

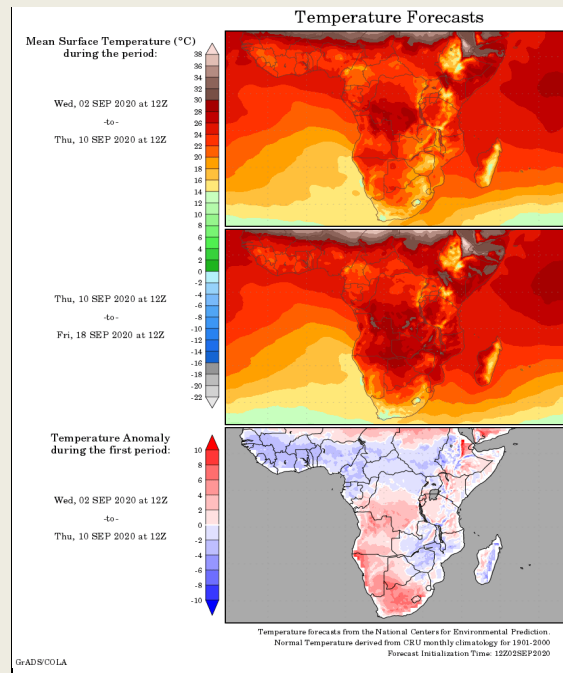
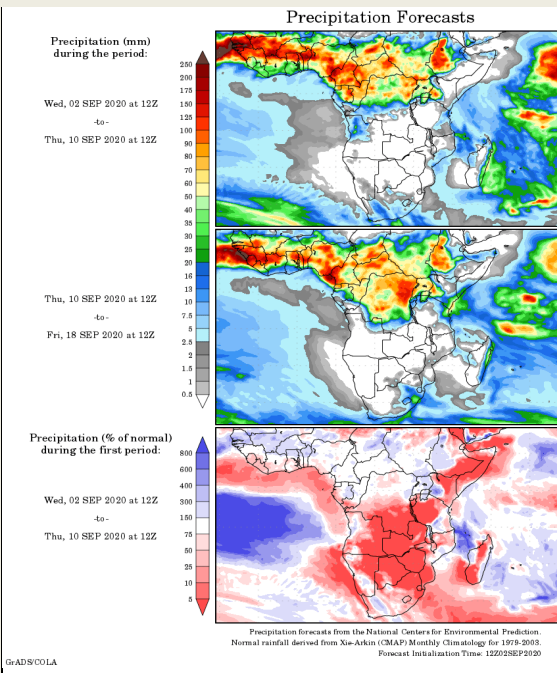
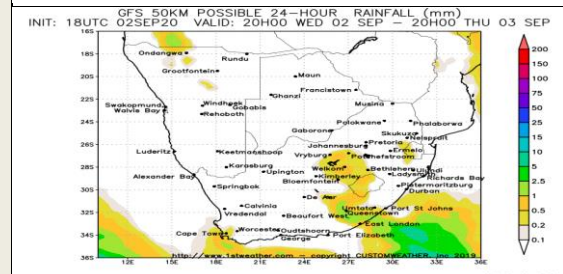
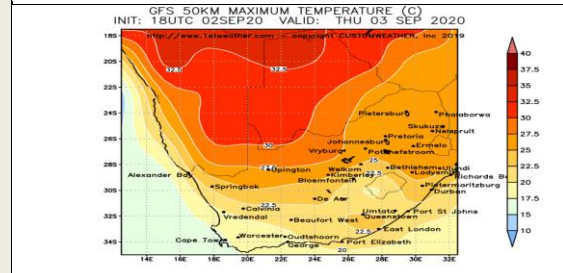
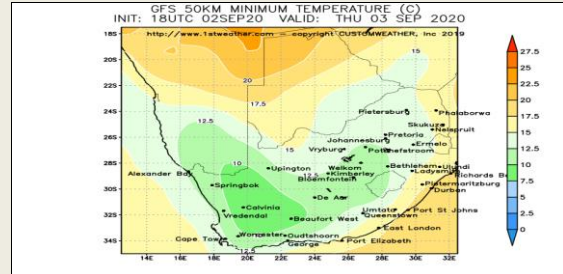
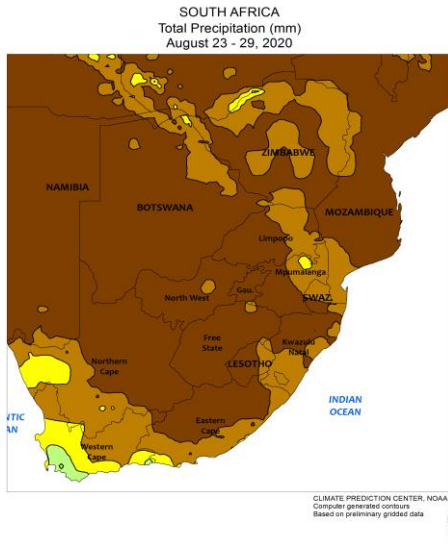


