

# IDMP

Integrated Drought Management Programme



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**BUILDING  
DROUGHT  
RESILIENCE  
TO REDUCE  
POVERTY**

# South America

- Drought Workshop in San Miguel de Tucuman, Argentina  
30 June to 01 July 2016
- Supported by GWP Argentina, government and civil society
- Aim to formulate basis of a drought management plan
- Development of pilot program of GWP South America to support the development of provincial / national integrated drought management plan
- Extrapolate the lessons learned to other regions of Argentina and other Latin American countries
- Technically supported by the IDMP and the IDMP partners IMTA and AEMET, as well as WMO and GWP participated in the workshop

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- Regional Drought Monitoring Workshop - early 2017
- Draft Concept Note developed
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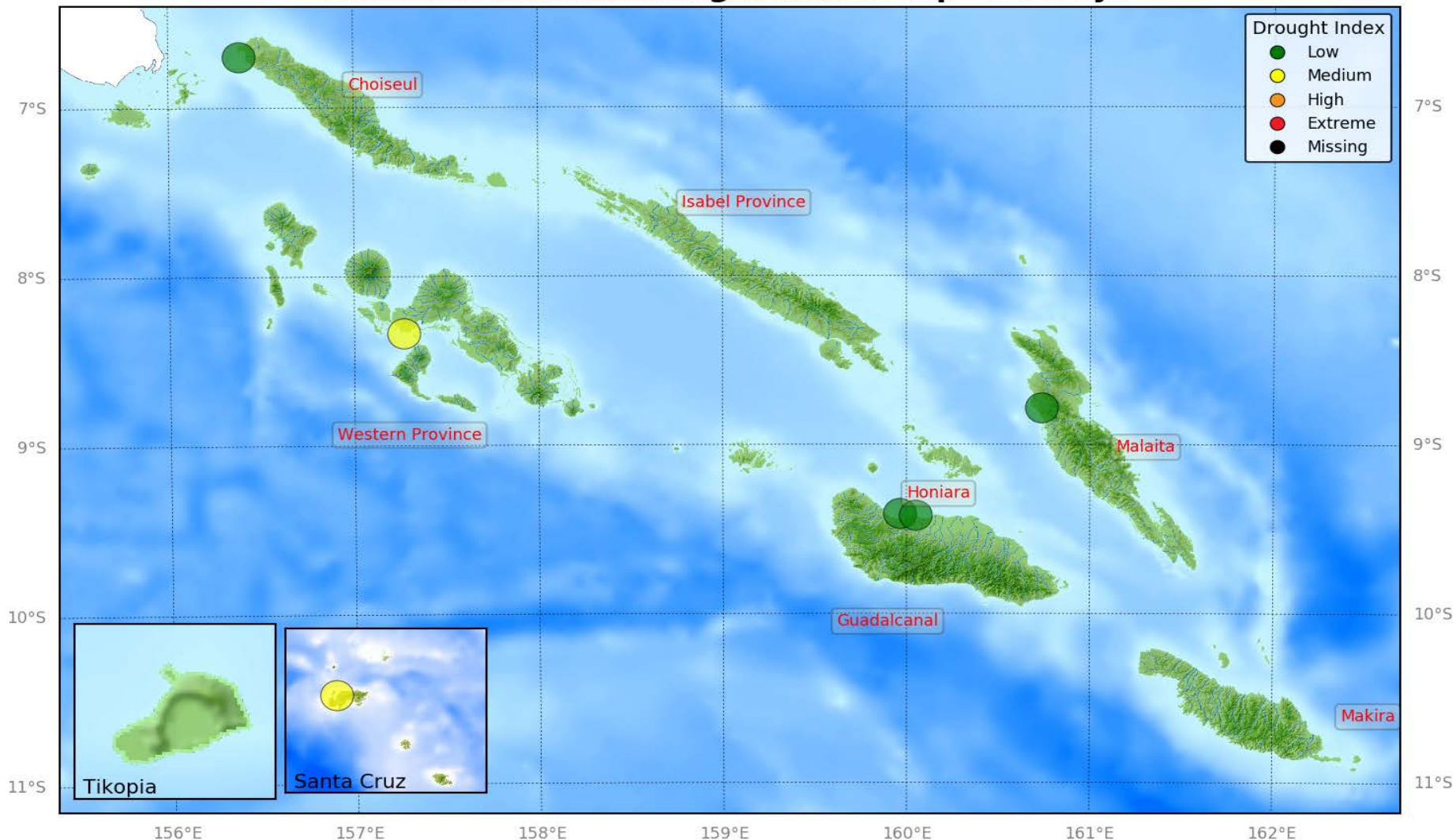
# Pacific Islands

