



Flood Management and Border Areas Programme

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The Union Cabinet, has approved the continuation of the [centrally sponsored Scheme](#), "[Flood Management and Border Areas Programme \(FMBAP\)](#)," proposed by the Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation (DoWR, RD & GR), for the period of 2021-22 to 2025-26.

- FMBAP includes two components: **Flood Management Programme (FMP) and River Management and Border Areas (RMBA)**.
- FMP component for flood control, anti-erosion, drainage development, and anti-sea erosion works.
 - **Funding pattern:**
 - 90% (Centre): 10% (State) for Special Category States (8 North-Eastern States and Hilly States of Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand and UT of Jammu & Kashmir).
 - 60% (Centre): 40% (State) for General/Non-Special Category States.
- RMBA component (**100% central assistance**) focuses on **flood control, anti-erosion works, and** safeguards security installations on border rivers, including joint water projects with neighbouring countries.
- The Scheme incentivizes states to implement [flood-plain zoning](#), an effective flood management measure.
 - **Flood-plain zoning** designates areas prone to flooding and dictates permissible developments to minimise damage during floods.

Read more: [Flood Management and Border Areas Programme \(FMBAP\)](#)

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