



Regional Consultative Workshop on El Niño in Asia-Pacific Country Presentation



Papua New Guinea

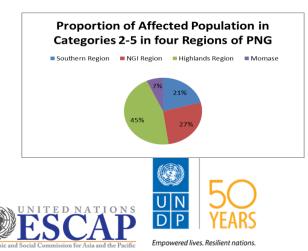
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El Niño Impact

Livelihood of communities

- Food -
- Water sources Creeks dried up, contam
- Cash crops
- Education Sector
 - Schools temporarily closed
 - Attending half-day classes
- Health Sector
 - Operations scaled down
 - Diseases
- Social/Cultural issues
- Economy





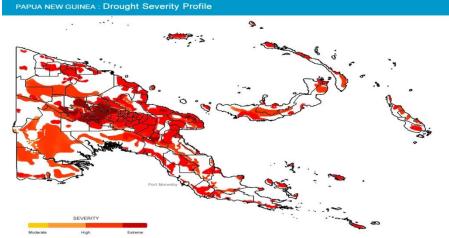




2.7 million People estimated to be in categories 2 - 5

60% - 70% require immediate relief assistance

94% of total budget required for food assistance



Source: NDC PNG Rapid Assessment Progressive Reports October 2015 Indication of Impact Categories based on Food, Health and Conditions and the Estimated Population Demains.

Response Actions to El Niño

• Government:

- General Coordination;
 - Rapid Assessment
 - Weekly coordination meetings
- Humanitarian Relief Aid
 - PGK20.m
 - 2,683 metric-tons of relief aid

Humanitarian Partners:

- UN Agencies UNICEF, WFP, FAO, UNDP
- IOM
- Bilateral Partners AusAID NZAID, USAID, ECHO,
- Faith based Uniting world, Caritas, SDA
- INGO's Save the children, OXFAM, World Vision, Care International

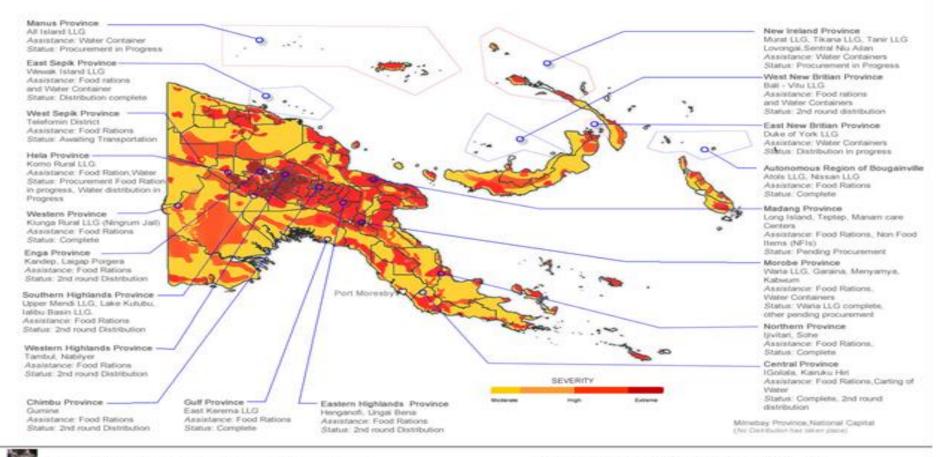
Private Sector:

- Exxon Mobil
- Inter Oil
- Ok Tedi Foundation
- Digicel Foundation
- Coca Cola



Response Actions to El Niño

Drought Relief Support and Distribution



National Disaster Centre of Papua New Guinea

Relief Distribution conducted by the National and Provincial Governments since September 2015.



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Challenges

- > Logistics capability to access remote areas.
- > Quality of assessment and situation reports.
- Coordination issues with PDC's & DDA's.
- Appropriate data and Information management.
- Communications.
- » Roles & Responsibilities' of INGO'S