- Based on discussions at Pacific Islands Climate Outlook Forum (PICOFF) in 2015, three countries requested assistance with developing national drought policies
  - Solomon Islands (5-8 Sept 2016)
  - Kiribati (1<sup>st</sup> half of 2017)
  - Tuvalu (1<sup>st</sup> half of 2017)
- Supported by WMO/IDMP and SPREP
- Consultant hired to assist Solomon Islands
- Draft Initial Policy – 30 Nov 2016
- National Circulation for comments (NDMO, SIMS, and others)
- Possible meeting on draft policy (late Jan-Feb 2017)
- Finalization of Draft Policy (Mar 2017)



# Drought Index Map - 30days

## Solomon Islands Drought Index Map - 30 Days

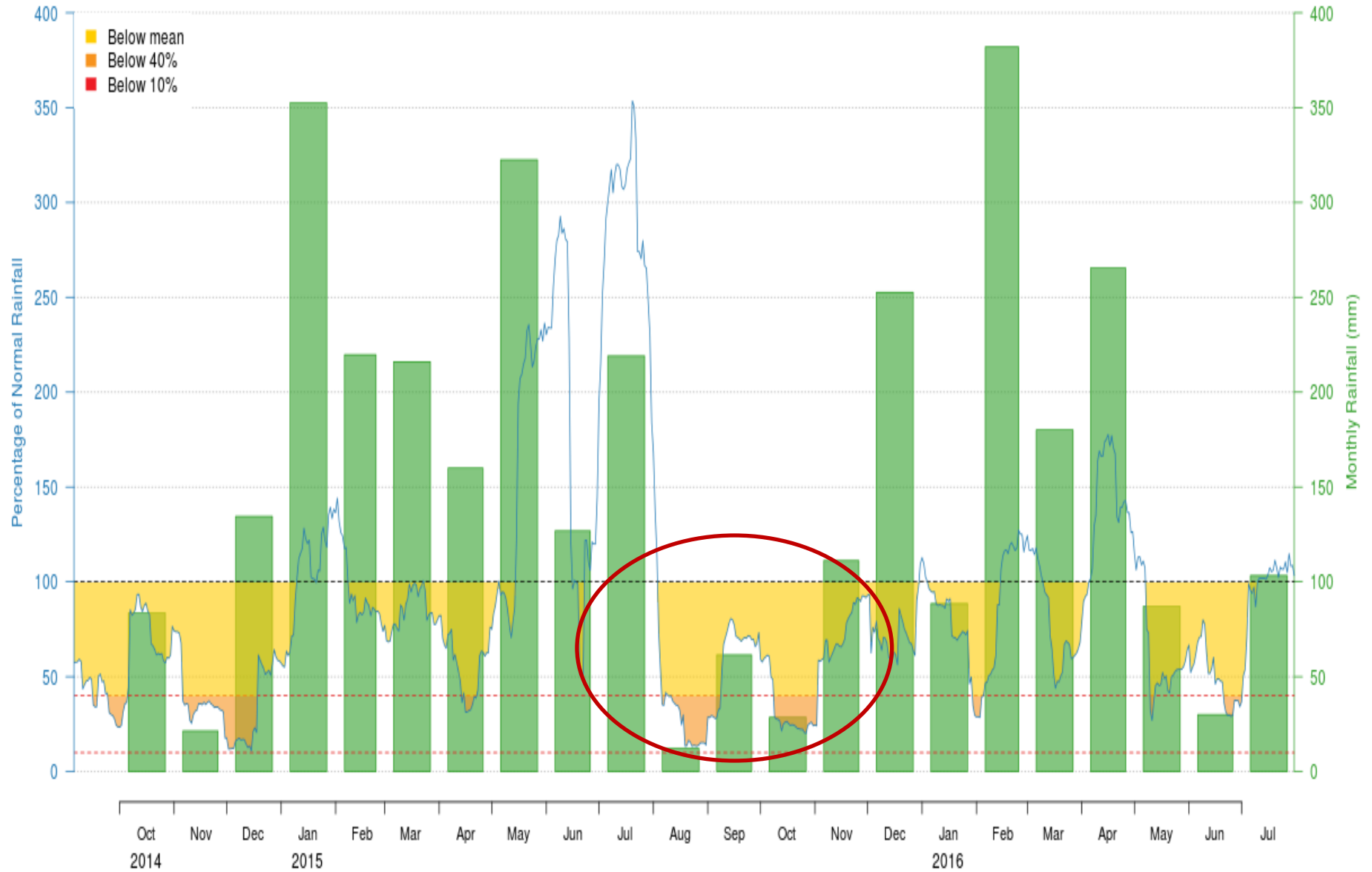


Map created on 2016-09-04 - Drought Index calculated using the most recent data available (normally up to the end of the previous month)

