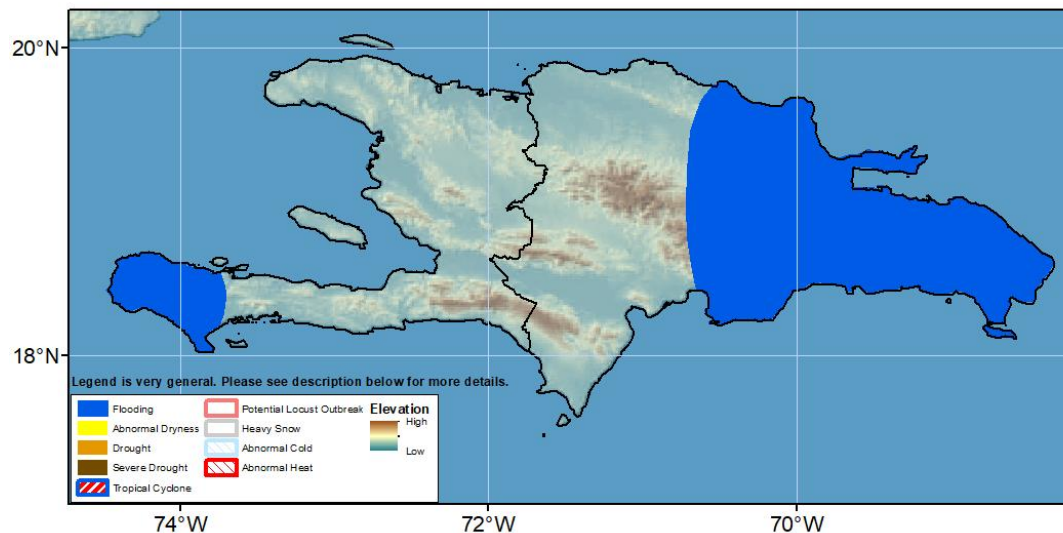




Climate Prediction Center's Hispaniola Hazards Outlook For DOS FEWS-NET 05 – 11 March 2026

There is a potential flood threat next week in some areas of Hispaniola.



During the past week, Hispaniola received rainfall between 10 mm and 200 mm. The heaviest rainfall (> 50 mm) was recorded in the northeastern Dominican Republic. In terms of anomalies, slightly positive anomalies were observed in northern Haiti and the northern Dominican Republic. Over the past 30 days, while rainfall remained near-average over the interior of the Island, rainfall remained above-average along the northern coasts of Haiti and the northern and southeastern Littorals of the Dominican Republic. On the contrary, below-average conditions have been observed in southern Haiti during the last 30 days. For vegetation, the latest vegetation health index analysis showed mostly favorable conditions over Hispaniola.

Next week, the forecast suggests rainfall totals from 5 mm to 100 mm. Rainfall total larger than 25 mm is expected in the northeastern Dominican Republic and southwestern Haiti, where positive anomalies are forecasted. The moderate to heavy rainfall could trigger floods in the eastern Republic, particularly in areas where heavy rainfall was registered last week. In addition, moderate rainfall is possible over some areas of southern Haiti, which could trigger localized flooding.

Note: The Hazards outlook map is based on current weather and climate information, including short and medium range weather forecasts (up to 1 week), sub-seasonal forecasts from 2 to 4 weeks, and monthly and seasonal forecasts. The outlooks provide an assessment of the potential impact of extreme events on crop and pasture conditions. Shaded polygons are added in areas where anomalous conditions have been observed and predicted to continue during the outlook period. The boundaries of these polygons are only approximate at the spatial scale of the map. FEWS NET is a DOS-funded activity whose purpose is to provide objective information about food security conditions. Its views are not necessarily reflective of those of DOS or the U.S. Government. The FEWS NET weather hazards outlook process and products include participation by FEWS NET field and home offices, NOAA-CPC, USGS, USDA, NASA, and a number of other national and regional organizations in the countries concerned.

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