

# CariCOF Flash flood potential outlook – July to September 2026

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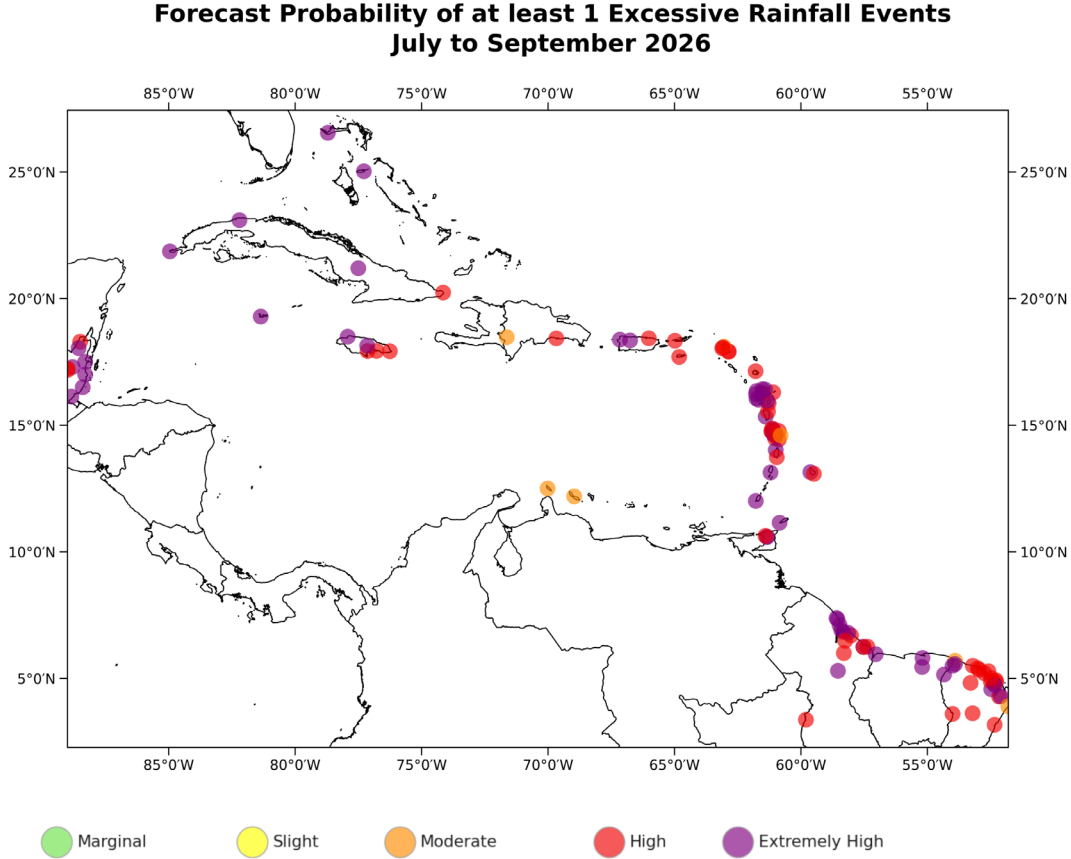
TS Erika triggered flash floods  
and landslides in Dominica  
August 2015 →→→

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Flash flood potential	Colour codes	Probability of excessive rainfall* event
<b>EXTREMELY HIGH</b>		>80%
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<b>MODERATE</b>		20-50%
<b>SLIGHT</b>		10-20%
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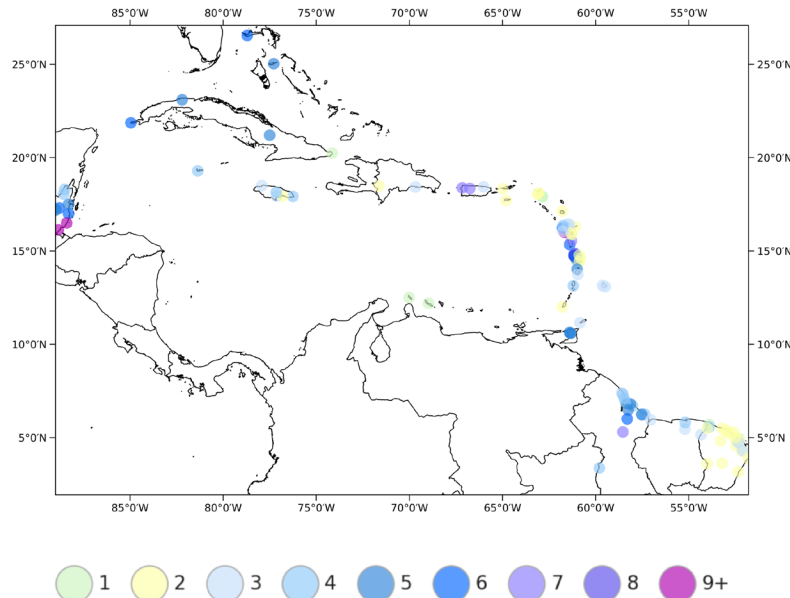


**FORECAST:** *High to extremely high* flash flood potential in The Bahamas, Belize, Guianas, Greater & Lesser Antilles; *moderate* potential in the ABC Islands.

