

# Loss events worldwide 1980 – 2015

## 10 costliest flood events ordered by overall losses

Date	Event	Affected area	Overall losses in US\$ m original values	Insured losses in US\$ m original values	Fatalities
1.8-15.11.2011	Floods, landslides	Thailand: Phichit, Nakhon Sawan, Phra Nakhon Si Ayuttaya, Pathumthani, Nonthaburi, Bangkok	<b>43,000</b>	16,000	813
27.6-15.8.1993	Floods	United States: MS, MO, IA, IL, ND, IN, MN, WI, KS, NE, SD	<b>21,000</b>	1,300	48
June - September 1998	Floods (Jangtze River)	China: Hubei, Hunan, Chongqing, Jiangxi, Anhui, Sichuan, Yunnan, Jiangsu, Zheijiang, Guangdong	<b>16,000</b>	300	3,600
12-22.8.2002	Floods, flash floods	Germany, Austria, Czech Republic, Hungary, Moldova, Switzerland, Slovakia	<b>16,500</b>	3,400	39
24.7-18.8.1995	Floods	North Korea	<b>15,000</b>		68
May - September 1991	Floods	China: Anhui, Jangsu, Hubei	<b>13,600</b>	410	2,630
30.5-19.6.2013	Floods	Austria, Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Poland, Switzerland	<b>12,500</b>	3,000	25
June 2008	Floods	United States: IA, IL, IN, KS, MI, MN, MO, WI	<b>10,000</b>	500	24
4-6.11.1994	Floods	Italy: Piedmont, Lombardy, Liguria, Aosta valley, Emilia-Romagna	<b>9,300</b>	65	68
July - August 1993	Floods	Bangladesh, India, Nepal	<b>8,500</b>		2,953

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