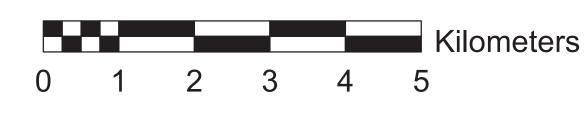
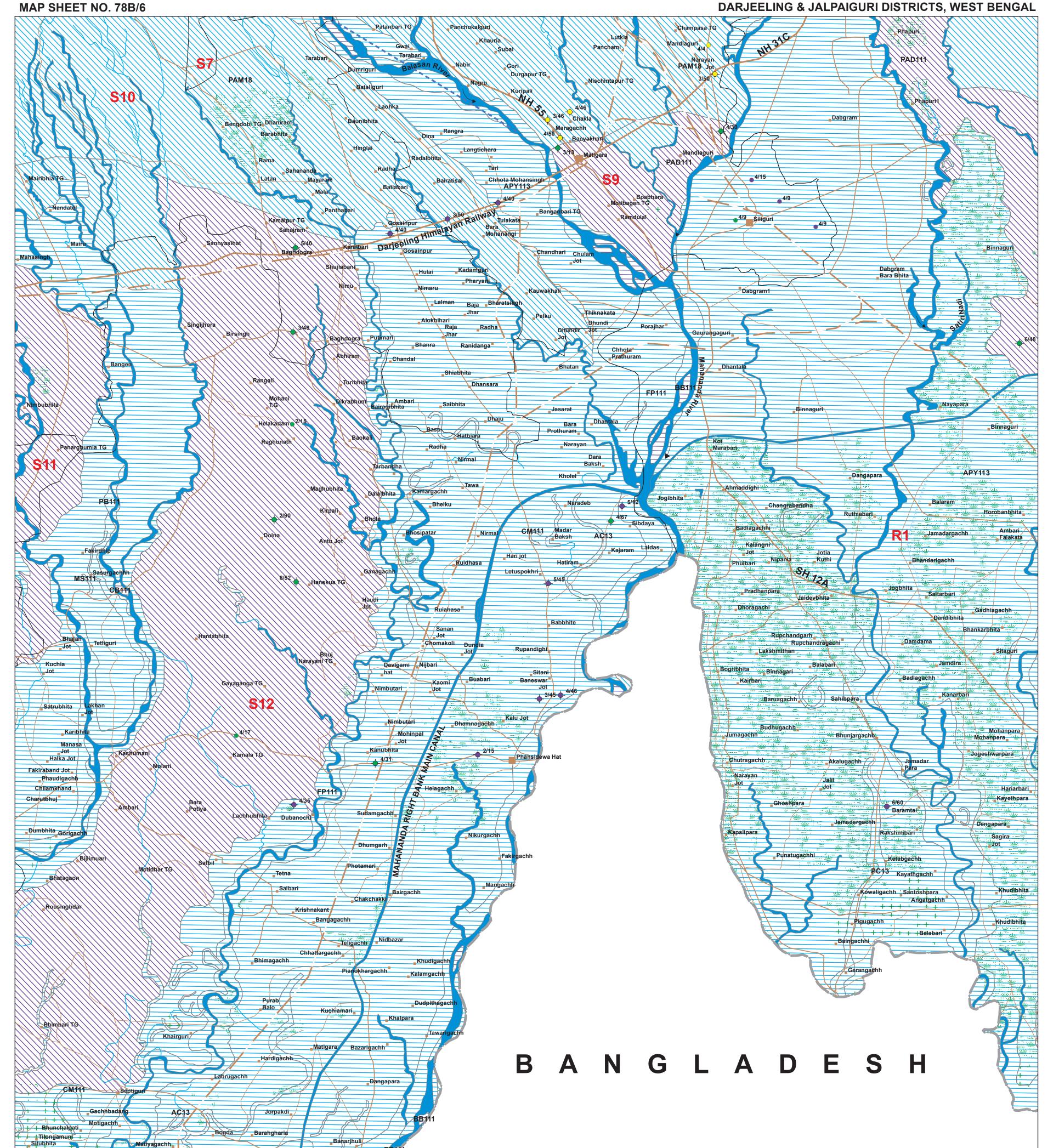
## GROUND WATER PROSPECTS MAP

(PREPARED FROM SATELLITE IMAGE INTERPRETATION WITH LIMITED FIELD CHECKS)



