

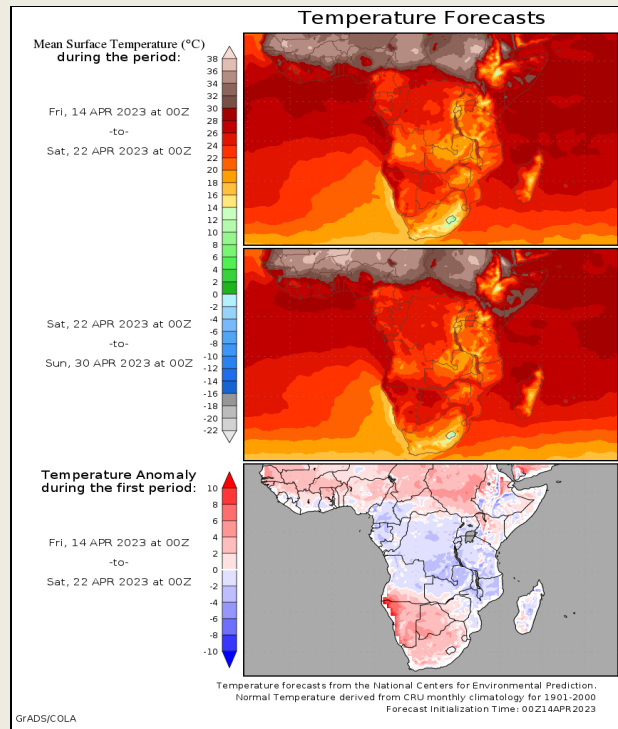
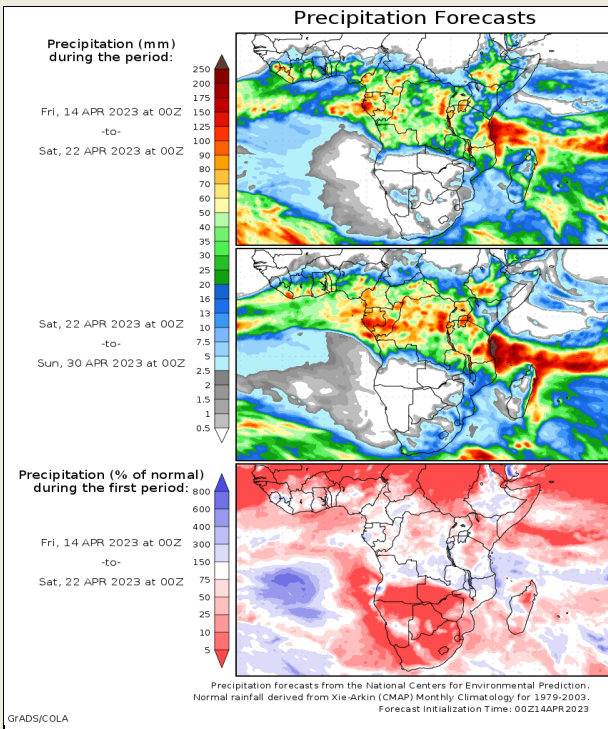
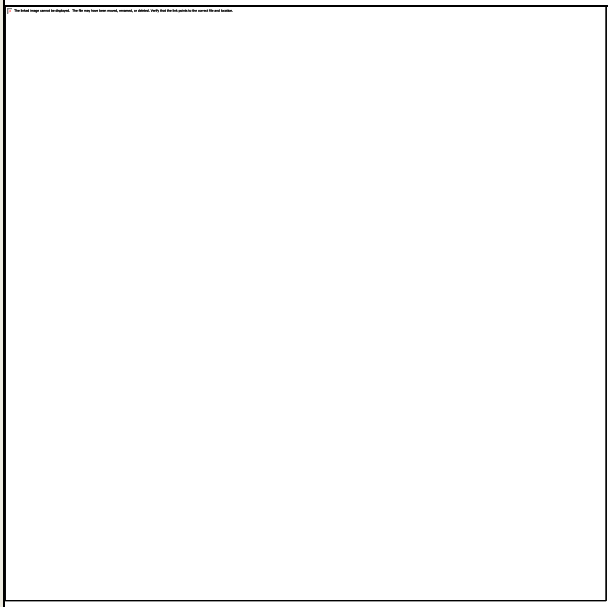