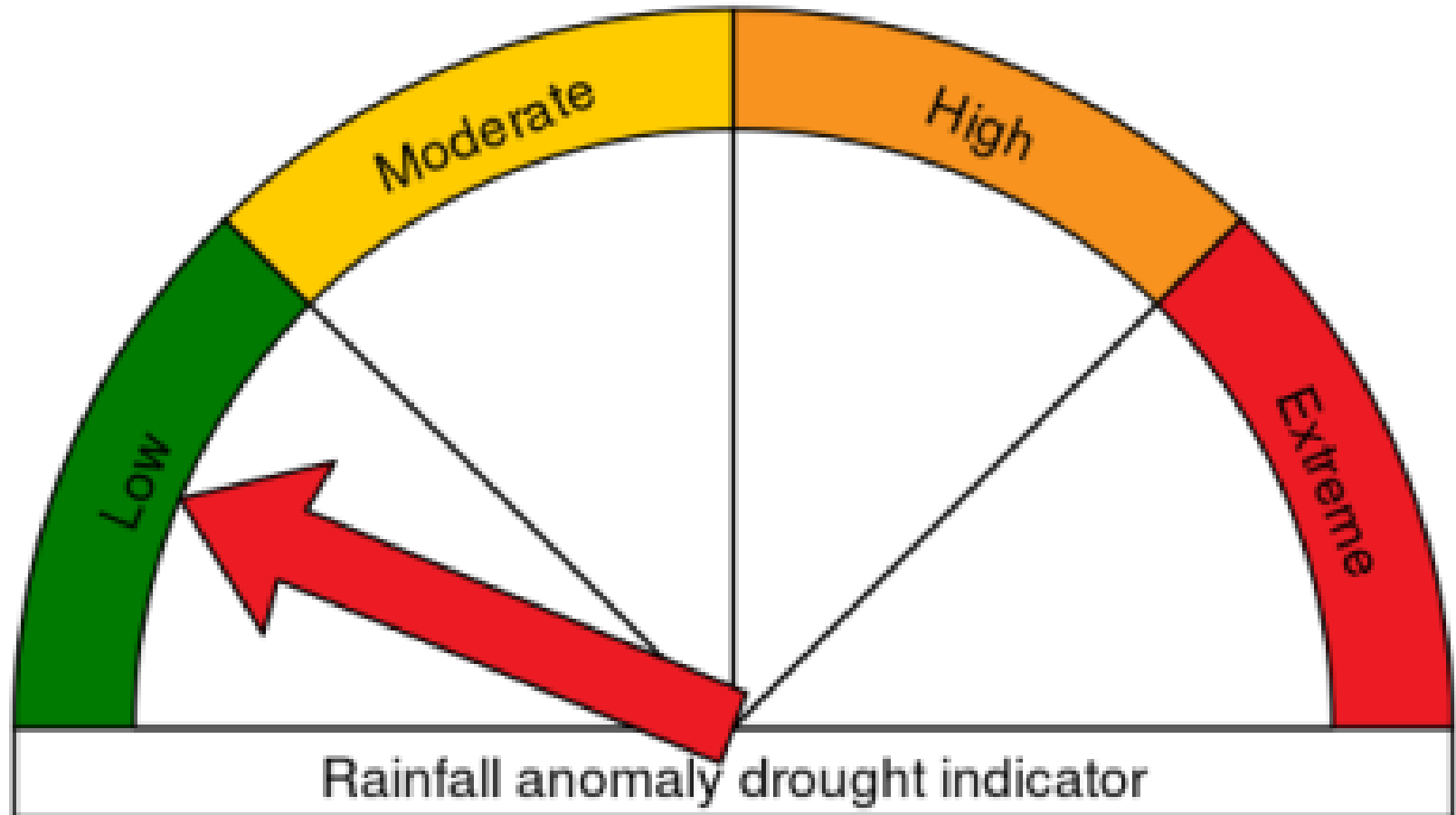
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### 30 day accumulated rainfall anomalies (% of normal)

22 months ending 31 July 2016 at Honiara (Vavaya Ridge)

