



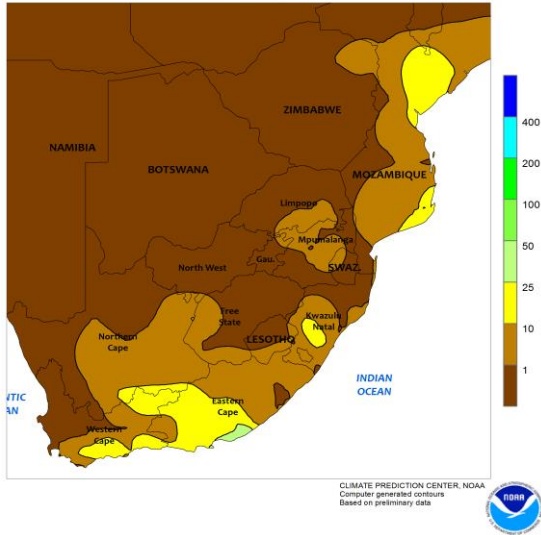
**Weather Report**  
**05 June 2019**

## South Africa - Weather

The lack of rain will help promote aggressive harvesting and fieldwork during the next two weeks

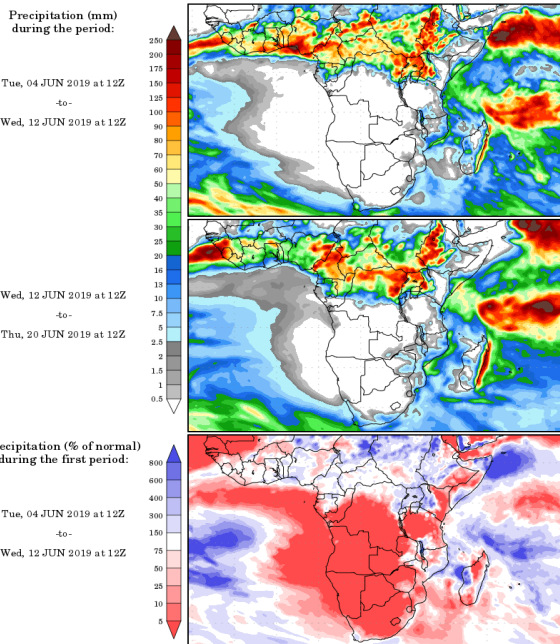
- Net drying is expected during the next two weeks outside extreme southwest Western Cape
- Free State and neighboring areas initially saw favorable winter wheat planting and establishment conditions earlier this year
  - o However, most areas are currently too dry to maintain ideal conditions
  - o Timely rain will be needed later this month to reverse the drying trend
- Western Cape is also in need of a good soaking of rain
  - o Most areas have been too dry to support aggressive planting and establishment

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



CLIMATE PREDICTION CENTER, NOAA  
Computer generated contours  
Based on preliminary data

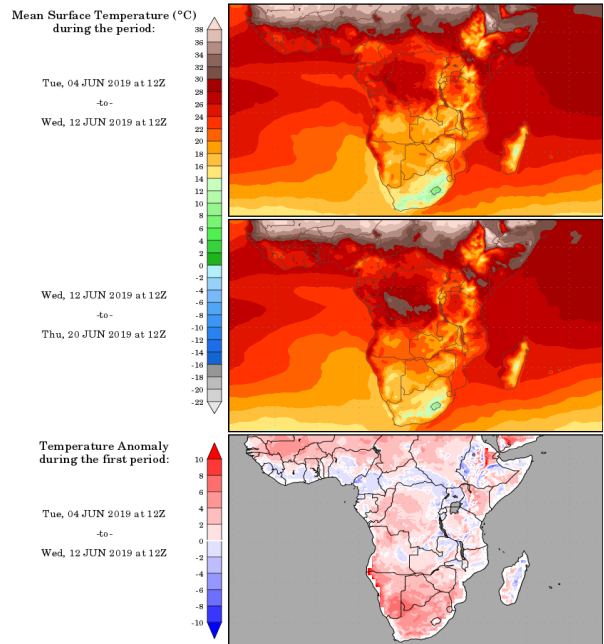
### Precipitation Forecasts



Precipitation forecasts from the National Centers for Environmental Prediction.  
Normal rainfall derived from Xie-Arkin (CMAP) Monthly Climatology for 1979-2003.  
Forecast Initialization Time: 12Z04JUN2019