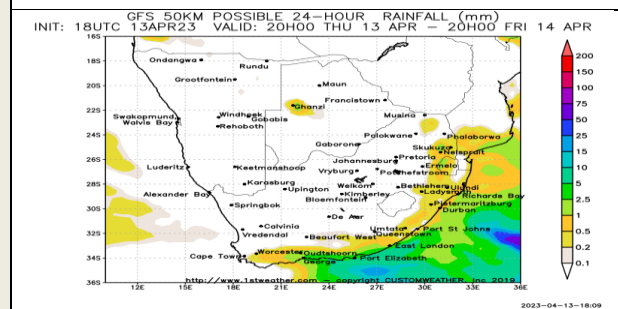
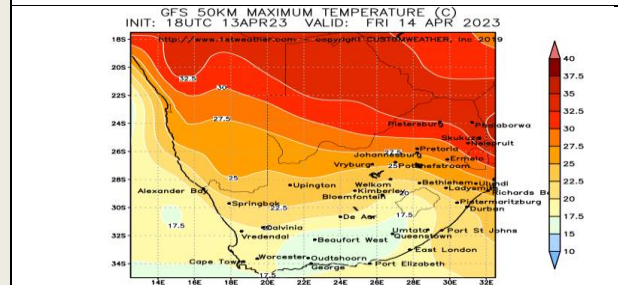
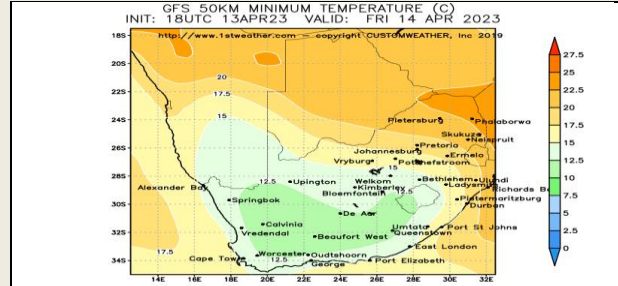


