



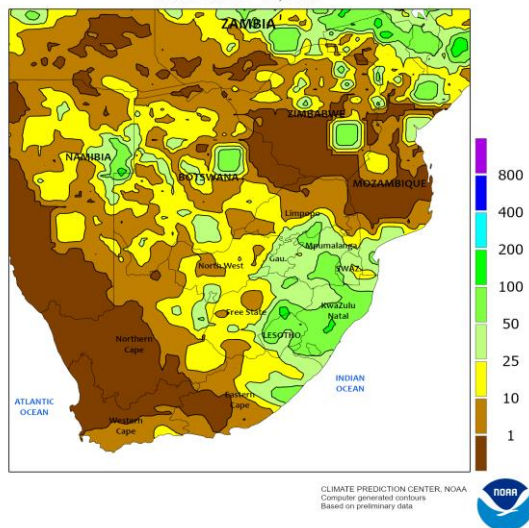
Weather Report

09 January 2023

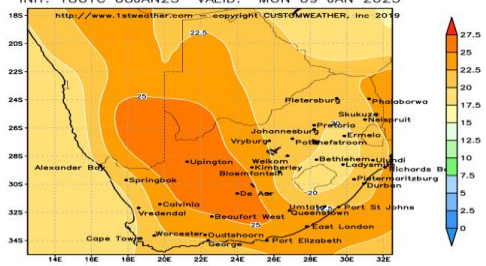
South Africa - Weather

SOUTH AFRICA : Eastern South Africa will see a mix of erratic rainfall and sunshine through the end of next week. The rain will help keep soil moisture rated adequately and aggressive growth will continue. Central and western South Africa will otherwise be drier biased through the end of next week. The ground will gradually firm across the region as warm daytime temperatures occur most days. These locations will have enough moisture to maintain aggressive growth during the next several days, though development may slow later next week. Eastern South Africa will see a mix of erratic rain and sunshine through the end of next week. Some of the most widespread and significant rain will continue today as a frontal boundary passes over the region. Light rain will be scattered across these areas this weekend into the first part of next week before drier weather evolves later next week. Moisture totals by next Friday morning will range from 0.50-2.00" and locally greater amounts. Eastern sections of Free State, North West, and Eastern Cape will still see periods of rain with totals ranging from 0.10-0.50" by next Friday morning. Other areas will receive little to no rain. Eastern and central South Africa will see a mix of rain and sunshine January 14 – 20. Western South Africa will remain drier biased.

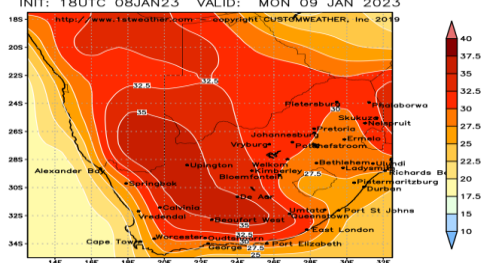
SOUTH AFRICA
Total Precipitation(mm)
December 25 - 31, 2022



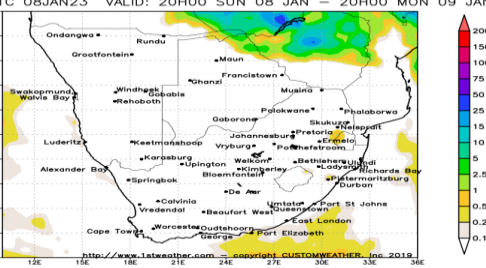
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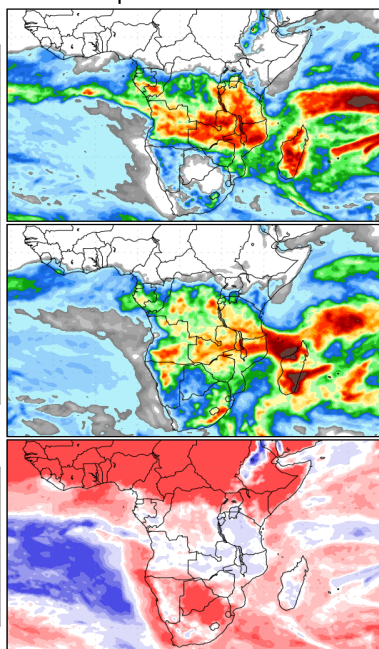
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Temperature Forecasts

