



Heavy Rainfall Exceeding 30 mm Expected Across Most Parts of Galmudug, Hiraan and Sanaag, with Potential for Localized Flash Flooding.



Urgency: Future



Severity: Moderate



Certainty: Likely

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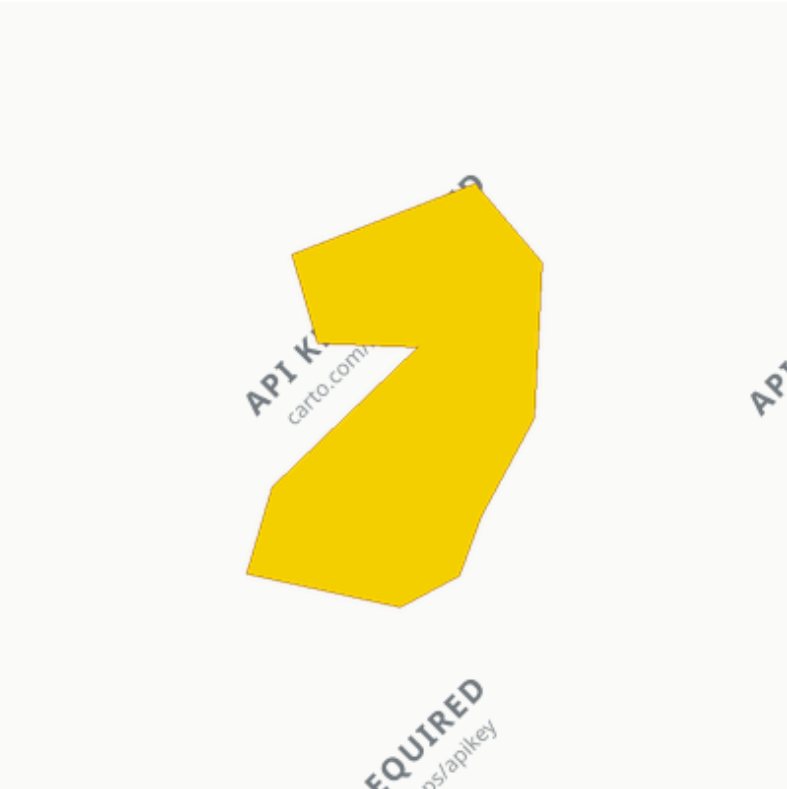
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Area:

The heavy rainfall over Galkacyo, Jariiban, Hobyo



Description:

Heavy rainfall exceeding 30 mm is forecast across most parts of Galmudug, Hiraan and Sanaag regions. The anticipated rainfall may be accompanied by thunderstorms and could lead to localized flash flooding, water accumulation in low-lying areas, and disruption to transportation and daily activities. Communities living in flood-prone areas, particularly near seasonal watercourses and poorly drained locations, are advised to

remain vigilant and follow official weather updates and early warning information issued by the Ministry of Environment and Climate Change.

Instruction:

Residents of Galmudug, Hiraaan and Sanaag are advised to remain vigilant and take precautionary measures against potential heavy rainfall and localized flash flooding. Avoid crossing flooded roads, seasonal rivers and low-lying areas where water may accumulate rapidly. Communities in flood-prone locations should secure their belongings, protect vulnerable household members and move to safer areas if flooding occurs. Motorists are urged to exercise caution during heavy rainfall and reduced visibility. The public should closely monitor official weather forecasts and early warning updates issued by the Ministry of Environment and Climate Change and follow instructions from local authorities.