# **Weather Report**

## **14 April 2023**

# South Africa - Weather

**SOUTH AFRICA :** Drier-than-normal weather will persist for South Africa during the coming week. The lack of rain will support a good environment for maturation and harvesting across the country. Recent frost may have damaged a small amount of soybeans in western and central South Africa, though the extent of the losses was likely small. • South Africa will be drier than normal during the coming week o Periods of light and erratic rain will still occur from Northern Cape into Limpopo and Mpumalanga o However, much of the rain that occurs will be lost to evaporation or too light to impact long-term soil conditions • South Africa will have a few opportunities for erratic rain April 21 – 27 o Rainfall will be too light to significantly slow the harvest in most locations

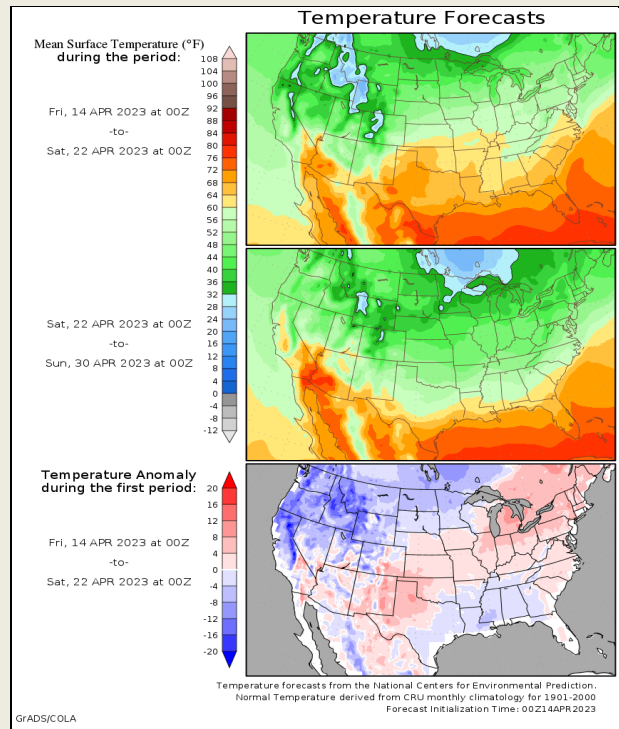
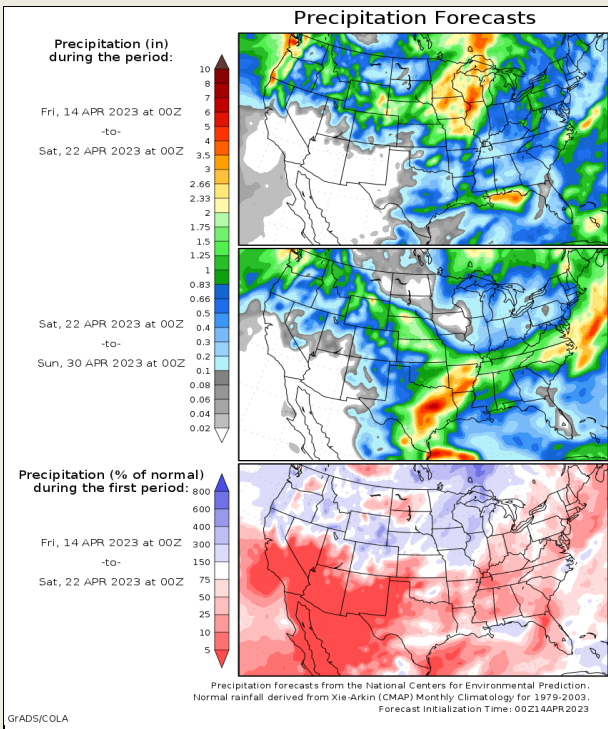
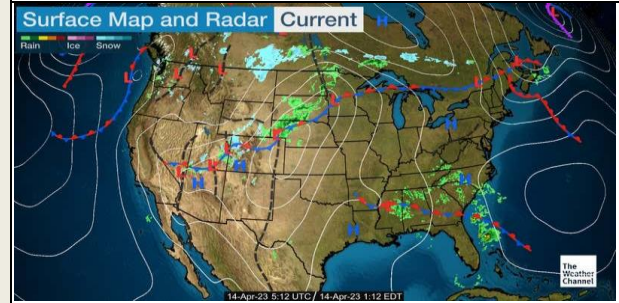
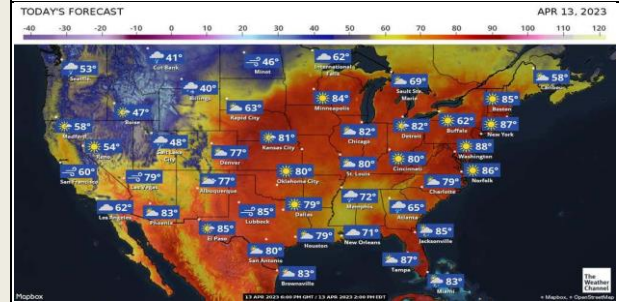
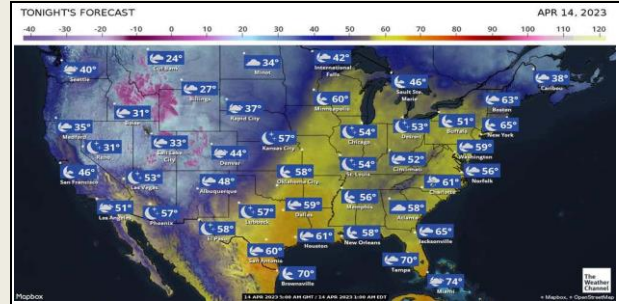


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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST :** Favorable conditions for fieldwork will occur in much of the Midwest during the next two weeks as temperatures will be mostly warm and precipitation will be too infrequent and light to prevent farming activity in much of the region outside of some northwestern areas. Eastern North Dakota and northeastern South Dakota to northern Wisconsin will see its remaining snowpack quickly melt during the next few days leaving the region in need of a significant period of drying to dry out the soil before fieldwork can occur.

