

At least nine people have been reported missing in the ravaging flood which washed away farmlands at Gbam village in Guma local government area of Benue State.

The Executive Secretary of Benue State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA), Mr. Boniface Ortese, told Daily Trust yesterday in Makurdi that the victims were working in their farms when the incident occurred.

“We have nine reports of people missing as a result of flooding from Kereke stream which overflowed its bound. The persons have not yet been seen as we speak. They were tiling the ground in their farms when the water broke forth from the stream in high density and washed them away,” he said