



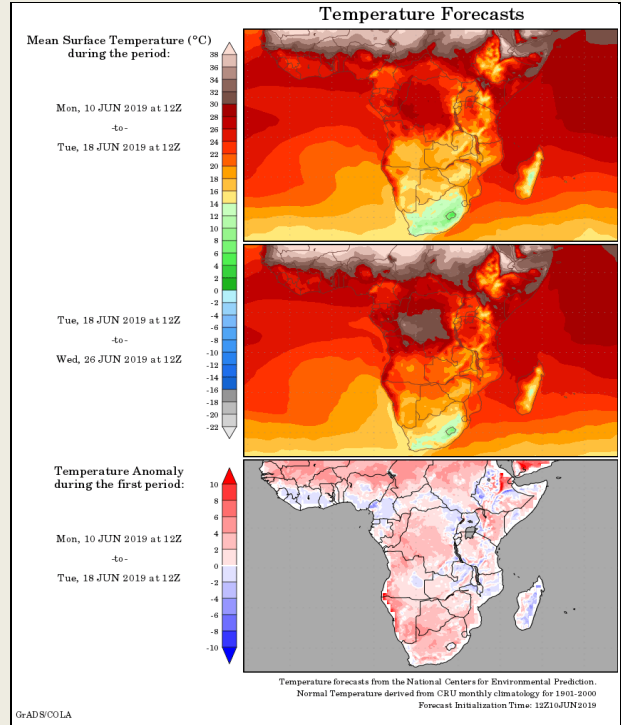
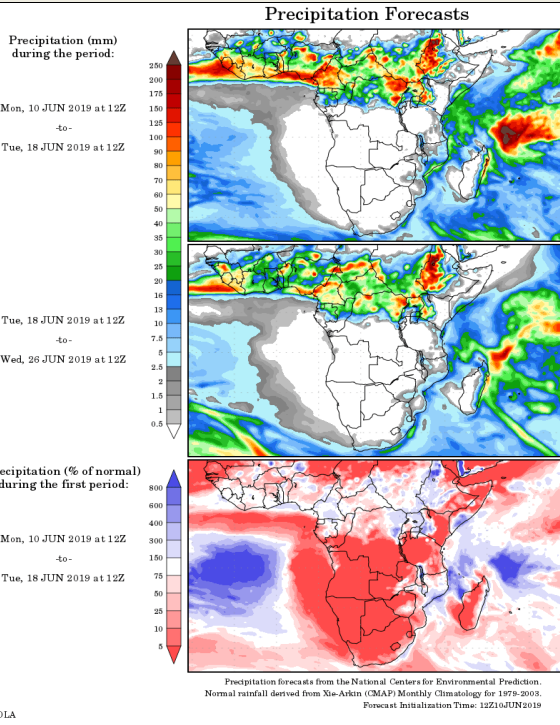
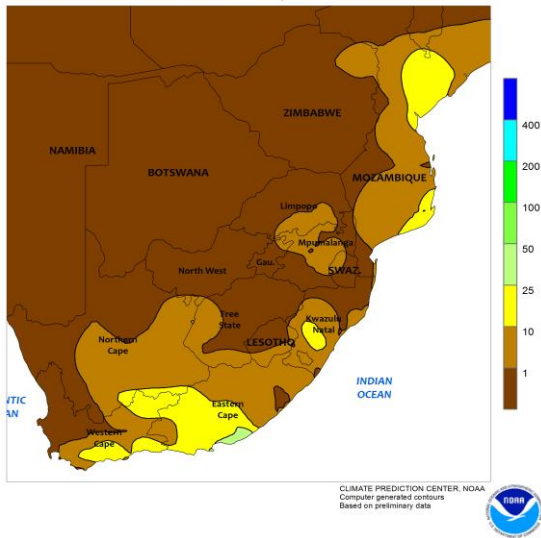
# **Weather Report**