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DARJEELING & JALPAIGURI DISTRICTS, WEST BENGAL



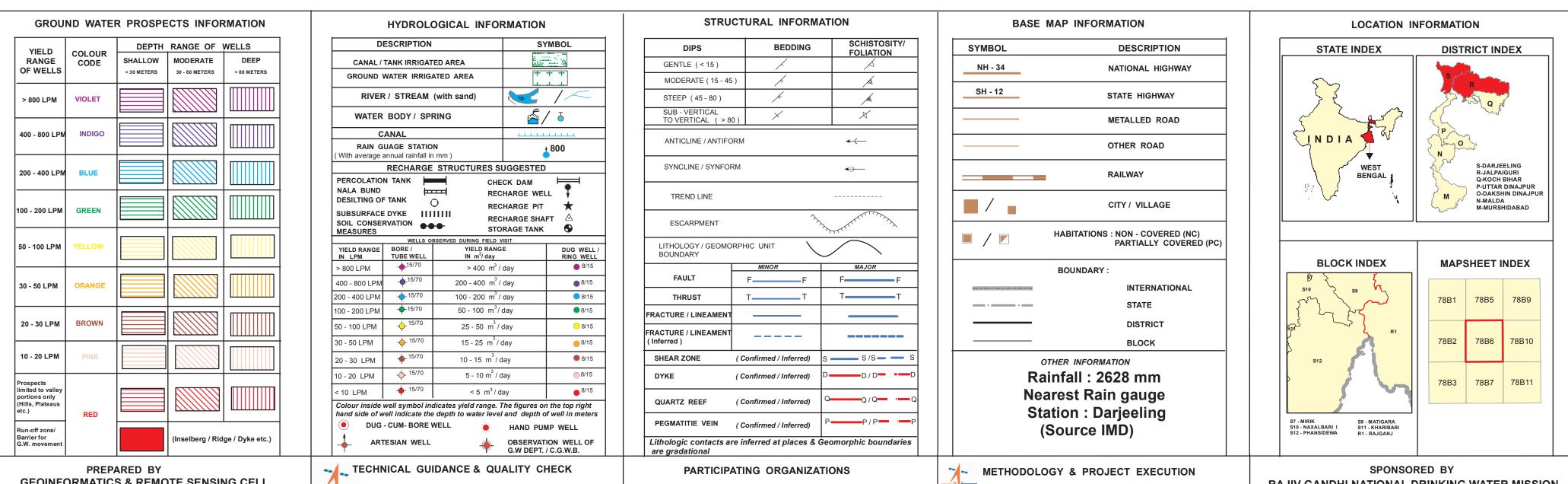
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DATA USED: IRS - P6 LISS III FCC dated February 2009, March 2009 & Nov 2011, GROUND TRUTH & WELL OBSERVATION during February-March 2011, Published GSI & SOI maps.

