





Climate Prediction Center's Central Asia Hazards Outlook For USAID / FEWS-NET May 07 – May 13, 2020

Temperatures:

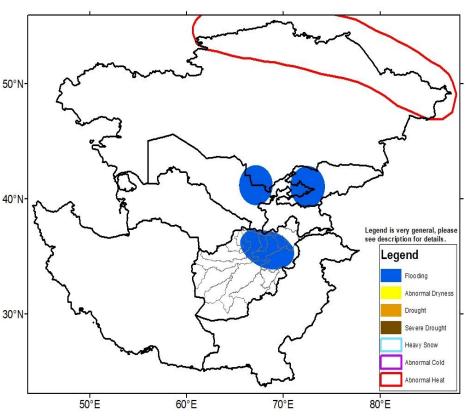
The eastern part of Kazakhstan and Kirghizstan have registered the highest temperature this past seven days (between 4-8°C above normal). This month of May has started with a continuation of positive temperatures anomalies observed since the month of April.

During the coming outlook period, above-average temperature is expected in the northern and eastern part of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the northern part of Afghanistan and the northern part of Pakistan. The strongest area would be 40°N located over northern part of Kazakhstan and some local areas of Kyrgyzstan.

Precipitation

This past seven days, flash flood leading to mudslides and fatalities has been reported over Turkestan region of Kazakhstan, Batken region of Kyrgyzstan and along the Syr Darian river in Uzbekistan. Light to moderate rainfall has been registered over the northern part of Afghanistan, the northern part of Pakistan, Tajikistan, and Kyrgyzstan. Showers to light rainfall has been recorded over the southern Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, and Turkmenistan.

For the coming outlook period, light to moderate rainfall (between 10 to 75 mm) is expecting over Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, and some portion of the northern part of Afghanistan.



Note: The Hazards outlook map is based on current weather/climate information, short and medium range weather forecasts (up to 1 week), and assesses their potential impact on crop and pasture conditions. Shaded polygons are added in areas where anomalous conditions have been observed. The boundaries of these polygons are only approximate at this continental scale. This product does not reflect long range seasonal climate forecasts or indicate current or projected food security conditions.

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