## **11 June 2019**

# South Africa - Weather

- Late season harvesting and fieldwork will advance swiftly
- Western Cape again benefitted from the periods of light rain over the weekend
  - o However, soil moisture remains short and timely rain is still needed
  - o The region has often been too dry to support ideal winter wheat planting and establishment conditions
- Free State and neighboring areas will further dry during the next two weeks
  - o Planting and establishment initially got off to a good start before drier biased conditions evolved in recent weeks
  - o Crop prospects are still favorable, though timely rain would be welcome

SOUTH AFRICA  
Total Precipitation (mm)  
MAY 26 - JUN 1, 2019

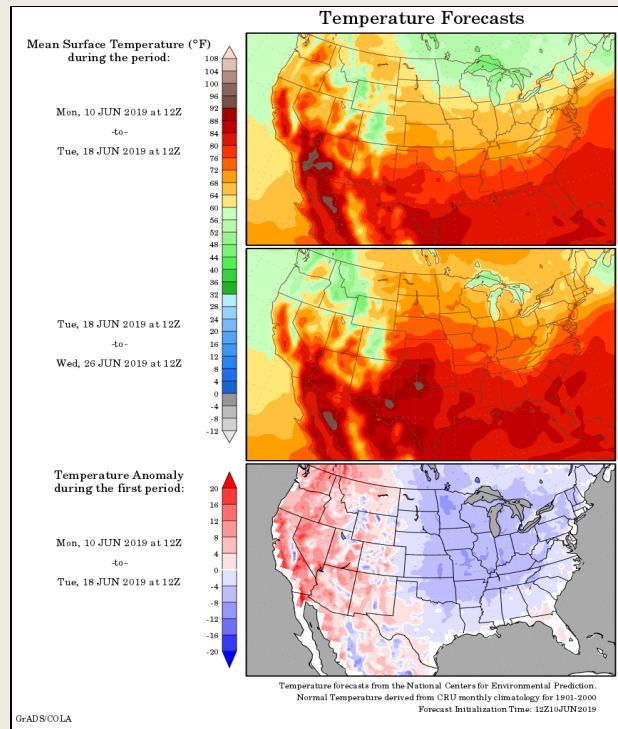
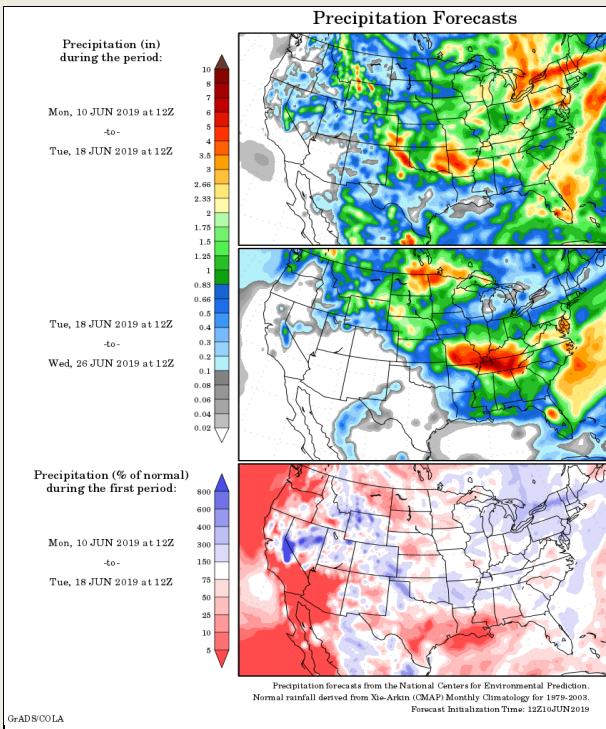
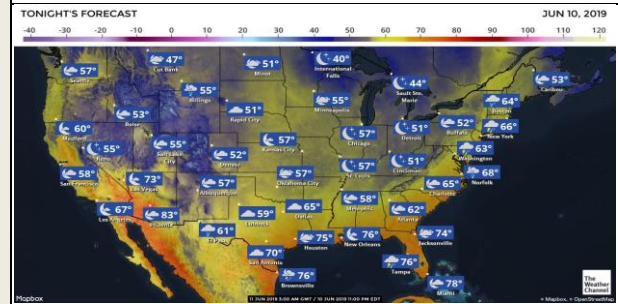
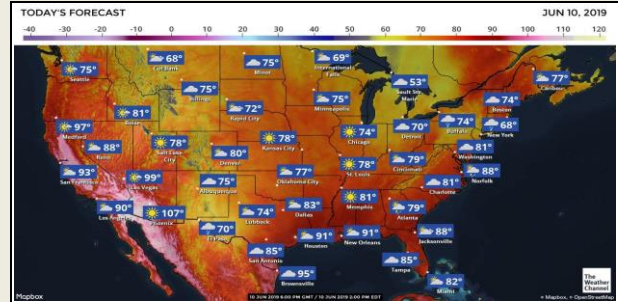
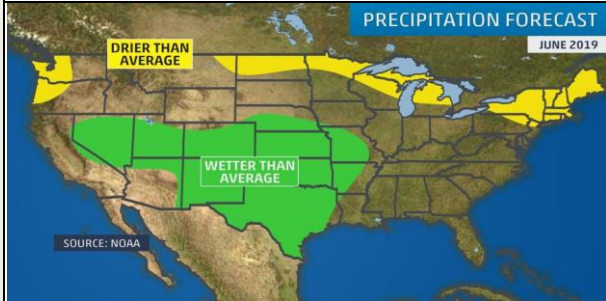