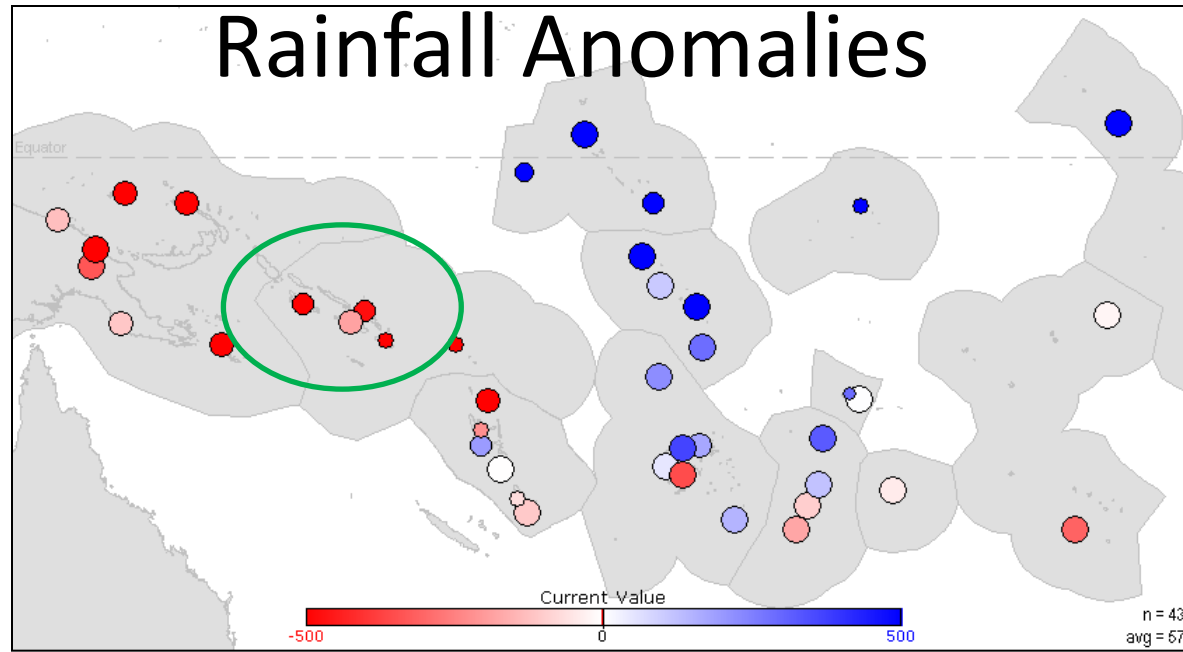


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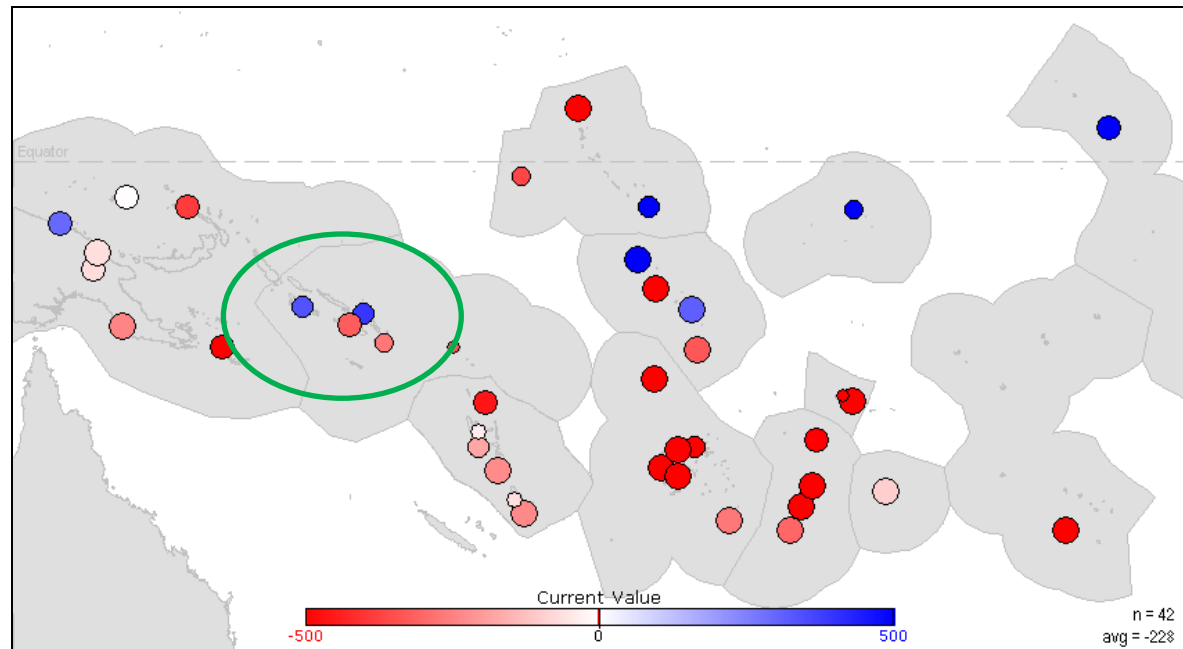