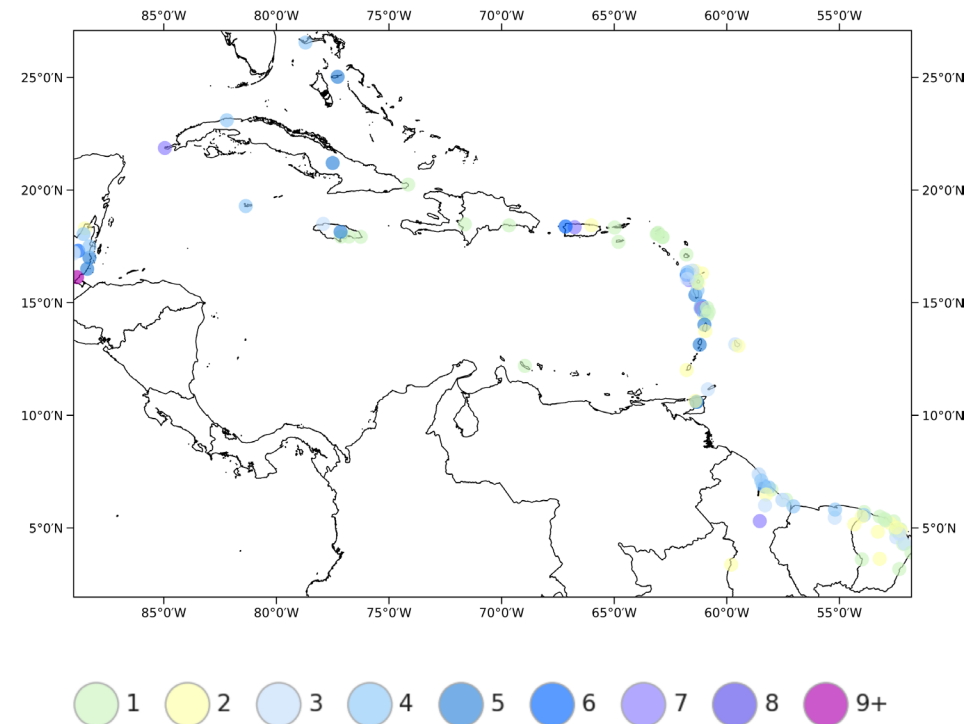
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**Historical avg. # excessive rainfall events  
Jul. – Aug. – Sep. 1991-2020**



**Forecast # excessive rainfall events  
Jul. – Aug. – Sep. 2026**



**FORECAST:** Southern Belize at least 9 excessive rainfall events; Northern and Northwest Bahamas, central Belize, Western & Central Cuba, mountainous areas in the Antilles 4-6 events; northern Belize, Grand Cayman, Guyana, Suriname 2-4 events; Barbados, French Guiana, low-lying areas in the Antilles 3 events or less (*low to medium confidence*).