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### Temperature Forecasts



Temperature forecasts from the National Centers for Environmental Prediction.  
Normal Temperature derived from CRU monthly climatology for 1901-2000  
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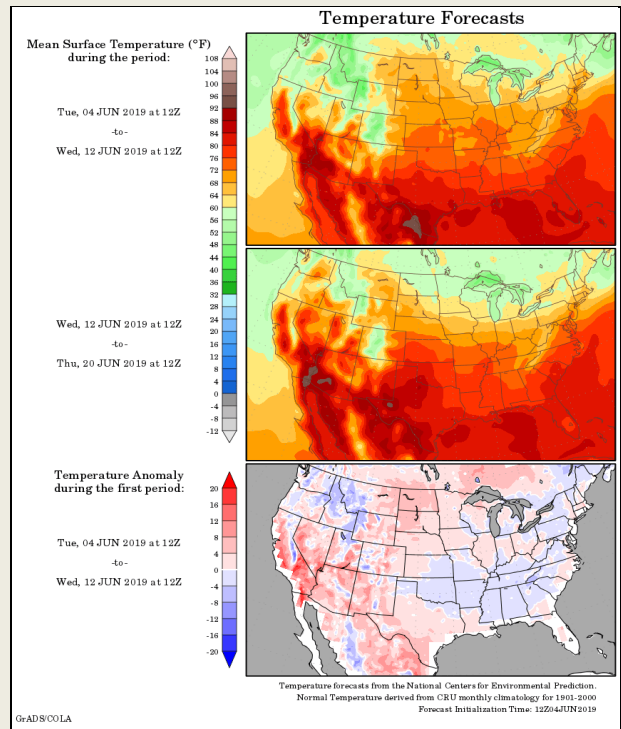
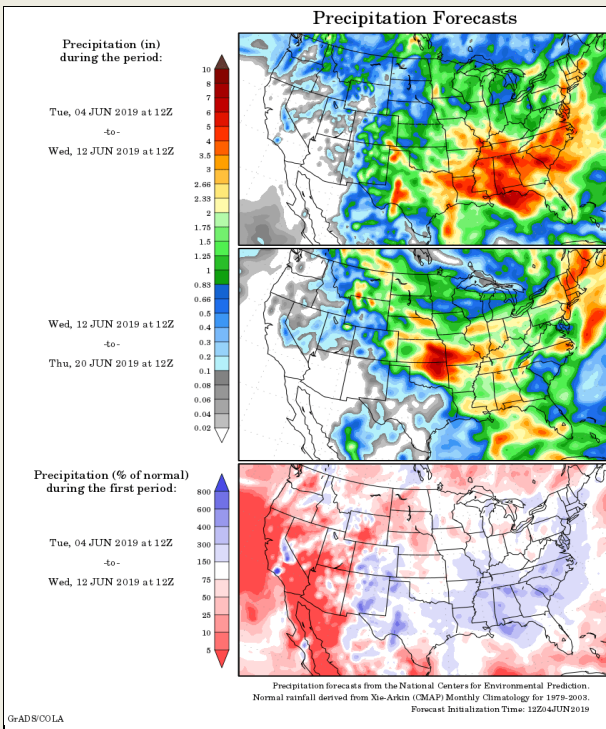
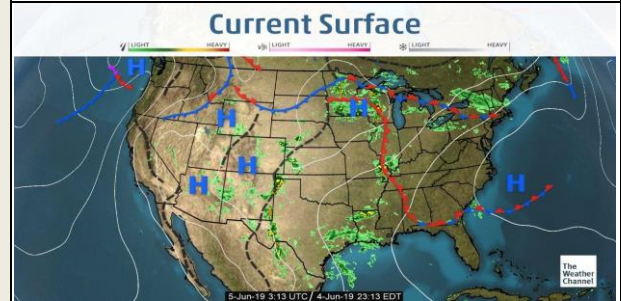
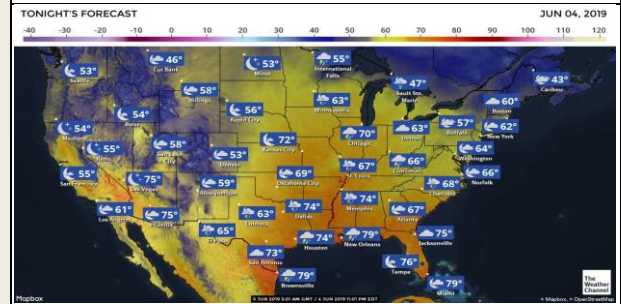
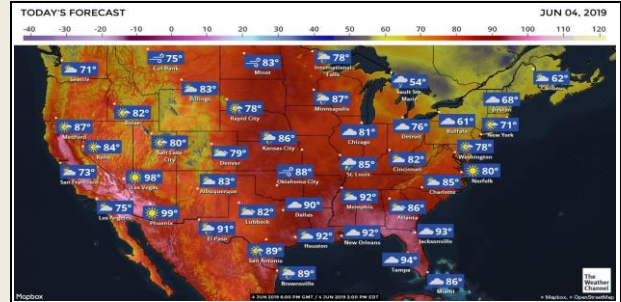
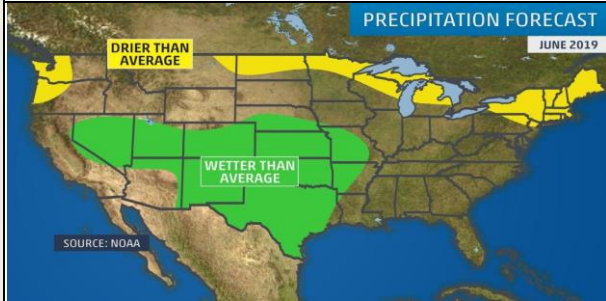
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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST:** Rain will expand today beginning another stretch of wet weather that will continue into Sunday in the west and Monday in the east stalling planting in a large part of the central and southern Midwest. Some fieldwork will occur before the rain with many areas in the western Corn Belt dry into this afternoon and much of the eastern Corn Belt dry into this evening. Once the showers and thunderstorm begin, breaks in the rain will allow for fieldwork to advance in areas that do not see heavy rain or were still not too wet from rain in May.

