

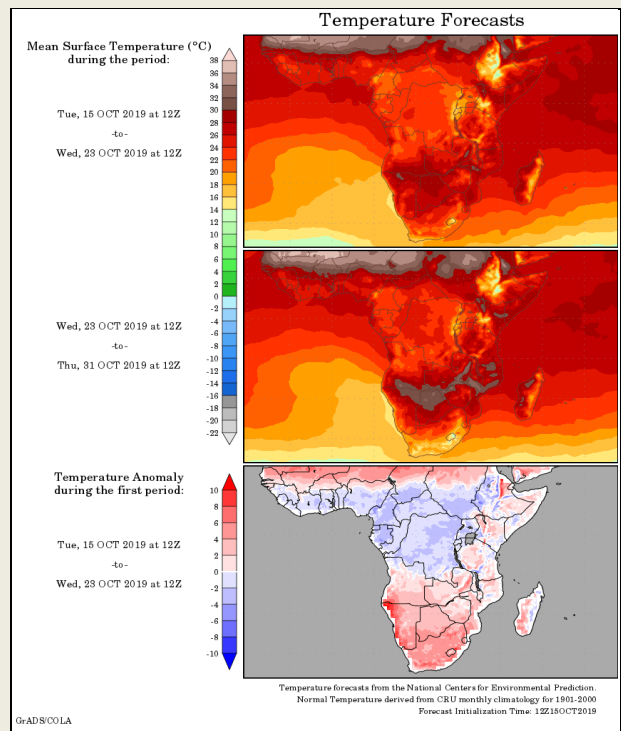
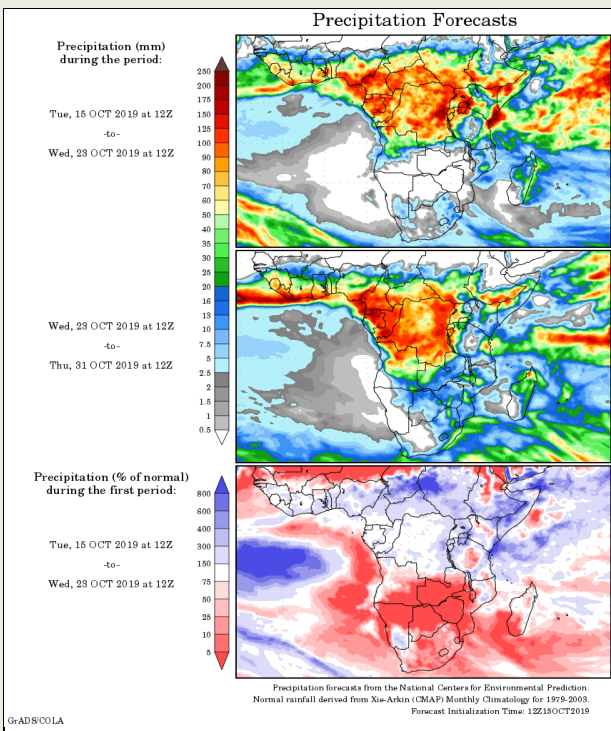
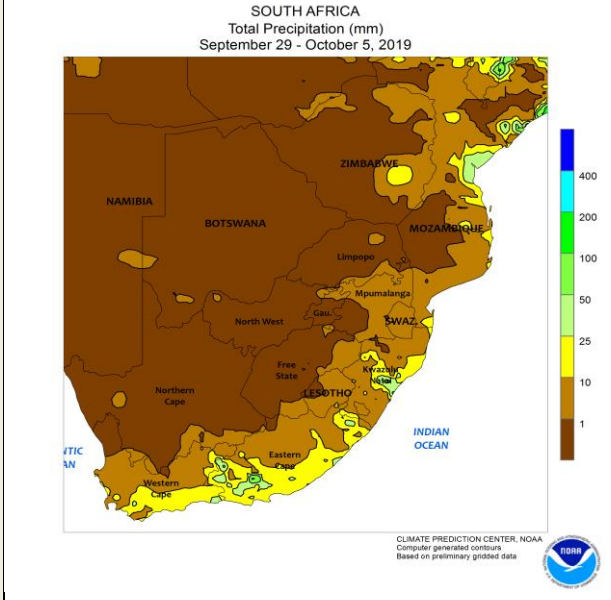
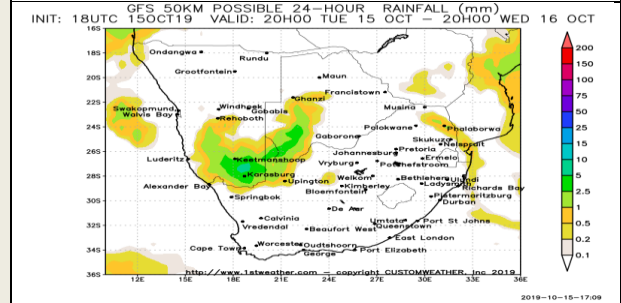
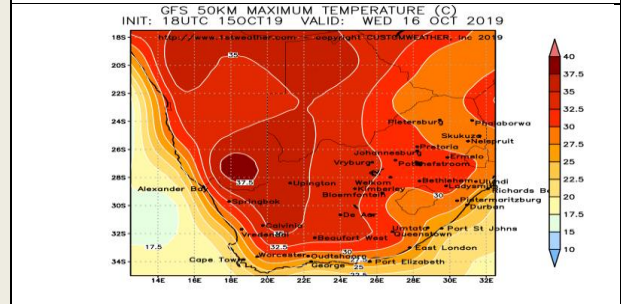
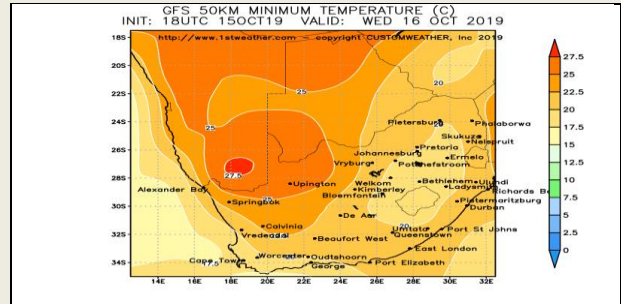


