

Continental Watch

From Tuesday, December 9, 2025 to Saturday, December 13, 2025

1.HIGHLIGHTS

Multi - Hazard Outlook for the next 5 days :

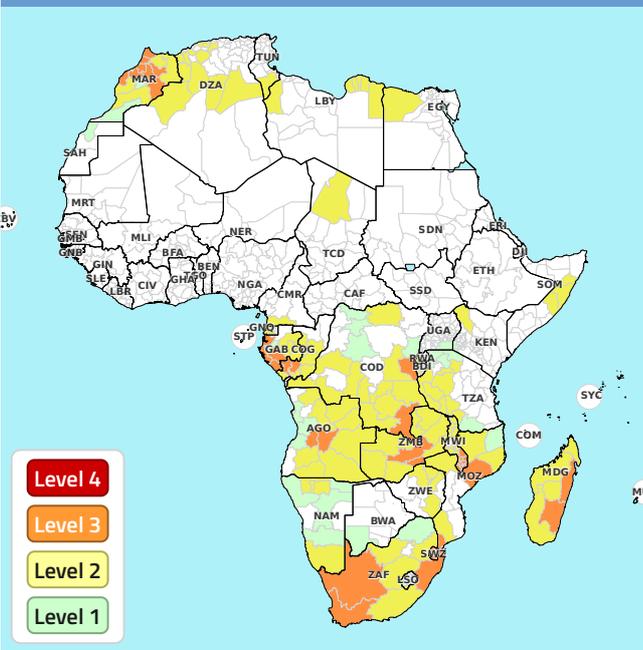
Level 3 warning for possible extreme precipitation over Malawi, Angola, Republic of Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Gabon, Madagascar, Zambia and Mozambique

Level 3 warning for possible wind storms over eSwatini, South Africa, Morocco and Mozambique

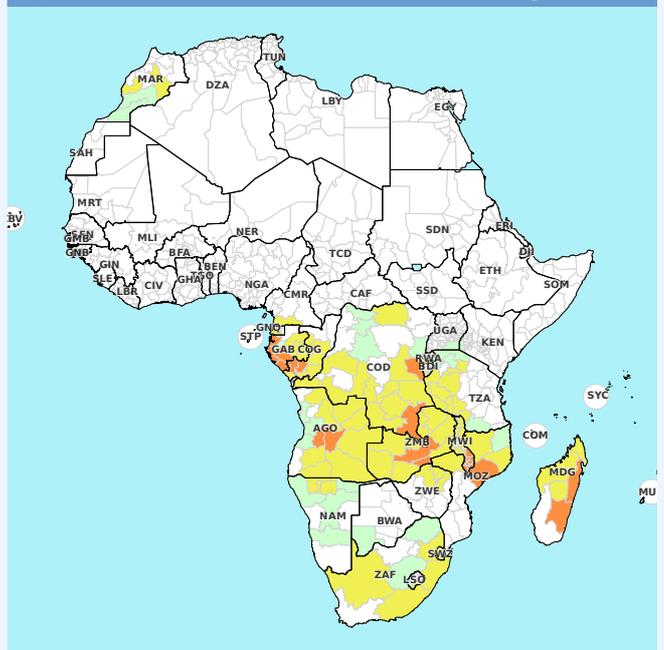
2. DETAILED MULTI-HAZARD OUTLOOK FOR THE NEXT 5 DAYS

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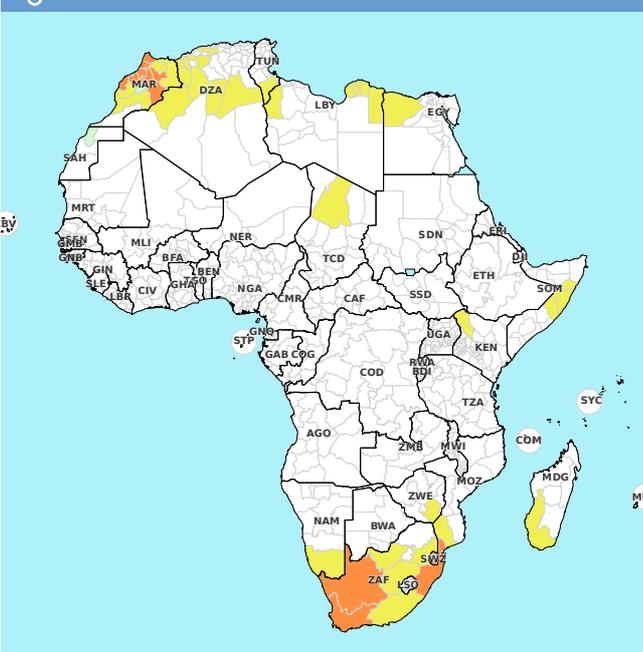
Multi-Hazard assessment



