

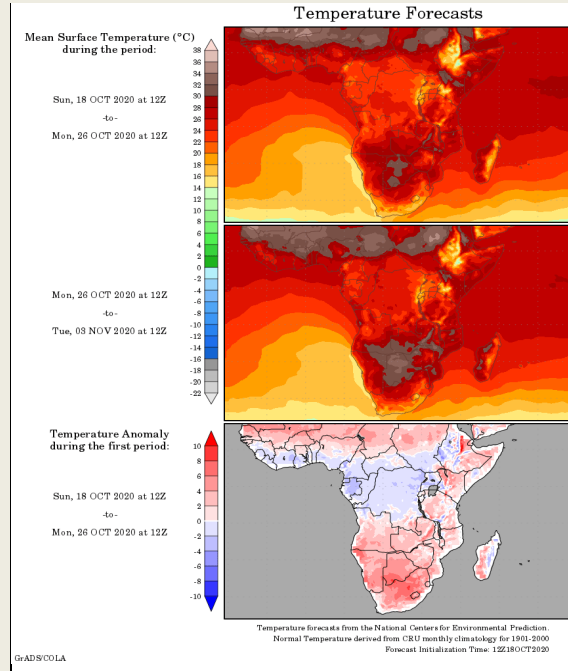
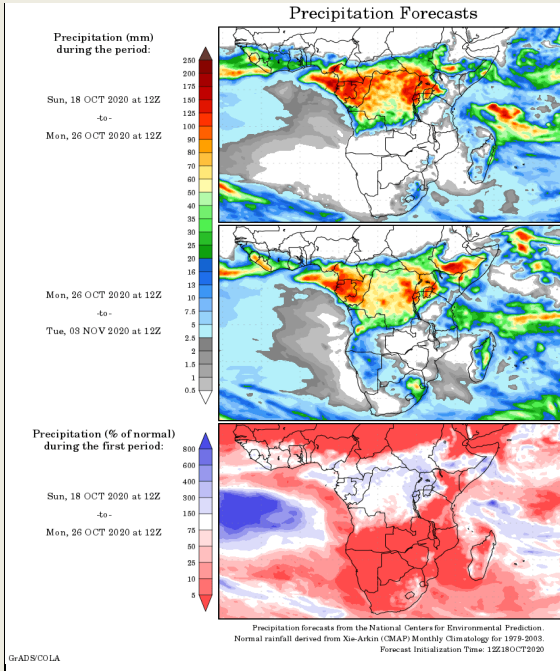
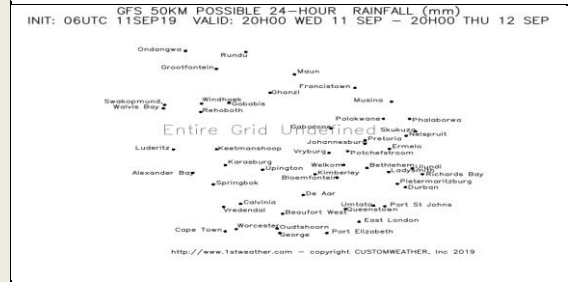
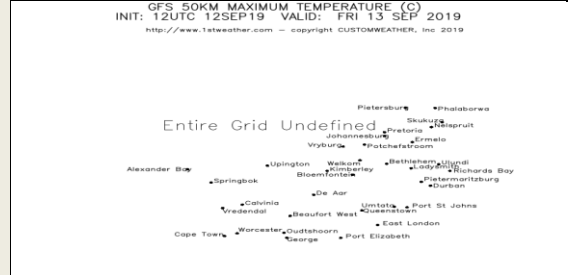
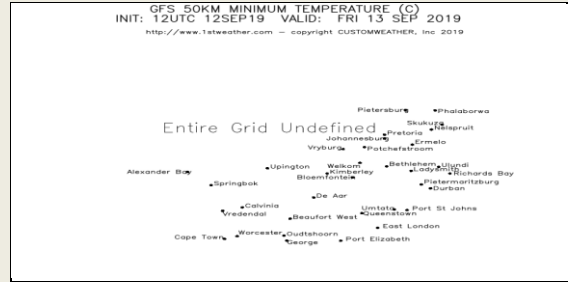
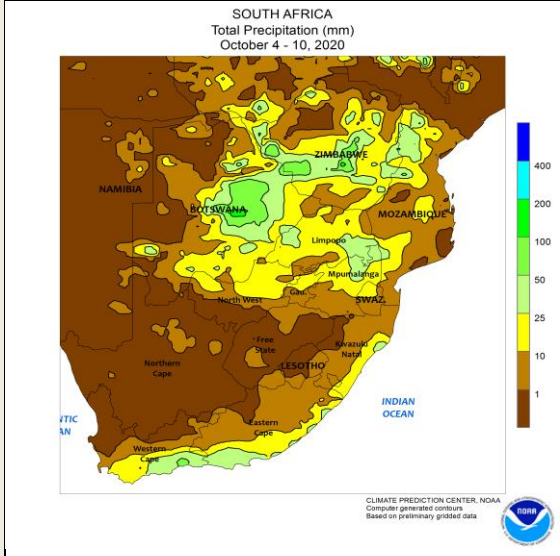


