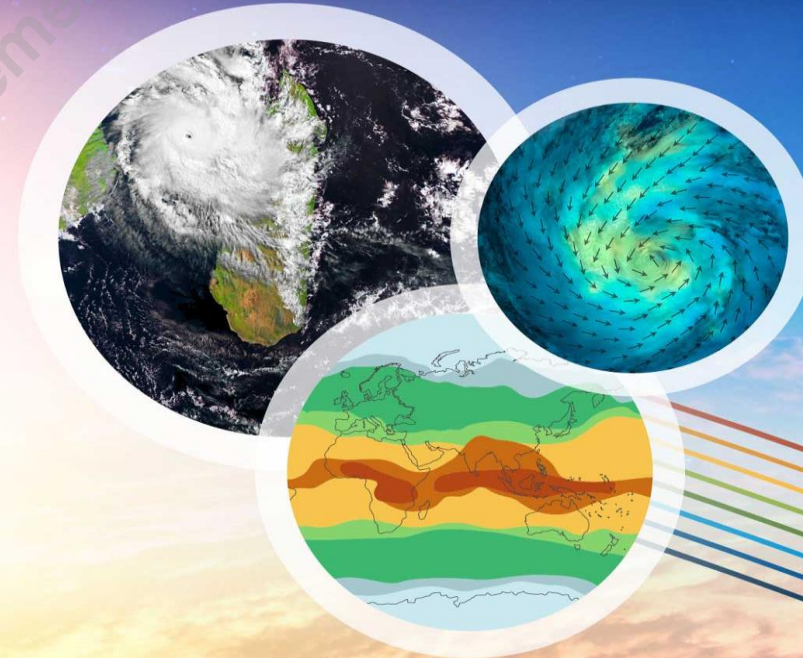
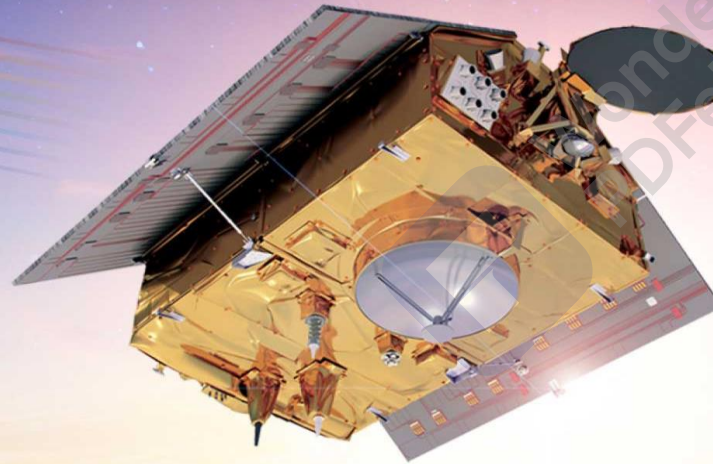


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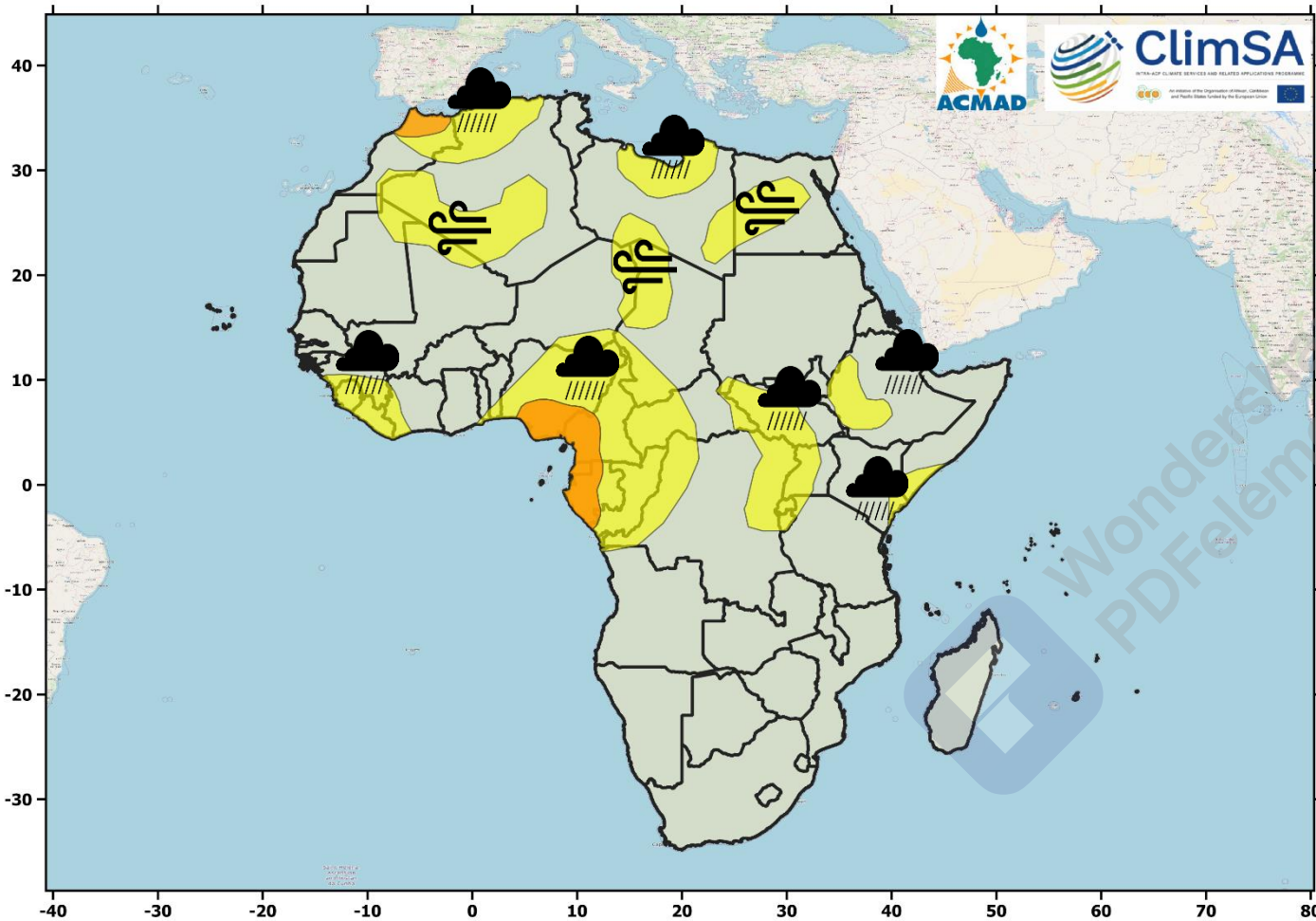






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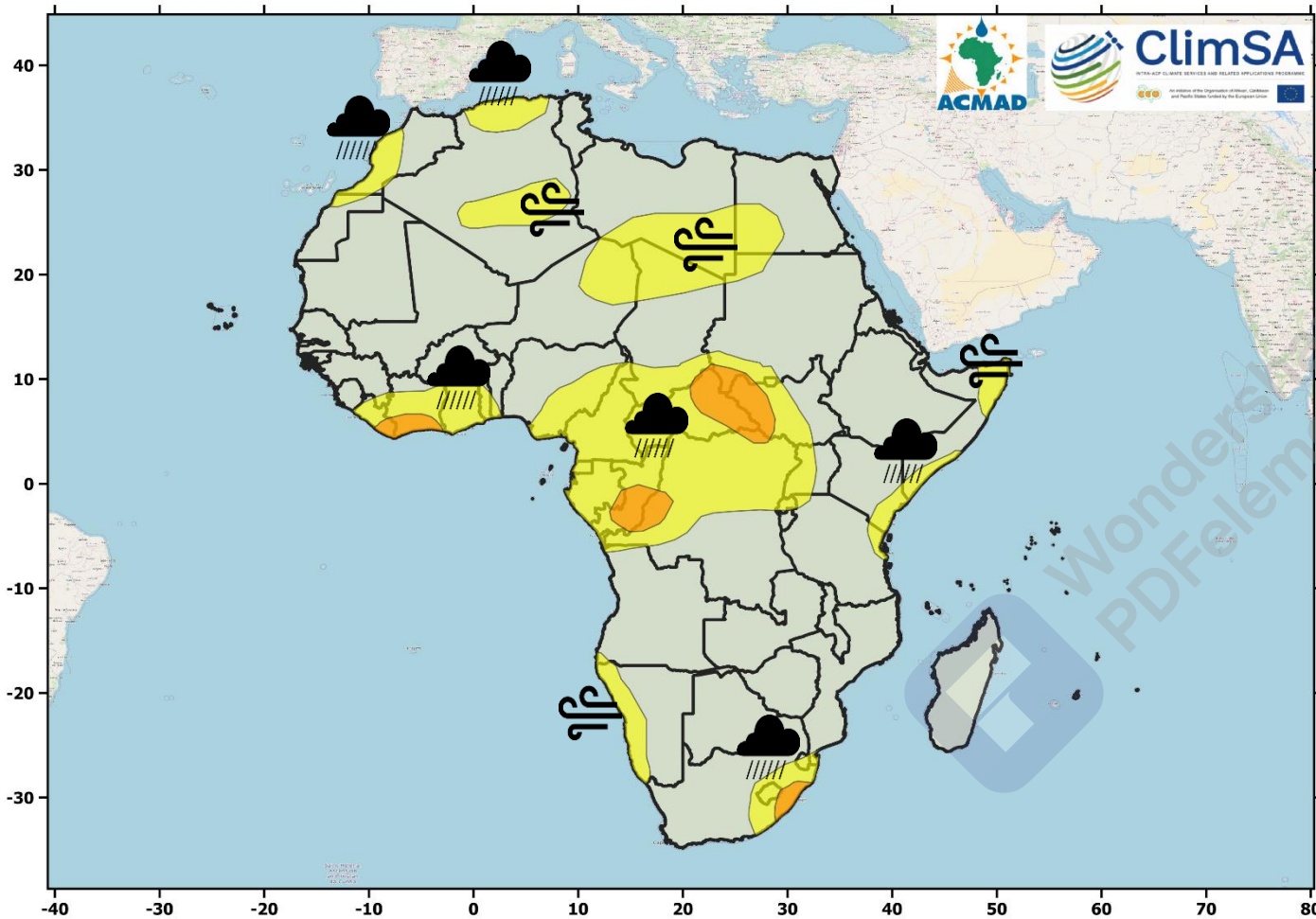






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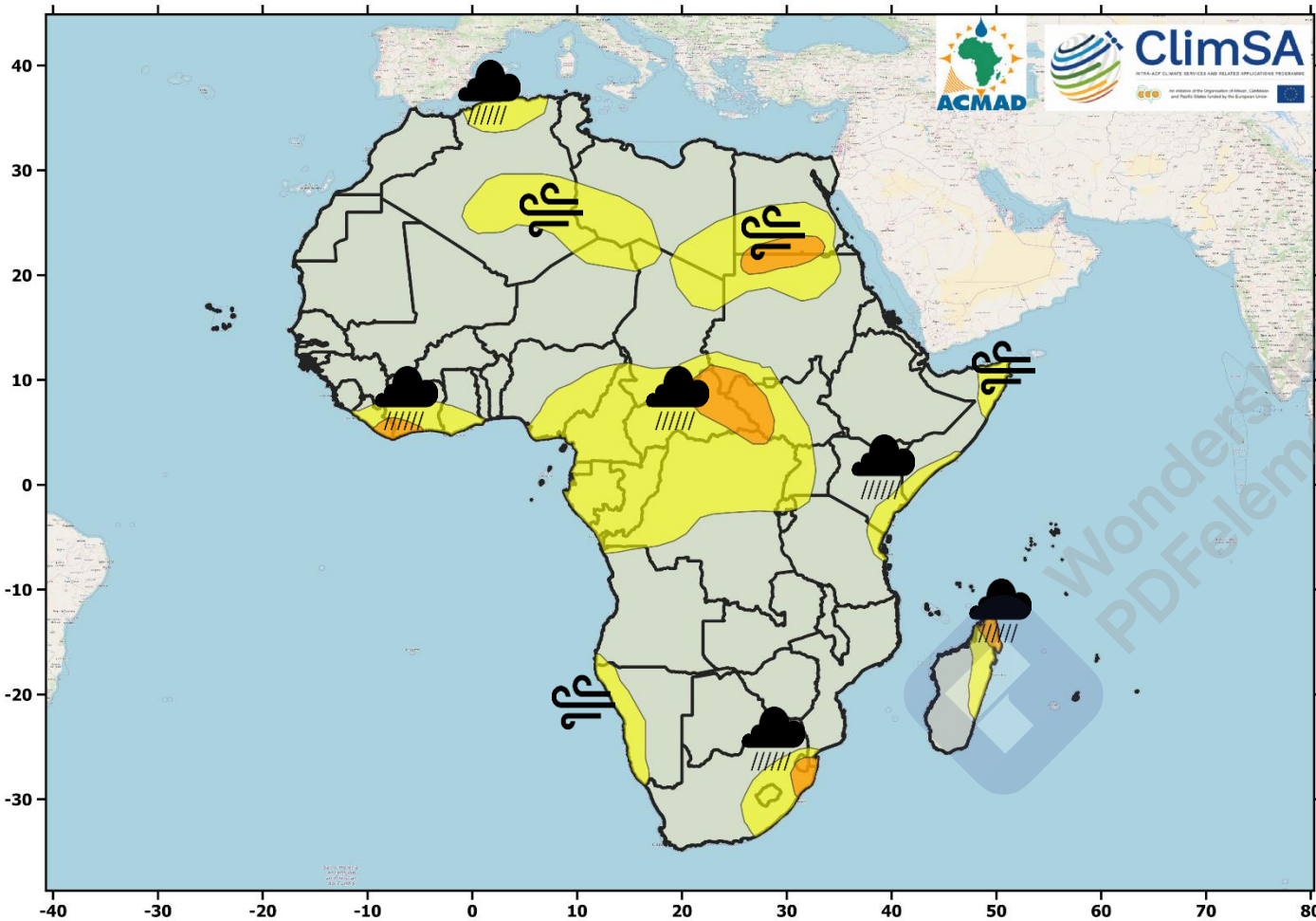