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MAP UNIT	GEOLOGICAL SEQUENCE / ROCK TYPE  (REPRESENTED IN THE MAP WITH NUMERIC CODE)		GEOMORPHIC UNIT / LANDFORM  (REPRESENTED IN THE MAP WITH ALPHABETIC CODE)	DEPTH TO WATER LEVEL  PRE / POST- MONSOON (AVERAGE IN METERS)  NO. OF WELLS OBSERVED	RECHARGE CONDITIONS  BASED ON AVAILABILITY OF WATER  (RAINFALL & OTHER SOURCES)	LEGEND  GROUNDWATERPROSPECTS  RECHARGE STRUCTURES								DEMARKS.
( HYDROGEOMORPHIC UNIT ) REPRESENTED IN THE MAP WITH ALPHANUMERIC CODE						AQUIFER MATERIAL  LS = LOOSE SEDIMENTS PR = PERMEABLE ROCK FIR = FISSURED ROCK FR = FRACTURED ROCK WR /= WEATHERED ROCK / WM WEATHERED MATERIAL IR = IMPERIVIOUS ROCK	TYPE OF WELLS SUITABLE  DW = DUG WELL RW = RING WELL BW = BORE WELL TW = TUBE WELL DBW /= DUG CUM-BORE WELL / DTW DUG CUM-TUBE WELL	DEPTH RANGE OF WELLS (SUGGESTED) MIN - MAX (IN METERS)	YIELD RANGE OF WELLS (EXPECTED) (in LPM or m <sup>3</sup> /day)	HOMOGENEITY IN THE UNIT & SUCCESS RATE OF WELLS (PROBABILITY)  VERY HIGH HIGH MODERATE LOW	QUALITY OF WATER POTABLE (P) NON - POTABLE (NP) (INDICATE REASONS IF NON POTABLE)	GROUND WATER IRRIGATED AREA (APPROX . RANGE IN PERCENTAGE)	SUITABLE & PRIORITY  PT = PERCOLATION TANK CD = CHECK DAM NB = NALA BUND RW = RECHARGE WELL DT = DESILTING OF TANK RP = RECHARGE PIT SD = SUBSURFACE DYKE RS = RECHARGE SHAFT ST = STORAGE TANK SCM = SOIL CONSERVATION MEASURES	REMARKS (PROBLEMS / LIMITATIONS)
CB111	Shaugaon Formation/Present Day Deposits (Present Day)	Alluvium (Sand Dominant) (111)	Channel Bar (CB)	No Well Observed	Excellent	LS	TW	5-10 m	400-500 LPM	Very High	Р	Nil	Not Required	Groundwater prospects very high with high recharge potential. Recharge structures not required
BB111			Braid Bar (BB)	No Well Observed	Excellent	LS	TW	5-10 m	400-500 LPM	Very High	Р	Nil	Not Required	Groundwater prospects very hig with high recharge potential. Recharge structures not required
PB111			Point Bar (PB)	No Well Observed	Very Good	LS	RW TW	5-10 m	400-500 LPM	Very High	Р	Nil	Not Required	Groundwater prospects very hig with high recharge potential. Recharge structures not require
IIIO I I I			Meander Scar (MS)	No Well Observed	Very Good	LS	RW TW	10-15 m	300- 400 LPM	High	Р	Nil	Not Required	Highly productive shallow aquife with good recharge.
CM111			Cut-off Meander (CM)	No Well Observed	Good	LS	RW TW	10-20 m	200-400 LPM	High	Р	Nil	Not Required	Highly productive shallow aquife with good recharge from the rive base flow.
FP111			Flood Plain (FP)	<u>6 / 4</u> 1	Very Good	LS	TW	<30 m	250-350 LPM	Very High	Р	Nil	Not Required	Receives good recharge and for shallow aquifer.Overall quality of the water is potable.
PAD111			Piedmont Alluvium Deep (PAD)	<u>5 / 3</u> 9	Good	LS	TW	30-80 m	100-300 LPM	Moderate	Р	Nil	Not Required	Good ground water prospect at greater depth as the principal aquifer occurs below PAM.
	i Formation e n e )	Alluvium (Sand and Silt) (113)	Alluvial Plain Younger (APY)	<u>5 / 3</u> 13	Good	LS	TW	25-30 m	200-250 LPM	High	P	15	Not Required	Highly productive aquifer at shallow depth with good recharge.
AC13	Malda/Jalpaiguri/Ganga-Koshi (Early - Late Holoc	Alluvium (Sand,Silt & Clay) (13)	Abandoned Channel (AC)	No Well Observed	Excellent to Very Good	LS	RW TW	10-30 m	300-400 LPM	Very High	Р	Nil	Not Required	Highly productive shallow aquifers with good recharge from base flow.
PG13			Palaeo-channel (PC)	No Well Observed	Very Good	LS	RW TW	15-20m	150 - 200 LPM	Very High	P	Nil	Not Required	Highly productive shallow aquifers with good recharge.
PAM18	alsa /Matiali /Thaljhora/ Samsing Formation Pleistocene-Er.Holocene)	(10)	Piedmont Alluvium Moderate (PAM)	<u>5 / 3</u> 7	Good	LS	TW DTW	60-80 m	50-100 LPM	Moderate	Р	Nil	Not Required	Moderate ground water prospec at more depth due to piedmont s
FF// — -	Chalsa Sz (Lt.Ple	'	ult / fracture zones, which ge	enerally act as conduits for mo	vement of ground water in	hard rocks. Along these zone	es, the yields are significantl	y higher and wells are	e likely to be sustainal	ble for longer duration	n. However, the inferre	d fractures need to be	confirmed by detailed ground surveys	s.
DD /QQ / DD /QQ /	/ <u>P</u>	P These are	dykes, quartz reefs and	Logaratito voine, which are	an arally act on bornions	for any and water many	1							



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