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Country/Territory	(Island-) Station	JAS 2026	range	Country/Territory	(Island-) Station	JAS 2026	range
Antigua & Barbuda	Antigua - VCBIA	1	(0-3)	French Guiana	Cacao	3	(2-5)
Aruba	QBIA	0	(0-1)	French Guiana	Camopi SAPC	2	(0-4)
The Bahamas	Grand Bahama - Freeport	5	(2-8)	French Guiana	Camp Szutz	4	(2-6)
The Bahamas	New Providence - LPIA	5	(3-8)	French Guiana	Matoury SOCA	5	(2-8)
Barbados	CIMH	2	(0-4)	French Guiana	Cayenne Suzini	3	(1-4)
Barbados	GAIA	2	(0-3)	French Guiana	Charvein	5	(3-7)
Belize	Belmopan	6	(3-9)	French Guiana	Dégrad des Cannes	3	(1-5)
Belize	Central Farm	3	(1-6)	French Guiana	Île Royale	4	(1-7)
Belize	Libertad	2	(1-5)	French Guiana	Iracoubo	3	(1-6)
Belize	Melinda	5	(2-9)	French Guiana	Kourou CSG	3	(1-5)
Belize	PGIA	4	(1-8)	French Guiana	Maripasoula	3	(1-4)
Belize	Punta Gorda	19	(9-29)	French Guiana	Montsinery	4	(1-6)
Belize	Savannah	6	(2-10)	French Guiana	Regina	5	(3-8)
Belize	Spanish Lookout	3	(0-6)	French Guiana	Roura	6	(3-8)
Belize	Towerhill	3	(1-6)	French Guiana	Saint-Élie	2	(0-5)
Cayman Islands	Grand Cayman - ORIA	3	(0-6)	French Guiana	Saint-Georges	3	(1-5)
Cuba	Cabo San Antonio	6	(3-9)	French Guiana	Saint-Laurent	4	(2-6)
Cuba	Camagüey	4	(2-7)	French Guiana	Saul	4	(1-5)
Cuba	Casablanca	5	(3-7)	French Guiana	Savane-Combi	4	(1-7)
Cuba	Punta de Maisi	1	(0-2)	French Guiana	Sinnamary	4	(1-6)
Curaçao	TNCC	0	(0-2)	French Guiana	Tonate	3	(2-6)
Dominica	Canefield	4	(1-6)	Grenada	Point Salines MBIA	2	(1-3)
Dominica	Douglas Charles	5	(2-8)	Guadeloupe	Grand Bourg les basses Aéro	7	(3-10)
Dominican Republic	Jimani		(-)	Guadeloupe	Saint-Louis Presbytere	2	(0-3)
Dominican Republic	Las Americas		(-)	Guadeloupe	Gourbeyre Gros Morne dole	1	(0-3)
Dominican Republic	Santo Domingo Mirador Este		(-)	Guadeloupe	Vieux Habitants gendarmerie SAPC	2	(0-4)
St-Barthélemy	Anse des Flamands	1	(0-3)	Guadeloupe	Pointe noire Bellevue	2	(1-4)
St-Barthélemy	TFFJ	1	(0-3)	Guadeloupe	Le Raizet TFFR	5	(2-7)
St-Martin	Grand Case	1	(0-3)	Guadeloupe	La Désirade gendarmerie	2	(1-4)
St-Martin	Marigot gendarmerie	1	(0-3)	Guadeloupe	Sainte-Rose Clugny	1	(0-3)
French Guiana	Apatou	3	(2-6)	Guadeloupe	Petit Canal gros Cap	3	(1-6)
French Guiana	Awala Yalimango	2	(1-4)	Guadeloupe	Port Louis gendarmerie	2	(1-4)

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Guyana	Aishalton		(-)	Martinique	Fonds-Saint-Denis Cadet	8	(4-12)
Guyana	Albion Front	2	(0-6)	Martinique	Fort-de-France Désaix	3	(0-6)
Guyana	Apaikwa		(-)	Martinique	Fort-de-France Donis	8	(3-12)
Guyana	Blairmont 7		(-)	Martinique	Lamentin ACIA	3	(1-7)
Guyana	Blairmont Front	5	(2-9)	Martinique	Macouba Bellevue	6	(3-9)
Guyana	Blairmont 6		(-)	Martinique	Le Morne-Rouge Champflore	9	(4-14)
Guyana	Charity	5	(2-8)	Martinique	Saint-Joseph Rivière Lezarde	4	(2-7)
Guyana	De Kindren Back	7	(3-10)	Martinique	Sainte-Anne Seci	5	(2-8)
Guyana	Ebini	6	(2-9)	Martinique	Saint-Pierre Depaz	2	(0-4)
Guyana	Enmore Front	2	(0-5)	Martinique	La Trinité Caravelle	1	(0-3)
Guyana	Georgetown	6	(4-8)	Martinique	Le Vauclin	2	(0-4)
Guyana	Great Falls	8	(5-12)	Monserrat			(-)
Guyana	Kamarang		(-)	Puerto Rico	Adjuntas		(-)
Guyana	La Bagat	6	(3-9)	Puerto Rico	Arecibo	7	(4-9)
Guyana	Leon Front		(-)	Puerto Rico	Coloso	6	(3-10)
Guyana	Lethem	4	(1-7)	Puerto Rico	Lajas-Substation		(-)
Guyana	Mabaruma		(-)	Puerto Rico	Magueyes-Island		(-)
Guyana	Mackenzie		(-)	Puerto Rico	San-Juan	3	(1-4)
Guyana	Mards		(-)	St Kitts and Nevis	St. Kitts RLB Airport		(-)
Guyana	Mc-Nabb B	4	(2-8)	St Kitts and Nevis	St. Kitts National Agri. Station		(-)
Guyana	New Amsterdam	5	(3-8)	St Kitts and Nevis	Nevis Airport		(-)
Guyana	Onderneeming	6	(3-9)	Saint Lucia	GFLCharles	3	(1-6)
Guyana	Parishara		(-)	Saint Lucia	Hewanorra	2	(0-5)
Guyana	Port Kai		(-)	Sint Maarten	TNCM	1	(0-3)
Guyana	Rose Hall		(-)	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	St. Vincent - Argyle		(-)
Guyana	Skeldon		(-)	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	St. Vincent - ET Joshua	4	(1-7)
Guyana	Surama		(-)	Suriname	Cultuurtuin		(-)
Guyana	Timehri	5	(2-9)	Suriname	Lelydorp		(-)
Guyana	Wismar	5	(2-8)	Suriname	Nieuw Nickerie	4	(2-6)
Jamaica	Bodles	1	(0-4)	Suriname	Zanderij	4	(2-6)
Jamaica	Duckenfield	2	(0-6)	Suriname	Zorg en Hoop	5	(3-7)
Jamaica	NMIA	1	(0-4)	Trinidad and Tobago	Trinidad - Piarco	4	(2-7)
Jamaica	Sangster	3	(0-5)	Trinidad and Tobago	Trinidad - UWI St. Augustine	4	(2-6)
Jamaica	Worthy Park	3	(1-6)	Trinidad and Tobago	Tobago - Crown Point	3	(1-5)
Martinique	Ajoupa Bouillon Eden	9	(6-13)	U.S. Virgin Islands	Saint Croix	1	(0-2)
Martinique	Basse-Pointe Chalvet	5	(1-8)	U.S. Virgin Islands	Saint Thomas	1	(0-3)
Martinique	Le Diamant Jacqua	3	(1-5)				