# **Weather Report**

## **16 October 2019**

# South Africa - Weather

- Free State and neighboring areas will remain dry or critically dry during the next two weeks
- The rain that does occur will not be enough to significantly bolster soil moisture
- Abundant rain is still needed to improve winter crop prospects
- Summer crop planting may get off to a slow start this season as well
- Western Cape will also remain too dry to support aggressive winter wheat development during the next two weeks
- A general soaking of rain will be needed toward the end of the month into early November to improve crop prospects
- Above normal temperatures will continue through next Tuesday



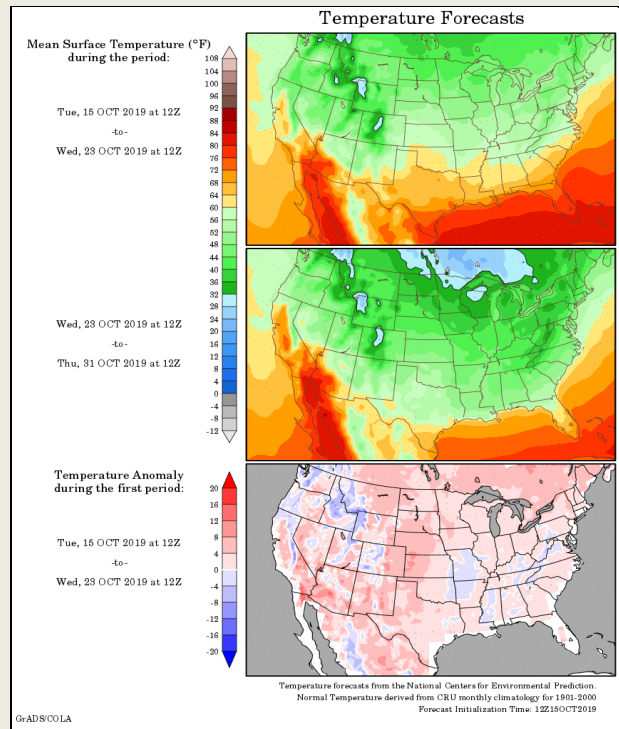
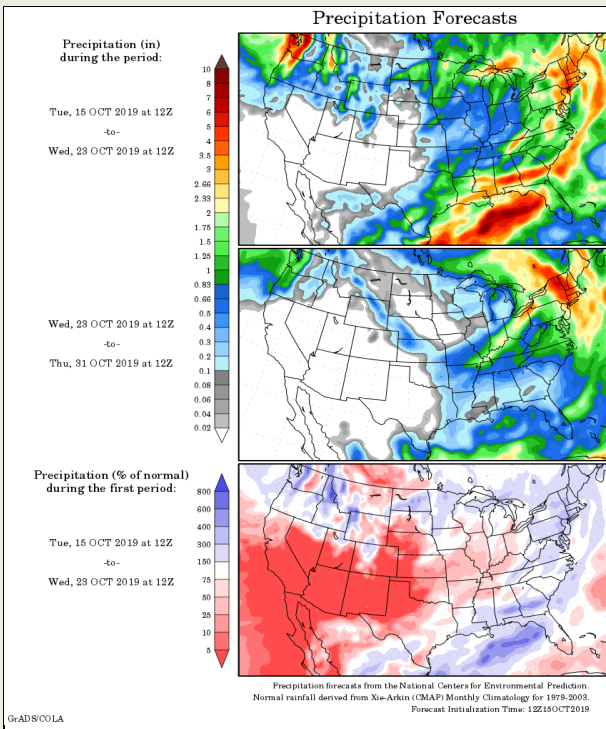
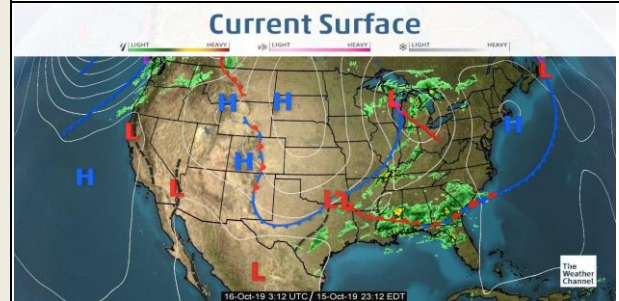
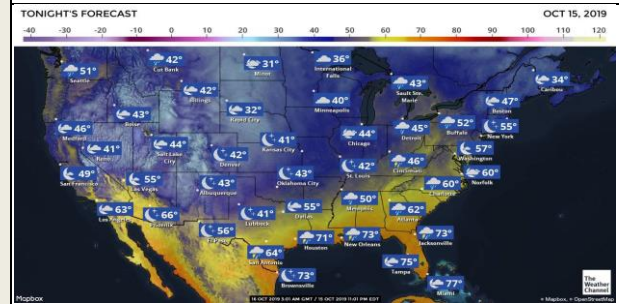
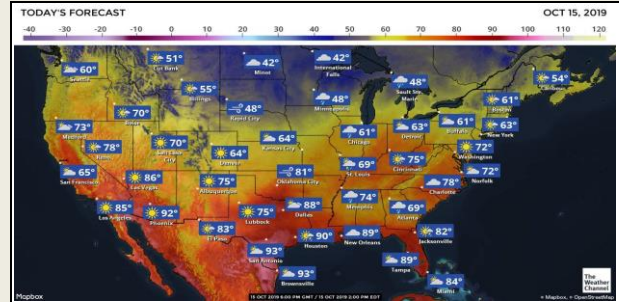
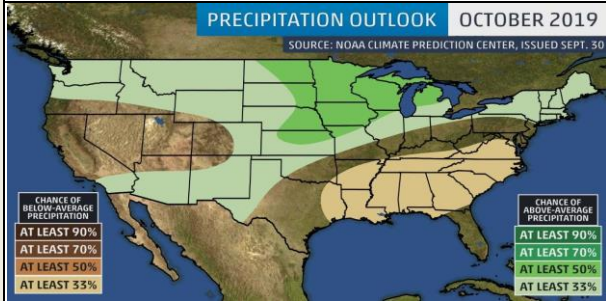
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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST:** No significant changes have been made to the two-week outlook since Monday and the Midwest will continue to see an improving trend for crop maturation and harvesting as precipitation be infrequent and light most often with only one round of well-organized precipitation during the period.

**U.S. DELTA AND SOUTHEAST:** The Delta and the Southeast will see occasional rounds of rain during the next week that will slow fieldwork, but breaks between rounds of rain should allow for fieldwork to advance and should also limit quality declines to crops.

o Significant rain will fall today from the central and southern Delta through the Florida Panhandle, and southern Georgia into nearby South Carolina where totals will be 0.50-2.0" and locally more while most other areas in the Delta and the Southeast see light rain.

