

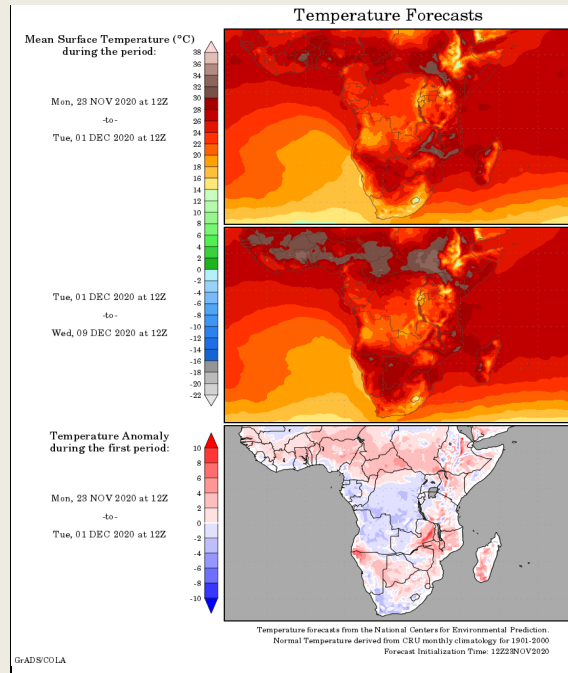
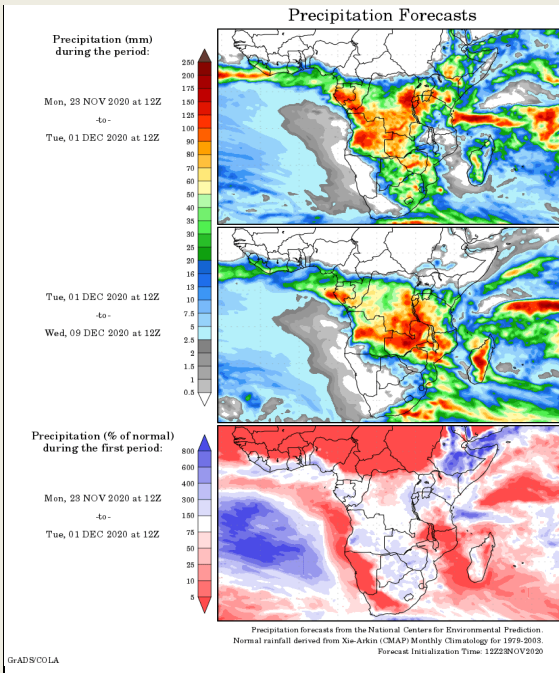
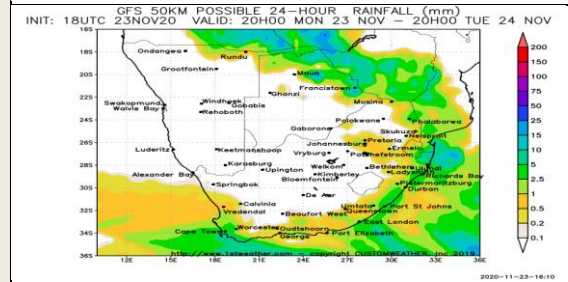
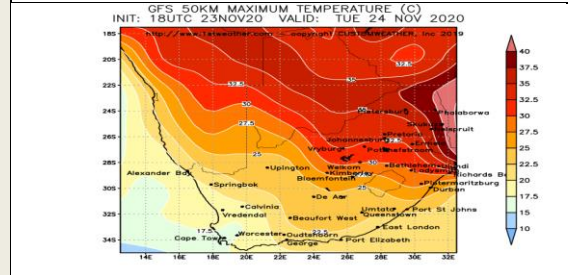
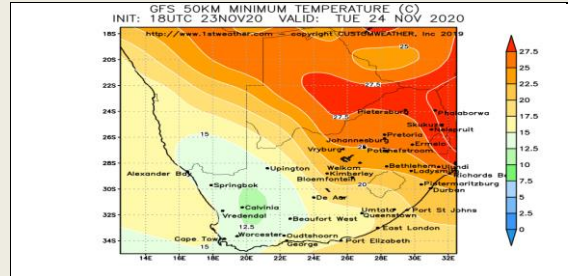
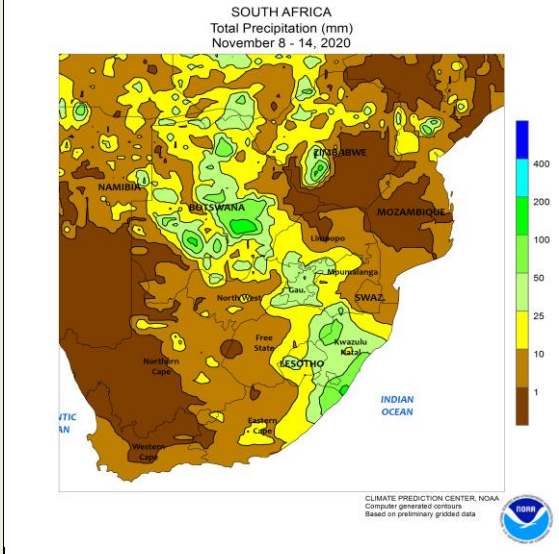


