

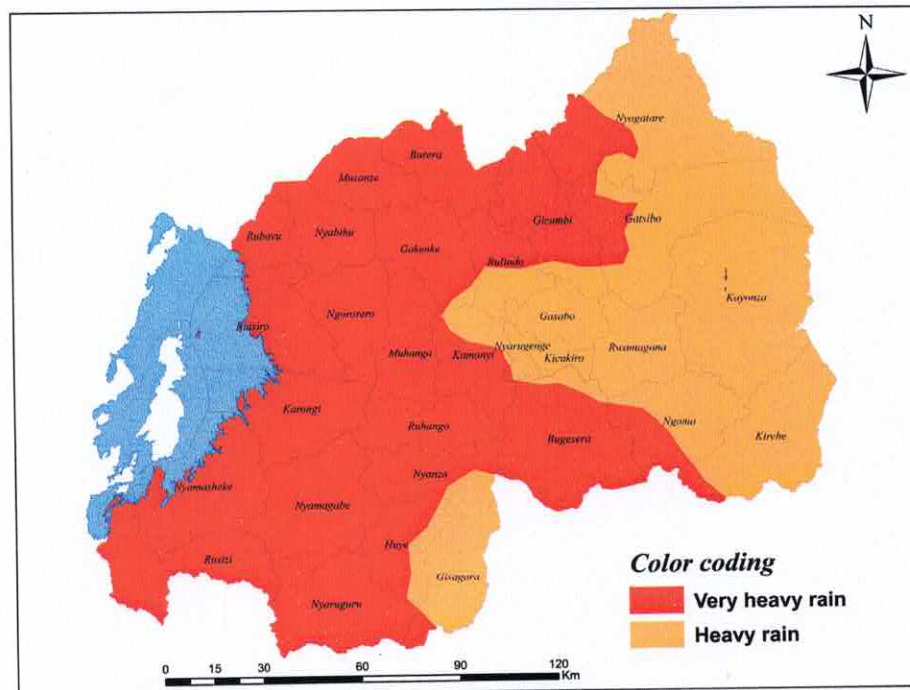


<b>WEATHER WARNING</b>	Ref N°: EW/Met 10/11/2022/009
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Kigali, 10<sup>th</sup> November/2022

	<b>Heavy Rain Expected</b>	<b>Valid between 10<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022</b>
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Wetter than usual conditions are expected across the country between 10<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022. Meteo Rwanda would like to inform general public that very heavy rain is expected in many parts of Northern, Western and Southern Provinces with exception of Amayaga region, while Eastern and Kigali City are expected to receive heavy rain. Expected rains are due to strong Inter Tropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) which is overhead the region where Rwanda is located. The expected rains will range between 80 and 240 mm within the warning period.





### Color coding to the expected risks

Heavy rain	<b>Be prepared:</b> Medium risks are likely due to expected severe weather
Very Heavy rain	<b>Take action:</b> High risks are likely due to expected severe weather

### Likely Impacts

- Severe widespread flooding to major rivers and catchments, damage and loss of houses, landslides, risk of loss of lives and livelihoods;
- Poor visibility causing incidences of accidents;
- Danger to life due to fast flowing rivers/deep water;
- Loss of infrastructure and other property.

### Advisory

Because of expected severe weather conditions between 10<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> of November 2022, contingency plans should be put in place to avoid likelihood of negative impacts associated with increased rainfall, particularly in disaster-prone areas.

Meteo Rwanda will continue to monitor the situation and provide updates.

For more information you can contact Meteo Rwanda on toll free number **6080**.

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