

## Climate Prediction Center's Central Asia Hazards Outlook For USAID / FEWS-NET November 07 – 13, 2019

### Temperatures:

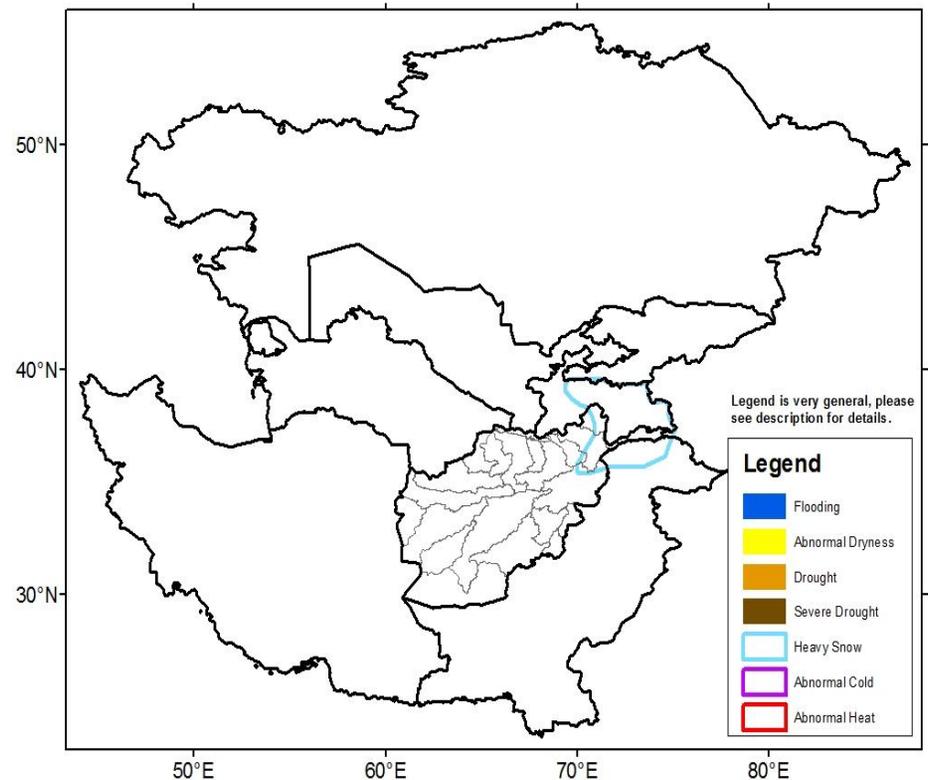
Central Asia has been recording above than normal temperatures last week except in its southwestern part. Kazakhstan has observed the highest maximum temperature anomaly between 2 to 8 degrees C. Pakistan, southern Afghanistan and Turkmenistan has recorded temperature above 35 degree C. The northern Kazakhstan remains the lowest average temperatures area.

For the coming week, minimum temperatures near freezing are forecasted over Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, and northern Afghanistan. Abnormal cold hazard is posted for mainly areas of Tajikistan where negative temperature anomalies are the largest and subfreezing minimum temperatures are likely.

### Precipitation

During the past week, light to moderate rainfall has been recorded over Tajikistan, eastern Uzbekistan, eastern Turkmenistan and Afghanistan. Some scattered rainfall has been recorded over local areas of Kazakhstan. GEFS week1 ensemble forecasts light to moderate rain over the northern Afghanistan, northern Pakistan, Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan and the northern Kazakhstan.

Risk of heavy snow over Tajikistan and the northern part of Afghanistan has been taking account due to the near freezing temperature forecast and rainfall for the coming week.



**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.**

FEWS NET is a USAID-funded activity whose purpose is to provide objective information about food security conditions. Its views are not necessarily reflective of those of USAID or the U.S. Government. The FEWS NET weather hazards outlook process and products include participation by FEWS NET field and home offices, NOAA-CPC, USGS, USDA, NASA, and a number of other national and regional organizations in the countries concerned. Questions or comments about this product may be directed to Wassila.Thiaw@noaa.gov or 1-301-683-3424. Questions about the USAID FEWSNET activity may be directed to Gary Eilerts, USAID Program Manager for FEWSNET, 1-202-254-0204 or geilerts@usaid.gov.