# **Weather Report**

## **19 October 2020**

# South Africa - Weather

Winter wheat development will occur aggressively during the next two weeks with much of the crop reproducing and filling. Early maturing crops will be ready for harvest soon. Scattered showers and thunderstorms over the next several days will offer some improvement in topsoil moisture. The moisture boost will be ideal for reproducing and filling winter crops and for inducing better planting, germination and emergence conditions in early season corn production areas. Any moisture boost that occurs in the next few weeks in key summer grain and oilseed production areas will translate into better early season soybean, sunseed, peanut and additional corn planting and emergence conditions. Most of the nation will still have need for greater rain and it will come over the next few weeks thanks to La Nina.

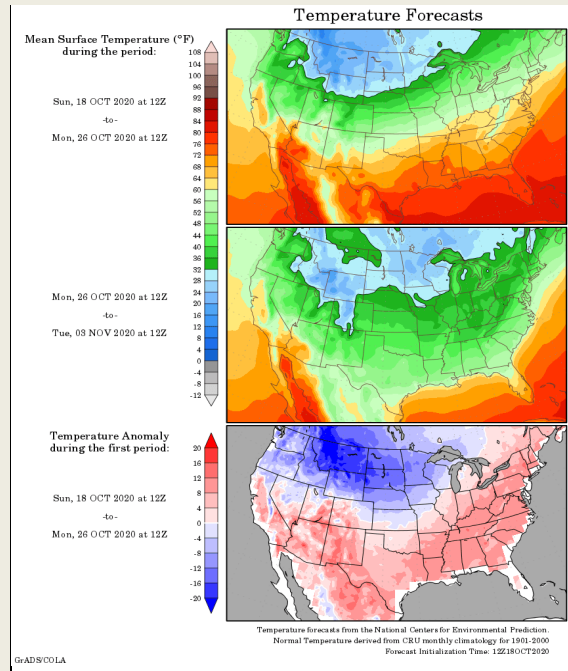
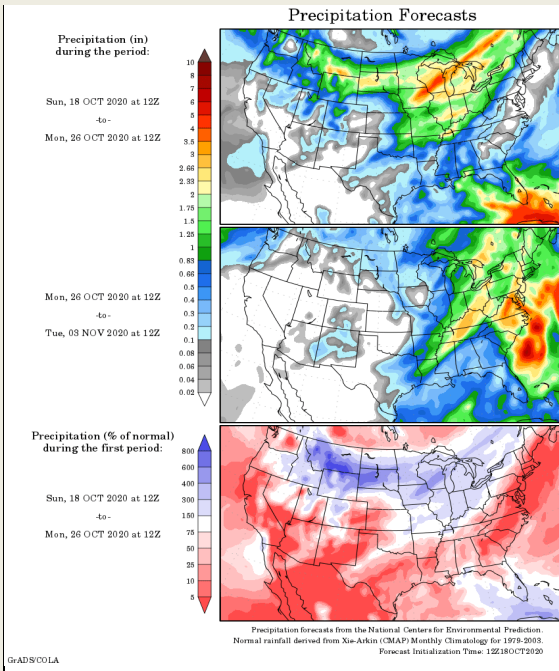
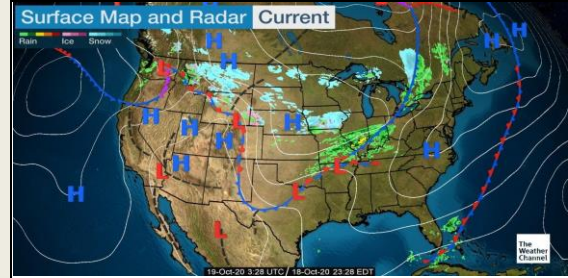
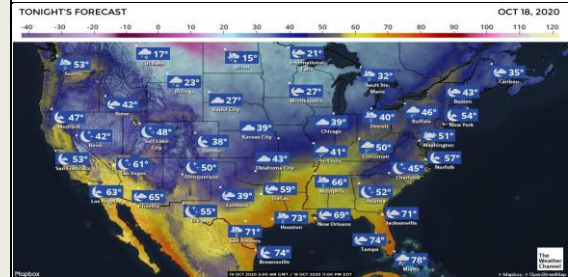
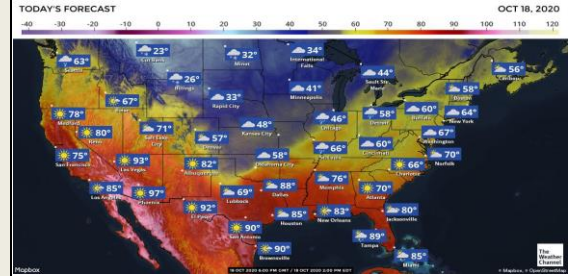
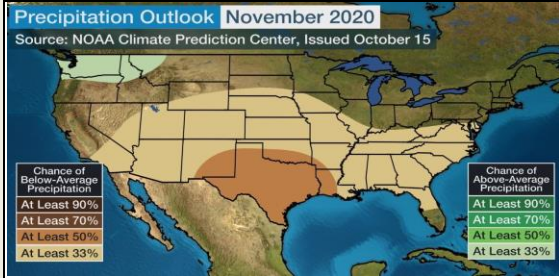


