

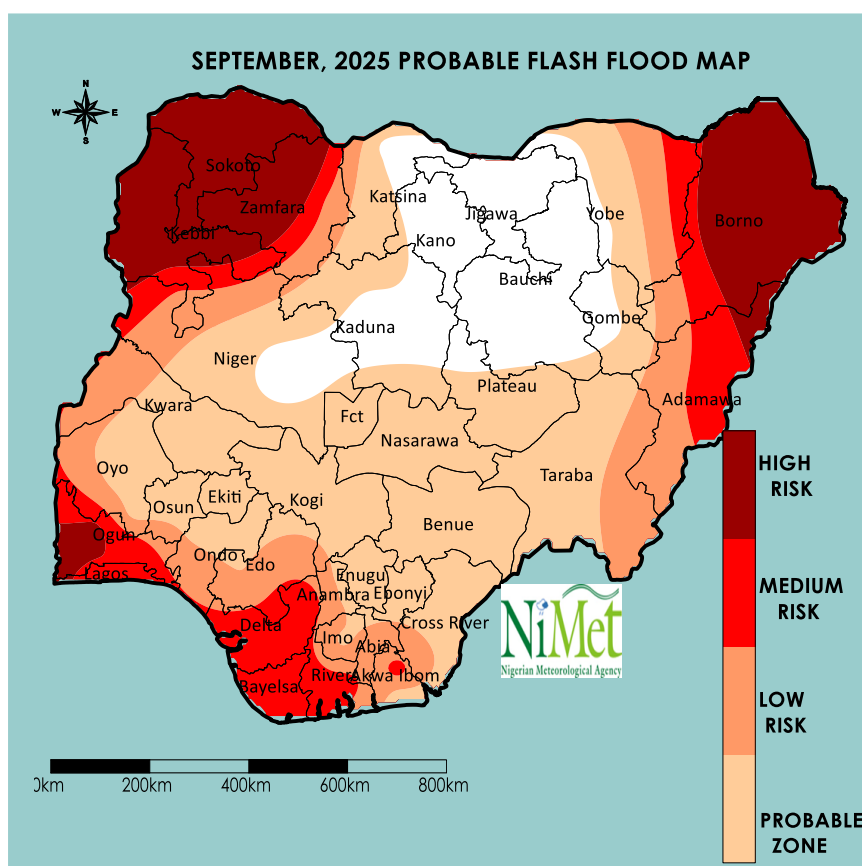


## FLASH FLOOD RISK MAPPING

The flash flood risk alert for September, 2025 has been generated by the Hydrometeorological Unit of Directorate of Applied Meteorological Services of the Nigerian Meteorological Agency, NiMet.

Considering the prevailing soil moisture levels and the peaks of rainfall expected in some states, the analysis suggests that a majority of states in the country are likely to experience runoff during September.

The product shows the several states faced with elevated risks of flash flooding;



From the map above,

1. The states like **Sokoto, Zamfara, Kebbi, Borno, Adamawa, Niger, Oyo, Ogun, Lagos, Edo, Delta, Anambra, Akwa Ibom, Bayelsa, Rivers and Cross river** are at a considerable risk of facing flash floods;

## **ADVISORIES**

States that are predicted to experience flash flood events are advised to:

1. Stay informed about weather forecasts and flood alerts.
2. Reinforce awareness and sensitization campaigns on adherence to orders.
3. Identify emergency higher grounds to relocate evacuees
4. prepare emergency kits, develop family emergency plans and dredge water channels.
5. Strengthen coordination among stakeholders like Ministries of interior, NEMA, SEMAs, Health, community and religious leaders e.t.c involved in flood control and mitigation.

***“An informed community is a prepared community, Know risks and Act Early “***

***“NiMet promises to keep you informed through all of its social media handles as the season unfolds”***