NATURAL DISASTER DISPLACEMENT SUMMARY: FLOODS



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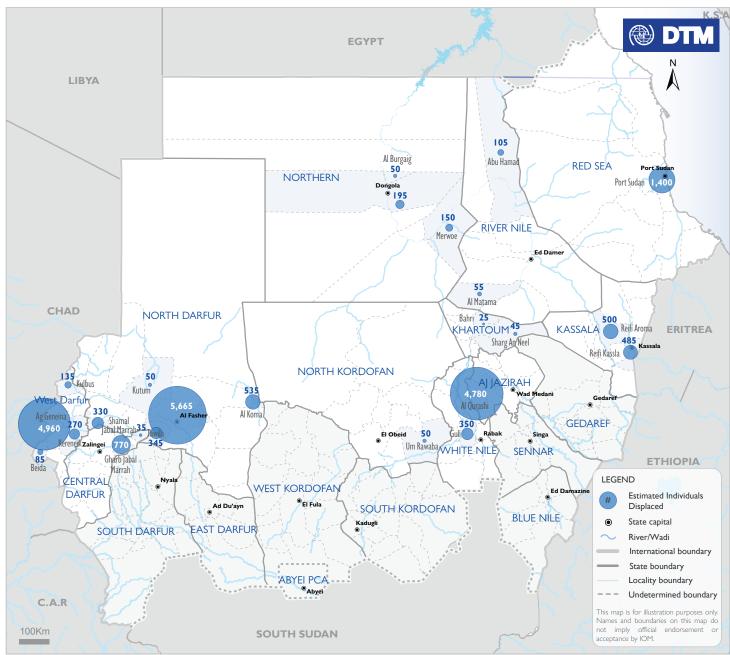
This report represents a compilation of DTM updates on estimated displacement due to increased rain and flooding across Sudan, from 1 June - 5 August 2024. Note: Many households impacted by widespread flooding across Sudan were reportedly unable to leave affected areas as floods blocked main roads or transportation options were not affordable.



OVERVIEW

DTM Sudan observed increased displacement due to heavy rains and floods between 1 June and 5 August 2024. Field teams recorded 29 incidents of flood-induced displacement across 11 states in Sudan. The reported flooding led to the displacement of

approximately 21,370 individuals (4,274 households) and damaged approximately 7,863 structures. These incidents reflect a typical annual increase in heavy rains and flooding in Sudan between June and October.



Map 1: Reported Incidents of Displacement Due to Rain or Floods, 1 June - 5 August 2024

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Al Qurashi Locality

Between 25 July and 1 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Al Qurashi locality displaced an estimated 4,780 individuals (956 households). Field teams reported that displaced households sought shelter across locations within the same locality.

CENTRAL DARFUR



Shamal Jabal Marrah Locality

On 31 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Solow village of Shamal Jabal Marrah locality, Central Darfur reportedly displaced 35 individuals (7 households) and destroyed seven houses. Displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Gharb Jabal Marrah Locality

On 4 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Nertiti town of Gharb Jabal Marrah locality, Central Darfur displaced 770 individuals (154 households). Field teams reported that 130 houses were destroyed and 215 were partially damaged. There were also reports of deaths and injuries among civilians. The majority of displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities, while others sought improvised shelter within the same locality.

KASSALA



Reifi Aroma and Reifi Kassala Localities

On 5 June 2024, heavy rains and floods occurred across Abhashiya village of Reifi Kassala locality and Tergigiai village of Reifi Aroma locality, Kassala. Approximately 97 houses were damaged and the 97 displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities within the same localities. There were also reports of deaths and injuries among civilians.

Reifi Aroma Locality

On 25 and 26 July 2024, heavy rains and floods across Aroma town in Reifi Aroma locality, Kassala displaced an estimated 500 individuals (100 households). Field teams reported that all 100 houses were destroyed. Displaced households sought shelter primarily with host communities within the same locality.

While flooding reportedly impacted many more households across Kassala, many were reportedly unable to leave as the flooding from the Gash River blocked main roads and transit routes. In addition, field teams noted that many households could not afford transport to other states, such as River Nile and Red Sea, or did not move due to the high cost of living and lack of viable livelihood options in other states.

KHARTOUM



Bahri Locality

Between 1 and 3 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Bahri locality of Khartoum displaced 25 individuals (5 households). Field teams reported that flooding primarily affected Geili, Kabbashi, and El Kadaru villages. Five houses and three structures were reportedly destroyed. Field teams reported that displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Sharg An Neel Locality

On 3 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Sharg An Neel locality, Khartoum displaced 45 individuals (9 households). According to field teams, the rain primarily affected El Tawedat, El Alamat, and Dar As Salam neighborhoods. Nine houses and two latrines were reportedly destroyed. Displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same localities.

NORTH DARFUR



Tawila Locality

On 23 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Tawila town of Tawila locality, North Darfur displaced an estimated 345 individuals (69 households). Field teams reported that 69 houses and 55 latrines were destroyed. Displaced households were reportedly displaced to other locations within Tawila locality.

