

### **1. Why study landslides?**

Landslides are a severe threat to lives and properties, it is essential to understand the physical processes, causes of landslides, movement characteristics, and potential risk factors.

### **2. Which part of India is landslide prone?**

The entire Himalayan tract, hills/ mountains in sub-Himalayan terrains of North-east India, Western Ghats, the Nilgiris in Tamil Nadu Konkan areas are landslide-prone (~ 0.42 Million Sq. Km.; including the permafrost regions it becomes 0.49 Million Sq. Km).

### **3. What is landslide inventory?**

It is a map or database representing the features of the landslides, recorded to the paper or computer, considering the location, date, type, size, conditioning parameters in an area.

### **4. Why landslide inventory required?**

A detailed and accurate landslide inventory is an essential part of landslide hazard analysis.

### **5. How to send the data from field if there is no internet connectivity?**

You can save the data in the field and send it later when the connectivity is restored

### **6. Can I view and download the data I uploaded?**

You can view and download the data you uploaded.

### **7. Where can I view the data uploaded by me and others?**

Go to the 'All Reports' tab, where data uploaded by the public is shown in green and by experts in red.

### **8. Where can I download the data I uploaded?**

Go to the 'View My Landslide' tab and click on the download icon

### **9. Can I see and download the data uploaded by others?**

You can view all the data uploaded on the app, but authorization to download data sent by others can be granted by GSI upon request

### **10. Do I need to fill all attribute details as desired by app?**

Some attribute fields are mandatory, while others are optional. However, it is recommended to provide all details of the landslide from a given point.

### **11. Can I share this Bhooskhalan app with others?**

You are encouraged to do so. It can be downloaded from App store/play store. A more comprehensive landslide inventory is essential for improving early warning systems, risk assessment, and disaster preparedness. It also aids in better land use planning, infrastructure protection, and environmental management.

### **12. Why is the app not getting installed in my mobile?**

Detail provided by SCS tech.....

### **13. Is my location accurate?**

Ensure that the latitude and longitude captured by the app correspond to the location of the landslide, not the user's location

**14. In case of doubt/difficulty, whom to contact?**

You can contact director, Landslide Studies Division, CHQ, Kolkata through e-mail: [dir.ghrm.landslide.gov.in](mailto:dir.ghrm.landslide.gov.in) and Provide contact of helpdesk (SCS TECH).