Extreme Precipitation



Wind Storms



Riverine Floods



These maps summarize the forecast occurrence of extreme precipitation, wind storms and riverine floods possibly affecting the population in the next 5 days. Regions are color-coded into four classes of warning according to increasing rates of population affected, from Level 1 (lowest warning) to Level 4 (highest warning). Areas with no significant impacts foreseen are colored in white. Impacts are estimated by crossing information on hazard, exposure, vulnerability and coping capacity. Hazard classes are defined according to threshold levels for each hazard derived from statistical analysis on past events or from reference literature values. The Multi-Hazard assessment map shows the highest forecast warning level among the considered hazards in the next 5 days.



Extreme Precipitation:

Level 3: Malawi (Balaka, Blantyre, Chikwawa, Machinga, Mangochi, Mulanje, Neno, Ntcheu, Phalombe, Thyolo, Zomba), Angola (Bié, Huambo), Republic of Congo (Lékoumou, Niari), Democratic Republic of the Congo (Haut-Katanga, Sud-Kivu), Gabon (Estuaire, Ngounié, Nyanga, Ogooué-Maritime), Madagascar (Fianarantsoa, Toamasina), Zambia (Central, Lusaka), Mozambique (Zambezia)

Level 2: Tanzania (Katavi, Kigoma, Mbeya, Njombe, Rukwa, Shinyanga, Simiyu, Songwe, Tabora), Zimbabwe (Harare, Mashonaland Central, Mashonaland East, Mashonaland West), Angola (Cuando Cubango, Cunene, Huíla, Lunda Norte, Lunda Sul, Malanje, Moxico, Uíge), Burundi (Bururi, Kayanza), Democratic Republic of the Congo (Bas-Uélé, Haut-Lomami, Kasai, Kasai-Central, Kongo-Central, Kwango, Lomami, Lualaba, Maniema, Mai-Ndombe, Tanganyika), Republic of Congo (Bouenza, Cuvette, Cuvette-Ouest, Kouilou, Plateaux, Pool), Gabon (Haut-Ogooué, Ogooué-Ivindo, Ogooué-Lolo), Lesotho (Quthing), Morocco (Marrakech - Tensift - Al Haouz, Meknès - Tafilalet), Madagascar (Antananarivo, Antsiranana, Mahajanga), Namibia (Ohangwena, Omusati, Oshana, Oshikoto), Malawi (Dedza, Dowa, Karonga, Lilongwe, Mchinji, Mzimba, Nkhata Bay, Nkhotakota, Rumphu, Salima), Mozambique (Nampula, Nassa, Tete), Rwanda (Amajyepfo, Iburengerazuba), South Africa (Eastern Cape, KwaZulu-Natal, Mpumalanga, Northern Cape), Zambia (Copperbelt, Eastern, Luapula, Muchinga, North-Western, Northern, Southern, Western), eSwatini (Hhohho, Lubombo, Shiselweni), Cameroon (Sud), Equatorial Guinea (Centro Sur, Litoral)

Level 1: Uganda (Kalangala, Lake Victoria), Kenya (Homa Bay, Migori, Siaya), Malawi (Chiradzulu, Chitipa), Angola (Bengo, Benguela, Cuanza Sul), Botswana (Kgalagadi), Democratic Republic of the Congo (Mongala, Nord-Kivu, Nord-Ubangi, Tshuapa), Gabon (Moyen-Ogooué), Lesotho (Berea, Mafeteng, Maseru, Mohale's Hoek), Morocco (Guelmim - Es-Semara, Souss - Massa - Draâ), Mozambique (Cabo Delgado), Namibia (Hardap, Kavango, Khomas, Kunene, Otjozondjupa), Tanzania (Kagera, Mara, Mwanza, Ruvuma), South Africa (Free State, Limpopo)

More details:

Possibility of heavy precipitation between 100mm and 150mm is very likely in western and southern Gabon, southwestern Congo, eastern and southern Democratic Republic of Congo, central Angola, central Zambia, southern Malawi, eastern Mozambique, and eastern Madagascar.