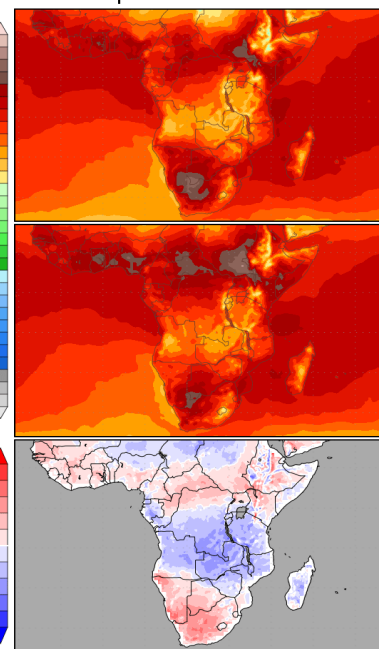
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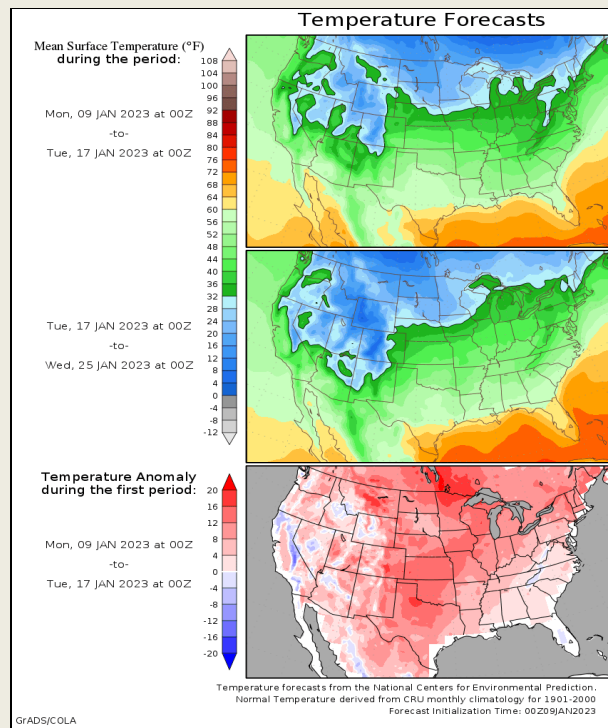
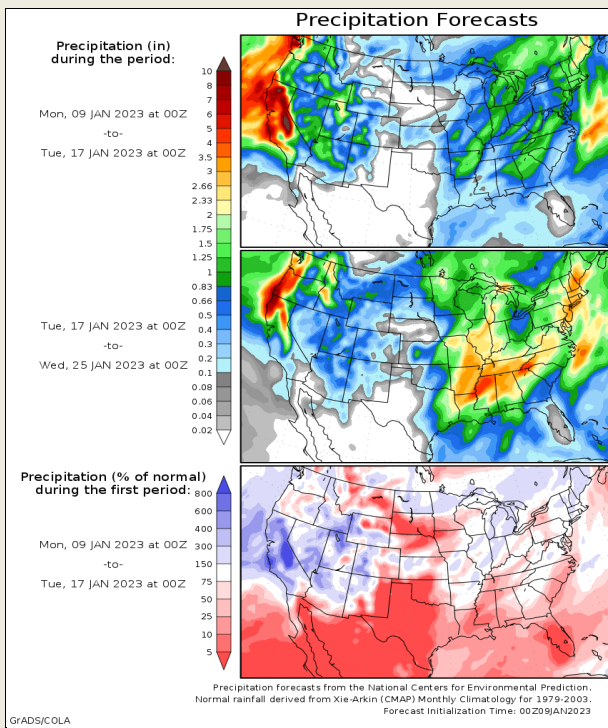
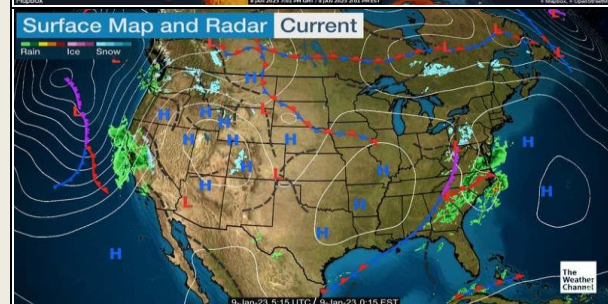
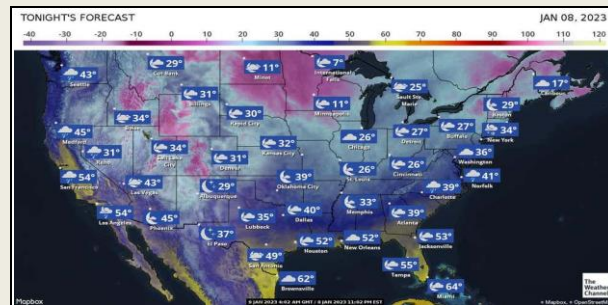
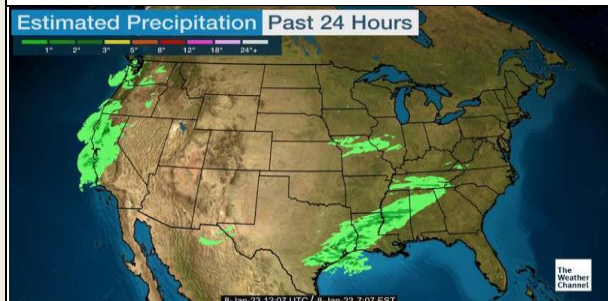
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United States of America - Weather

