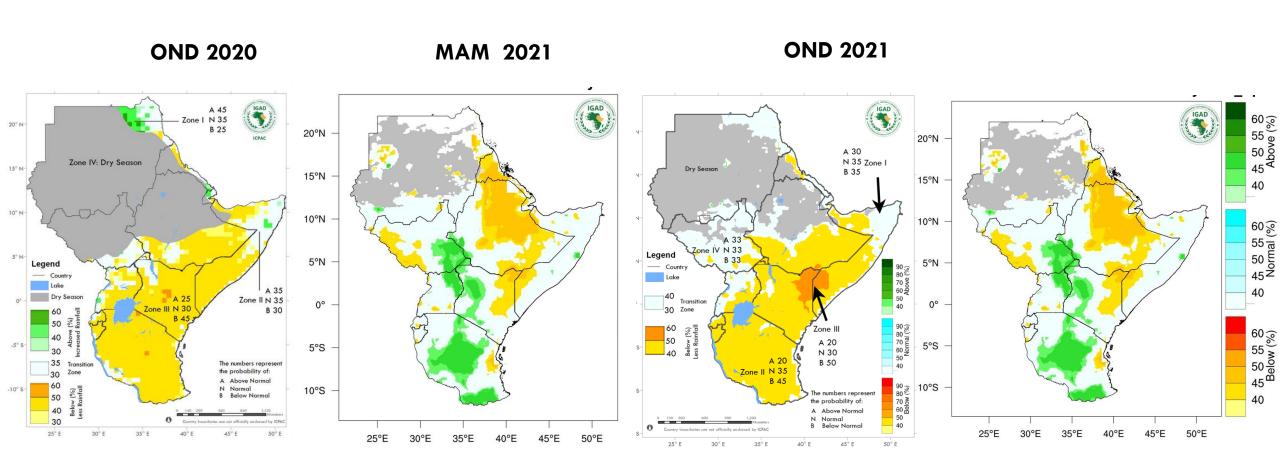


REGIONAL OVERVIEW OF STATE OF DROUGHT AND HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE MINISTERIAL MEETING

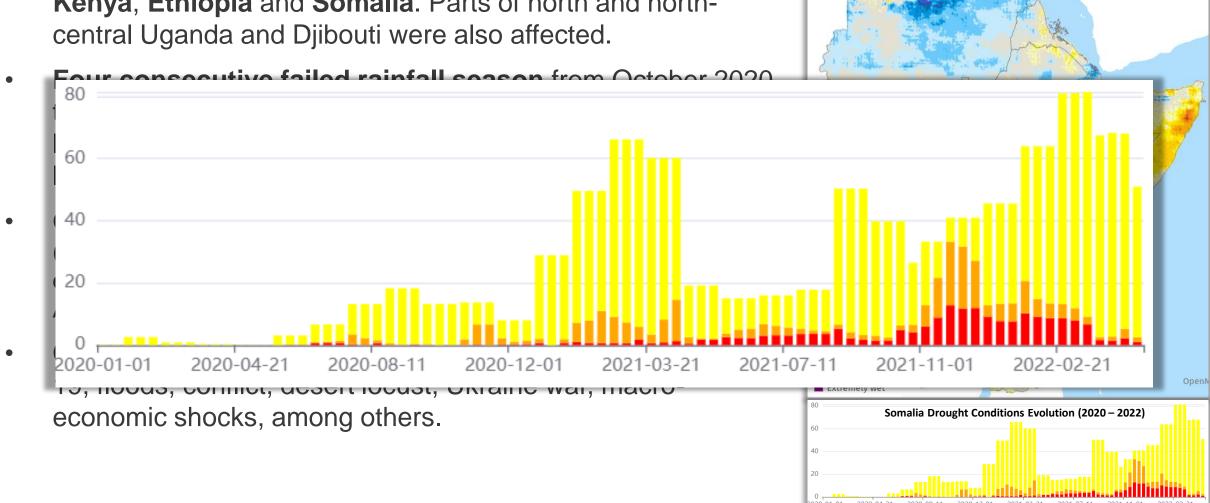
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Observed Climate Conditions of the Past 3 Rainfall Seasons



