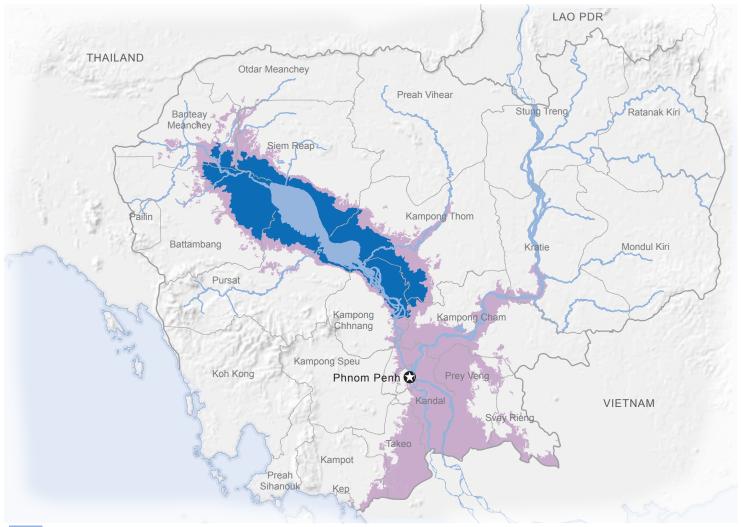


In the worst flooding since 2000, heavy monsoon rains and a series of tropical storms caused extensive flooding across Southeast Asia, affecting 18 of Cambodia's 24 provinces.



247 killed

1 million affected

46,403 households displaced

Normal pattern of flooding in Cambodia

In the wet season (May to Oct), water from the Mekong causes the Tonle Sap to reverse flow, expanding the lake to six times it's dry season size



Extent of lakes and rivers during dry season (Nov to Apr)

Extent of lake during normal wet season (May to Oct)

Estimated extent of 2011 floods

Water levels and the Mekong and rivers throughout Cambodia are monitored by the Mekong River Commission (http://ffw.mrcmekong.org/) and the Cambodian Department of Hydrology and River Works (http://www.dhrw-cam.org/)

30 July. Tropical Storm Nok Ten crosses Viet Nam and Lao PDR 25 Sep. Mekong reaches flood state at Tan Chau **10 Oct.** 3 flood stations are close to record levels reached in 2000

Chronology of the emergency

July

Aug

Sept

Oct