

Peru – Severe weather

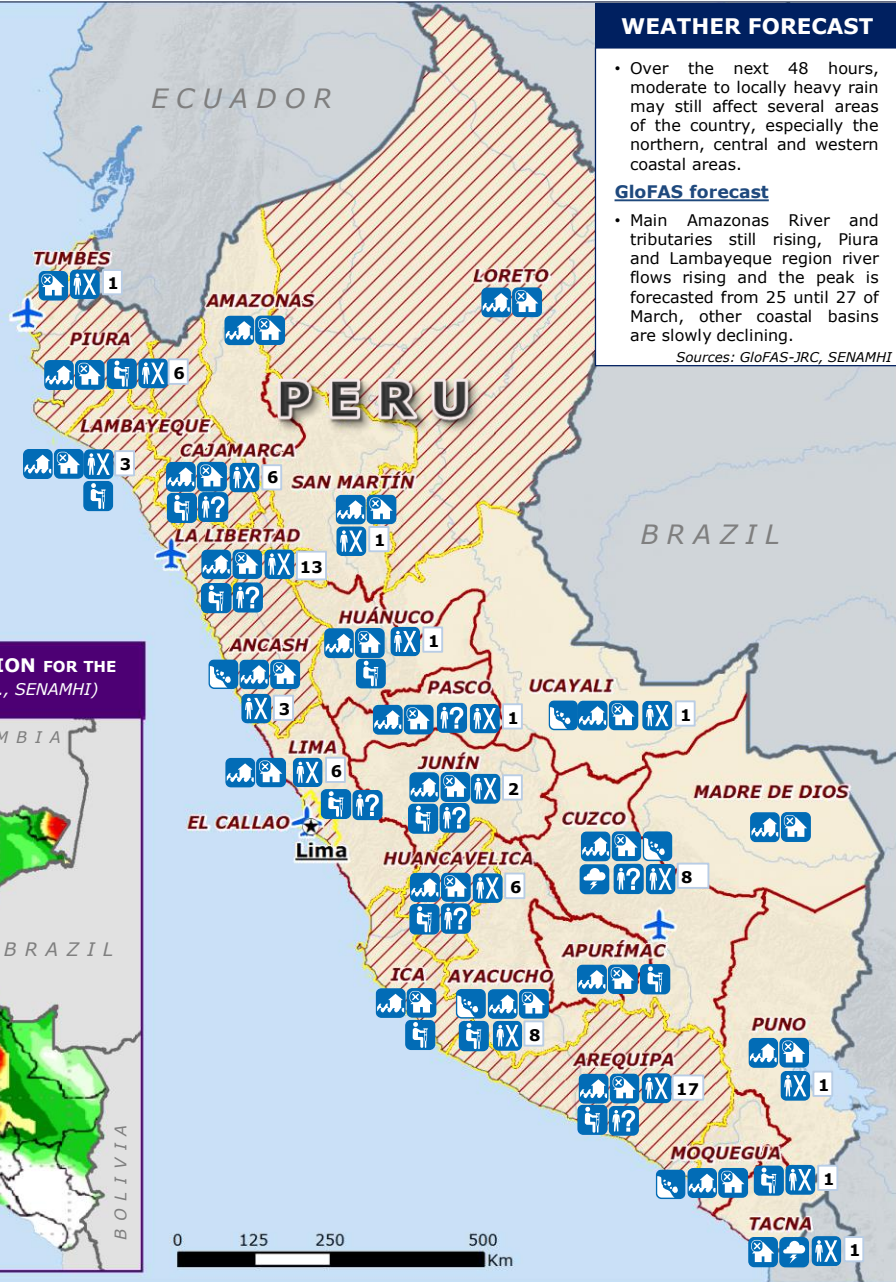


Pacific Ocean

Impact due to severe weather since Dec 2016

- 85 deaths**
- > 270 people injured**
- > 20 people missing**
- > 153 329 houses affected**
- 2 192 km of roads destroyed**
- 195 bridges destroyed**
- 1 256 schools damaged**
- 344 health centres affected**
- > 784 000 people affected**

- Regions in state of emergency
- Regions affected by severe weather
- Deaths
- People injured
- People missing
- People affected
- Landslide
- Flood
- Houses damaged
- Thunderstorms



WEATHER FORECAST

- Over the next 48 hours, moderate to locally heavy rain may still affect several areas of the country, especially the northern, central and western coastal areas.

GloFAS forecast

- Main Amazonas River and tributaries still rising, Piura and Lambayeque region river flows rising and the peak is forecasted from 25 until 27 of March, other coastal basins are slowly declining.

Sources: GloFAS-JRC, SENAMHI

SITUATION

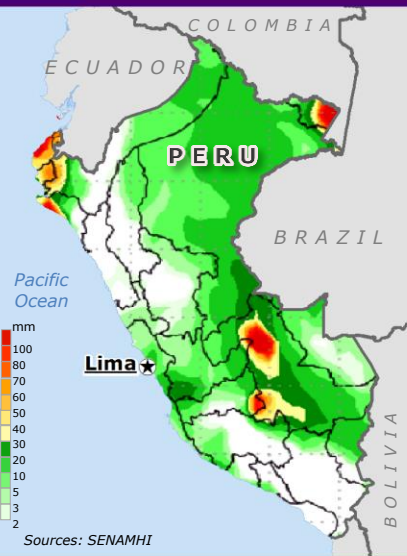
- The worst floods and mudslides in almost 30 years are continuing to affect the country.
- As of 24 March, the death toll has reached 85 people. More than 784 000 people are affected, including over 111 000 homeless and almost 673 000 severely affected. 1 256 schools are severely damaged and 451 have collapsed and are uninhabitable; 344 health centres are affected, and 28 have collapsed; 25 298 hectares of crops have been damaged and 11 800 destroyed.
- A state of emergency has been declared in 12 departments.
- There is a risk of rise in diseases transmitted through water, food and vectors in urban suburbs and rural areas. As of 24 March, the Peruvian Red Cross (PRC-IFRC) reported over 349 000 cases of Acute Respiratory Infection, over 223 000 cases of Acute Diarrhoeal Diseases, over 5 200 cases of Dengue and over 1 000 cases of Zika.
- The [Copernicus Emergency Management Service \(EMS\)](#) was activated on 22 March at 10.08 UTC for many coastal towns including Lima, the capital and Iquitos (Amazon area).

Sources: INDECI, PRC-IFRC, DG ECHO

POPULATION AFFECTED BY SEVERE WEATHER (as of 23 Mar, INDECI)



FORECAST PRECIPITATION FOR THE NEXT 24 H (as of 24 March., SENAMHI)



ALERTS IN EFFECT FOR HEAVY RAIN (from 19 March until 25 March)