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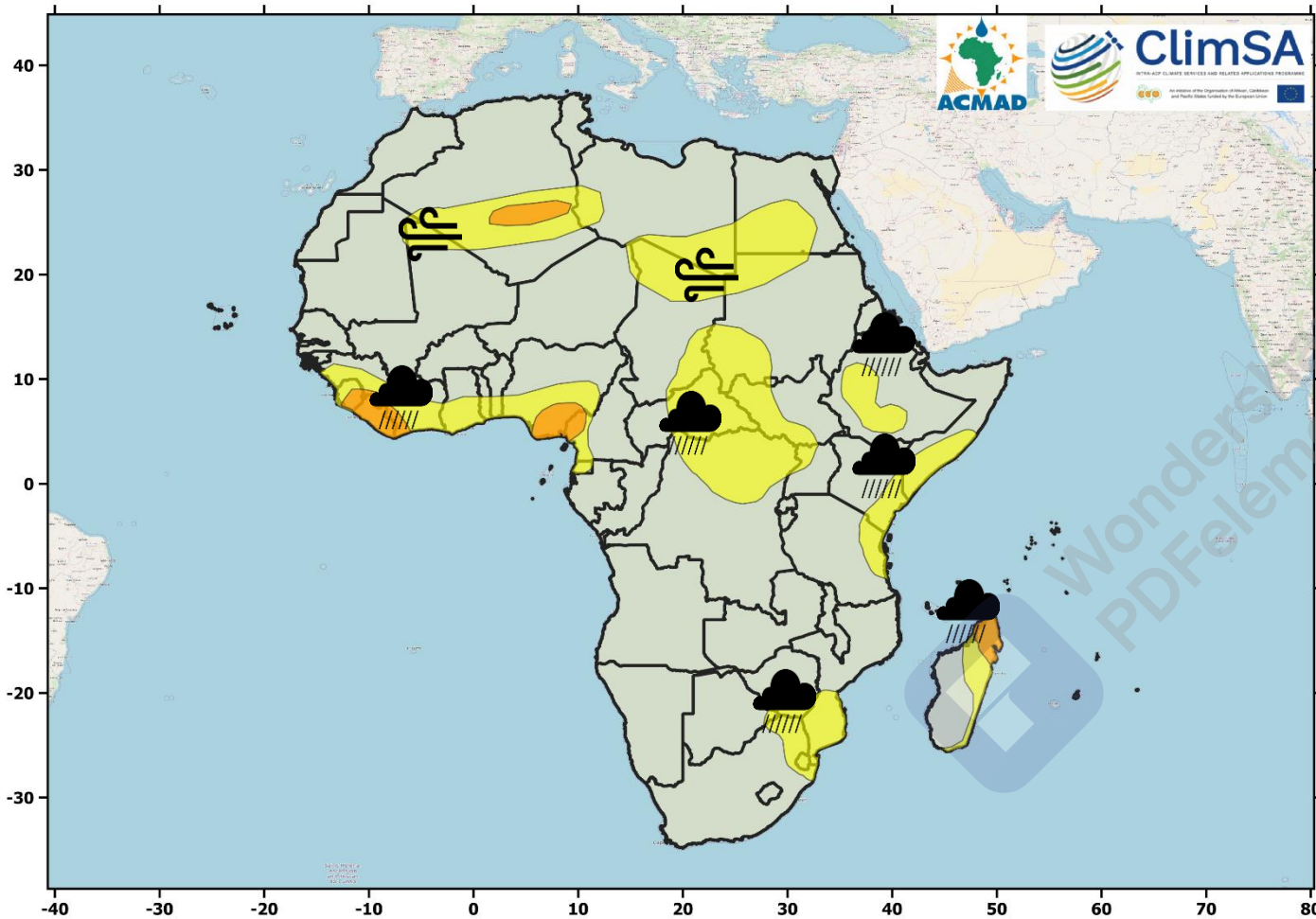






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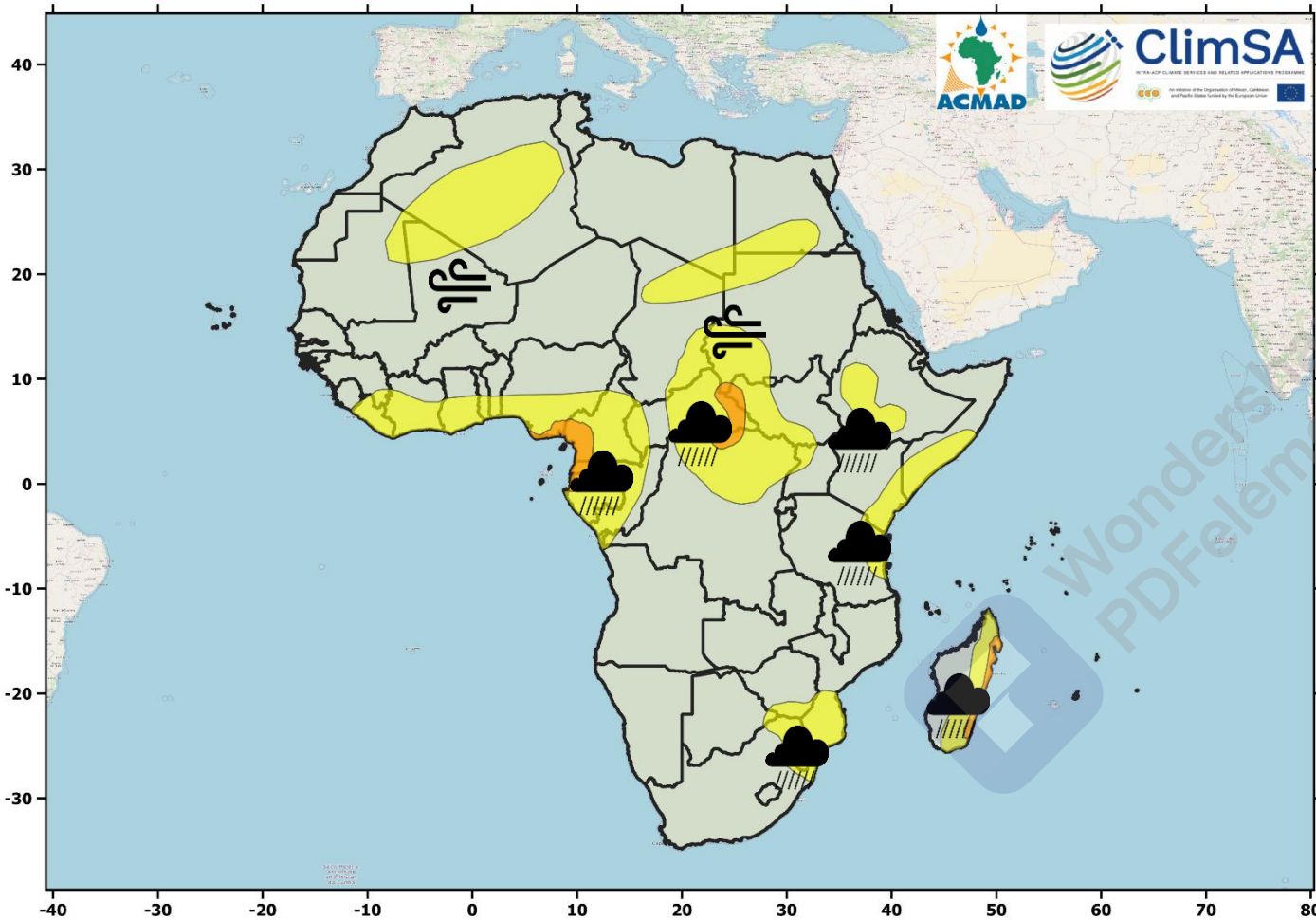






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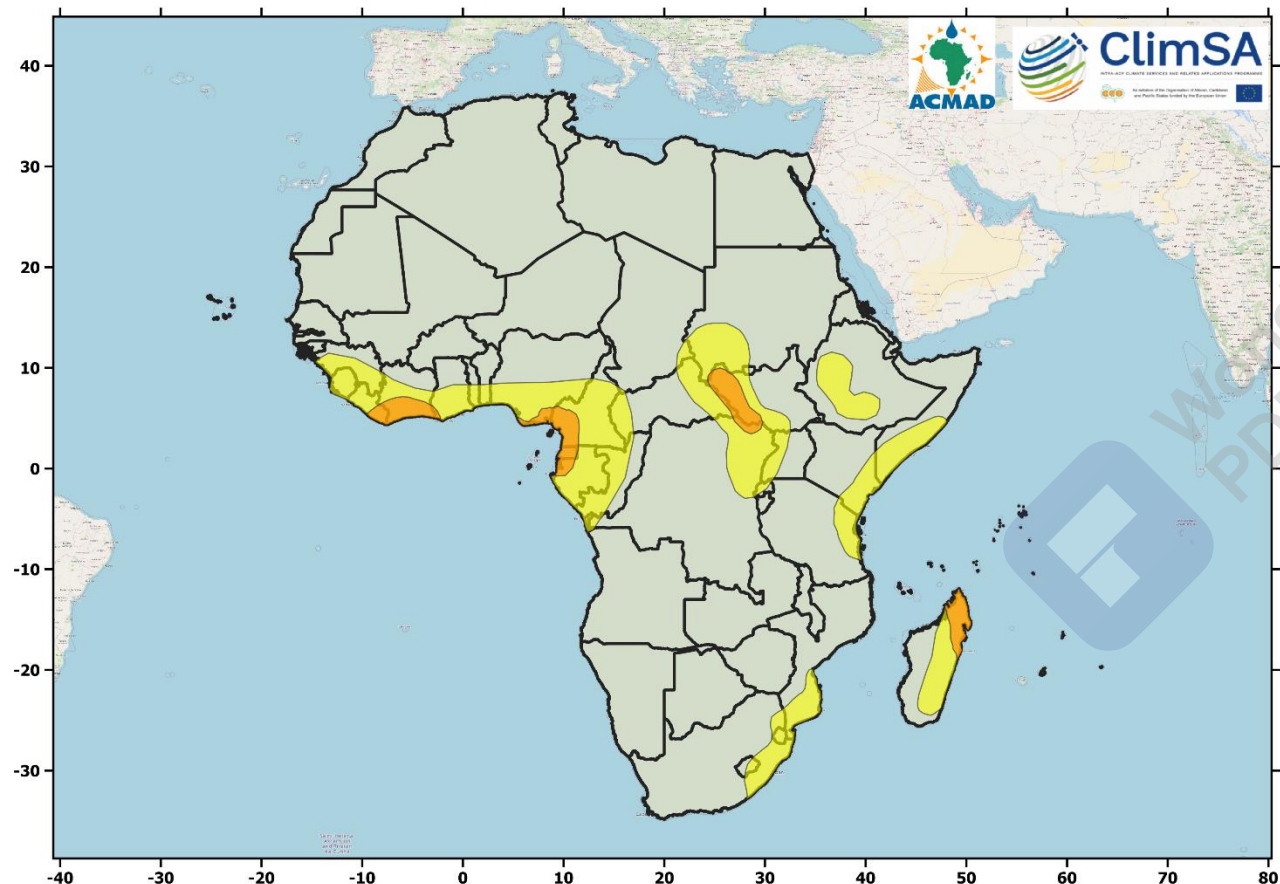
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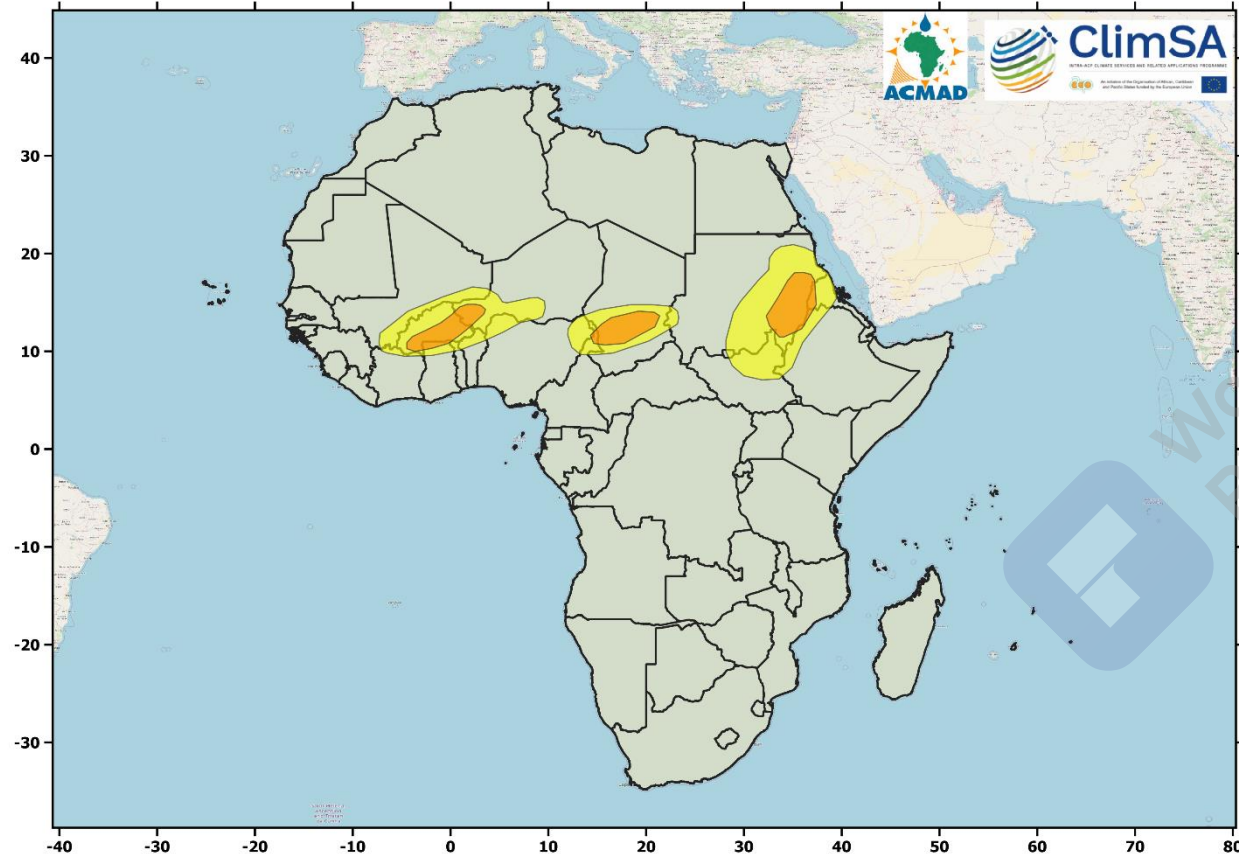