# **Weather Report**

## **03 September 2020**

# South Africa - Weather

- Additional rain and adequate soil moisture will help maintain a good environment for aggressive winter wheat growth in Western Cape during the next two weeks
- o Yields are expected to be favorable this season
- o The small amount of rain-fed winter wheat in Free State and neighboring areas will be too dry to support aggressive growth in the next two weeks despite periods of light rain
- o Irrigated crops will develop under more favorable conditions in Free State, Northern Cape, and neighboring areas, though most locations would still welcome a good shot of rain

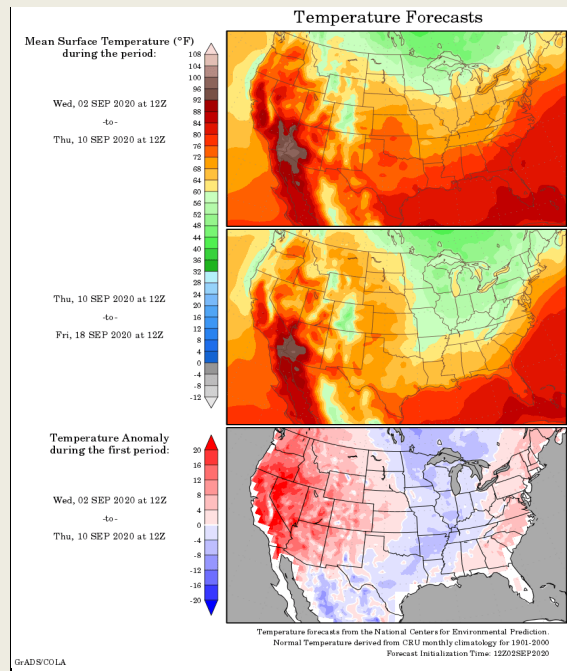
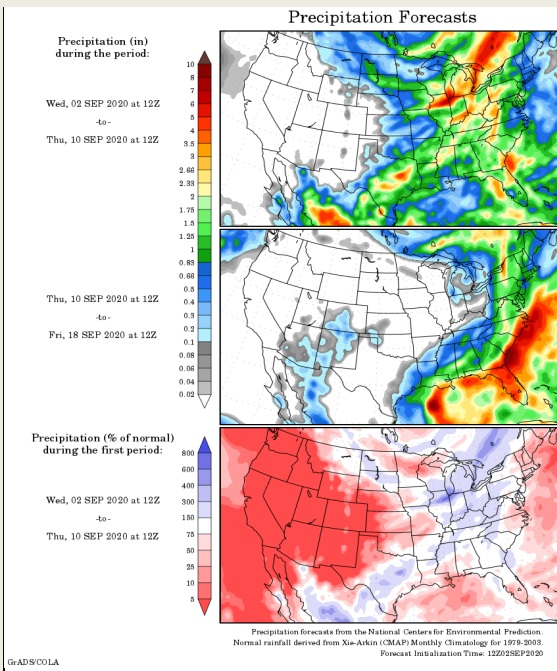
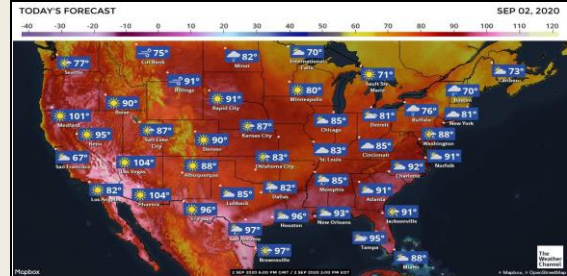
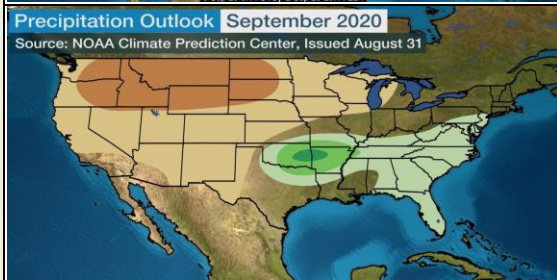