# **Weather Report**

## **24 November 2020**

# South Africa - Weather

The main summer coarse grain and oilseed areas in central and eastern South Africa will see a good mix of rain and sunshine this week. The rain will help bolster topsoil moisture in most locations. Crop establishment and growth conditions will be generally favorable. Planting and general fieldwork will also advance swiftly between rain events. However, precipitation will be too light to completely fix the moisture deficits and additional rain will still be needed in December. Winter wheat harvesting in Free State, North West, and eastern Northern Cape will also advance swiftly between rain events. Western Cape will be mostly dry this week. A few locations will occasionally receive light rain, though precipitation totals will be too light to counter evaporation. Winter wheat harvesting will advance swiftly around the periods of light rain.

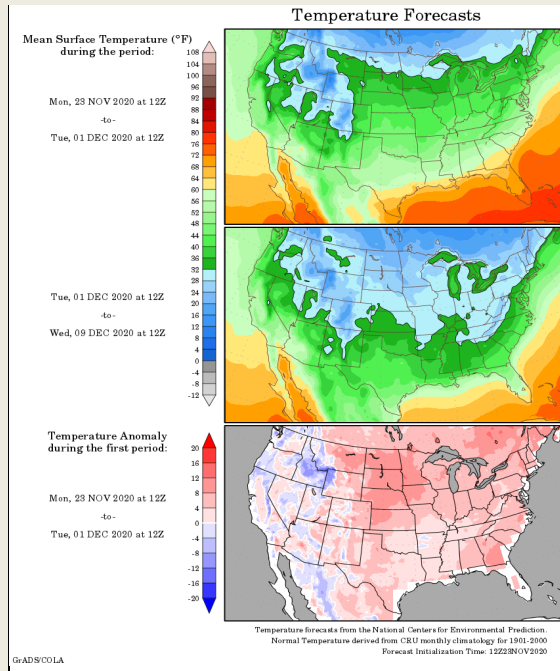
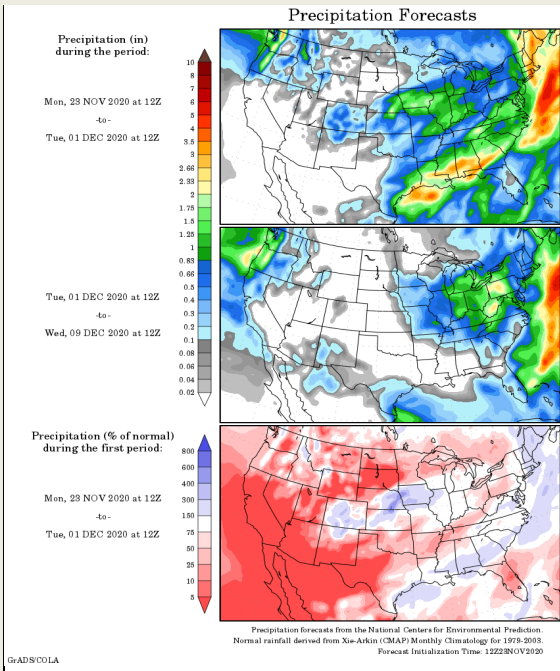
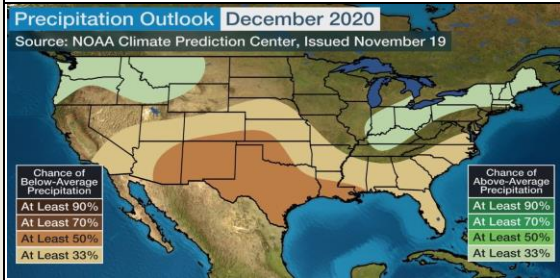
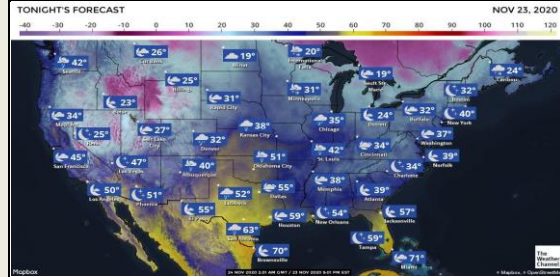
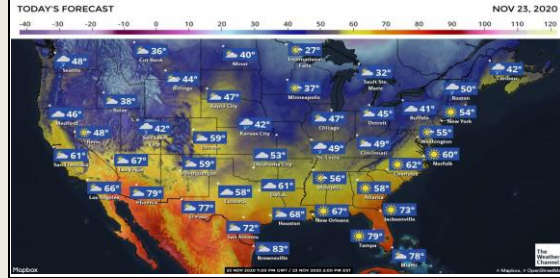