**U.S. DELTA :** Much of the Southeast will see multiple rounds of rain into Sunday and will remain too wet for fieldwork before drier weather pattern begins Monday and conditions through Apr. 27 allowing fieldwork to steadily increase. Meanwhile, much of the Delta will miss much of the rain other areas see into Friday and fieldwork should advance well overall through the next two weeks. Rain advertised for this weekend should be mostly beneficial in the northern Delta where recent drying has taken place.



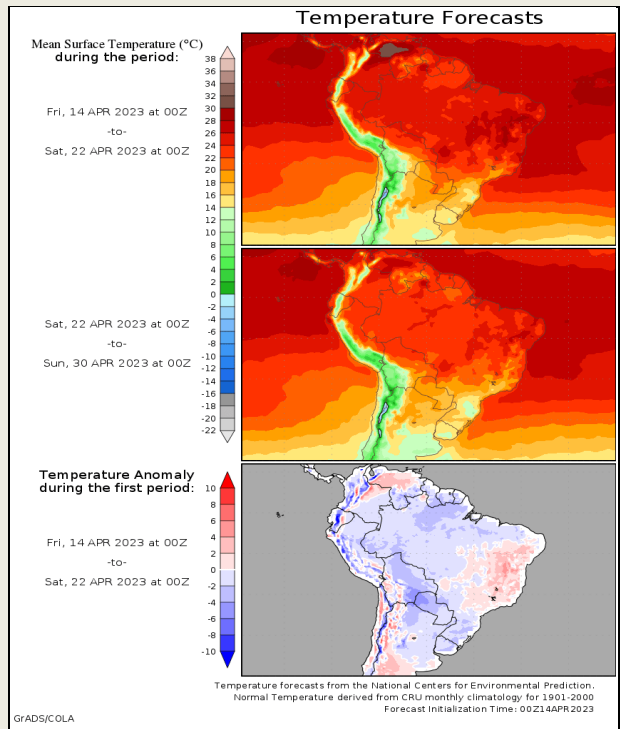
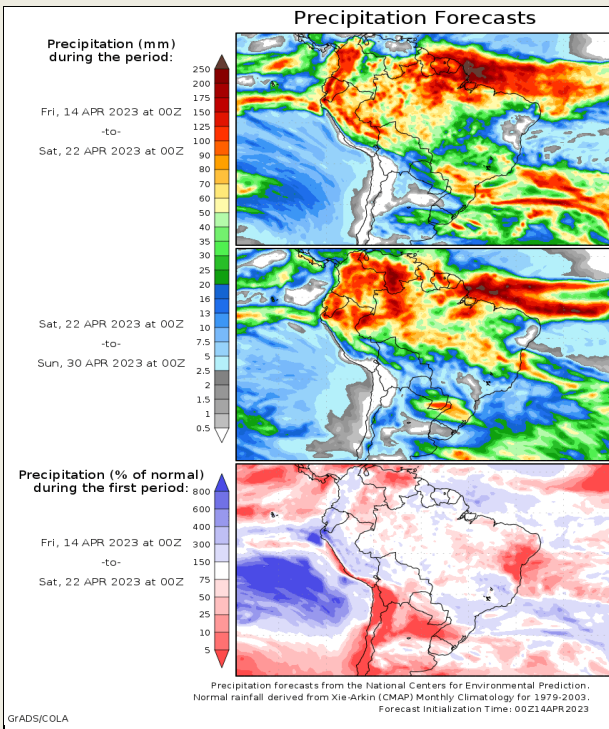
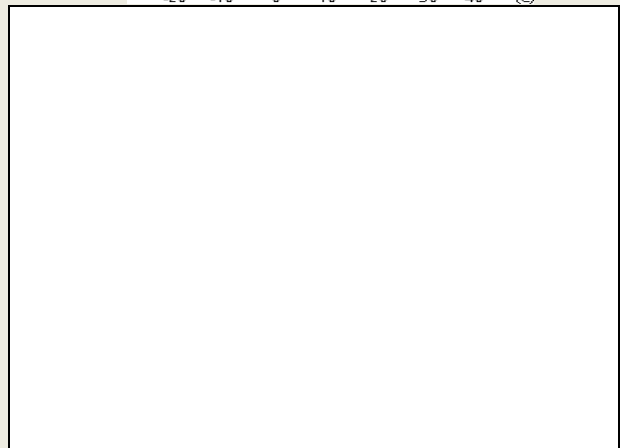
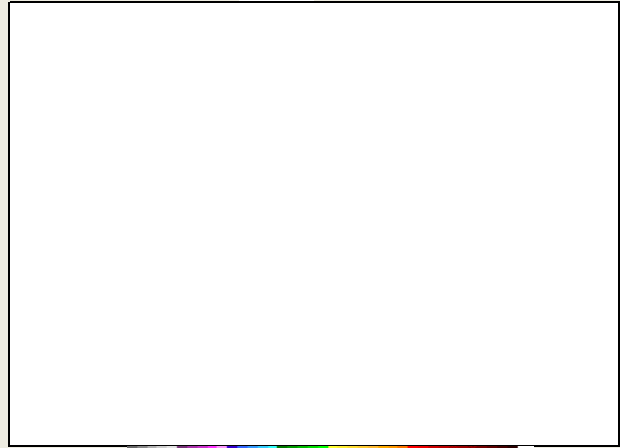
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## South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** A period of wet weather will occur through the Wednesday causing interruptions to fieldwork while inducing increases in soil moisture that will be beneficial for Safrinha corn. o If seasonal rains come to an end normally this year, Safrinha corn yields should be reduced as a significant portion of the crop was planted later than the end of February which is the end of the favorable planting period.

