

## Annex

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### Assessment of the seasonal forecast for the summer season

#### JJA 2017

##### 1. SEECOF-17 Climate outlook for the 2017 summer season:

**Temperature:** probability for tercile near norm (40 %) or above the norm (40 %) in the Black Sea Coastal Zone, and warm (50 %) in the rest of Georgia.

**Precipitation:** probability for tercile near or below (40%) over all Georgia.

##### 2. Analysis of the 2017 summer season:

###### *Summer temperatures (reference period 1961-1990)*

Mean seasonal temperature was above normal by 1 or 2<sup>0</sup>C on the flat and lowland of Georgia and 3 or 4<sup>0</sup>C in mountine regions.

June was near norm, but July and August were above norm. The highest temperature of the season was observed In July and August. Air temperature (+40 C<sup>0</sup>) was observed in Zestafoni on 28<sup>th</sup> July and 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> August, in Qutaisi on 7<sup>th</sup> August, in Lagodekhi on 9<sup>th</sup> August.

The outlook for Georgia summer 2017 was expected to be normal and above the normal in the Black Sea Coastal Zone and warm in the rets of Georgia, what was not very good for Costal Zone and good for the rest of Georgia.

*Summer Precipitation (reference period 1961-1990)*

- 3.** Amount of precipitation in 2017 summer was near the norm In west Georgia and below the norm in the most territory of east Georgia, excluding several stations, where it was near norm.

On the 15<sup>th</sup> June was very heavy precipitation In whole territory of Georgia, cause of these was flood in Rioni Basin.

The outlook for Georgia, summer 2017 was expected precipitation near and below the norm, what was good for Georgia.

**4. Verification of the SEECOF-17 climate outlook for the 2017 summer season:**

Country	Seasonal temperature (JJA)		Seasonal precipitation (JJA)	
	Observed	SEECOF-17 climate outlook for temperature	Observed	SEECOF-17 climate outlook for precipitation
Georgia	Above normal	Near norm or above the norm for the Black Sea Coastal Zone, and warm in the rest of Georgia	Near the norm In west Georgia and below the norm in the most territory of east Georgia, excluding several stations, where it was near norm	Near or below normal over all Georgia