Possibility of moderate precipitation in the range of 50mm to 100mm is very likely in northern Morocco, southern Cameroon, Equatorial Guinea, northern, and eastern Gabon, central to southern Congo, central to southern Democratic Republic of Congo, northern, and eastern Angola, across Zambia, western Burundi, western Tanzania, northern Malawi, northern Mozambique, Eswatini, eastern, and western South Africa, Lesotho, central, and northern Madagascar.

The differences between areas likely to experience extreme rainfall and forecast impact alert levels are due to variabilities in the population exposed to the hazard as well as levels of vulnerability and coping capacities of the areas at risk.



Wind Storms:

Level 3: eSwatini (Hhohho, Lubombo, Manzini, Shiselweni), South Africa (KwaZulu-Natal, Northern Cape, Western Cape), Morocco (Chaouia - Ouardigha, Doukkala - Abda, Fès - Boulemane, Gharb - Chrarda - Béni Hssen, Meknès - Tafilalet, Rabat - Salé - Zemmour - Zaer, Tanger - Tétouan), Mozambique (Maputo)

Level 2: Algeria (Ain Defla, Ain Témouchent, Béchar, Chlef, El Bayadh, Ghardaïa, Mascara, Médéa, Naâma, Ouargla, Sidi Bel Abbès, Tiaret, Tlemcen), Egypt (Matrouh), South Africa (Eastern Cape, Free State, Mpumalanga, North West), Libya (Al Butnan, Al Jabal al Akhdar, Al Marj, Benghazi, Darnah, Nalut), Morocco (Marrakech - Tensift - Al Haouz, Oriental, Souss - Massa - Draâ, Taza - Al Hoceima - Taounate), Madagascar (Toliary), Mozambique (Gaza), Zimbabwe (Masvingo), Namibia (!Karas), Kenya (Turkana), Somalia (Galguduud, Mudug, Nugaal), Chad (Borkou), Tunisia (Tataouine)

Level 1: Sahrawi Republic (Laayoune), Lesotho (Mafeteng, Mophale's Hoek), Morocco (Tadla - Azilal)

More details:

Possibility of strong winds greater than 35 knots is very likely in northern Morocco, southern Mozambique, Eswatini, northeastern, and western South Africa.

Possibility of moderate to strong winds of 15 to 35 knots is very likely in northern Morocco, northern Algeria, southern Tunisia, northeastern Libya, northern Chad, northern Kenya, eastern Somalia, southeastern Zimbabwe, southern Mozambique, southern Namibia, northern, and eastern South Africa, Lesotho, and southern Madagascar.

The differences between areas likely to experience strong winds and forecast impact alert levels are due to variabilities in the population exposed to the hazard as well as levels of vulnerability and coping capacities of the areas at risk.



Riverine Floods:

Level 1: Angola (Luanda), Republic of Congo (Cuvette-Ouest)

More details: There is low risk of floods warning level 4 (Extreme) or level 3 (High) forecasted on the continent for the next five days.

3. ADVISORIES

Level 4 Advisory:

According to the forecast in this edition of the Continental Watch, no member state of the African Union has been cited in level 4 warning for possible extreme precipitation, riverine flooding, and strong winds.

Level 3 Advisory:

National Disaster Management Authorities and National Hydrometeorological Services in Malawi, Angola, Republic of Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Gabon, Madagascar, Zambia, Mozambique, Eswatini, South Africa and Morocco are advised to monitor the heavy rainfall and strong winds in the next five days due to the medium possibility of heavy rainfall and strong winds, and update their flood contingency plans. The ECCAS, UMA, and SADC Regional Climate Centres are advised to monitor closely possible impacts in the affected countries and provide technical assistance if needed.

Level 2 Advisory:

Hydrometeorological and National Disaster Risk Management Authorities of Tanzania, Zimbabwe, Angola, Burundi, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Republic of Congo, Gabon, Lesotho, Morocco, Madagascar, Namibia, Malawi, Mozambique, Rwanda, South Africa, Zambia, Eswatini, Cameroon, Equatorial Guinea, Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, Kenya, Somalia, Chad and Tunisia, are advised to continue monitoring strong winds and the rainfall evolutions that are expected to cause sporadic flash floods and strong winds.

4. SOURCES

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