबाड़ी कोल वाशरी सहित), लायकडीह डीप भूमिगत, चॉच भूमिगत) (1964.21 हेक्टेयर के एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 1.51 एम टी पी ए सामान्य तथा 1.963 एम टी पी ए उच्च) तथा 12 हेक्टेयर के क्षेत्र में 1.6 एम टी पी ए की दहीबाड़ी वाशरी (28.05.2010 को प्रदान की गई टी ओ आर पर आधारित ई सी)	जे-11015/185/ 2010-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 6 फरवरी 2013
9.	समूह (Cluster) VIII : मेसर्स भारत कोकिंग कोल लिमिटेड, झारिया कोलफिल्ड्स में स्थित, जिला- धनबाद, झारखंड के 10 खानों का समूह (1183.92 हेक्टेयर के एक सम्मिलित एम एल क्षेत्र में 5.603 एम टी पी ए की उच्च उत्पादन के साथ 4.31 एम टी पी ए को सम्मिलित क्षमता (12.0041 हेक्टेयर - 1649 हेक्टेयर = 1183.92 हेक्टेयर)	जे-11015/298/ 2010-1ए. 11 (एम) दिनांक : 15 फरवरी 2013

सफाया पत्र की प्रतिलिपि झारखंड राज्य प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड के पास उपलब्ध है तथा इसे पर्यावरण एवं वन मंत्रालय की वेबसाईट "http://envfor.nic.in" और भा. को. को. लि. के कार्यालय वेबसाईट "http://www.bccl.gov.in" पर भी देखा जा सकता है।

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लोक सुनवाई की सूचना

सड़क परिवहन एवं राजमार्ग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार द्वारा बिहार राज्य के अन्तर्गत राष्ट्रीय उच्चपथ संख्या–30A फतुहा–बाढ़ खण्ड को दो लेन पक्की पटरी सहित चौड़ीकरण परियोजना का प्रस्ताव है. इसकी कुल लम्बाई लगभग 72.390 कि0मी0 है। यह उच्चपथ पटना जिला के फतुहा से प्रारम्भ होकर नालंदा जिला के मण्डी, हरनौत होते हुए बाढ़ (पटना) तक जायगी। इस राजमार्ग में तीन बाईपास क्रमशः दनियावां, हरनौत एवं बाढ़ में प्रस्तावित है. इसके अतिरिक्त इसमें उपमार्ग, पुल पुलिया, भूमिगत मार्ग, रूकावट स्थल एवं टोल प्लाजा आदि की व्यवस्था होगी। परियोजना का कुल लागत 420.70 करोड़ है। इस परियोजना मार्ग में कोई राष्ट्रीय उद्यान, वन्य–जीव अभ्यारण्य नहीं है।

पर्यावरण एवं वन मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के पर्यावरणीय प्रभाव मूल्यांकन (ई.आई.ए) अधिसूचना, 2006 एवं उसमें संशोधित अधिसूचना के आलोक में प्रस्तावित योजना की पर्यावरणीय स्वीकृति हेतु ई.आई.ए. रिपोर्ट तैयार किया गया है, जिसमें सम्भावित दुष्प्रभावों के नियंत्रण हेतु उपाय दर्शाये गये हैं। ई.आई.ए. प्रतिवेदन एवं ई.आई.ए. सार–प्रतिवेदन को संबंधित जिलाधिकारी, जिला परिषद, एवं महाप्रबंधक, जिला उद्योग केन्द्र के कार्यालयों के साथ–साथ पर्षद मुख्यालय, पटना में कार्यालय कार्य दिवस के दौरान देखी जा सकती है। वैसे व्यक्ति जो इस परियोजना से प्रभावित होने वाले हों, अपना सुझाव/प्रतिक्रिया इस सूचना के प्रकाशित होने के 30 दिनों के अन्दर पर्षद को उपलब्ध करा सकते हैं।

स्थानीय जनता की प्रतिक्रिया/सुझाव अभिव्यक्त करने हेतु लोक सुनवाई कार्यक्रम निम्नवत है :–