- April 20-27 will be drier and conditions for fieldwork will quickly improve in central and southern Brazil while overall improvements in conditions for fieldwork occur around showers in northern Brazil.

**ARGENTINA:** Rain will be infrequent enough during the next two weeks to allow for fieldwork to advance well with temporary interruptions to fieldwork likely to result from light rain in western and northern Argentina today and rain in the south Friday through Sunday.

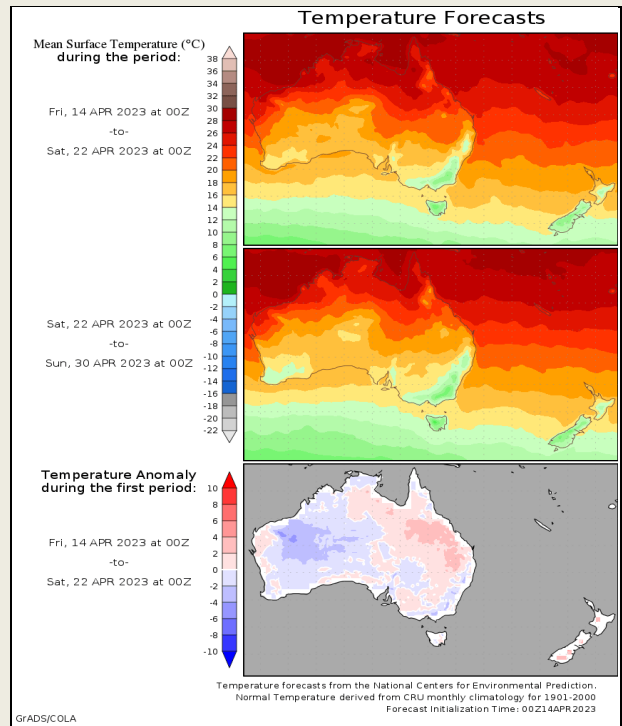
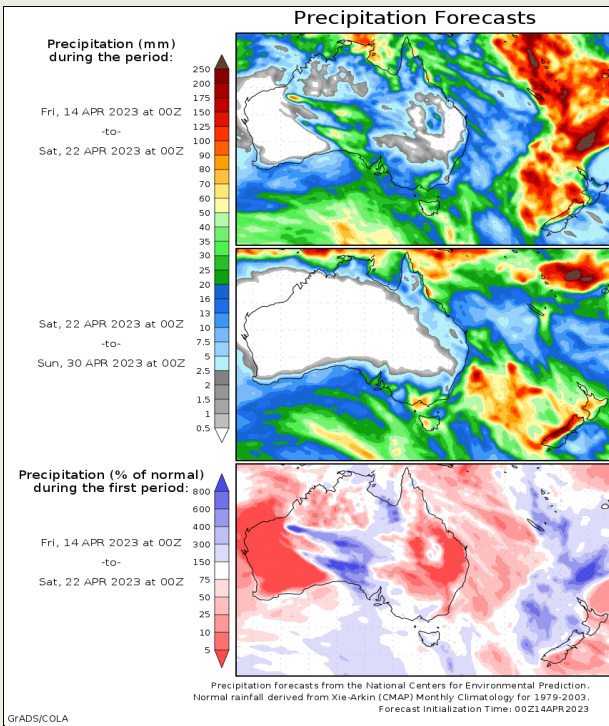
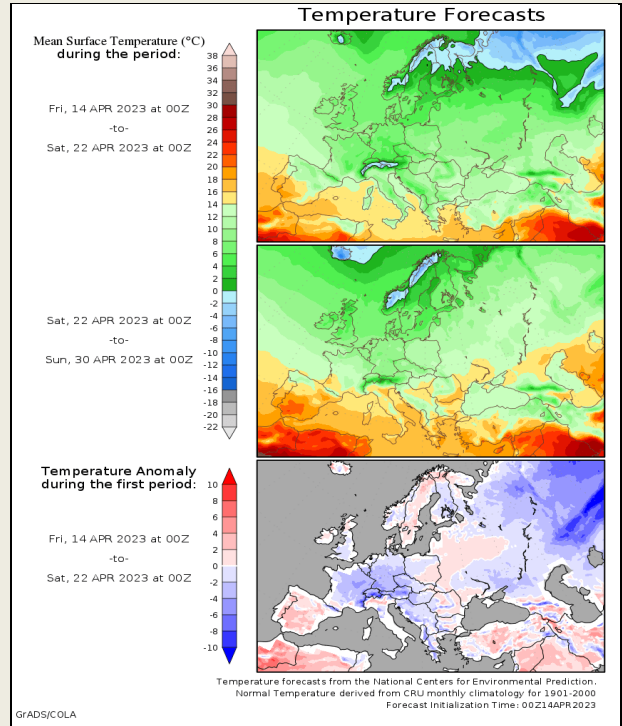
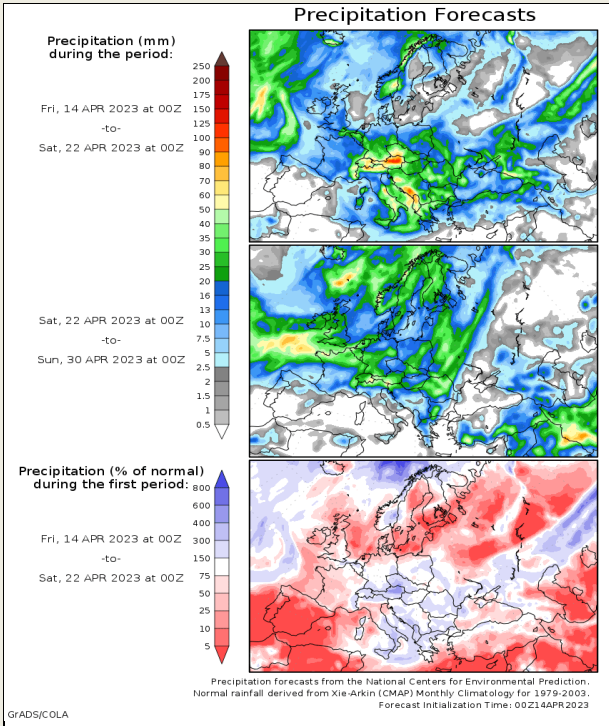


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## Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE** : Rain will occur in parts of the region daily through Thursday • A few pockets of snow will occur as well • Total moisture will vary from 0.35 to 2.00 inches in around 55% of the region, locally more than 2.50 inches • Italy, southeastern France, and the western Balkan Countries are likely to be the wettest • Precipitation in the second week, Dec. 9 – 16, will likely be above average in the south and near to slightly below average in the north

**AUSTRALIA** : Rainfall in the first week of the outlook is still expected to be greatest in southern areas from southwestern Western Australia through Victoria and southern New South Wales. This will be good for helping raise soil moisture for winter crop planting later this month. Mostly dry conditions in Queensland and northern New South Wales will be good for crop maturation and harvesting.



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