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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST:** A few days of dry weather will occur in much of the Midwest before rain returns to many southern, central, and eastern areas Saturday into next Wednesday leaving much of the region with adequate soil moisture for late soybean development. Meanwhile the southwestern to the northwestern Corn Belt will see much less rain than other areas in the Midwest and rain from eastern Nebraska and southeastern South Dakota into western Iowa should not be great enough to induce much improvement in yield potentials while most other areas should have enough subsoil moisture to support late crop development to maturity.

**U.S. DELTA AND SOUTHEAST:** Most of the Delta and the Southeast will a drier weather pattern through Saturday allowing fieldwork to increase with an exception in the northern Delta where rain will continue today raising concerns over rice and cotton quality. The southeastern states will become wetter again starting Sunday and daily rounds of showers and thunderstorms will occur in parts of the region through Sep. 16 causing some interruptions to fieldwork and cotton quality declines in a few areas.



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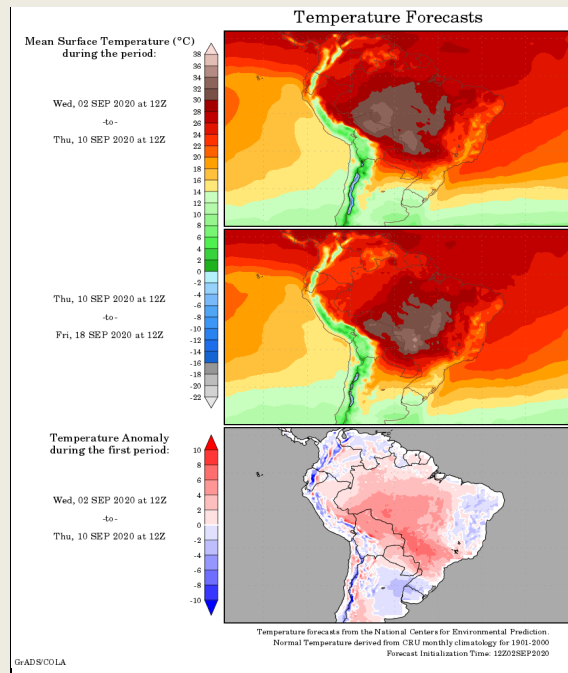
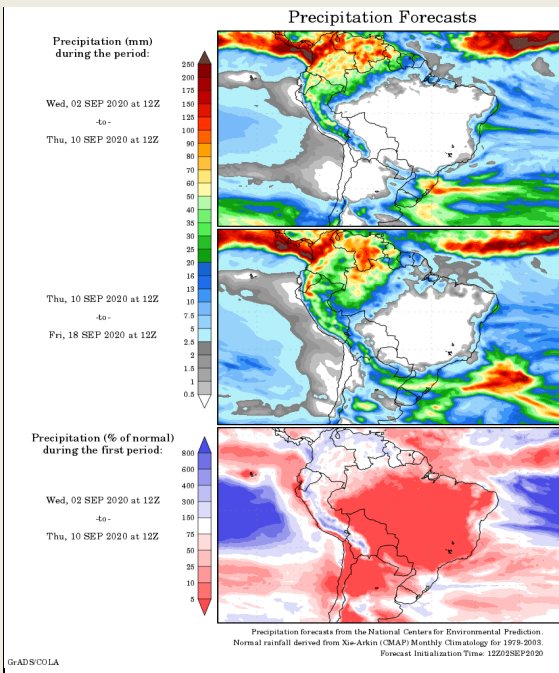
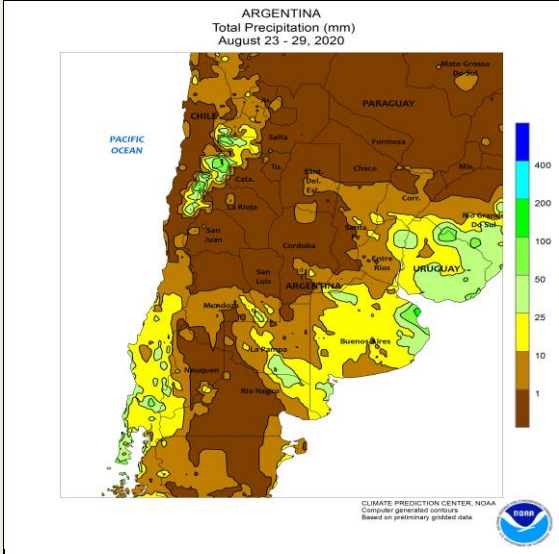
# South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** A restricted rainfall pattern will continue in much of Brazil and Paraguay through the next two weeks and fieldwork should advance well with some exceptions in far southern Brazil where regular rounds of showers will occur.