Overview of the Drought Condition

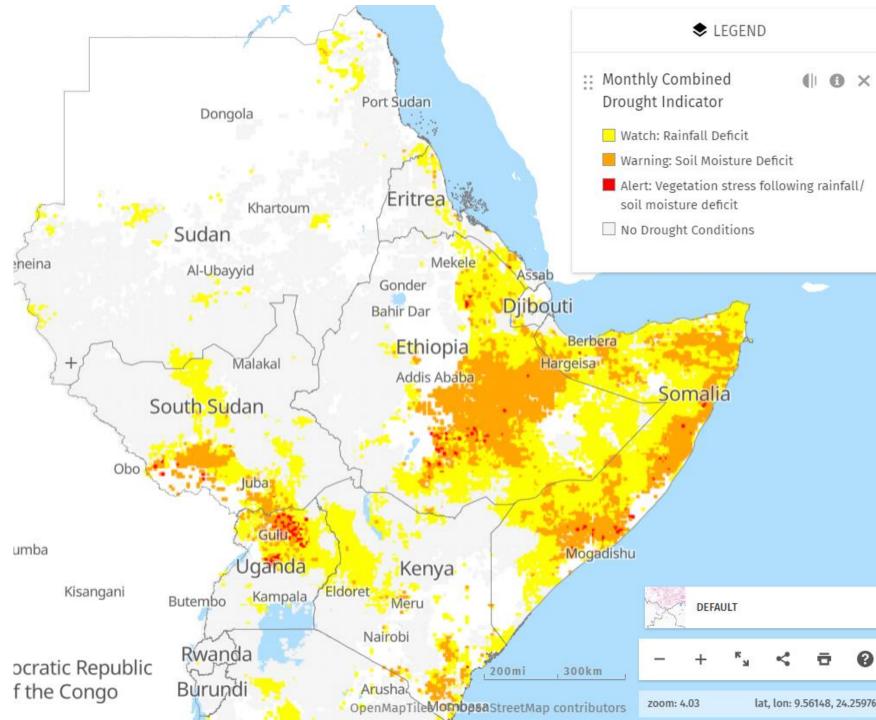
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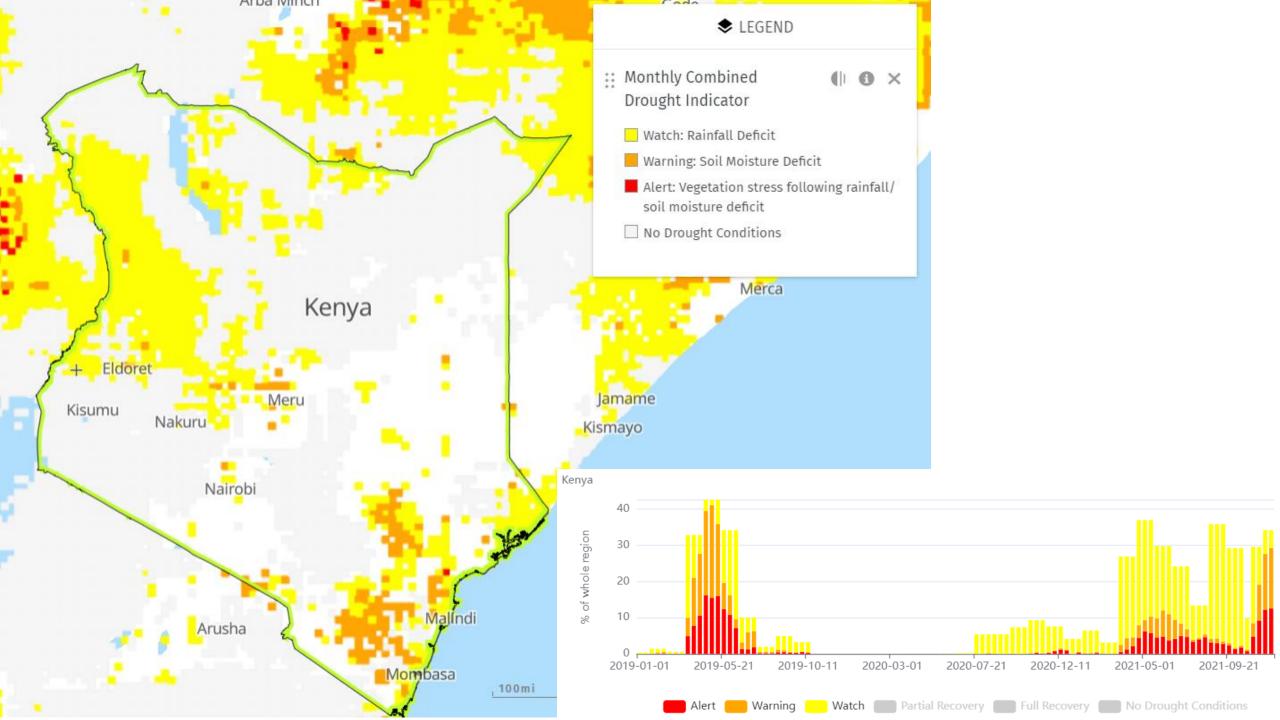