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राप्रनि/सेका भील/खज/ दिनांक

पर्यावरणीय स्वीकृति हेतु लोक सुनवाई के लिए आम सूचना

1. सर्वसाधारण को सूचित किया जाता है कि मैसर्स भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण, परियोजना क्रियान्वयन इकाई, ए 11,चन्द्रकिरण, रीको हाउसिंग कॉलोनी, ब्यावर ने प्रस्तावित राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग संख्या 148–डी 109.750 कि.मी. राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग–8 (जिला–राजसमन्द) से 64.200 कि.मी., राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग–79 गुलाबपुरा (जिला भीलवाड़ा) तक की चौड़ाई एवं सुदृढ़करण से संबन्धित प्रार्थना पत्र मय दस्तावेज पर्यावरणीय स्वीकृति से पूर्व आवश्यक लोक सुनवाई हेतु प्रस्ताव राजस्थान राज्य प्रदूषण नियंत्रण मण्डल (यहां तथा बाद में मण्डल के नाम से अभिलिखित) को प्रस्तुत किया गया है।
2. और चूंकि **मैसर्स भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण, परियोजना क्रियान्वयन इकाई, ए 11,चन्द्रकिरण, रीको हाउसिंग कॉलोनी, ब्यावर** ने राजस्थान राज्य प्रदूषण नियंत्रण मण्डल को उक्त परियोजना की पर्यावरणी स्वीकृति से पूर्व आवश्यक लोक सुनवाई हेतु मण्डल को आवेदन प्रस्तुत किया है। उक्त परियोजना हेतु पर्यावरण मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार, नई दिल्ली द्वारा जारी अधिसूचना संख्या एस. ओ. 1533 दिनांक 14.09.2006 के अनुसार लोक सुनवाई हेतु इस आशय की सूचना जारी कर 30 दिवस का नोटिस दिया जाना अध्यपेक्षित है।
3. उक्त परियोजना से सम्बन्धित EIA/EMP Report एवं संक्षिप्त कार्यपालक सार अभिलेख निम्न स्थानों में अवलोकनार्थ उपलब्ध है :–
   (1) जिला कलेक्टर, राजसमन्द।
   (2) जिला उद्योग केन्द्र, राजसमन्द।
   (3) जिला परिषद, राजसमन्द।
   (4) तहसील कार्यालय, भीम, जिला–राजसमन्द।
   (5) कार्यालय पंचायत समिति, भीम, तहसील–भीम, जिला–राजसमन्द।
   (6) कार्यालय उपखण्ड मजिस्ट्रेट, भीम, तहसील–भीम, जिला–राजसमन्द।
   (7) क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, राजस्थान राज्य प्रदूषण नियंत्रण मण्डल, भीलवाड़ा।
   (8) पर्यावरण विभाग, राजस्थान सरकार, राजस्थान सचिवालय, जयपुर।
   (9) राजस्थान राज्य प्रदूषण नियन्त्रण मण्डल, 4 पर्यावरण भवन, सांस्कृतिक क्षेत्र, झालाना डूंगरी, जयपुर
   (10) क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, वनपरिवरण एवं वन मंत्रालय, पंचम तल केन्द्रीय भवन, सेक्टर एच, अलीगंज, लखनऊ।

अतः सर्व साधारण को नोटिस के माध्यम से एतद् द्वारा सूचित किया जाता है कि वे उक्त परियोजना के पर्यावरणीय स्वीकृति से संबंधित लोक सुनवाई हेतु **दिनांक 02.04.2013 को 1.00 पी.एम. पर कार्यालय उपखण्ड मजिस्ट्रेट, भीम, तहसील–भीम, जिला –राजसमन्द** में उपस्थित होकर अपने लिखित / मौखिक आक्षेप / सुझाव प्रस्तुत कर सकते हैं।

इस संबंध में लिखित आक्षेप / सुझाव इस सूचना के प्रकाशन की तिथि से 30 दिवस के अन्दर क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, राजस्थान राज्य प्रदूषण नियंत्रण मण्डल, भीलवाड़ा को भी दिये जा सकते हैं।

(वी. एस. संचेला) क्षेत्रीय अधिकारी

NORTH EASTERN RAILWAY

Notification No.:-23/2013

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Train No. & Name	Station From	Originating Date	Last Date
18191 Chhapra-Kanpur Anwarganj Utsarg Exp.	Chhapra	01-03-13	30-06-13
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This is to bring into notice of all concerned that the following 09 (Nine) Clusters of BCCL consisting of 63 Mines and 02 washeries are granted Environmental Clearances by Ministry of Environmental and forests.

