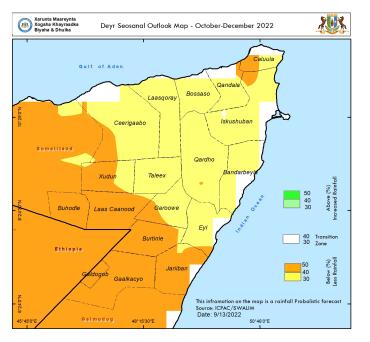




DEYR SEASONAL OUTLOOK OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2022





Map 1: Oct -Dec 2022 Deyr Seasonal Outlook

- Puntland remains in an extreme and severe drought situation which resulted an immense displacements and loss of livestock. The rainfall forecast from the IGAD Climate Prediction and Applications Centre (ICPAC) at (GHACOF61) forum predicted that the Deyr rainfall is expected to be below normal.
- The amount of anticipated rainfall, as shown on the probabilistic forecast map is below 50% indicting that its below then normal.
- This will lead the 5th failed consecutive rainy season which could be attributed to climate change affecting the east Africa region.
- The consequences of the expected failed rainy season would result to shortage of surface water, depletion of water table, dry-up shallow wells, boreholes and pasture loss, all of which could intensify the internal displacement (IDPs) and famine.
- Considering the outlook of the Deyr rain season, it is necessary to be prepared for mitigation measures for the negative impact of expected possible failure of Deyr season so as to take an appropriate decision.
- The Information Management Center for Water & Land Resources will regularly produce forecasts on weekly basis during the rainy season.

IMC advises the community that this forecast is subject to change at any time, and may differ from the amount of expected rain and the actual amount of rain.



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