**U.S. DELTA AND SOUTHEAST:** Scattered and light showers will occur in the Delta and the Southeast today before a period of wetter weather begins Wednesday and continues into next Tuesday. The boost in rain will be welcome in the drier areas of the Southeast while many areas in the Delta do not need the rain and the moisture will cause further delays to late planting while causing an increase in flooding. The driest areas in the Southeast will see notable improvements in crop conditions, but follow up rain will be needed soon to ensure the soil does not quickly dry out again.

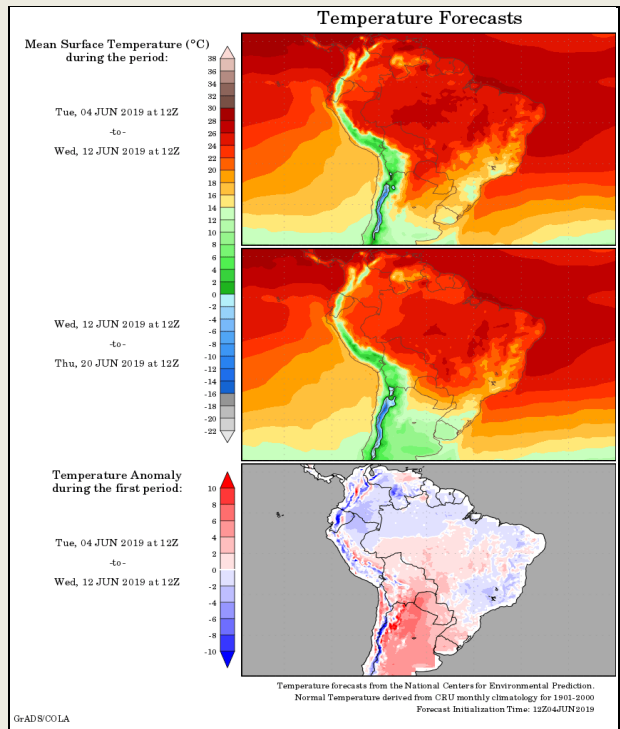
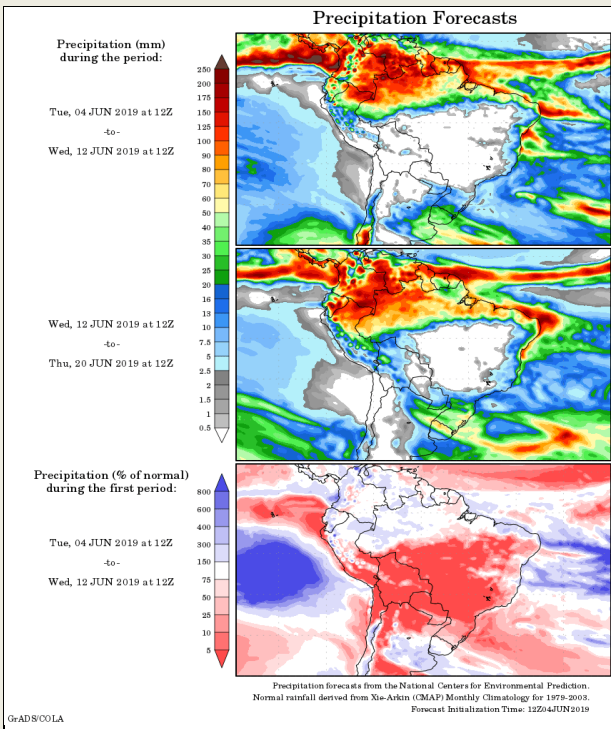
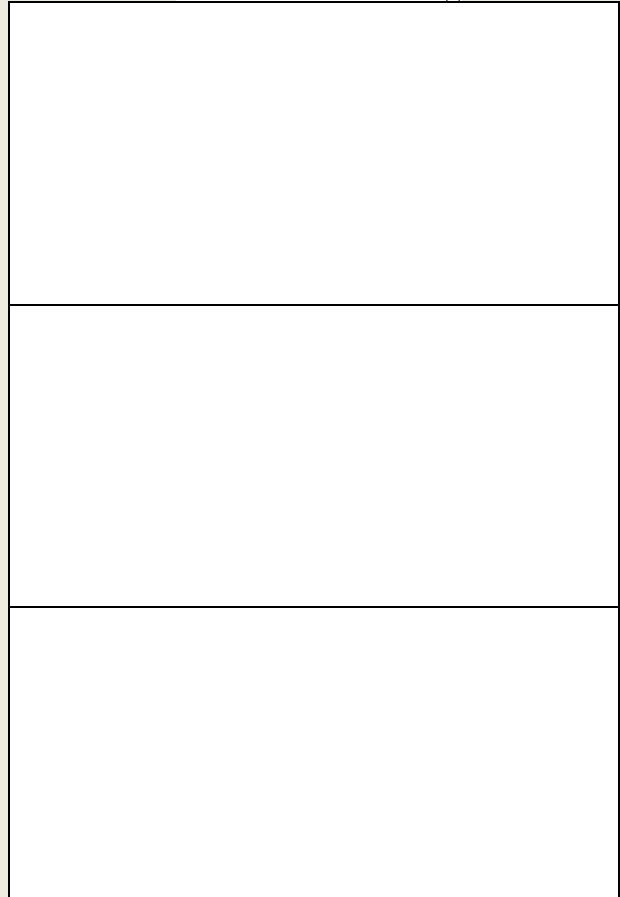
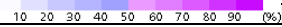
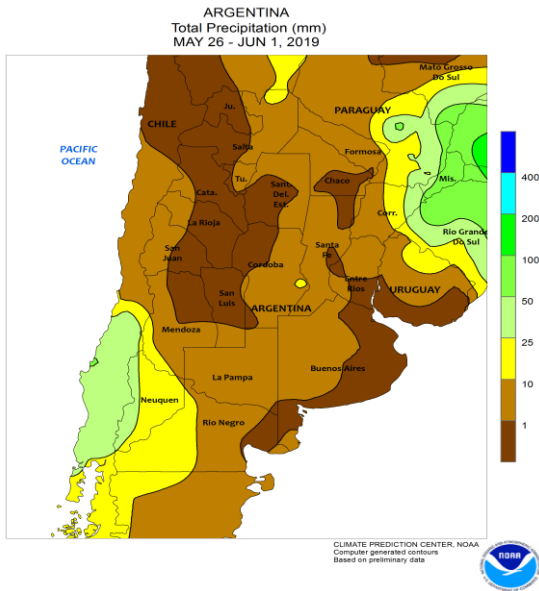