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May – Oct  
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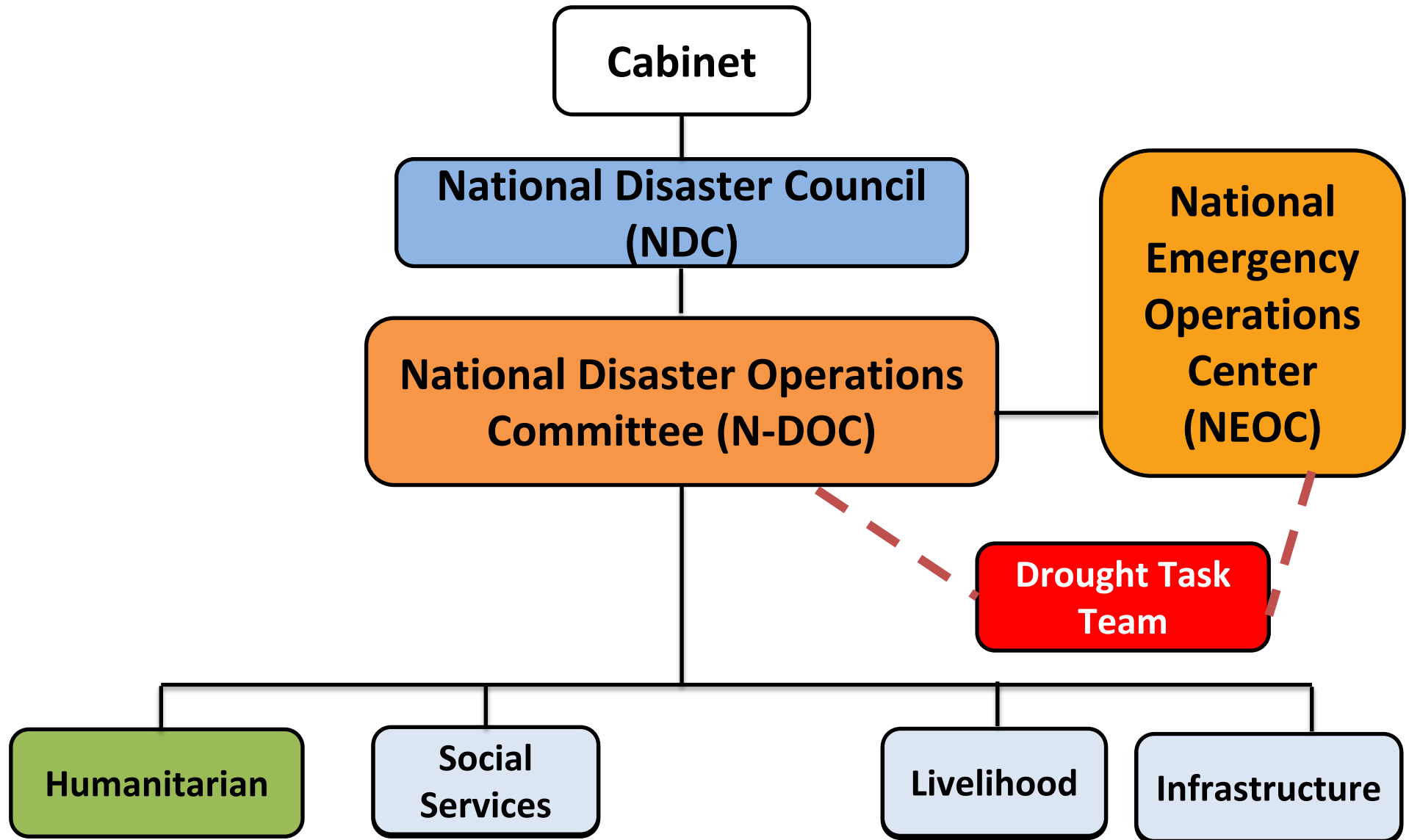


Nov 1997–  
April 1998





# Solomon Islands Disaster Management Structure



# For further information

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