

2023 Sentinel Asia Joint Project Team Meeting Jakarta, Indonesia

Sentinel Asia Step-3





Sentinel Asia's Step-3 is expected to not only use satellite observations for emergency **response** but also to cover the entire disaster management cycle including **mitigation**, **preparedness** and **recovery** phase after a disaster.

Satellite Data for Disaster Preparedness



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WEATHER AND CLIMATE



WATER RESOURCES AND DISASTERS



AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY



LAND COVER / LAND USE AND ECOSYSTEMS

Supporting Early Warning



Improve accuracy of precipitation and increase lead-time from 7 days to 15 days and integrate in MRC-FEWS



Integrate near real-time storm severity and potential impacts with MRC-FFGS



Provide various drought indices through MDCW.

Enhance flood and drought risk management through RAT-Mekong

The Needs for Data



Extreme Hydrological Events

- <u>Flood</u>: The average annual cost of floods in the LMB ranges from **US\$60-70 million**. Cambodia and Viet Nam alone commonly account for approximately two-thirds of the region's total annual flood damage.
- <u>Drought</u>: Yields of rice and other lifeline crops plummet as a result of water shortages and saltwater intrusion in the Mekong Delta. Water levels become critically low, making transport of goods and services difficult or even impossible.

to managing floods and drought.

Accurate, timely, and continuous water-related data are key





Source: the Mekong River Commission





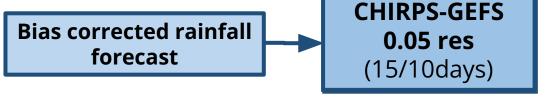
Supporting Better Riverine Flood Forecasting in the Mekong Countries

SHORT RIVERINE FORECAST



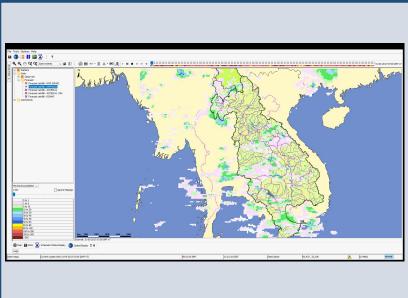
MEDIUM RIVERINE FORECAST





Bias-corrected and downscaled version of NCEP Global Ensemble Forecast System precipitation forecasts.

MRC-FEWS



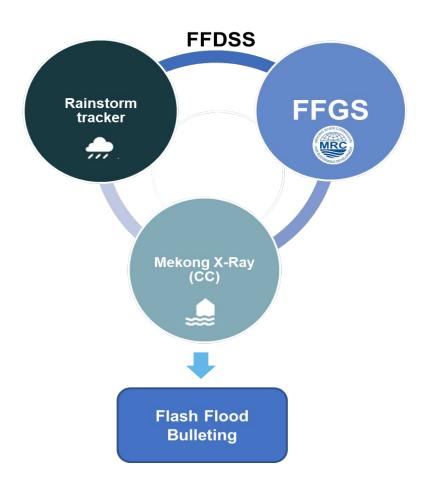
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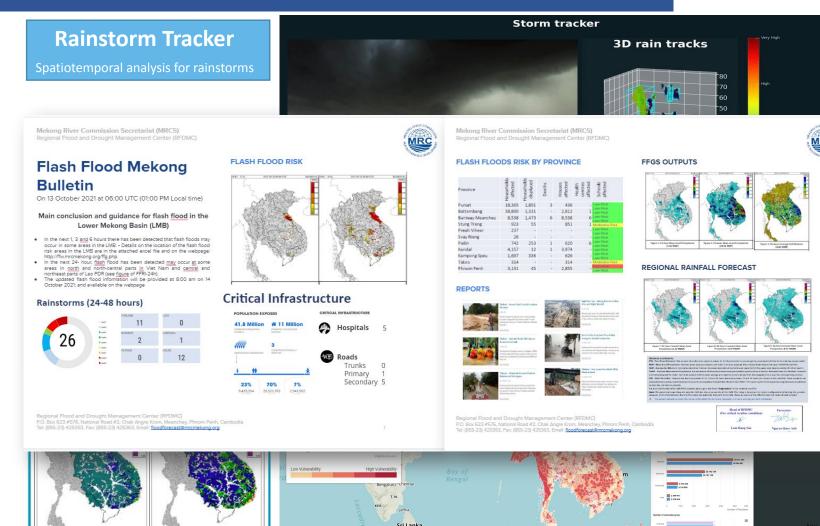