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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST:** The Midwest will see a mix of rain and sunshine during the next two weeks that will allow for favorable conditions for developing crops while interruptions to planting result from the rain as well. Recent drying has firmed up the soil enough that there will be opportunities for fieldwork between rounds of rain, but some areas are likely far enough behind that some crops are not likely to get planted before insurance prevent plant dates.

**U.S. DELTA AND SOUTHEAST:** Rain will continue through Wednesday in the southeastern states causing more interruptions to planting while inducing significant improvements in soil moisture while the Delta sees mostly dry conditions. Occasional rounds of showers will occur June 19-24 and enough rain should fall to maintain favorable soil conditions in most areas with an exception in the central and southern Delta where little rain is expected. Water levels and flooding along the Mississippi River will gradually increase in the north during the next week while the south sees an increase in flooding into this weekend.



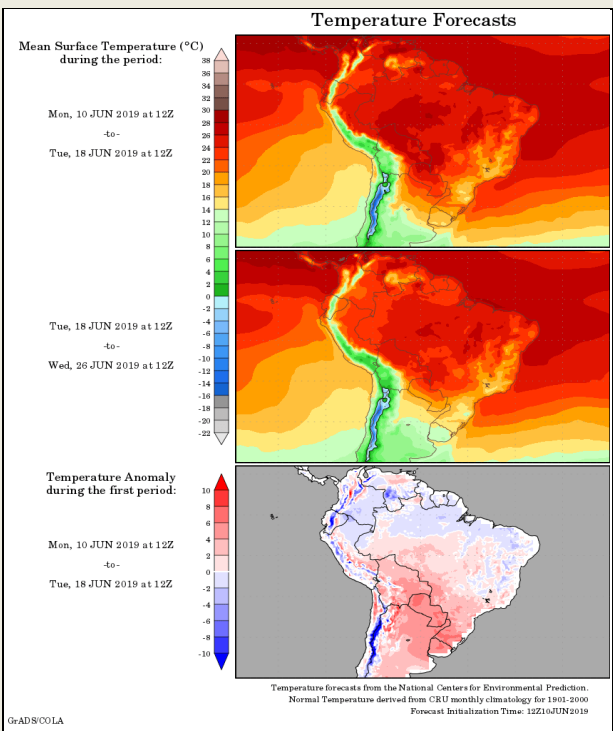
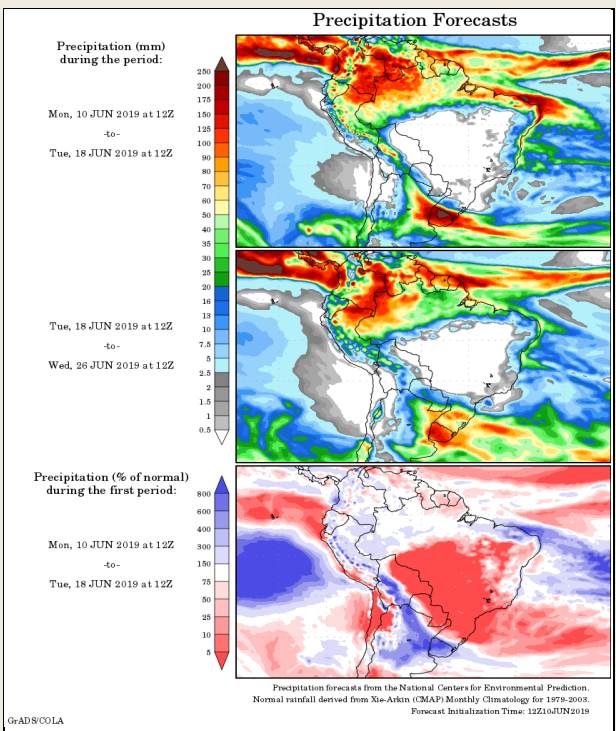
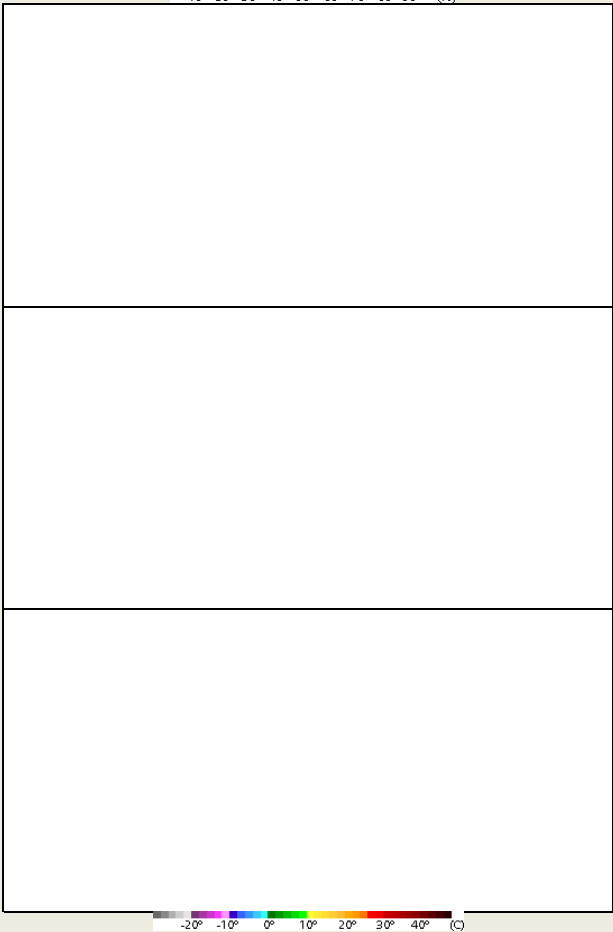
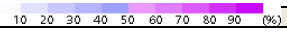
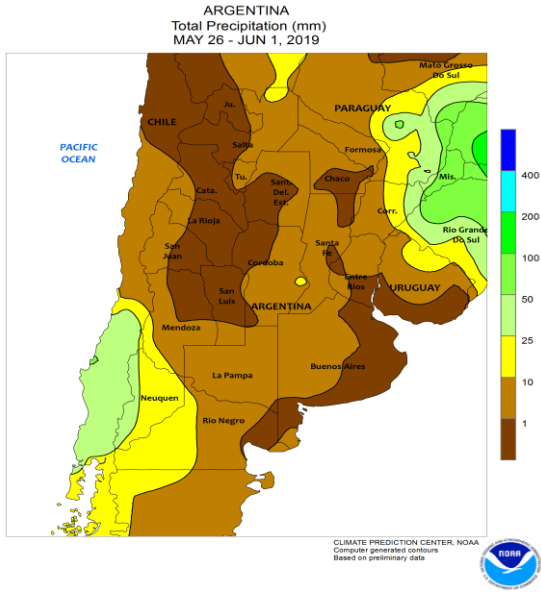
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# South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** Brazil and Paraguay will see a restricted rainfall pattern most often during the next two weeks and good harvest progress should be made with some exceptions in the south starting Wednesday. Showers will return to far southern Brazil Tuesday and will continue periodically through June 19 causing interruptions to fieldwork. Rain will be light to moderate most often with a few clusters of heavy rain.

