



Kigali, on 10th September 2020

Rainfall forecast from 11th to 20th September 2020

Rainfall expected from 11th to 20th September 2020 will range between 0 and 60mm countrywide. Less than 15 mm of rainfall is expected in most parts of eastern Province, Gatsibo, Kayonza, Bugesera, Kirehe and Ngoma, in Southern Province (Huye, Gisagara, Nyanza, Ruhango, southern parts of Kamonyi and Muhanga and eastern parts of Nyamagabe and Nyaruguru. Rainfall ranging between 45 and 60mm is expected in Districts of Rubavu, Burera, parts of Gicumbi, Nyabihu, Rutsiro and Nyamasheke. Rainfall ranging between 35 to 45 mm is expected in remaining parts of Nyamasheke and Rutsiro, in Musanze district, western part of Karongi, Ngororero and Nyagatare, in northern parts of Gakenke, Rulindo and Gicumbi. The remaining parts are expected to receive rainfall ranging between 15 and 35mm as shown in the map below.

The expected rain is associated with drifting of Inter-Tropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) toward our region. The rainfall will be well distributed along the dekad, with rain starting from 12th to 18th across many parts of the country. The rain will be within the range of Long Term Mean of September dekad2.

