# 2015 (Jul. -Dec.) Major Water-Related Disasters in the World

# France (Oct.) Heavy rain on Oct. 3 triggered flash flood and floods. Death toll was 21. Iraq (Oct.) Continuous heavy rains since late October led to flooding in Baghdad and other areas. 69 people were killed. Pakistan (Jul.)

people were affected.

Tropical cyclone formed in Bengal Bay hit the Nov.7. Floods in Tamil Nadu killed

# United **Kingdom** (Dec.)

Torrential rain caused floods in the north. 3 people were killed.

## India (Jul.)

Continuous heavy rains by Monsoon since late July caused floods in Guiarat and Raiasthan. 110 people were killed.

# India, Myanmar, and Bangladesh (Jul.)

Cyclone Komen brought continuous heavy rains which resulted in floods and landslides. Death tolls: India 127, Myanmar 125, and Bangladesh 6.

# USA(Sep.)

Flash flood after heavy rain killed 20 people in Hildale and Zion National Park. Utah.

# USA (Nov.)

Winter storm caused floods and flash floods in Texas, which led to 14 deaths.

# USA (Dec.)

Severe weather including storms and heavy rains triggered major floods along Mississippi River. 24 people were killed.

### USA (Oct.)

Heavy rainfall caused floods in South Carolina and North Carolina, 21 people were killed.

### Dominica (Aug.)

Tropical Storm Erika brought crucial rains. Caused 11 deaths.

# Guatemala (Oct). Landslides

occurred after heavy rains. 280 were killed.

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#### **Number of Death** 0~49

**Number of Death** 50~99

**Number of Death** 

**Number of Death** 500~

Number of Death 1000∼

According to press release, basically filtered the disasters with more than 10 death in the developed countries and with more than 50 death in the developing countries

Heavy rains from Monsoon caused floods in northern and southern regions. 238 were killed and 1.5 million

# India (Nov.)

southern parts on 347 people.

# Vietnam (Jul.)

Torrential rain resulted in flooding in the north. Death toll was 32.

# **Philippines** (Oct.)

Typhoon Lando (Koppu) hit northern islands on Oct. 18. 48 people were left dead.

# **Philippines** (Dec.)

Typhoon Melor (Nona) struck the central region on Dec. 14. 42 were killed.

## La Plata River Basin (Nov.)

Mexico (Oct.)

Hurricane Patricia.

once classified into

Category 5, struck the

south. 6 people died.

Continuous heavy rains caused swelling and overflow of La Plata system, which led to multiple floods. 2 people were killed.

# Brazil (Nov.)

The tailings dam of Germano mine burst. Mudflow ran into downstream village, contaminating rivers. 17 people were killed

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