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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST:** A couple more days of aggressive harvesting will occur before rain increases in the lower Midwest Sunday into Thursday while western and northern parts of the western Corn Belt see less frequent and lighter precipitation and fewer interruptions to fieldwork. Next week's rain should not be heavy enough to cause excessively muddy fields that would cause prolonged delays to fieldwork when a drier weather pattern resumes Oct. 23-30.

**U.S. DELTA AND SOUTHEAST:** Dry conditions and good harvest progress will continue to be most common during the next two weeks across the Delta and the Southeast with a few rounds of showers on occasion that should not have much of an impact on fieldwork and one round of organized rain Thursday into Saturday, Oct. 24 that will cause temporary interruptions to fieldwork. Parts of the central and eastern South Carolina to south-central and southeastern Virginia will see light showers today.



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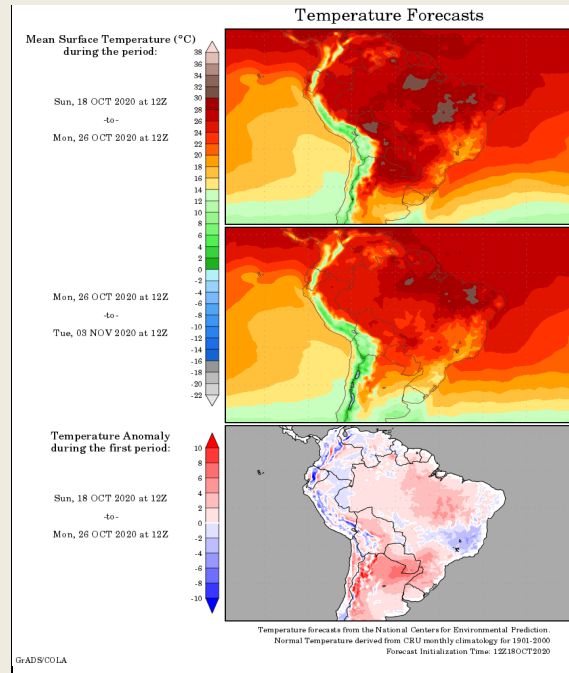