U.S. MIDWEST : A mostly quiet weather pattern will occur through the next two weeks with a possible exception Jan. 16-18 when a storm system moves across the region with confidence for the details of this event low. • Temperatures will be mostly much warmer than normal through the next ten days.

U.S. DELTA : The Delta and the Southeast will see a few rounds of organized rain during the next two weeks with the rain not likely to be heavy enough to prevent improvements in flood conditions while rivers and streams should recede enough to reduce the risk of serious flooding from the next significant rain event.



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South America - Weather

BRAZIL: Much of Brazil outside of some southern areas will continue to see regular rounds of rain through the next two weeks keeping conditions for most developing crops favorable while slowing the harvest of early soybeans in Mato Grosso. o Little rain is expected in Paraguay through Monday where soil moisture should be great enough to support crops before showers return Tuesday. o Some crops in Rio Grande do Sul should see rising levels of stress as moisture from the past weekend's rain is lost to evaporation and temperatures warm during the next week.

ARGENTINA : Rain will be too infrequent and light during the next two weeks to prevent further declines in crop conditions and soil moisture while hot temperatures through at least the next week accelerate increases in crop stress and declines in yield potentials. o Rain Wednesday into next Friday will temporarily ease stress to crops in some northern areas, but many central and areas should not receive enough rain to do more than briefly moisten the topsoil with stress to crops likely to quickly return in the drier weather expected Jan. 14-20. o Newly-planted crops will see poor conditions for germination and establishment.

