Moderate amounts of precipitation were received throughout the Sahel, with the heaviest rainfall totals confined towards parts of the southern Darfur region. Most IDP and refugee camps in Darfur received between 20-40mm of rainfall, while many IDP and refugee camps north of Darfur and El Fasher observed lesser amounts during the past seven days.

**Regional Overview: Transport Corridors**

Colored lines representing the Inter-tropical Front (ITF) indicate the average position of the leading edge of heavy rains in Darfur and Eastern Chad during the identified period.

*refers to the long-term average (1979-2007)
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During the next seven days, the highest rains (50-75mm) are expected between the eastern Darfur region and Am Timan.

Most IDP and refugee camps south and east of Darfur are likely to receive between 30-50mm of precipitation, with locally heavier totals expected for areas near the Chad/Sudan border.

Little to no rainfall (<15mm) is expected for most IDP and refugee camps north of Darfur during the next week. The ITF is expected to begin its seasonal retreat toward the equator in September.

Up-to-date forecasts are available at: http://www.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/products/fews/africa/