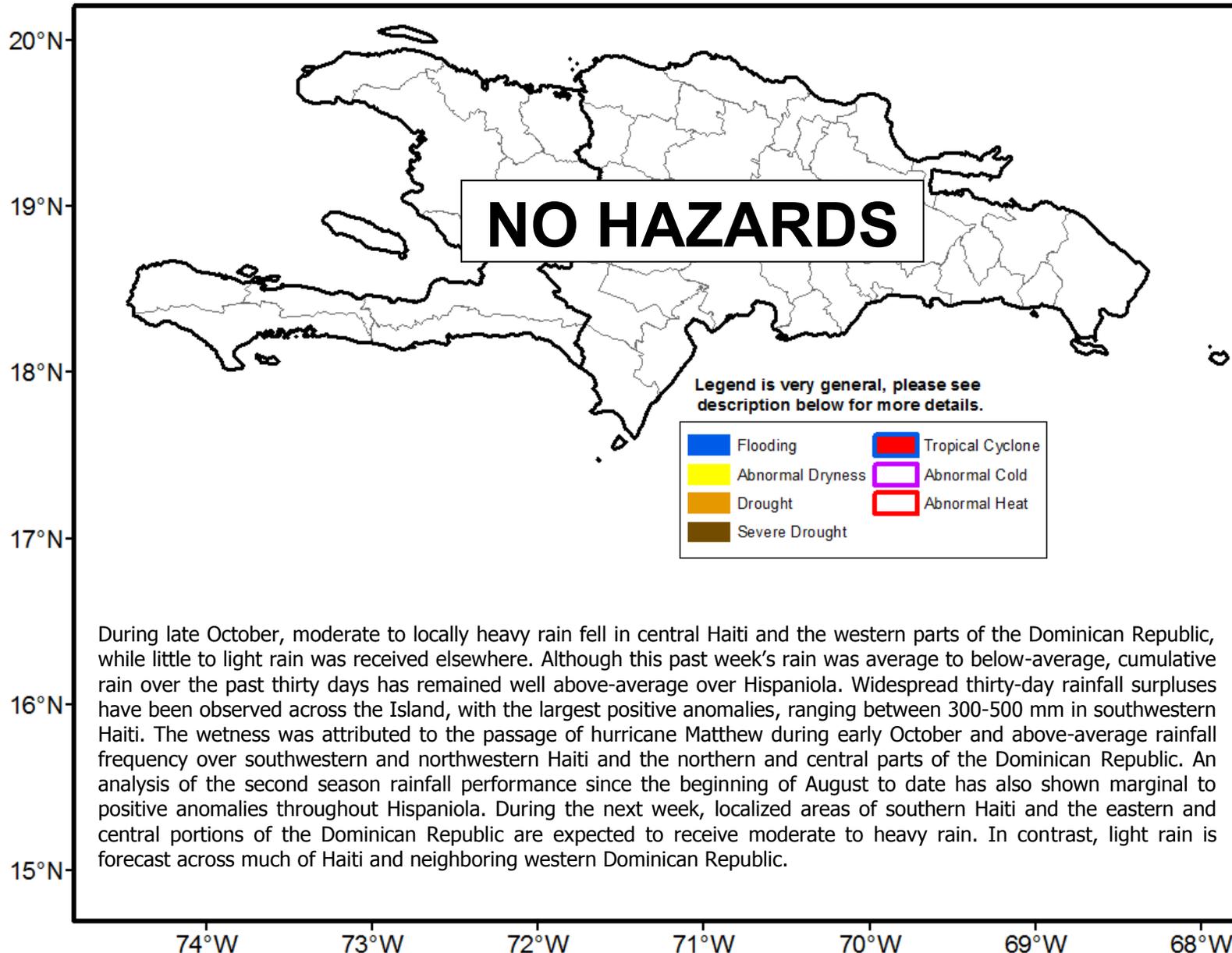




Climate Prediction Center's Hispaniola Hazards Outlook November 3 – 9, 2016

- Enhanced rain forecast over the eastern portions of Hispaniola during the next week.



During late October, moderate to locally heavy rain fell in central Haiti and the western parts of the Dominican Republic, while little to light rain was received elsewhere. Although this past week's rain was average to below-average, cumulative rain over the past thirty days has remained well above-average over Hispaniola. Widespread thirty-day rainfall surpluses have been observed across the Island, with the largest positive anomalies, ranging between 300-500 mm in southwestern Haiti. The wetness was attributed to the passage of hurricane Matthew during early October and above-average rainfall frequency over southwestern and northwestern Haiti and the northern and central parts of the Dominican Republic. An analysis of the second season rainfall performance since the beginning of August to date has also shown marginal to positive anomalies throughout Hispaniola. During the next week, localized areas of southern Haiti and the eastern and central portions of the Dominican Republic are expected to receive moderate to heavy rain. In contrast, light rain is forecast across much of Haiti and neighboring western Dominican Republic.