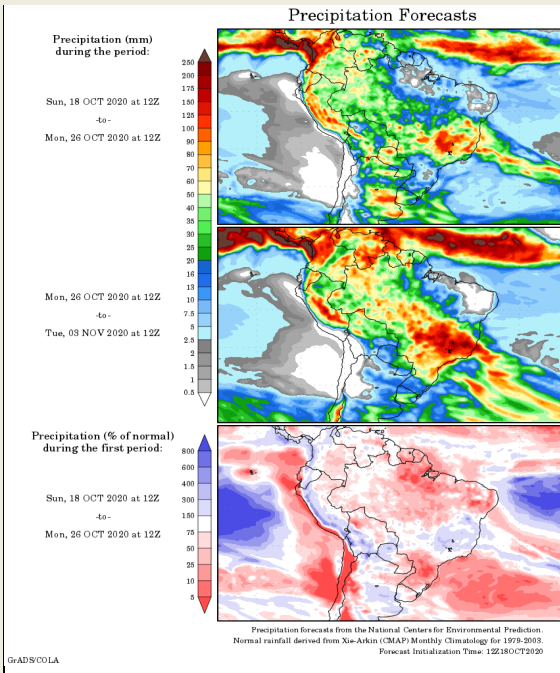
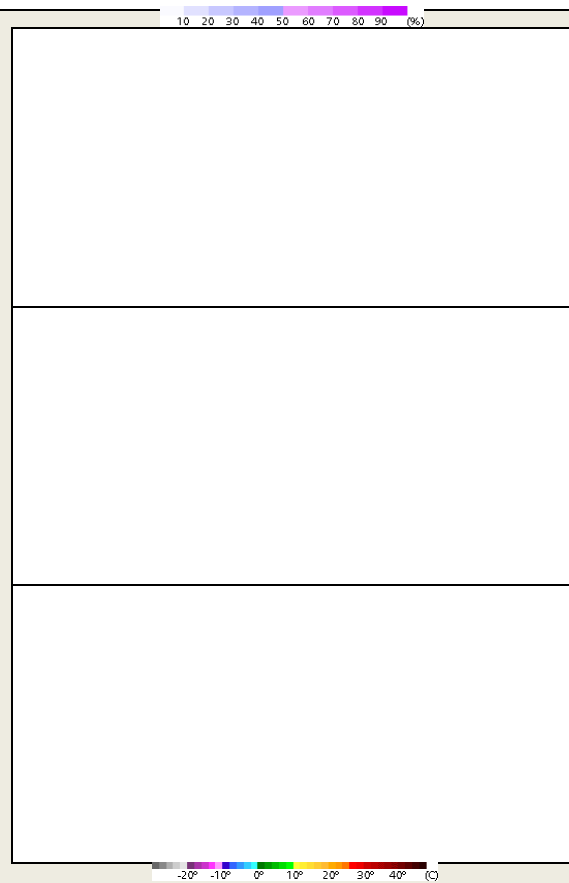
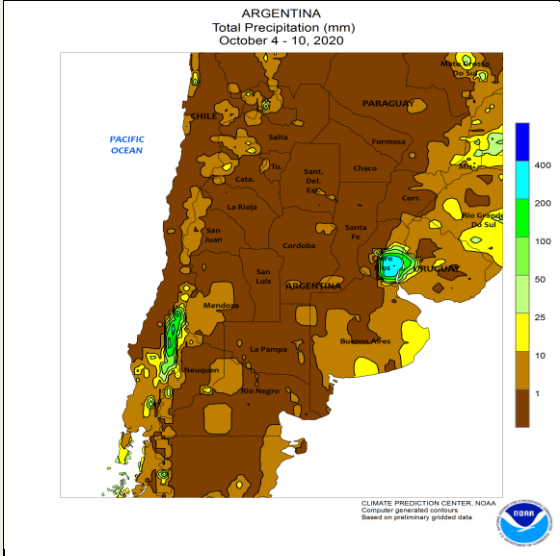
# South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** Brazil and Paraguay will see increase in planting during the next two weeks with greater rain starting next week and by late this month nearly all areas will be left with increases soil moisture to favorable levels for planting and crop development.

o Even with an increase in planting, the early soybean crop will be planted later than usual and an early end to the rainy season or a wet finish causing harvest delays would cause production cuts for Safrinha crops.

**ARGENTINA:** Argentina will see a wetter weather pattern Sunday through Oct. 26 and enough rain should fall to increase soil moisture and improve conditions for summer crop planting and winter wheat development in much of the country with a few exceptions in the southwest.

o Most areas will be dry today and Saturday with a few showers in northern and east-central areas.

