

Floods

- A certain surface is affected by them for an indeterminated period of time.
- They can be seasonal or sudden.



Natural Causes

- Excessive rains.
- Overflowing of rivers, lagoons, lakes, etc.



Human causes

- Bad agricultural practice
- Bad infrastructure
- Deforestation
- Urban increase



Most important consequences

- Population mortality
- Economic losses
- Population evacuation
- Infrastructure destruction



Recent examples in Argentina

- Flood in the northwest of Buenos Aires (1994)
- Flood in Litoral (1998- around Corrientes province)

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