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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST:** The Midwest will see two rounds of precipitation this week before a drier weather pattern resumes Nov. 30-Dec. 7 and late harvesting and post-harvest fieldwork resumes. This week's precipitation is not likely to be heavy enough to cause excessively muddy fields that would cause prolonged delays to fieldwork and the moisture will be beneficial in some western areas where soil moisture deficits are still in place.

**U.S. DELTA AND SOUTHEAST:** The Delta and the Southeast will see a wetter weather pattern starting Tuesday night that will continue through Dec. 5 and late-season fieldwork will be slowed. Today into Tuesday evening will be mostly dry. Rain will increase in the Delta and Tuesday night into Wednesday and in the Southeast Wednesday into Thursday.



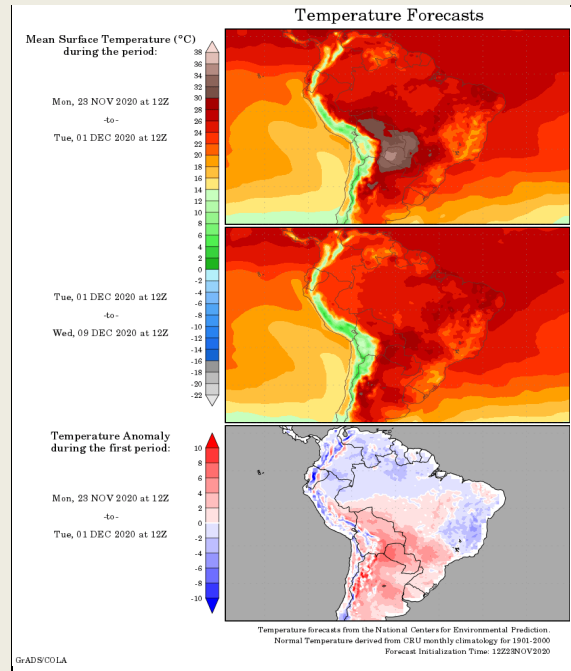
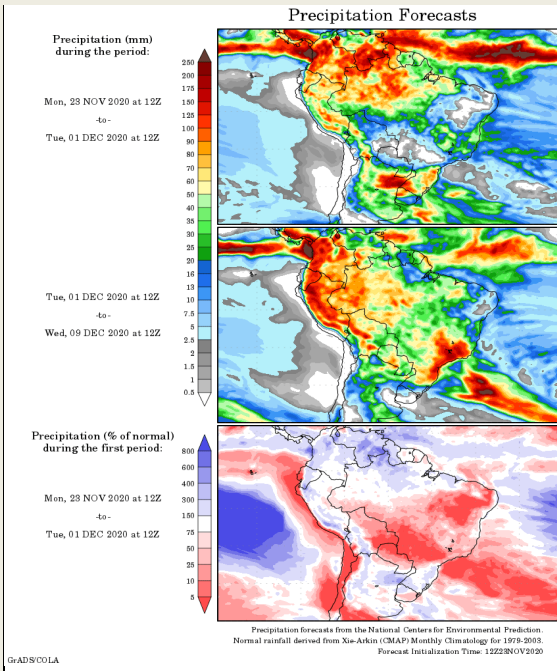
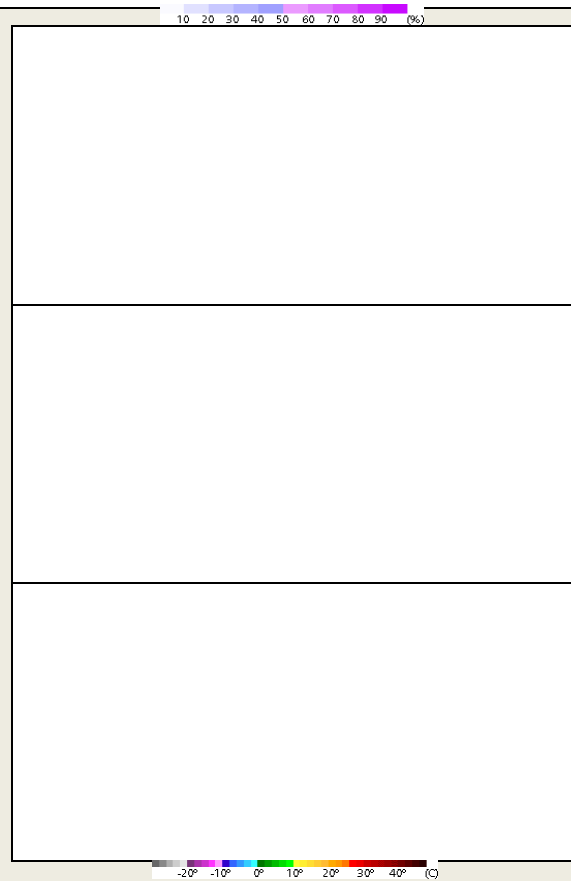
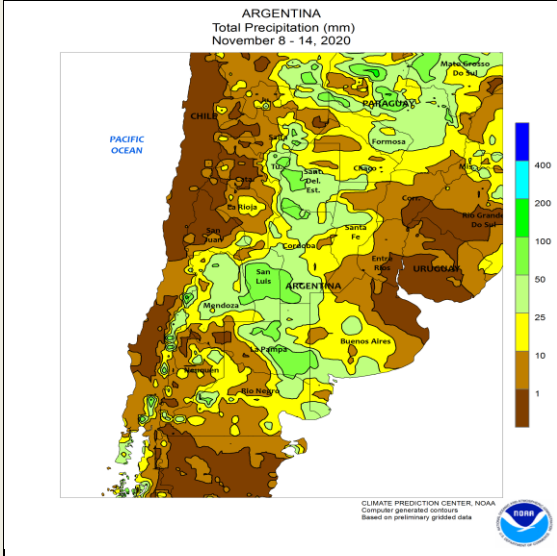
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# South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** Much of western, central, and southern Brazil will see little to no significant rain and good planting progress through Wednesday while last week's rain should have left much of the region with enough soil moisture to support the needs of crops while drying takes place. A timely increase in rain will begin in far southern Brazil Wednesday night and will continue into Tuesday, Dec. 1 with rain extending into central and eventually northern Brazil Dec. 1-7 and if rain falls as advertised crops should have enough soil moisture to develop favorably into the second week of December.

**ARGENTINA:** Argentina will see a timely increase in rain starting today and continuing through next Monday and all of the country will receive enough rain to at least temporarily improve soil moisture with most areas likely to be left with enough soil moisture to support the needs of crops through the first week of December when drier weather returns. A few showers will occur Dec. 1-7, but dry conditions will be most common and planting should accelerate.

