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BUZI AND PUNGUE BASINS - Situation as of February 20, 2001

PUNGUE AND BUZI RIVERS

The Pungue and Buzi rivers continue to rise. The Chicamba dam gates were opened on Feb 13 with a discharge rate of 400 mc/sec, discharging into the Revue river (Buzi tributary).

- WFP pre-stocked 120 MT of food in Buzi and 53 MT in Chibabava;
- 70 ha of crops have been lost in Dondo District (FAO estimates). 130 farming kits needed;
- UNICEF has soap, chlorofloc sachets, chlorine, 1 tap-stand and water bladders in stock, in Beira.

MOSSURIZE RIVER

(could not be located on map)

- Rising due to heavy rains;
- 85 MT of WFP food pre-positioned in Mossurize district;
- 20 MT in Sussundenga.

SAVE RIVER

The river level is not currently a major concern;

- 270 MT of WFP food pre-positioned in Machanga;
- 225 MT in Machaze District;
- 380 MT in Govuro (Inhambane Prov.);

UNICEF pre-stock in Save valley:

- 30,000 chlorofloc sachets
- 3 MT of soap

LEGEND

- Province Boundary
- District Boundary
- Primary Road
- Secondary Road
- City
- River

N W E S

Mandie, Nhamassonge, Nhacafula, Chiramba, Zambeze, GURO, TAMBARA, Mungari, Buzua, CHEMBA, Chemba, Mulima, Guro, Sena, Canxixe, Murraca, Caia, Nhampassa, MARINGUE, CAIA, Nhamagua, Maccossa, Maringue, Chupanga, Choal, Catandica, MACOSSA, Subwe, Inhamacala, Inhamitanga, Marromeu, Nguawala, Nhamadze, Inhaminga, MARROMEU, Mavonde, GORONGOSA, CHERINGOMA, MANICA, Pungue, Muanza, Machipanda, Messica, Matsinho, Chitengo, MUANZA, GONDOLA, Chicamba Dam, Inchope, Zembe, Revue, NHAMATANDA, Galinha, Tica, DONDO, Rotanda, Muoha, Dondo, SUSSUNDENGA, CIDADE DA BEIRA, Beira, Buzi, Dombe, BUZI, Sofala, Magunde, Dacata, CHIBABAVA, MOSSURIZE, Muxungue, Chiurairue, Divinhe, Chitobe, MACHAZE, MACHANGA, Machanga, Save, MASSANGENA

0 50 100 kilometres

Topography (m a.s.l.)

- 2,000 to 2,200
- 1,800 to 2,000
- 1,600 to 1,800
- 1,400 to 1,600
- 1,200 to 1,400
- 1,000 to 1,200
- 800 to 1,000
- 600 to 800
- 400 to 600
- 200 to 400
- 0 to 200

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