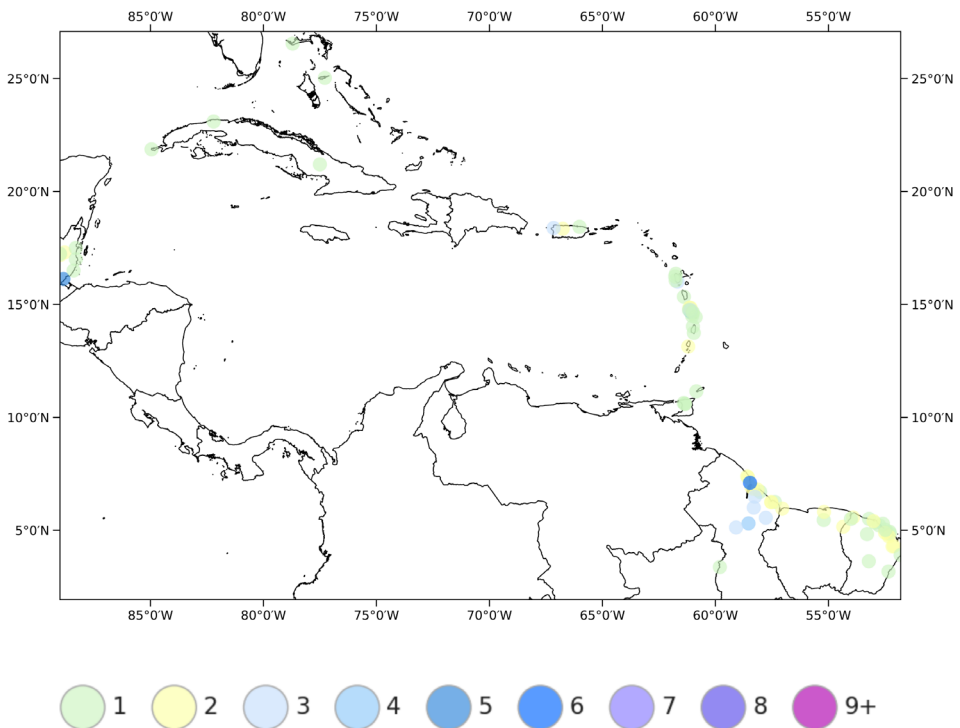
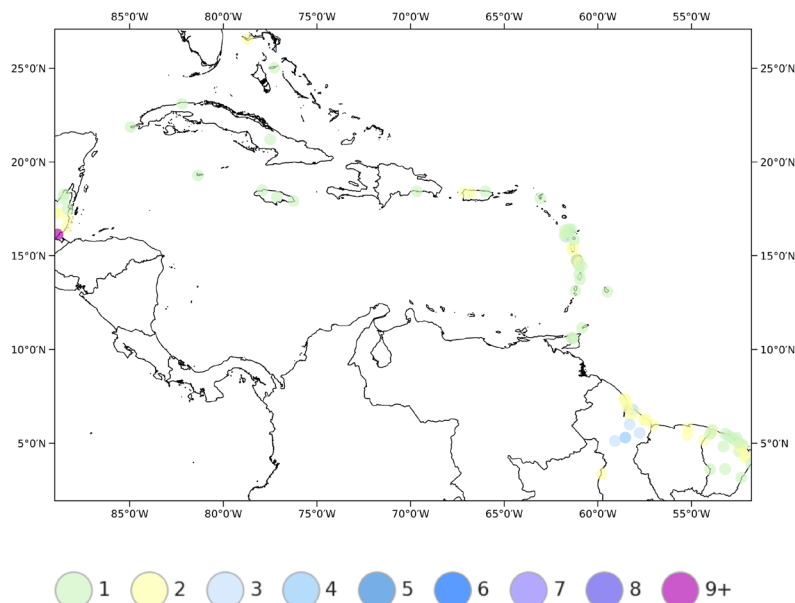
# Zooming in on July

