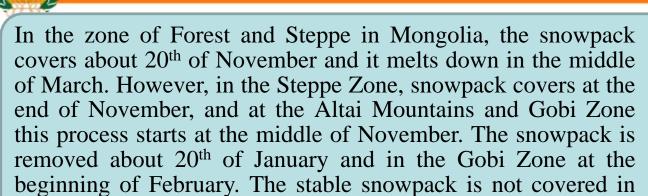
# DZUD IN MONGOLIA

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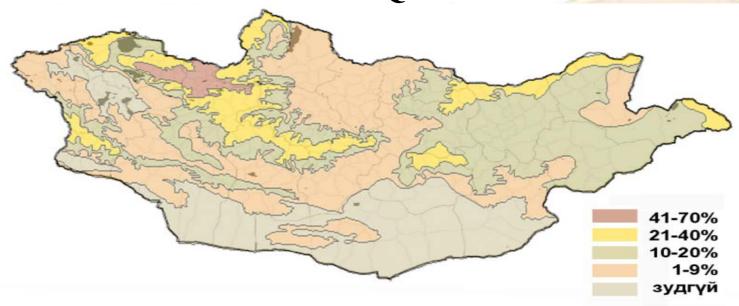


Since over the 40s of last century, the total territory of Mongolia was affected by the Dzud in 1944-1945, and more that 3 of 4 was affected in 1954-1955, 2000-2001, 2002-2003 and 2009-2010. The severe Dzud which covers more that 50 percent of total territory has been experinced at 1956-1957, 1967-1968, 1999-2000, 2001-2002 and 2004-2005.

In Mongolian language the term "Dzud" describes a natural disaster that occurs in winter and spring season and represents risks to human /local livestock herders/ and livestock /domesticated animal/ population. Dzud is a complex phenomena that is mainly caused by natural elements which reduce access to grazing, thus negatively impacting the food security of livestock and human populations.



## **DZUD FREQUENCY MAP**



#### Geographic Spread of the White Dzud [Natsagdorj Dulamsuren 2001]

According to this Dzud Frequency Map the Dzud occurs at the Tes River Valley once an every 2 years, at the highland areas of Khangai, Khentii, Khankhökhii, Kharkhiraa and Turgen once an every 3 years, and Altai, Khangai, Khuvsgul and Khentii Mountains and Dornod steppe area once to twice an every 10 years.



The main reasons of 2009-2010 "Dzud" are as follows:

Drought (approximately 70 percent of all the territory was dominated by the Drought)

**Heavy Snowfall** 

**Extremely Low Temperature** 

**Strong Wind** 

Summer conditio

Forecast tem, in Dec 2015

Snow depth

Snow density

Snow cover

Snow cover days

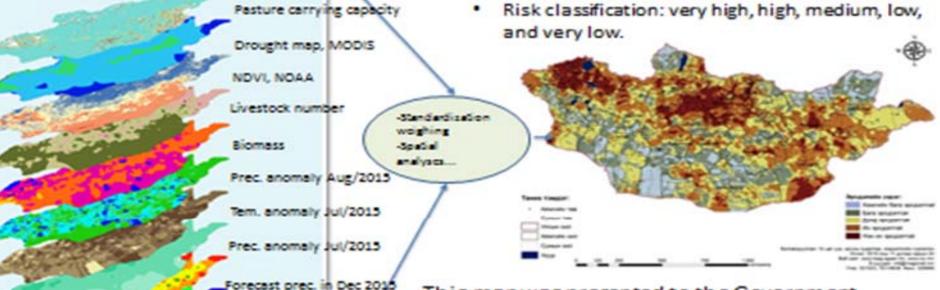
# IRIMHE: Early warning for Zud

#### Input parameters

#### Data processing

#### Risk map Nov 20, 2015

 Produced on 20Jun, 10 Aug, 20 Sep, 20 Nov, 10 Jan, and 20 Mar using ground observation data and remote sensing data



This map was presented to the Government,
Parliament standing committee on food and
agriculture, Special committees, and some donor
organizations in Mongolia at UNDP's request. A lot
of early preparation work was done this year based
on this map.



## PREPARATION AND PREPAREDNESS

• The Emergency Management Service of Mongolia carry out the Search and Rescue Operations with 24 Rescue Units which is located at the local areas and the capital city of Ulaanbaatar as well as 460 professional rescuers. The technical capacity of these unit are 57 off road vehicles, 27 Satellite Iridium Mobile Phones, 407 low frequency mobile radios and 104 GPSs.