Sl. No.	Name of the Cluster	Sanction order number and date
1.	**Cluster-I** (Damoda Group of 3 Mines - Damoda (Albion Section) OCP, Damoda UGP and Damoda EJ Section OCP) Group of Mines (of 0.9 MTPA normative and 1.17 MTPA (peak) in a combined ML area of 575 ha) of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., located in Jharia Coalfields, Block Chandrapur, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand.	J-11015/93/2009-IA.II (M) dated 5th Feb. 2013
2.	**Cluster-II** (5 mines of a combined prod. capacity 15.55 MTPA with a peak production of 20.215 MTPA) in a combined ML area of 2025.71 ha) of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., located in Jharia Coalfields, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand.	J-11015/35/2011-IA.II (M) dated 6th Feb. 2013
3.	**Cluster-III** (7 mines of a peak production of 3.6 MTPA in a combined ML area of 1420.61 ha) of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., located in Jharia Coalfields, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand (EC based on TOR granted on 04.11.2010).	J-11015/213/2010-IA.II (M) dated 6th Feb. 2013
4.	**Cluster-IV** (6 mines with production capacity 2.851 MTPA (Normative) 3.706 MTPA (Peak) in a combined ML area of 1123.79 ha) of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., located in Jharia Coalfields, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand excluding Gaslitand Colliery UG.	J-11015/212/2010-IA.II (M) dated 8th Feb. 2013
5.	**Cluster-V** (7 mines of a 4.854 (Normative) and 6.311 (Peak) production of MTPA in a combined ML area of 1957.08 ha) of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., located in Jharia Coalfields, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand (EC based on TOR granted on 16.03.2011).	J-11015/01/2011-IA.II (M) dated 11th Feb. 2013
6.	**Cluster-VII** (combined capacity 6.227 MTPA with a peak prodn. of 8.16 MTPA in a combined ML area of 2127.7 ha) of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd. located in Jharia Coalfields, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand (EC based on TOR granted on 09.12.2010) (excluding Kusture UG and East Bhuggatdih).	J-11015/238/2010-IA.II,(M) dated 6th Feb. 2013
7.	**Cluster-X** (5 mines of 1.762 MTPA of normative and peak production of 2.289 MTPA in a combined ML area of 2057.95 ha) and Sudamdih Coal Washery (Within the lease hold of Sudamdih Shaft Mine) of 1.6 MTPA of normative and 2.08 MTPA peak production for a area of 18 hai of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., located in Jharia Coalfields, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand (EC based on TOR granted on 09.02.2011).	J-11015/380/2010-IA.II (M) dated 6th Feb. 2013
8.	**Cluster-XVI** - Coalmines (Dahibari-Basantimata OCP, Basantimata under Ground Mine, New Laikdih OCP (Including Dahibari Coal Washery), Laikdih Deep UG, Chanch UG) (normative 1.51 MTPA and 1.963 MTPA peak in a combined ML area of 1964.21 ha) and Dahibari washery of 1.6 MTPA in the area of 12 ha of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., in Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand (EC based on TOR granted on 28.05.2010).	J-11015/185/2010-IA.I (M) dated 6th Feb. 2013
9.	**Cluster-VIII** Group of 10 Mines (combined capacity 4.31 MTPA with a peak prodn. of 5.603 MTPA in a combined ML area of 1183.92 ha (1200.41 ha-1649 ha=1183.92 ha) of M/s Bharat Coking Coal Ltd., located in Jharia Coalfields, Dist. Dhanbad, Jharkhand.	J-11015/298/2010-IA.II (M) dated 15th Feb. 2013

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