**HIGHLIGHT:** Heavy rainfall is expected in Cote d' Ivorie, Nigeria, Cameroon, Gabon, Central Africa Republic, Congo, DRC and Madagascar.



	Phenomenon	Hazard	Potentials Impacts	Measures / Advices
	In next 5 days accumulated rainfall (50-100mm) is likely,	Moderate rainfall, flash flood, riverine flooding, landslides, soil erosion and lightning likely	Displacements of people due to floods, outbreak of water borne diseases, damage of infrastructures (roads, bridges, ...)	DRM authorities to keep informed about the development of the meteorological situation and raise awareness, taking action is more likely, the situation needs to be monitored closely with NHMSs
	In next 5 days accumulated rainfall (100 – 150mm) is very likely,	Heavy rainfall, flash flood, riverine flooding, landslides, soil erosion and lightning, strong winds,	Displacements of people due to floods, outbreak of water borne diseases, damage of infrastructures (roads, bridges, ...)	Update Flood contingency plans, Improve water management in reservoirs and dams, DRM authorities be ready to take adequate actions, DRM to be continuously in touch with NHMSs to be informed of the detailed expected meteorological conditions.
	In next 5 days accumulated rainfall (>150mm) is very likely,	Extreme precipitation, flash flood, riverine flooding, landslides, soil erosion and lightning, strong winds, severe thunderstorms	Loss of lives, Injuries, Displacements of people due to floods, outbreak of water borne diseases, damage of infrastructures (roads, bridges, ...)	Activate flood contingency plans, DRM authorities to be ready to take adequate actions (be prepared for emergency response and search & rescue operations as needed), Improve water management in reservoirs and dams, be in close touch with NHMSs for more details and identification of vulnerable areas.