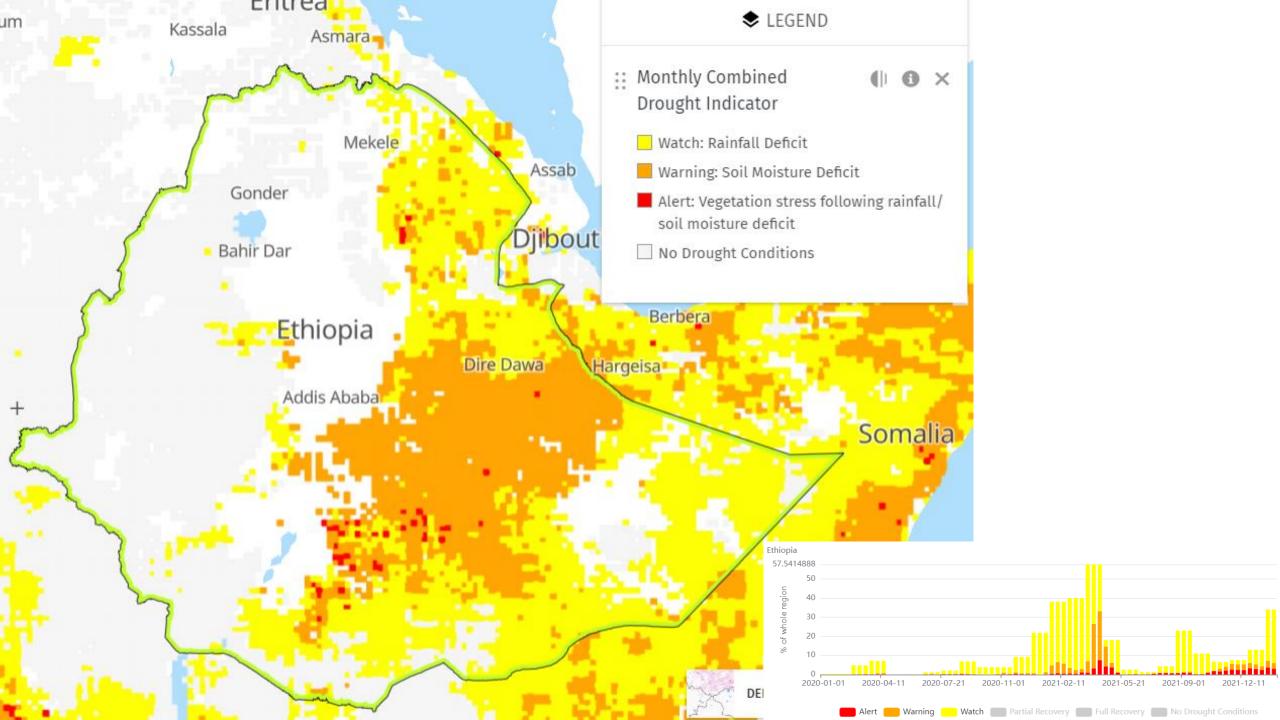
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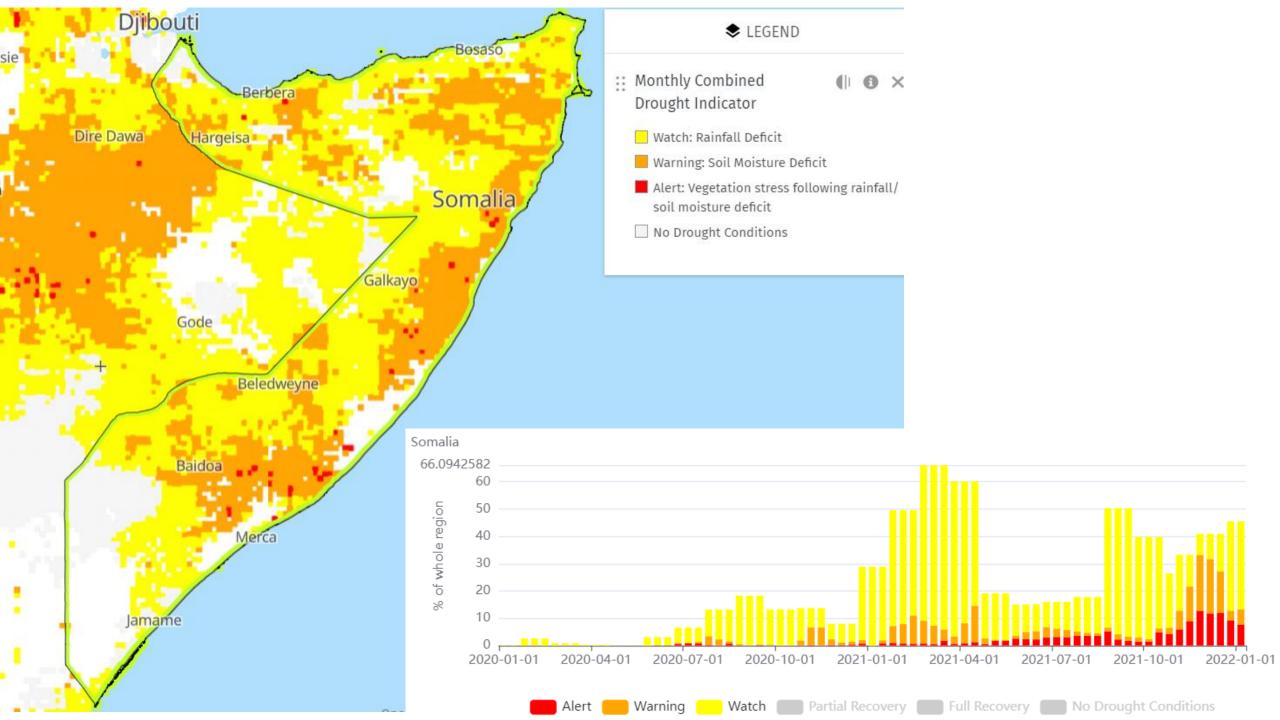
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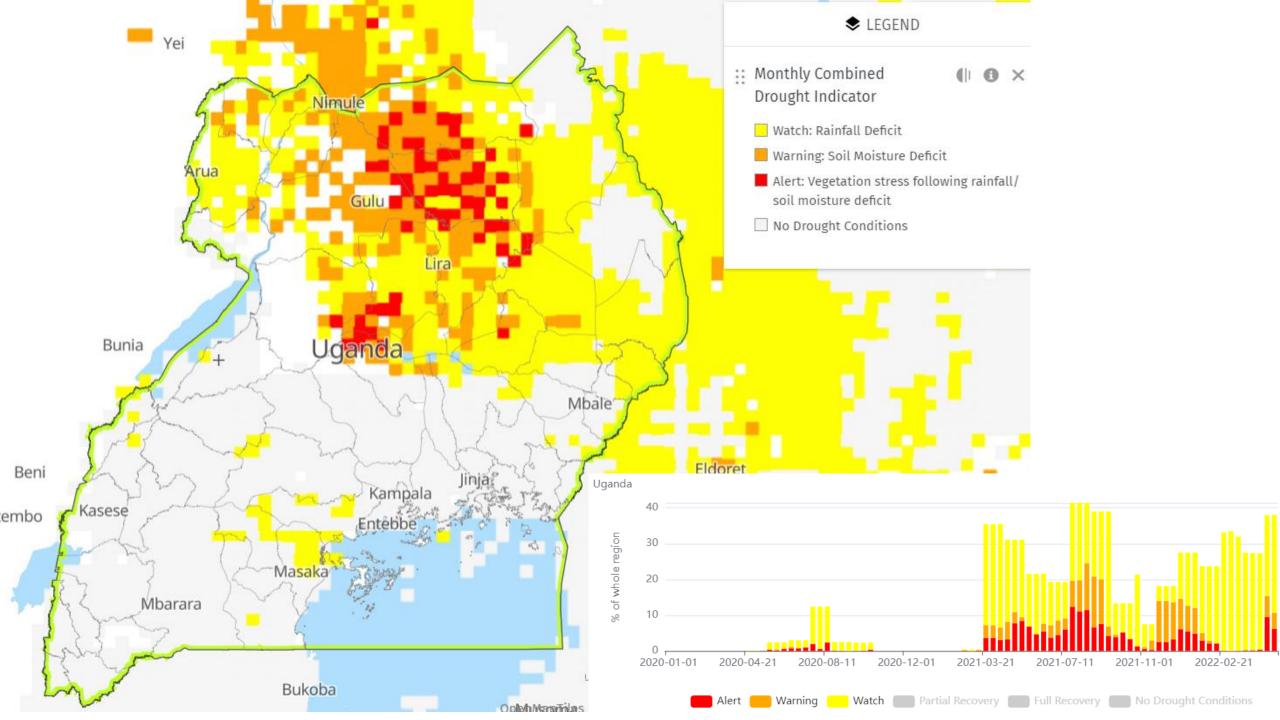
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Outcome of the Ministerial meeting on Drought

14 point communique was presented and adopted.

- *Call upon* the Member States, Humanitarian Actors and Development Partners to step up the humanitarian responses to the current crisis and revisit the scale of resilience investments.
- Directed IGAD to strengthen climate forecasting and multi-hazard early warning systems at regional level linking with Member States
- Institutionalize the Food Security and Nutrition Working Group (FSNWG) and the IGAD Centres of Excellence on Nutrition (ICEN), and study to establish food and feed reserves in the region.
- Policy coherence on climate change, Disaster Risk reduction, and sustainable development strategies for better results.
- The need for ensuring a whole-of-society approach to drought disaster risk reduction through the integration of women, children and youth, local communities, the elderly, people living with disabilities, displaced people, and other people in vulnerable situation.
- Endorsed revised IGAD Disaster Risk Management Strategy.



Thank You!