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# South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** Paraguay and southern Brazil will see a restricted rainfall pattern most often through the next two weeks and conditions for fieldwork will improve. The remainder of Brazil will also see a restricted rainfall pattern most often during the next two weeks with periodic and mostly light showers in the northeast.

**ARGENTINA:** Argentina will see a restricted rainfall pattern most often through the next ten days weeks allowing for good harvest progress to be made with some exceptions Saturday into next Tuesday. Central into southeastern Argentina will be wettest Saturday into next Tuesday and many areas will see 0.25-0.80" of rain and locally more with little rain in the north.

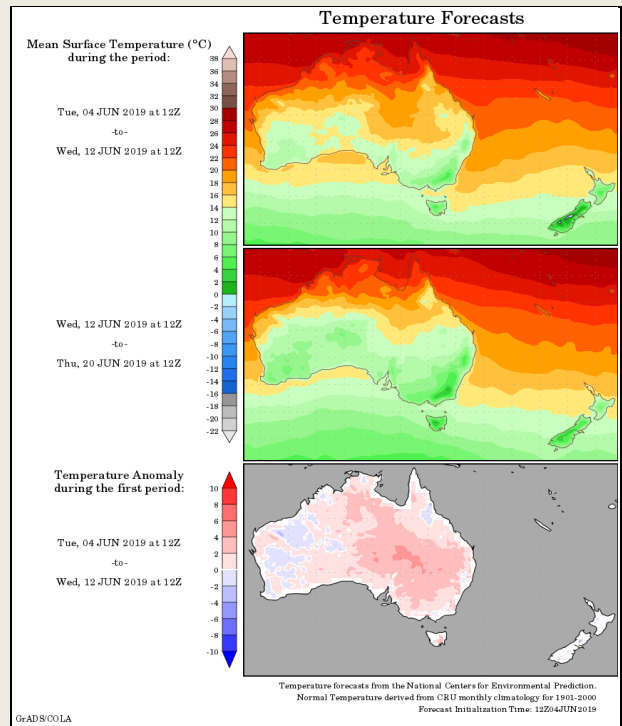
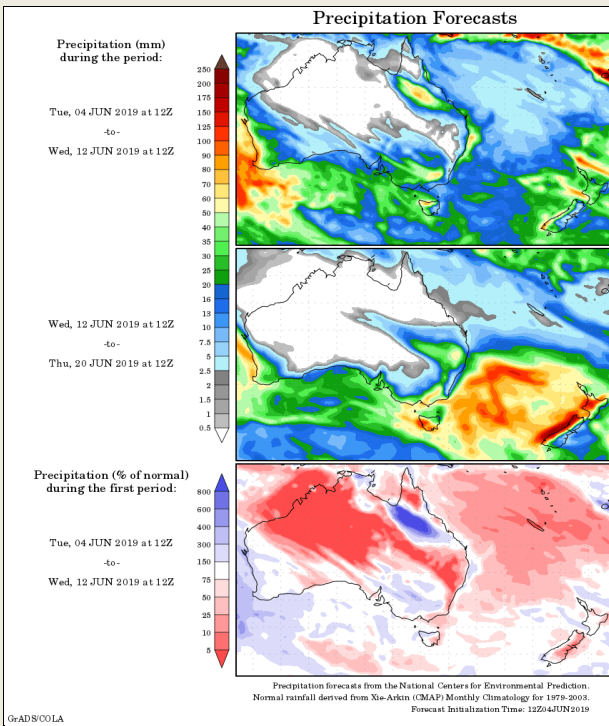
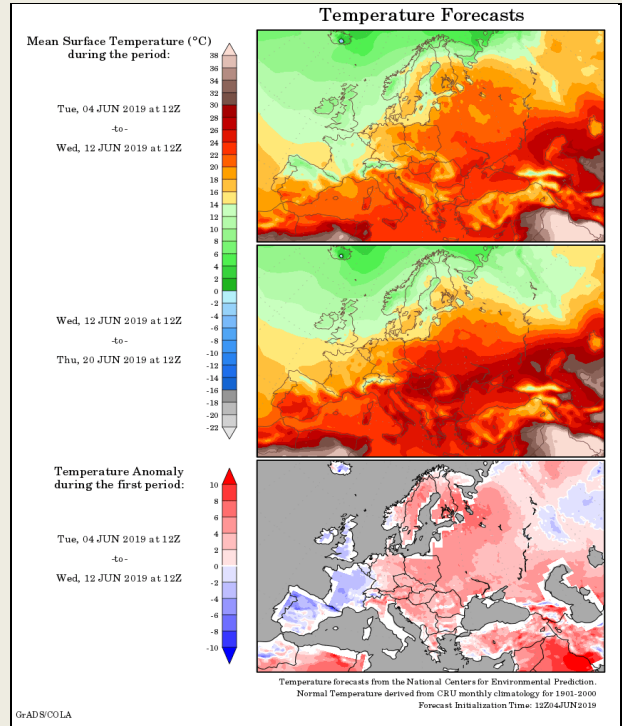
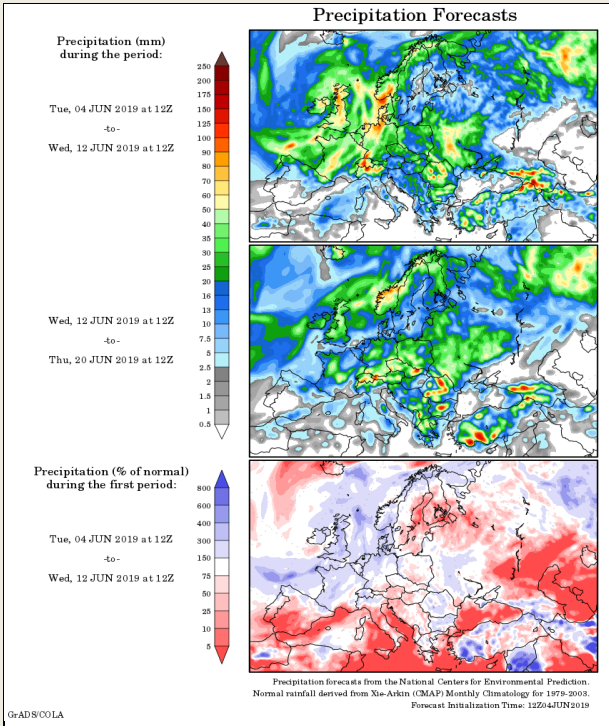


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# Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE:** Moist conditions will continue over southeast Europe the next couple of days. Rain showers and thunderstorms will linger over Romania and Bulgaria into west Ukraine and Belarus the remainder of the week through the weekend and concern over flooding will continue. Moisture totals will range from 0.75 to 2.50 inches and locally greater amounts by this time next week in Bulgaria, Romania and into Ukraine and Belarus

**AUSTRALIA:** Overall, the precipitation during the next seven to ten days will be welcome and help bolster and replenish soil moisture in portions of Western Australia, northeast Queensland and Victoria and surrounding locations. However, dryness will remain a concern over interior New South Wales and southeast Queensland. Some concerns will remain in Western Australia where follow up moisture will be needed over interior portions of the region.



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