**HIGHLIGHT: Moderate heat wave is likely over Mali, Burkina Faso, Niger, Chad and Sudan**



	Phenomenon	Hazard	Potentials Impacts	Measures / Advices
	In next 5 days apparent temperature >40°C to 44°C are expected for two days	Heat wave Conditions persists on 2days	Moderate temperature heat is tolerable for general public but moderate health concern for vulnerable people(people chronic diseases, infants and elderly)	Avoid heat exposure Wear lightweight, light colored, Cover your head( use a cloth, hat or umbrella)
	apparent temperature 40°C to 44°C are expected for more than 2 days	Moderate heat wave conditions are likely to persist for 3days ore more with varied severity	High temperature Increased likelihood of heat illness symptoms in people who are either exposed to sun for a prolonged period or doing heavy work High health concern for vulnerable people	Avoid heat exposure Keep cool Avoid dehydration Drink sufficient water even if not thirsty to keep yourself hydrated
	Apparent temperatures >45°C are expected for more than 2 days	Severe heat wave is very likely to persist for more than 2 days,	Very high likelihood of developing heat illness and heat stroke in all ages	Extreme care needed for vulnerable people



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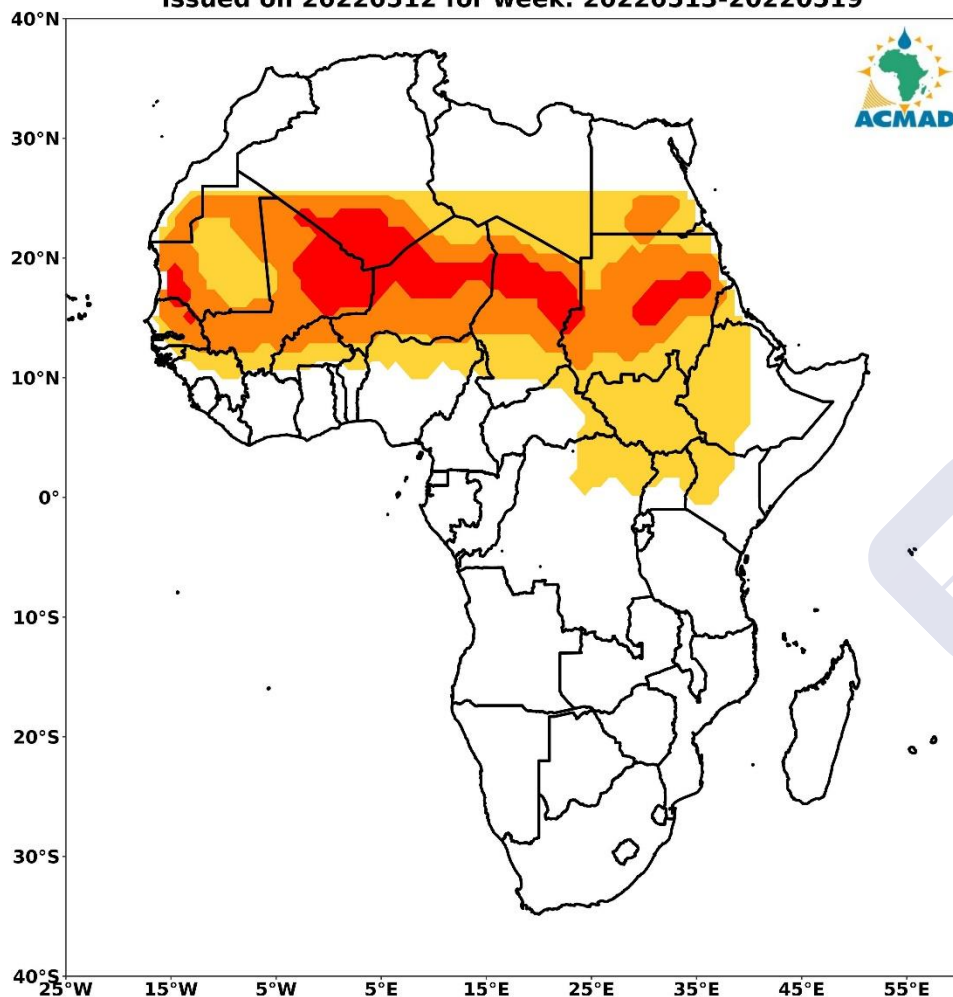


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**HIGHLIGHT: Meningitis cases very likely with possibility of an epidemic status in Senegal, Mauritania, Mali, Algeria, Niger, Chad and Sudan.**

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	Phenomenon	Hazard	Potentials Impacts	Advisory / Measures
		Emergence of Meningitis cases not likely	Potential pressure on the health system	Routine surveillance systems at regional and national levels
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dust concentration between 150 to 400<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math></li> <li>- Relative humidity between 20 &amp; 40%</li> <li>- Temperature above 27<math>^{\circ}\text{C}</math></li> </ul>	Emergence of Meningitis cases very likely	Loss of life, pressure on the health system	Activation of surveillance systems at regional and national levels
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dust Concentration at least 400<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math> and above</li> <li>- Relative humidity less than 20%</li> <li>- Temperature above 30<math>^{\circ}\text{C}</math></li> </ul>	Emergence of Meningitis cases very likely and epidemic status possible	Loss of life, increased pressure on the health system	Strengthen and increase meningitis surveillance systems at both regional and national levels



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