**ARGENTINA:** Parts of eastern Argentina will see rain today before showers increase today and regular rain occurs into Friday with northeastern Argentina seeing additional rain into Tuesday of next week. The rain will interrupt fieldwork while keeping soil moisture favorable in many winter wheat areas.

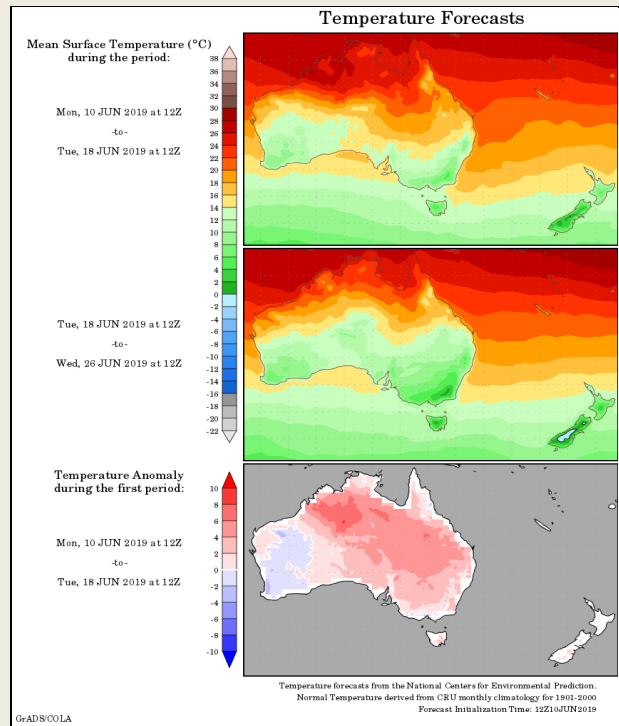
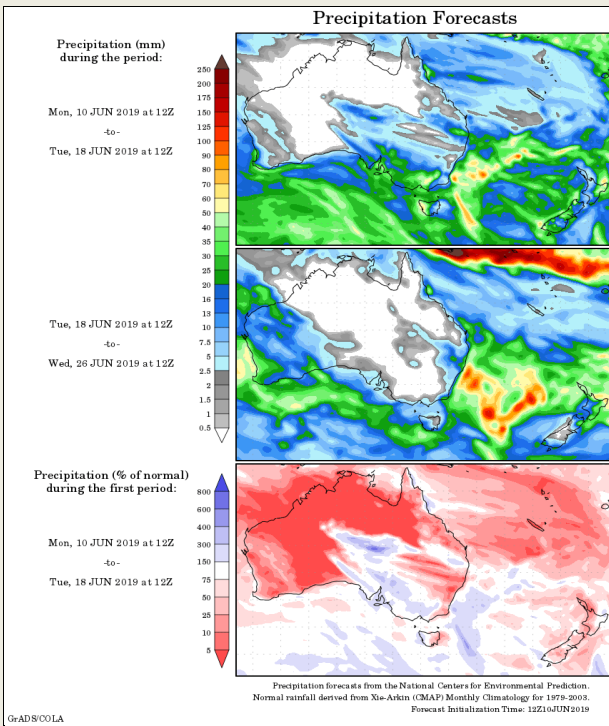
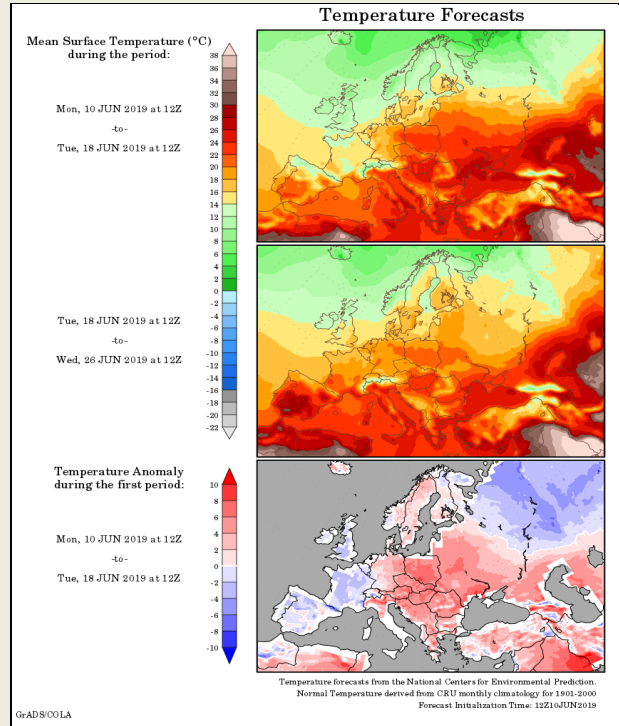
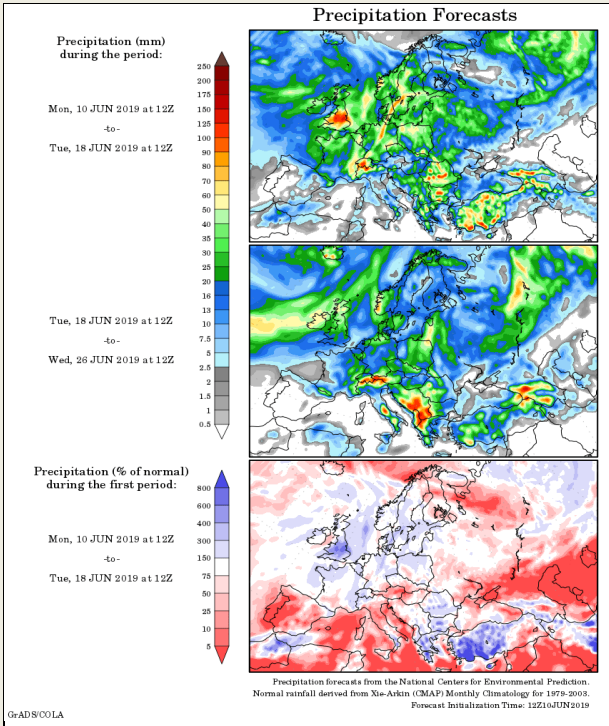


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## Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE:** Rain will be beneficial over the U.K., France, Switzerland and north Italy through Germany into Scandinavia, Poland and Slovakia. Frequent rounds of precipitation will occur. Strong to severe thunderstorms and some heavy rain at times throughout the region, but should move around throughout the week. Otherwise, most of the precipitation will be light.

**AUSTRALIA:** Precipitation will return to most of Australia during the coming week. However, dry weather will prevail over northern New South Wales and south Queensland and concern over dryness crop stress will continue. Rain will be greatest over Western Australia as well as northern Queensland and the southeast corner of the nation. Several rounds of precipitation will occur in Western Australia. Precipitation will continue today with lingering showers into this weekend. Another increase in precipitation will occur Monday.



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