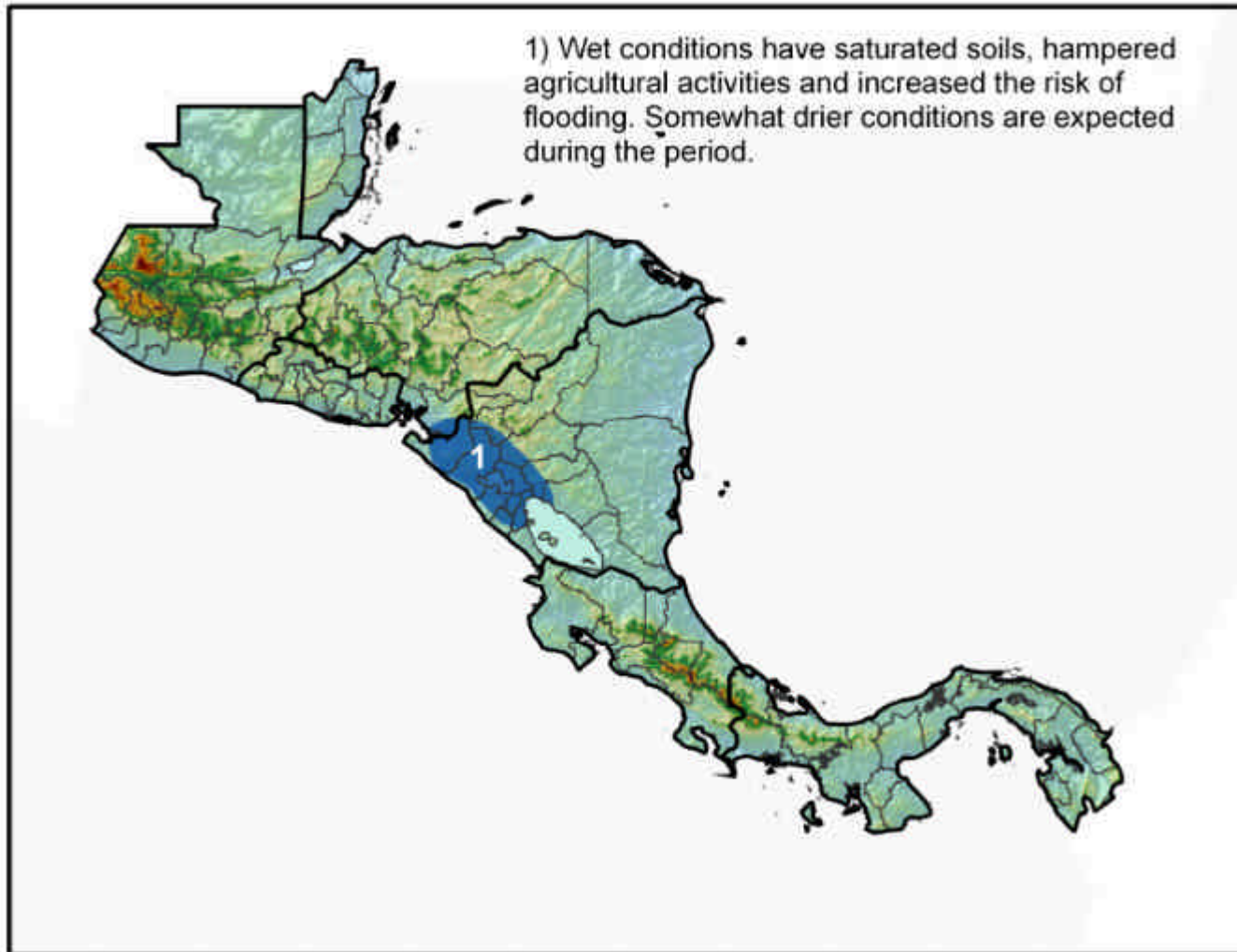


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Hazards Assessment Text Explanation:

1. Persistent rains have led to saturated soils and have hampered sowing activities across portions of western Nicaragua, especially in areas of poor drainage. As a result, the sowing of seasonal crops is behind schedule and even moderate amounts of rainfall over the next several days may lead to some flooding problems. However, somewhat drier conditions are expected during the period across the region.

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