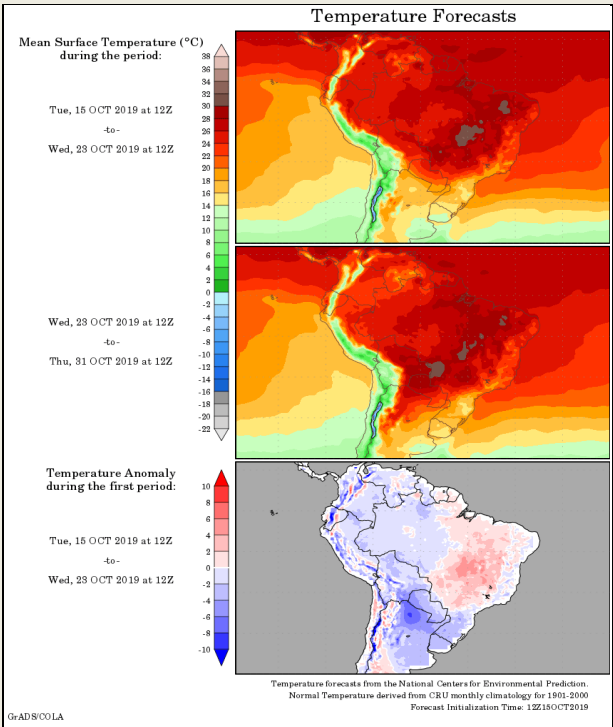
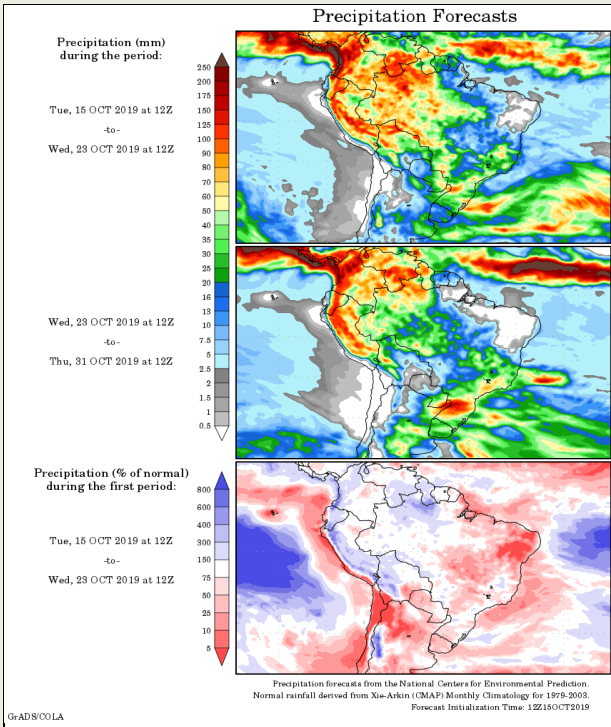
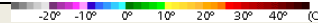
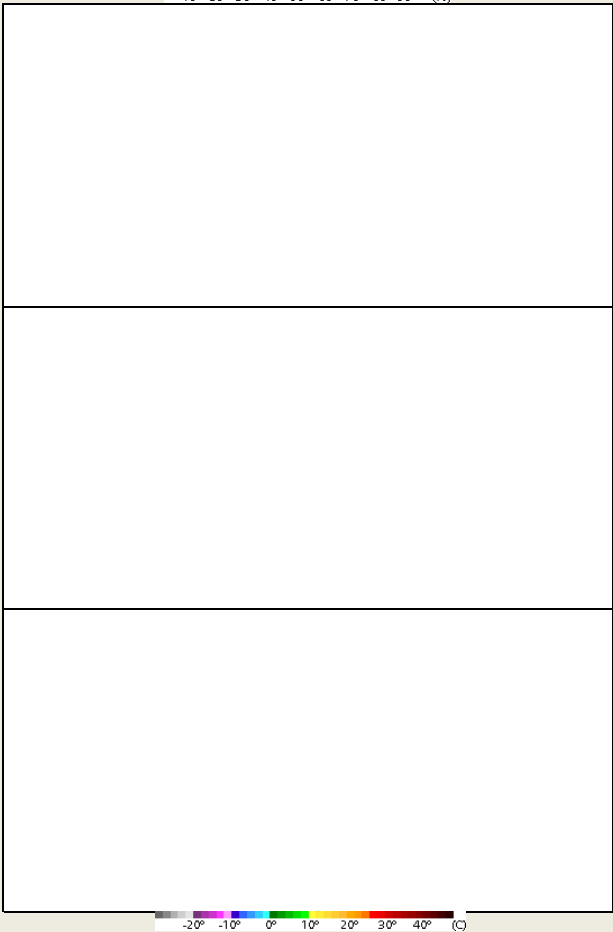
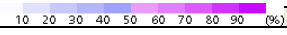
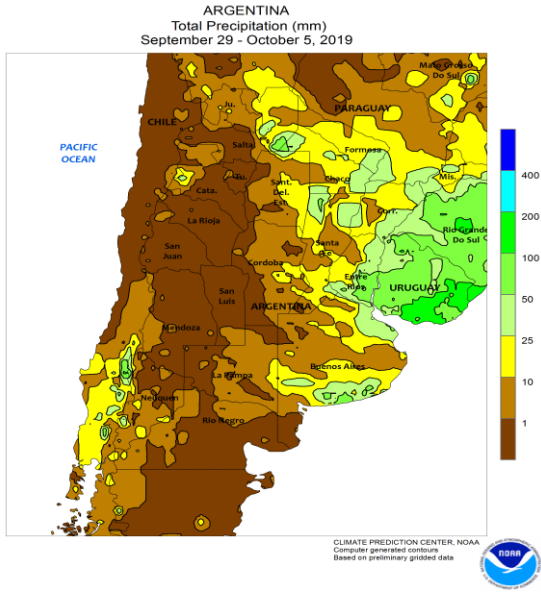