o Some concerns over wet weather diseases in winter wheat may increase, but there should be adequate breaks between rounds of rain to prevent serious impacts to the crop from the wet weather.

**ARGENTINA:** Showers and thunderstorms will continue today in central and eastern areas bring beneficial rain to many areas with much of the rain light.

o A few of the driest areas in central and southeastern Cordoba will see rain, but the rain will be too light to induce more than temporarily improvements in conditions for winter wheat. Little additional rain is expected Thursday through Sep. 16 and most of the moisture from rain this week in western Argentina will quickly be lost to evaporation.

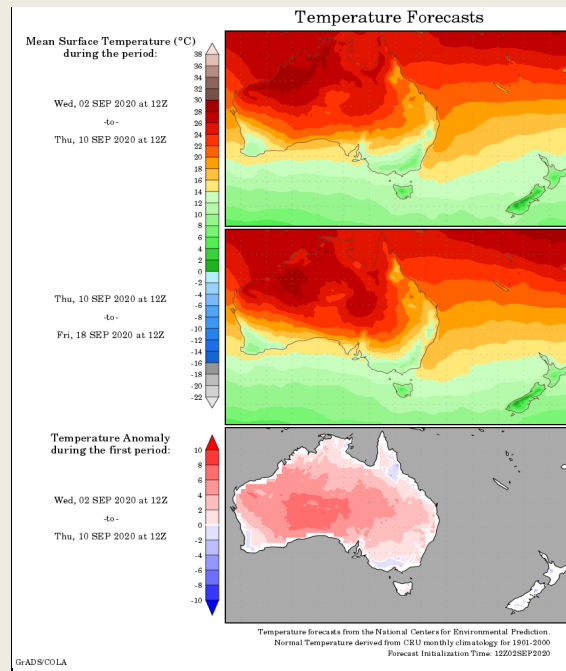
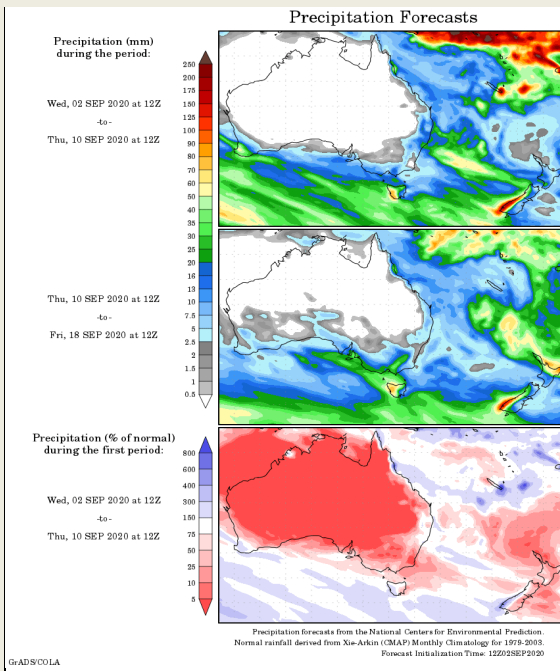
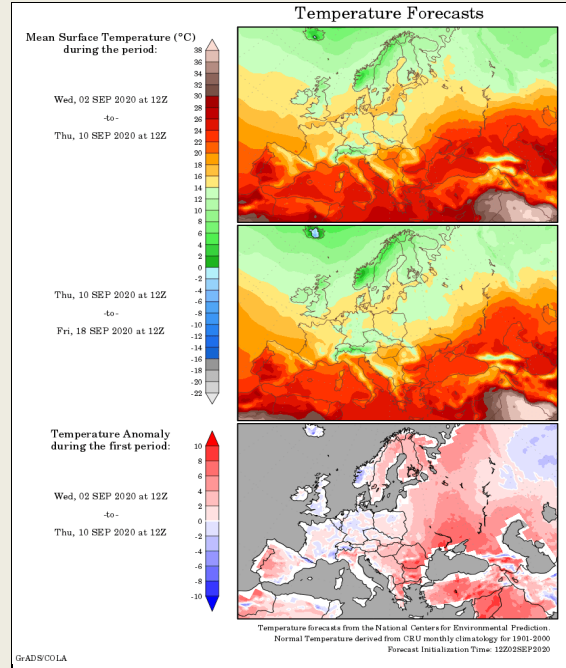