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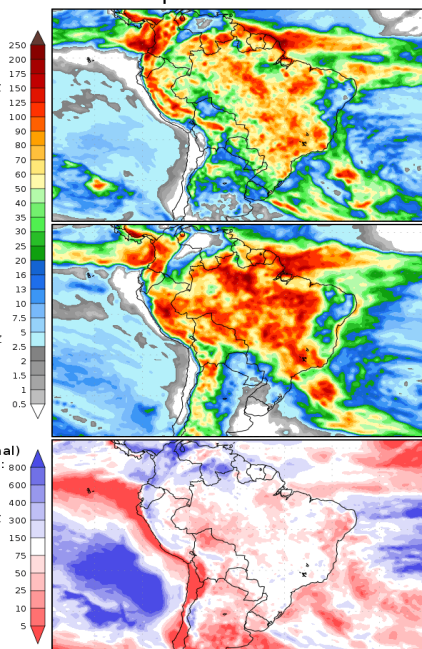
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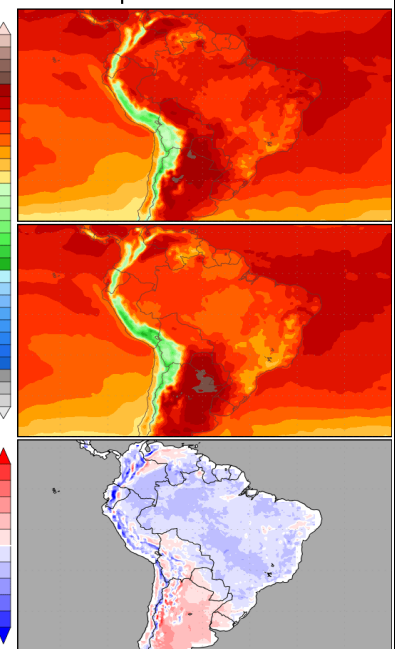
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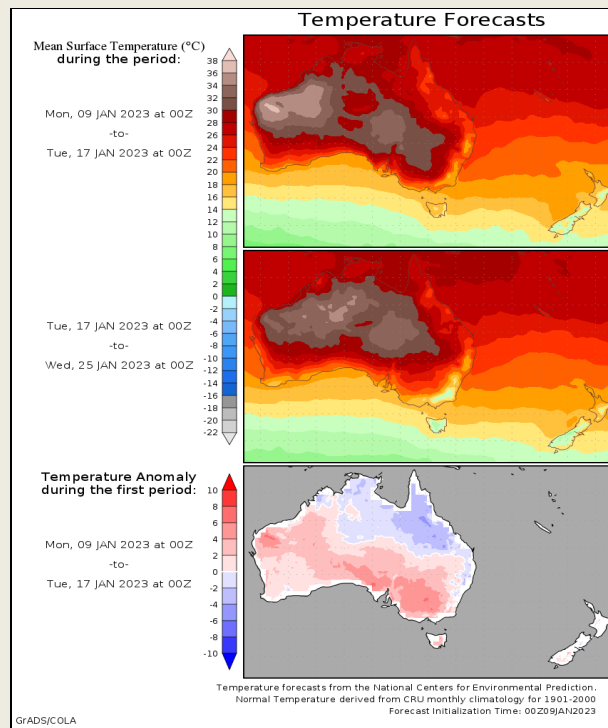
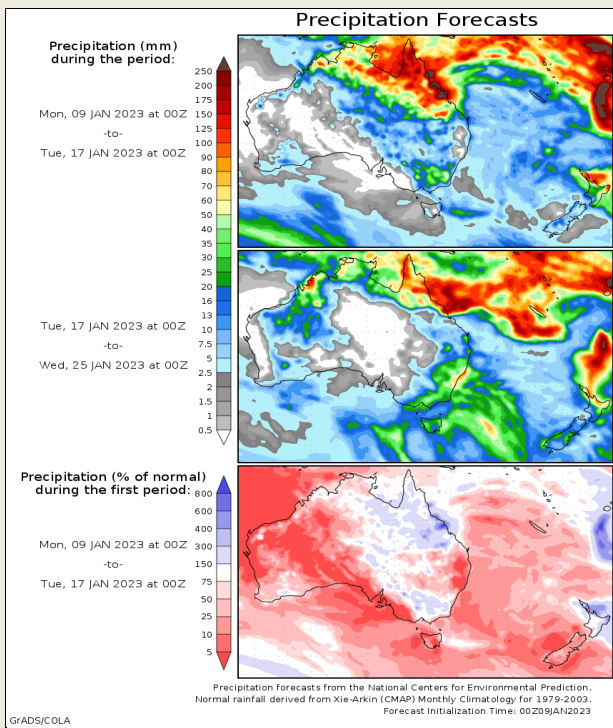
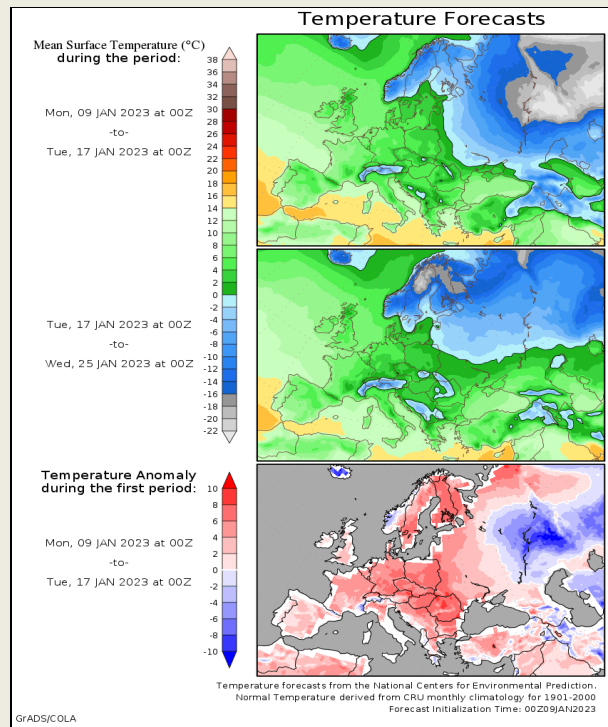
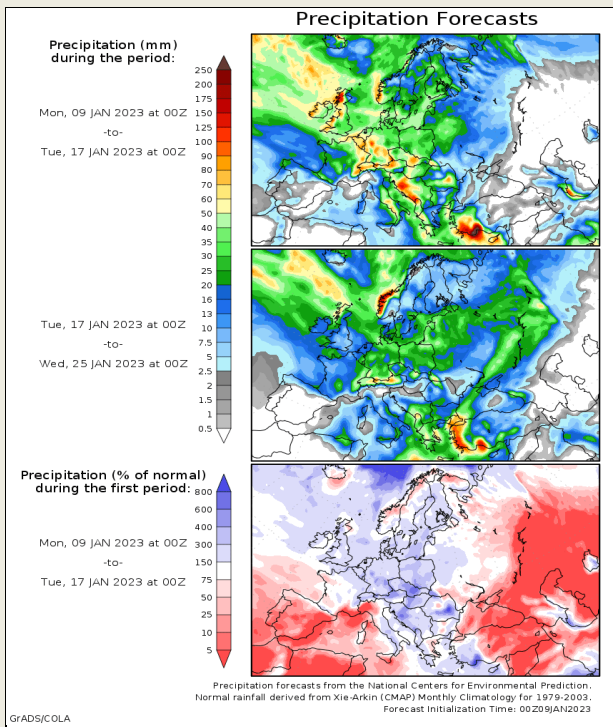
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Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

EUROPE : Rain fell frequently across western and northern parts of Europe Friday through Monday. Northern Portugal was wettest with 4.50 inches of rain resulting. Other rain totals of 1.00 to 2.00 inches occurred in northwestern France, western parts of the United Kingdom and in a part of southern Sweden. Moisture totals in most other areas were rarely more than 0.50 inch with a big part of central and southeastern Europe dry along with southern Italy and eastern Spain.

AUSTRALIA : Rainfall in eastern Australia will still be low enough in the first week of the outlook to lead to some additional summer crop stress in unirrigated fields. Some rain is expected, mainly after Saturday, and it will be locally meaningful; however, a rain event with greater coverage would be beneficial, especially in Queensland where the greatest risk of crop moisture stress exists.



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