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# South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** The two-week outlook has not changed much since late last week and many areas from eastern Mato Grosso and northeastern Mato Grosso do Sul into Minas Gerais and Bahia will see little to no rain through Saturday before a timely increase in rain occurs Sunday into next week.

**ARGENTINA:** Argentina will see regular rounds of showers and thunderstorms through the next two weeks with enough rain in many areas to induce gradual improvements in soil moisture and conditions for summer crop planting and winter wheat development while portions of southwestern Argentina will be left in need of greater rain to improve soil conditions.



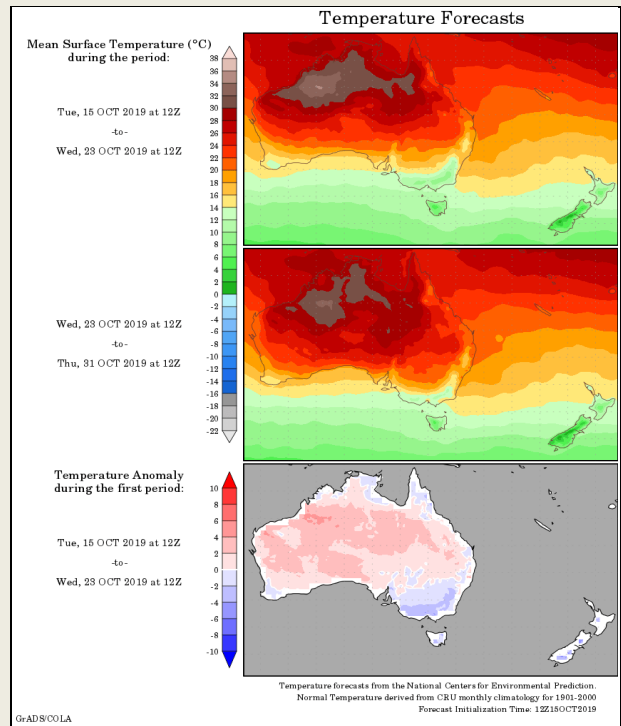
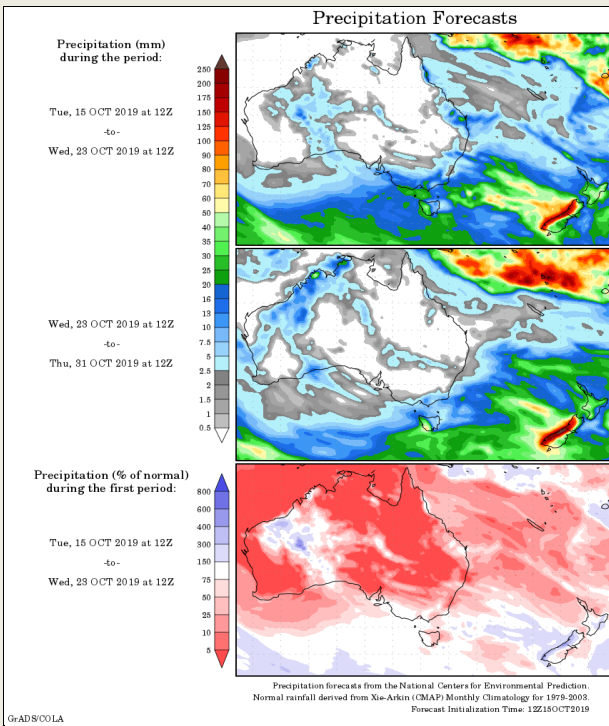
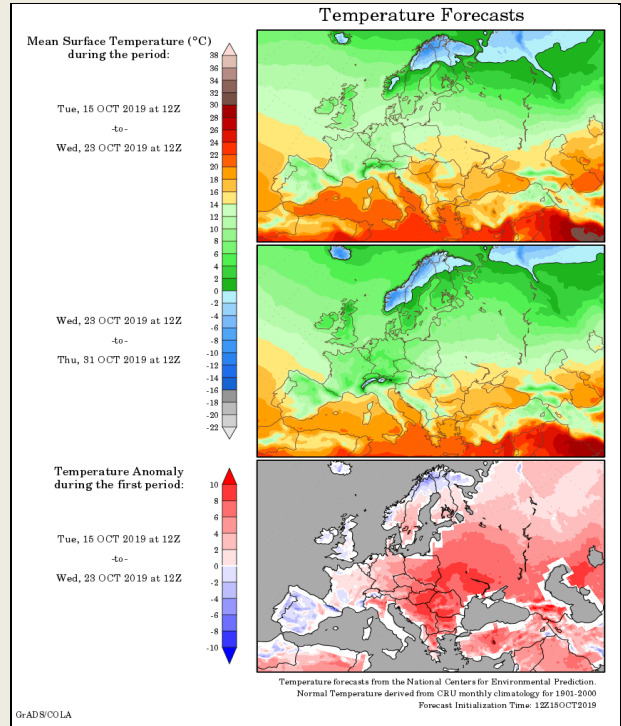
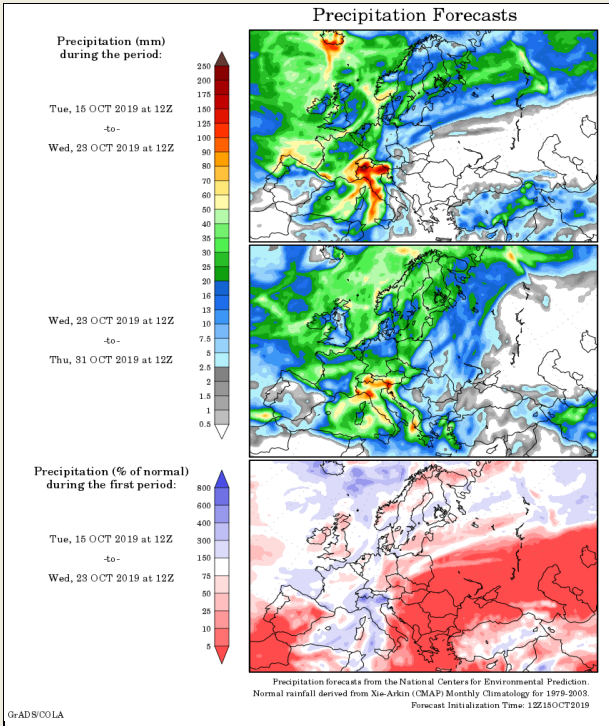
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## Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE:** The drier conditions will allow for planting of winter crops to advance; however, many locations continue to experience long term dryness and a greater soaking of moisture is needed to provide the best environment for winter crop establishment. Conditions will be favorable for any unharvested summer crops.

**AUSTRALIA:** Precipitation will increase today into Wednesday and linger over southeast portions of the nation through Saturday.

The greatest moisture will occur in southern and eastern Victoria into surrounding areas of the Great Dividing Range in southeast New South Wales where moisture totals will vary from 0.50 to 2.00 inches and locally more. Elsewhere moisture totals will vary from 0.05 to 0.70 inch over southeast South Australia, Victoria and south New South Wales.



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