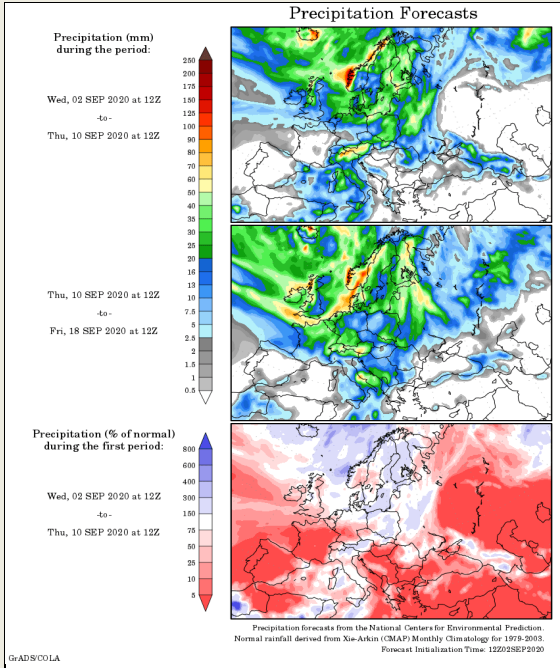


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# Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

EUROPE: Additional rounds of precipitation will occur from northern Italy, southern Germany and Austria into Slovakia and Poland this week. Rounds of rain will also impact northern U.K. and the Netherlands through southern Scandinavia into the Baltic Sea Region. The moisture will bolster topsoil moisture.

AUSTRALIA: A restricted precipitation pattern will continue over Australia during the coming ten days to two weeks. Rain is needed in Queensland immediately to support reproduction that is expected to begin in early September, but no such rain will occur for at least the next week to ten days.



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