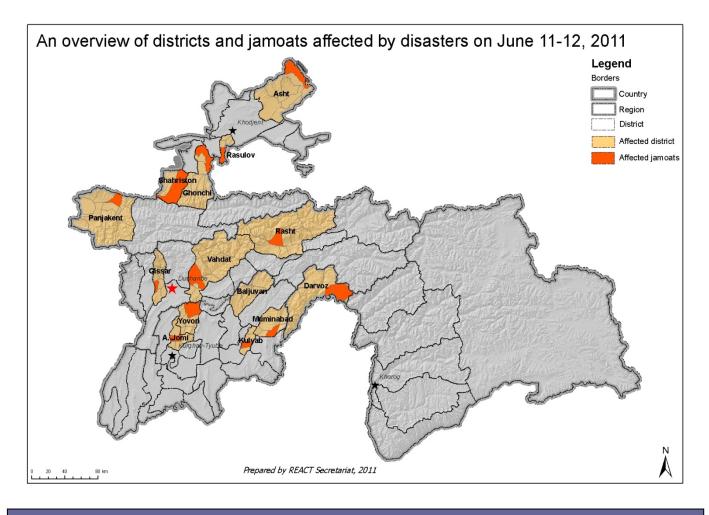
# Overview of Disasters in Tajikistan 11-12 June 2011



# Sughd province

# <u>Asht district - mudflow</u>

As a result of heavy rains on June 11, 2011 a mudflow occurred in the villages Bobodarhon and Saro of Jamoat Pohghoz and village Ravokon of Jamoat Shaidon. The mudflow caused damages to 86 households (33 houses totally destroyed and 53 partially destroyed), 11 kilometers of the roads, one bridge, 133 subsidiary premises, 8,8 ha of the homestead lands, and 500 meters of the power supply systems. A joint rapid assessment was conducted by REACT partners in Sughd region, which indicated that affected population is need of food, immediate relief and further recovery assistance. For more details please refer to: http://untj.org/country\_context/coordination\_mechanisms/disaster\_management/reports/june\_2011/

# <u> Panjakent town – mudflow</u>

As a result of heavy rains at 15.00 of June 12, 2011 a mudflow occurred in the village Yori, Jamoat Yori, Penjikent district. The initial reports from regional REACT in Zeravshan valley indicate that mudflow caused the following damages:

- Homestead land (around 3 ha of land) of 100 houses flooded;
- Drinking water supply system partially damaged;
- 1,5 km of local road, 800 meters of main road and one foot bridge damaged;
- Mudflow channel full of mud;

Currently local authorities have allocated 2 MT of diesel for cleaning of mudflow channel. RCST has committed to provide non-food items to the affected families. More detailed information on the situation will be provided by regional REACT in Zeravshan valley.

#### Shahristan and Ghonchi districts – torrential rains

On June 11 and 12, 2011, heavy torrential rains with hail have occurred in Shahristan district. Torrential rains and hail damaged water supply systems, internal roads homestead land plots and agricultural lands.

#### <u>Kairokkum town – strong winds and mudflow</u>

On June 12, 2011 a strong winds and torrential rains caused a mudflow in Adrasmon community of Dehakan village. As a result, school # 4 was flooded, 100 meters of roads and one private vehicle were damaged. Currently Local Disaster Management Commission is assessing the damages and existing needs.

# J. Rasulov district - mudflow

On June 12, 2011 as a result of the heavy rains a mudflow originated on the territory of the Kyrgyz Republic with a speed of 80-100 m3/sec overflowed from the "Isfana Soy" channel. The mudflow damaged 15 ha of cotton field, 12 ha of agricultural lands (vegetables, wheat and others), 3 electric poles, 2 bridges, and power station. Another mudflow with a speed of 25-30 m3/s overflowed the "Tomchi Soy" channel and damaged 10 ha of cotton fields and 13 ha of agricultural lands.

# Khatlon province

#### <u>Kulyab town – strong wind</u>

On June 12, 2011 a strong wind in Kulyab town blew off the roof of building of Employment Department, which fell on top of two private cars, causing severe damages to them. In Laghmon village, jamoat of Kulyab the roof of school #10 was also partially damaged.

#### Muminabad district – strong wind

Due to the strong winds of June 12, 2011 in Muminabad district, the external roof (roofing slates) were blew off and fell to the roof of neighboring house. Also the roof of Muminabad district hospital is partially damaged. According to CoES reports, no injuries or deaths have occurred.

# <u> Baljuvon district – strong wind</u>

On June 12-13, 2011 a strong wind damaged the roofs of 82 houses (living and auxiliary premises) in Baljuvon district. Previously, on May 27 - 28, 2011 roofs of over 274 houses were damaged in the same district. Currently Local disaster management Commission is assessing the damages and needs.

#### <u>A. Jomi district - flood</u>

On June 12, 2011 heavy rainfall, which continued for over one hour caused a flooding in Leninizm village of Jamoat Aral, Jomi district. In total 65 houses were flooded, however the main damages were caused to the basements and subsidiary premises and therefore the living premises are suitable for living. A rapid assessment was conducted by partners of regional REACT in Kurgan-tyube and indicated that mainly food stocks of the population was affected and immediate food assistance is requested. More detailed situation report will follow.

#### Yovon district – strong wind

On June 12, 2011 strong wind and heavy rains in Yovon district, Jamoat Ozodi, villages Chroqchi, Oqjar, Navobod Hasani, Shirinbuloq and Kuimot damaged the roofs of 80 houses. Also, 245 m2 of the roof of the secondary school #9 in Jamoat Ozodi was partially damaged. In the same Jamoat the roofs of the 2 fuel-stations were also damaged.

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#### Rasht-Navobod road

On June 12, 2011 heavy rains caused a mudflow on 8<sup>th</sup> km of Rasht-Navobod main road. Mudflow washed away a private vehicle with its driver (Mr. Saidkhoja Tolibov), who drowned in Surkhob river. His body was found today (June 13, 2011).

# <u> Vahdat district – strong wind</u>

On June 12, 2011 strong winds blew off the roof (30 meters) of Republican Tuberculosis Hospital of Penal Colony 3/13, located in Jamoat Bahor of Vahdat district.

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