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## Forecast # excessive rainfall events in July 2026

## Historical # excessive rainfall events in July (1991-2020 avg.)



Historically in July:






Far southern Belize at least 9 excessive rainfall events; Guyana 2 to 4 events; other areas up to 1 or 2 events.

**FORECAST:**

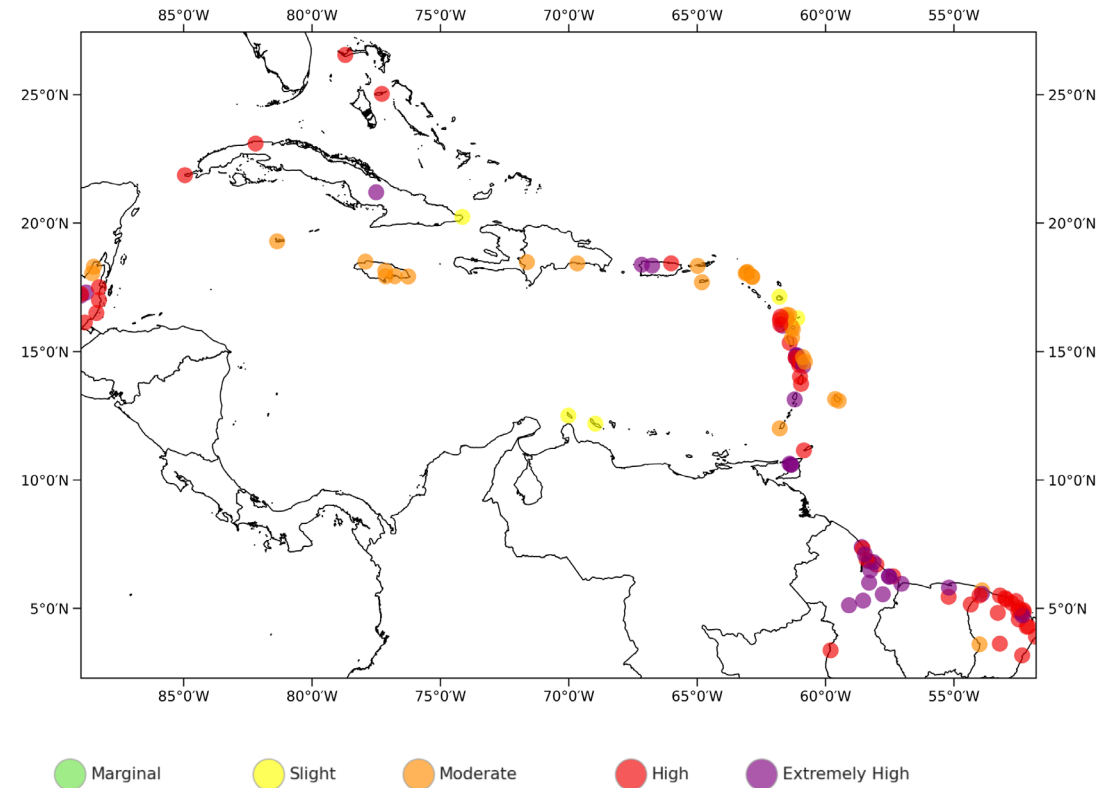
**No more than the usual number of excessive rainfall events (*low confidence*).**

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Forecast Probability of at least 1 Excessive Rainfall Events  
July 2026

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