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01 hourly show high-risk flash flood occurrences in Wet Nam. For more detail information on flash flood risk areas









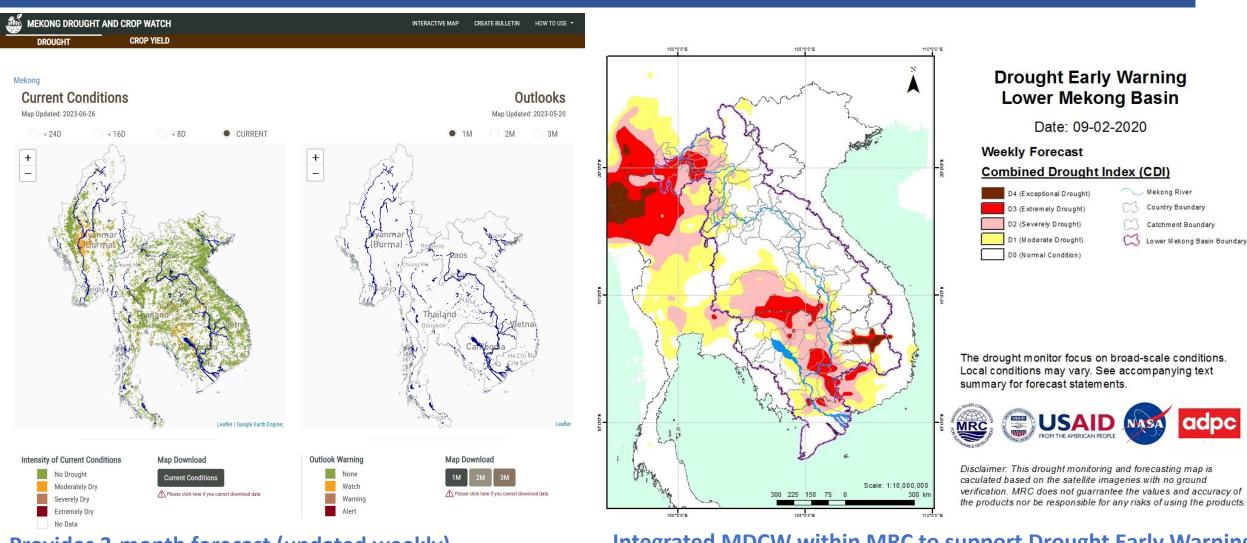
Enhance Flood and Drought Management through Reservoir Monitoring and Forecasting







Enhance Drought Monitoring and Forecasting in the Lower Mekong Region



Provides 3-month forecast (updated weekly)

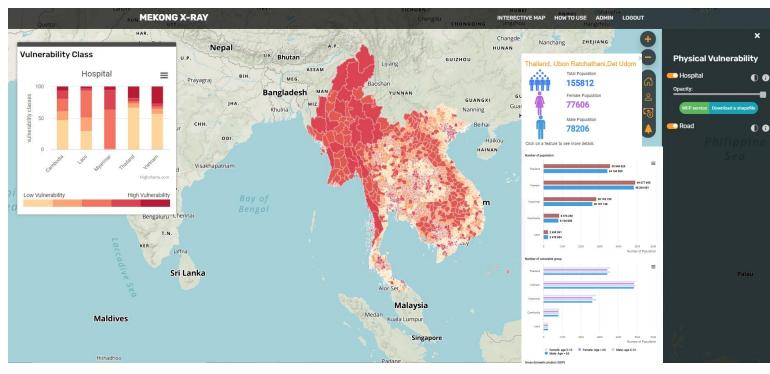
Integrated MDCW within MRC to support Drought Early Warning







Enhancing Anticipatory Actions for Disaster and Climate Resilience







We harness the power of Satellite Data and Geospatial Information to amplify diverse voices and shape services that leave no one behind