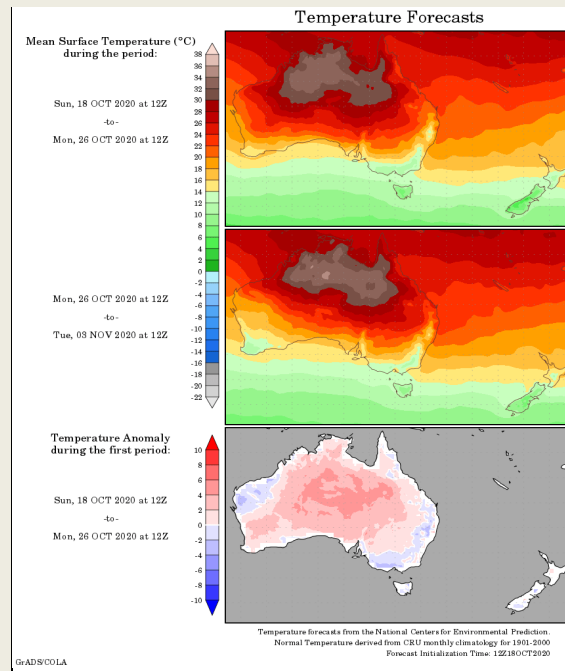
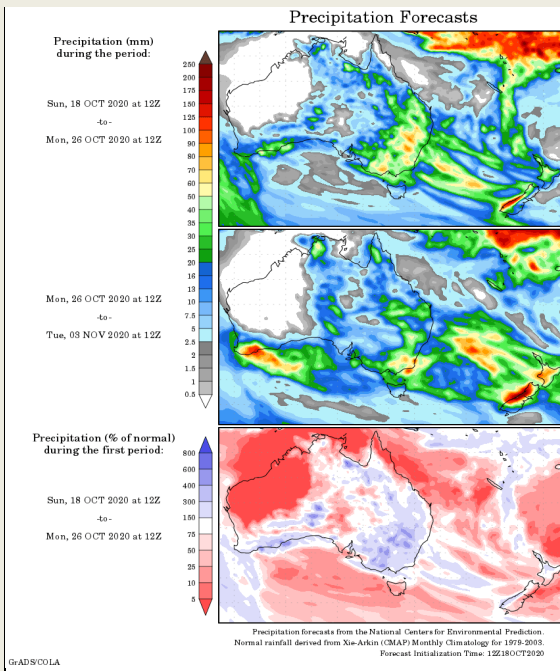
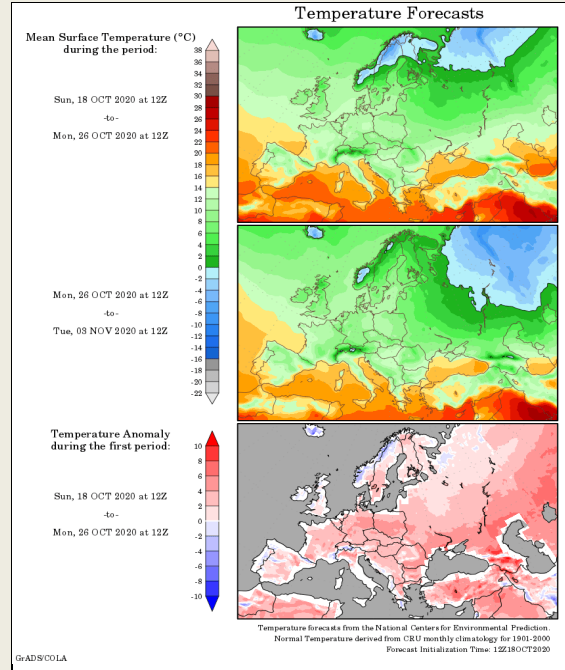
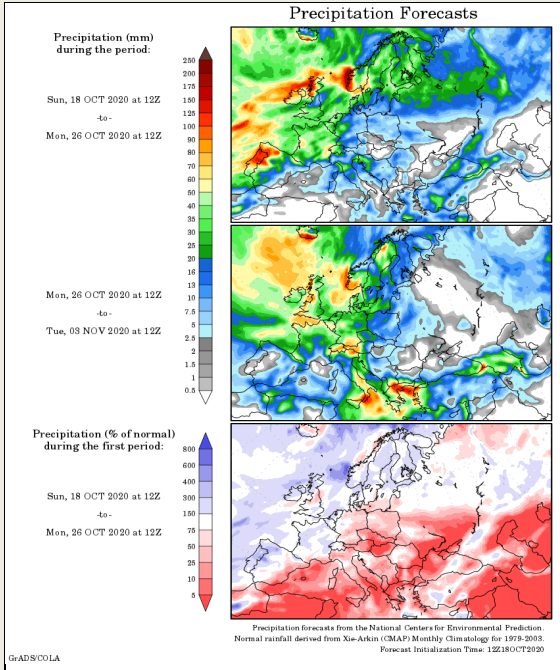


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# Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE:** Rounds of rain will continue over the European Continent during the coming week. Precipitation will occur over Eastern Europe through Sunday. Precipitation will be greatest over Slovakia into Poland and surrounding areas of Hungary and northeastern Germany today into Wednesday and Italy into Slovenia and the eastern Adriatic Sea coast Wednesday into Thursday.

**AUSTRALIA:** Significant rain is still needed for summer crop planting, germination and establishment in portions of interior northern New South Wales and Queensland. Rounds of rain will increase Sunday through Thursday and improvements in precipitation will allow "some" significant improvement in soil moisture. However, some pockets of lesser rain will occur and greater rain will still be needed. Western Australia is still too dry as well and most locations will experience no significant changes this week. The only exception will be increased showers and Thunderstorms over southeastern production areas to the southeastern corner of the state this week. The greatest rain will occur Monday into Thursday.



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