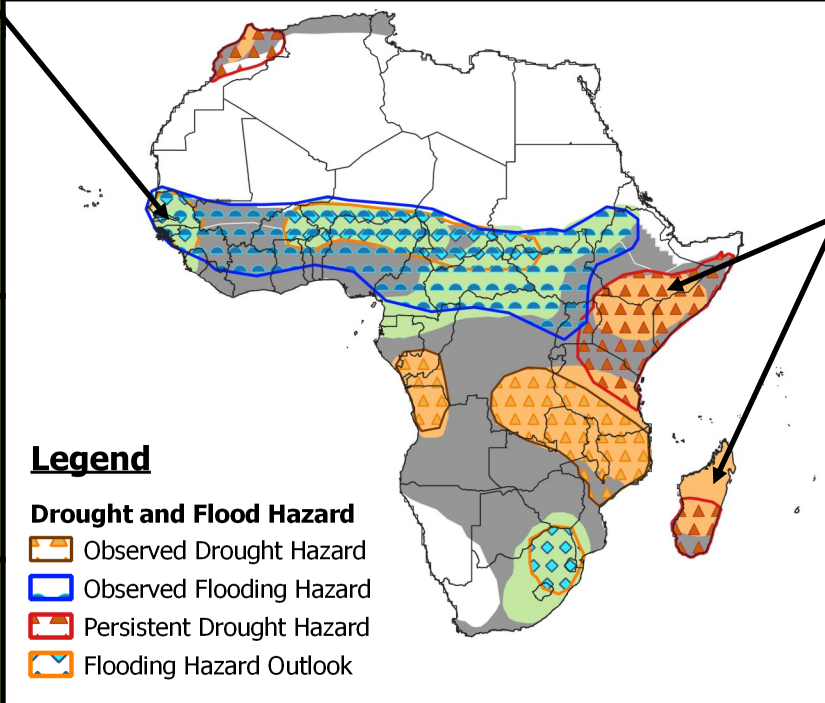




**CONTINENTAL**  
**BRIEF FOR POLICY AND DECISION MAKERS BASED ON**  
**SIGNIFICANT WEATHER AND CLIMATE EVENTS UPDATE.**  
**VALID FOR: SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER 2022**



<p align="center"><b>CLIMATE ANOMALIES</b></p> <p>Wetter than average season very likely          Heavy rainfall with reported flooding events</p>
<p align="center"><b>HAZARDS</b></p> <p>Heavy rainfall events may lead to flash flood, riverine flooding, landslides and soil erosion. High chance of lightning, hail formation and stormy weather are expected</p>
<p align="center"><b>POTENTIAL IMPACTS</b></p> <p>Waterlogging, pest and diseases Infestation, Outbreak of water borne diseases damage to infrastructures(dams, reservoirs, bridges, roads...) Displacement of people due to floods.</p>
<p align="center"><b>MEASURES</b></p> <p>Select excess moisture tolerant crops, wide tree planting campaigns Develop new and rehabilitatethe existing drainage structure, Update and implement flood contingency plans improve water management in reservoirs and dams</p>



<p align="center"><b>CLIMATE ANOMALIES</b></p> <p>Drier than average season very likely          Prolonged drought with reported persistent impacts</p>
<p align="center"><b>HAZARDS</b></p> <p>Weak to Moderate drought, dry spells, near average to late onset very likely.</p>
<p align="center"><b>POTENTIAL IMPACTS</b></p> <p>Moisture stress, decreased river discharge, reduced rain-fed crop yield prospect, degradation of pastures and high food prices.</p>
<p align="center"><b>MEASURES</b></p> <p>Develop and implement policy to support drought tolerant and short cycle crops, soil and water conservation practice, maximize full irrigation farming. Use watershed based in-situ water harvesting structures Develop and Implement policy In support of weather based insurance and dam management</p>