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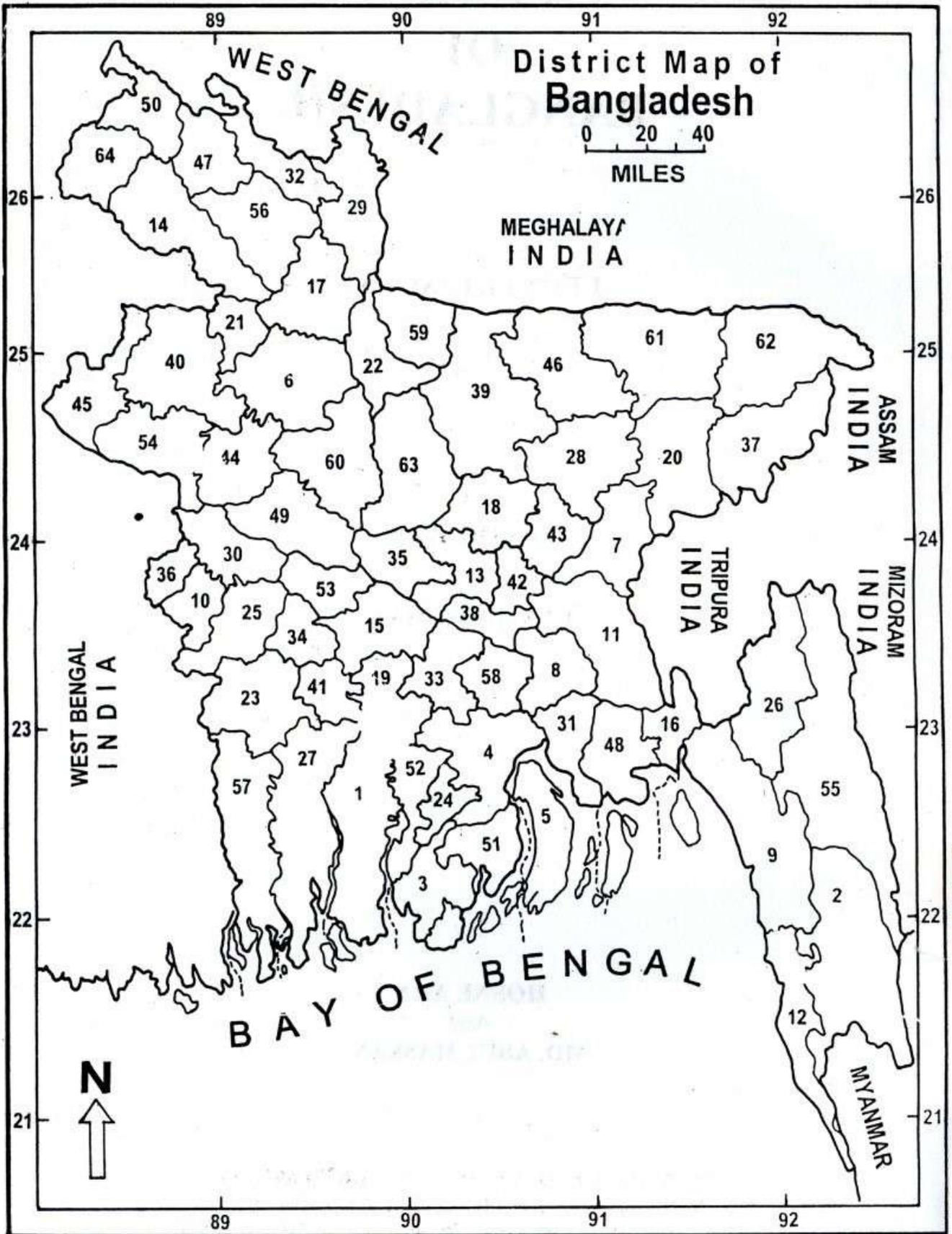
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List of Districts

The serial numbers correspond to those given in the map.

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| 1. Bagerhat | 33. Madaripur |
| 2. Bandarban | 34. Magura |
| 3. Barguna | 35. Manikganj |
| 4. Barisal | 36. Meherpur |
| 5. Bhola | 37. Maulvi Bazar |
| 6. Bogra | 38. Munshiganj |
| 7. Brahamanbaria | 39. Mymensingh |
| 8. Chandpur | 40. Naogaon |
| 9. Chittagong | 41. Narail |
| 10. Chuadanga | 42. Narayanganj |
| 11. Comilla | 43. Narsingdi |
| 12. Cox's Bazar | 44. Natore |
| 13. Dhaka | 45. Nawabganj |
| 14. Dinajpur | 46. Netrakona |
| 15. Faridpur | 47. Nilphamari |
| 16. Feni | 48. Noakhali |
| 17. Gaibandha | 49. Pabna |
| 18. Gazipur | 50. Panchagarh |
| 19. Gopalganj | 51. Patuakhali |
| 20. Habiganj | 52. Pirojpur |
| 21. Jaipurhat | 53. Rajbari |
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| 23. Jessore | 55. Rangamati |
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| 25. Jhenaidaha | 57. Satkhira |
| 26. Khagrachhari | 58. Shariatpur |
| 27. Khulna | 59. Sherpur |
| 28. Kishoreganj | 60. Sirajganj |
| 29. Kurigram | 61. Sunamganj |
| 30. Kushtia | 62. Sylhet |
| 31. Lakshmipur | 63. Tangail |
| 32. Lalmonirhat | 64. Thakurgaon |

Lecythidaceae Poiteau (1825)

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Trees or shrubs. Leaves simple, alternate, petiolate, entire or toothed, stipules absent or small and caducous, leaves usually crowded at the tips of the twigs. Inflorescences in racemes or spikes. Flowers usually large and showy, bisexual, regular or irregular, epigynous or seldom half-epigynous. Calyx of 4-6 sepals, valvate or imbricate. Corolla of 4-6 petals, free or connate at the base, imbricate. Stamens numerous, united at base into several whorls, filaments often connate below forming a staminal ring which may be curved over the ovary as a hood; anthers basifixed, 2-celled, opening by longitudinal slits; staminal disk sometimes lobed. Gynoecium of 2-6 carpels, united to form inferior or subinferior ovary; style terminal, simple; stigma capitate or lobed; ovules 1 or numerous per cell, axile placentation. Fruits capsule, indehiscent, large, woody, fibrous or fleshy with 1 or many-seeded. Seeds exalbuminous.

The family Lecythidaceae consists of about 20 genera and 450 species, distributed in the tropical regions of Africa, Asia, Australia, some Pacific islands and South America. In Bangladesh, this family is represented by 3 genera and 6 species.

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Burseraceae	36	Onagraceae	6
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Casuarinaceae	1	Plumbaginaceae	42
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