Al Fasher Locality

Between 23 and 25 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Zamzam town of Al Fasher locality, North Darfur displaced an estimated 5,090 individuals (1,018 households). Field teams reported that the rain primarily affected Zamzam IDP Camp. The flooding destroyed an estimated 1,018 houses and 816 latrines, while 149 houses were partially damaged. Field teams reported that displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

On 29 and 30 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Al Fasher town of Al Fasher locality, North Darfur displaced an estimated 100 individuals (20 households). Field teams reported that the rain primarily affected Abu Shock IDP Camp. The flooding destroyed 20 houses, while 40 houses were partially damaged. Field teams reported that displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Between 30 July and 1 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Al Fasher town of Al Fasher locality, North Darfur displaced 415 individuals (83 households). Floods primarily affected Zamzam IDP Camp, where 83 houses and 256 latrines were destroyed, while 460 houses were partially damaged. Displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

North Darfur (Continued)

On 3 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Al Fasher town of Al Fasher locality, North Darfur displaced 60 individuals (12 households). According to field teams, floods primarily affected Zamzam IDP Camp, where 12 houses and 22 latrines were destroyed, while 304 houses and 66 latrines were partially damaged. Displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Sarf Omra Locality

Between 2 and 4 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Sarf Omra town of Sarf Omra locality, North Darfur displaced 330 individuals (66 households). Field teams reported that 66 houses were destroyed and 500 were partially damaged. Reportedly, displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Al Koma Locality

On 26 July 2024, heavy rains and floods across Al Koma locality, North Darfur displaced an estimated 535 individuals (107 households). Field teams reported that the rain primarily affected Al Koma town and Ghibaish village. In Al Koma town, an estimated 85 houses were destroyed, while 35 were partially destroyed. In Ghibash village, 22 houses were destroyed, while 13 houses were partially destroyed. Field teams reported that the displaced households primarily sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Kutum Locality

On 1 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Goz Laban village of Kutum locality, North Darfur reportedly displaced 50 individuals (10 households). Field teams reported that 10 houses were destroyed, and the displaced households sought shelter with host communities within Kutum locality.

NORTH KORDOFAN



Um Rawaba Locality

On 29 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Um Rawaba locality of North Kordofan displaced 50 individuals (10 households). The flooding primarily affected Um Rawaba town, Sharkaylah village and Wad Ashana village. Field teams reported that 10 houses were destroyed and 237 houses were partially damaged. Displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

NORTHERN



Merwoe Locality

On 29 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Kassingar village of Merwoe locality, Northern displaced 150 individuals (30 households). According to field teams, 30 houses were destroyed and 50 houses were partially damaged. The majority of displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities, while others sought improvised shelter within the same locality.

Al Burgaig Locality

On 3 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Kerma town of Al Burgaig locality, Northern reportedly displaced 50 individuals (10 households). Field teams reported that floods destroyed 10 houses. Displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Dongola Locality

On 3 and 4 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Hafir village of Dongola locality, Northern displaced 195 individuals (39 households). Thirty-nine houses were reportedly destroyed, while 150 were partially damaged. Displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities within Beida locality.

RED SEA



Port Sudan Locality

On 31 July and 1 August 2024, heavy rain and floods displaced an estimated 280 households across Port Sudan city of Port Sudan locality, Red Sea. Field teams reported that rain primarily affected schools and gathering sites for IDPs. TThe flooding reportedly destroyed 227 tents and 40 houses, while 32 buildings were partially damaged, including commercial buildings.. There were also reports of deaths and injuries among civilians. Field teams reported that the displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

RIVER NILE



Al Matama Locality

On 30 and 31 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across El Giwer village of Al Marama locality, River Nile reportedly displaced 55 individuals (11 households). According to field teams, eight houses were destroyed and three houses were partially damaged. Displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Abu Hamad Locality

On 31 July 2024, rain and floods across Kergs village of Abu Hamad locality, River Nile reportedly displaced 105 individuals (21 households). Field teams reported that the flooding destroyed 21 houses, while five houses were partially damaged. Displaced households reportedly sought improvised shelter within the same locality.

WEST DARFUR







Displaced Households





Houses Destroyed

Partially Damaged

Kereneik Locality

On 13 July 2024, heavy rains and floods across Kereneik town in Kereneik locality, West Darfur displaced four households. According to field teams, the rain primarily affected the El Wadi neighbourhood, where 10 thatched huts were destroyed. Displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

On 4 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Kereneik town of Kereneik locality, West Darfur displaced 250 individuals (50 households). The flooding reportedly destroyed 20 houses and partially damaged 50 houses. Field teams reported that displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Kulbus Locality

On 24 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Batn Al Beida village in Kulbus locality, West Darfur displaced approximately 135 individuals (27 households). According to field teams, 42 houses were destroyed and 15 houses were partially damaged. Displaced households primarily sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Ag Geneina Locality

On 1 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Ardamata town of Ag Geneina locality, West Darfur displaced 35 individuals (7 households). According to field teams, seven houses were destroyed and 46 houses were partially damaged. Displaced households reportedly sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

On 4 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Ardamata town of Ag Geneina locality, West Darfur displaced 4,925 individuals (985 households). The floods destroyed 1,178 houses and partially damaged 787 houses. Field teams reported that displaced households sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

Beida Locality

On 4 August 2024, heavy rain and floods across Beida town of Beida locality, West Darfur displaced 85 individuals (17 households). According to field teams, 17 houses were destroyed and four were partially damaged. Reportedly, displaced households sought shelter with host communities within Beida locality.

WHITE NILE









Guli Locality

On 27 July 2024, heavy rain and floods across Al Tabarat village of Guli locality, White Nile displaced approximately 350 individuals (70 households). According to field teams, 70 houses were reportedly destroyed and 160 houses were partially damaged. Displaced households primarily sought shelter with host communities within the same locality.

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The report compiles updates typically released as Early Warning Flash Alerts. DTM Flash alerts provide preliminary estimates related to displacement due to a specific incident, pending on-going verification from DTM field teams. All figures should be understood as preliminary estimates, pending further verification. Early Warning Flash Alerts are distributed via the DTM Sudan mailing list.

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