

# LESOTHO METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES (LEKALA LA TSA BOLEPI)



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## Highlights

- ❑ Wet conditions prevailed at most places.
- ❑ Cumulative rainfall normal to above normal.
- ❑ Normal temperatures experienced at most parts.
- ❑ Weeding hampered by rains

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### **CROP STAGE AND CONDITIONS**

Crops in the western lowlands continued to experience water-logging at some parts of the country. Water-logging could be harmful to crops in these flowering stages. Crop stages range from vegetative to early flowering stages. Crops are generally in fair to good conditions at most places.

### **DEKADAL OUTLOOK**

**21 – 28 February 2009**

The coming ten days are expected to be mostly partly cloudy and warm with scattered to widespread rain and thundershowers. Day-time temperatures are expected to remain generally warm during this period.

Fig. 1

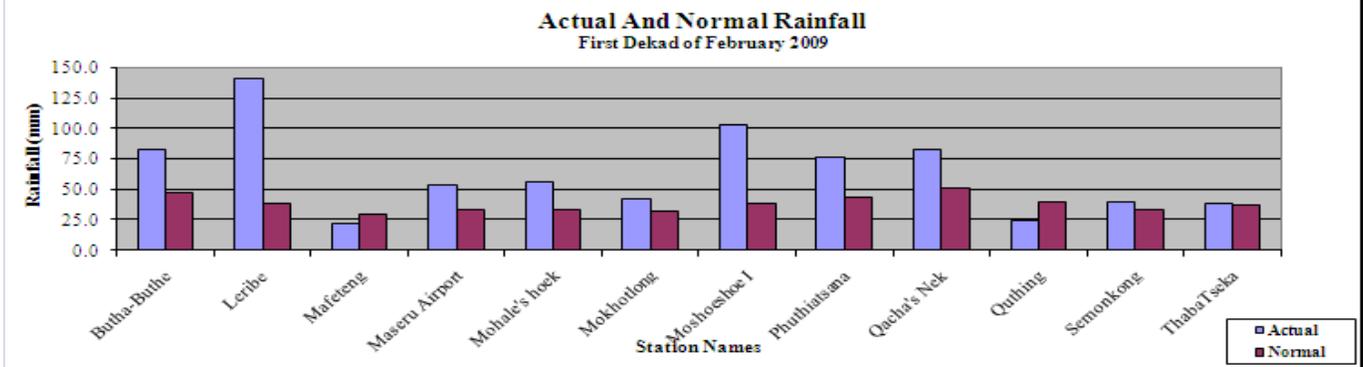


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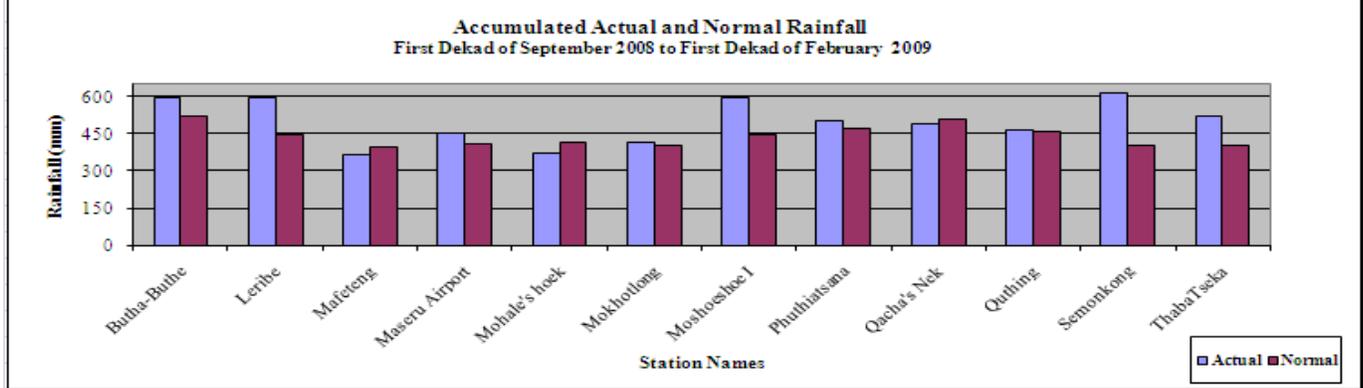


Fig. 3

Cumulative Rainfall Percentage Departure from Normal for selected stations