## 2009-2010 DZUD ASSESSMENT



### Severe Disaster

• 80 soums of 15aimags



### Dzud

• 86 soums of 14 aimags



### Nearly Dzud

• 75 soums of 11 aimags

## THE ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED

**GOM** 

• Government of Mongolia 6.813.600.000

Foreign countries

• Russia, China, Turkey, Japan 27.659.000.000

UN

• International Inter Governmental Organizations and United Nations Agencies 10.950.000.000

**Donation** 

- From the foreign countries 9.500.000
- Form civilians and private companies 818.200.000



### **DZUD LOSS**



95,500 herder households of 175 soums from 18 aimags, was affect by the Dzud.



Approximately 90 percent of total livestock was affected by the Dzud.



At the national level the total number of livestock was reduced 9.7 million and the total loss amount is 526 trillion togrogs.

### **GOVERNMENT RESOLUTION NUMBER 286**

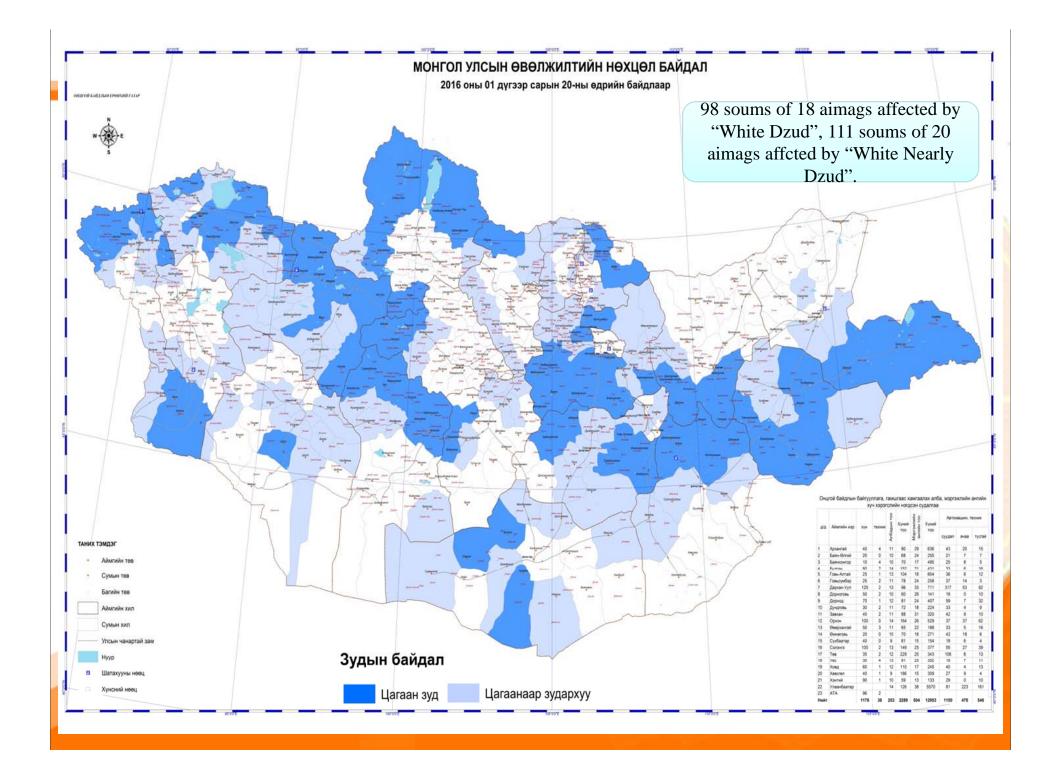
"White Dzud"

"White Nearly Dzud"

"Black Dzud"

"Black Nearly Dzud"

"Iron and Ice Dzud"





### **DZUD ASSESSMENT**



"White Dzud"

• 50 soums of 16 aimags



"White Nearly Dzud"

• 120 soums of 20 aimags



"White Dzud"
98 soums of 18 aimags



Nearly Dzud" 111 soums of 20 aimags

"White

# **DZUD RISK ASSESSMENT**

No	Name of Aimag		ıms Dzud	The numberof Soums affected by Nearly Dzud  Total number of herder households	The total number of livestock	The number of people who are living in the areas with heavy snowfall					
		Total Soums	mberof So by Nearly			Herder Households	Pregnant Women	The children aged under 0-5	Disabilities	Extremely Poor Households	Number of Livestock
TOTALLY 21 AIMAGS		339	209	149735	55,957,6	62719	3340	28290	6004	5009	23783







# Government Resolution number 480, 2015

#### Vehicles



#### Hay and Forage



2.681.155.000 togrogs

#### Socials Welfare Service



1.800.000.000 togrogs

Totally 4.481.155.000 togrogs



