As of 21 May, the number of people affected by flooding in Somalia has reached 919,000, of whom 411,905 have been displaced and 24 killed, in 29 districts. The most affected district is Belet Weyne in Hiran region, where riverine flooding caused by a sharp rise in water levels on River Shabelle, has displaced an estimated 240,000 people. Humanitarian partners and authorities are scaling up their responses, reaching at least 255,000 people with life-saving assistance.

According to SWALIM, this week has seen a significant reduction of rainfall amounts in Somalia save for a few places in the southern coastal areas. This trend is normal as rains start to reduce in the second half of May in many areas while the coastal areas continue to record rainfall through June and July. In general, the seasonal rains have been considerably good across the country with some areas still experiencing the negative effects of the rains including Middle Juba, Lower Juba and Hiraan regions.

Key Figures
- Affected population: 919K
- Internally displaced: 412K
- People killed: 24
- Affected districts: 29

**Overview map**

*Population reached by sector*
- Food security: 255,205
- CCCM: 117,862
- Nutrition: 40,320
- Health: 46,900
- Shelter: 18,834
- Protection: 30,000
- Education: 30,000
- Wash: 254,706
- Logistics: Providing coordination, information management and facilitating common logistics services – air, sea and road transport, as well as storage facilities in 10 locations

**Affected Population**

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*Notes:
1- Applies to geographical areas inaccessible by road or air (fixed wing aircraft or helicopter landings) as a result of flooding to roads and surrounding land.
2- Roads rendered ‘non-passable’ to local population and humanitarians using ground assets as a result of environmental flooding.*

*Sources: OCHA, FAO (SWALIM), Somalia Clusters.*

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