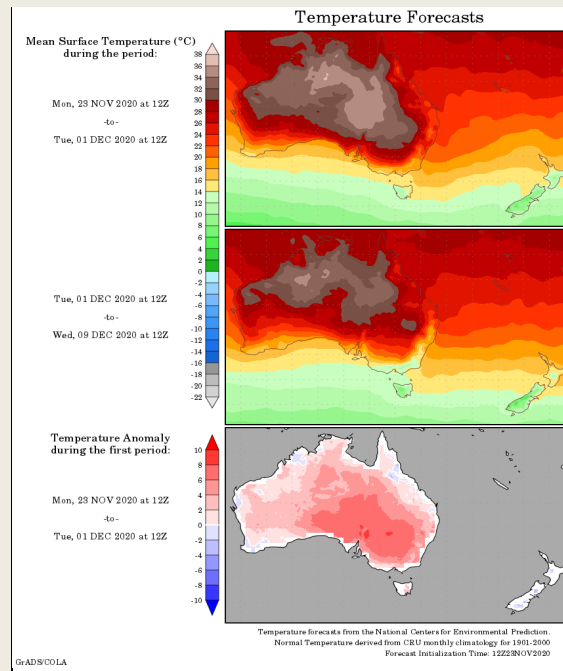
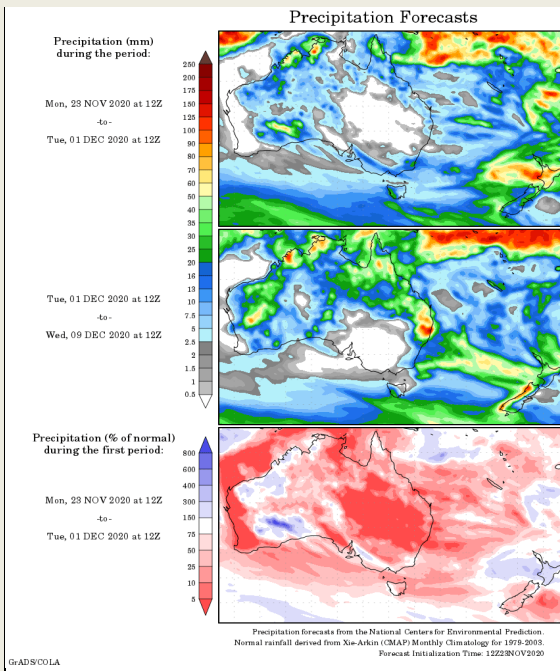
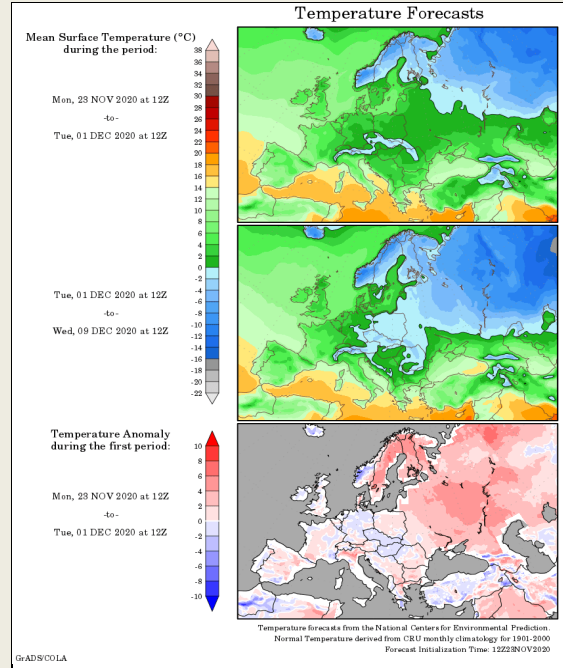
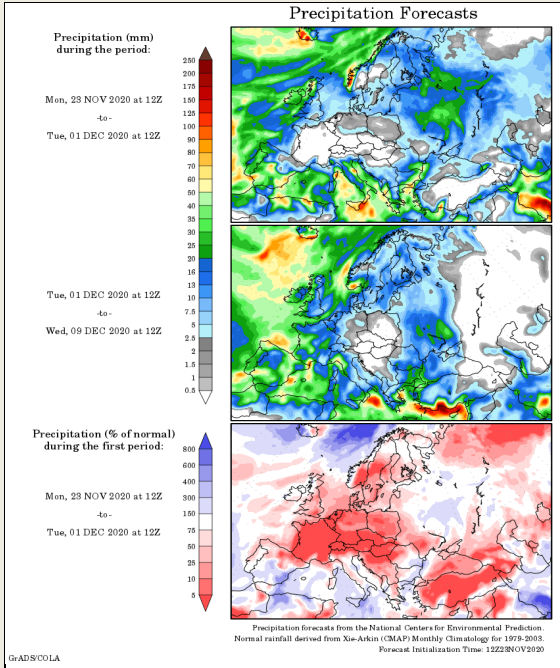


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# Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE:** Restricted precipitation will allow for swift crop maturation and harvesting in most of mainland Europe during the coming week. However, isolated to scattered rain will occur over Italy today into Friday and erratic showers will also occur over Romania during this period as well. Isolated heavy rain over southern Italy will vary from 1.00 to 3.00 inches and locally more the next couple of days. Meanwhile, totals will be no more than 0.80 inch in Romania.

**AUSTRALIA:** Restricted precipitation and net drying will occur over eastern Australia during the coming week to ten days. Conditions will not be completely dry, but any moisture that does occur will be lost quickly to evaporation. Dryland production areas of Queensland as well as parts of northern New South Wales would benefit from an increase in rain to bolster production potentials of summer crops. Excessive heat will occur over Australia the next seven to ten days as restricted precipitation continues.



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