

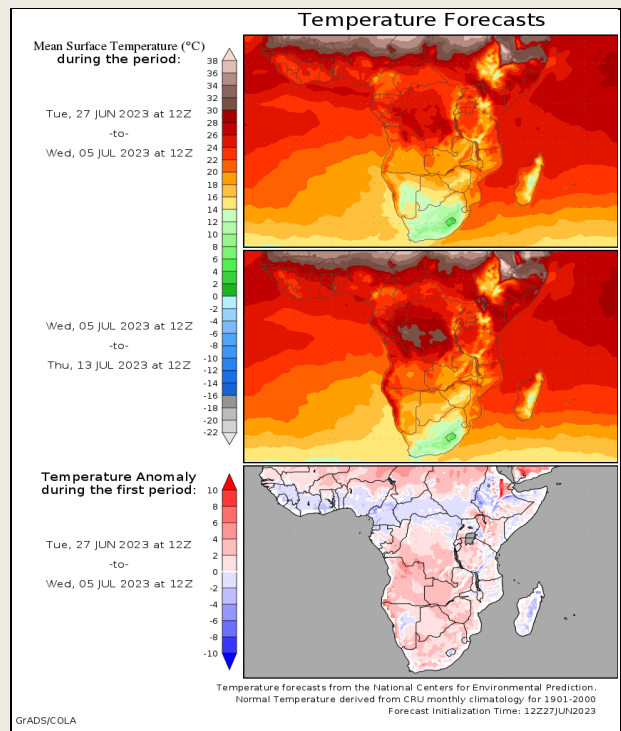
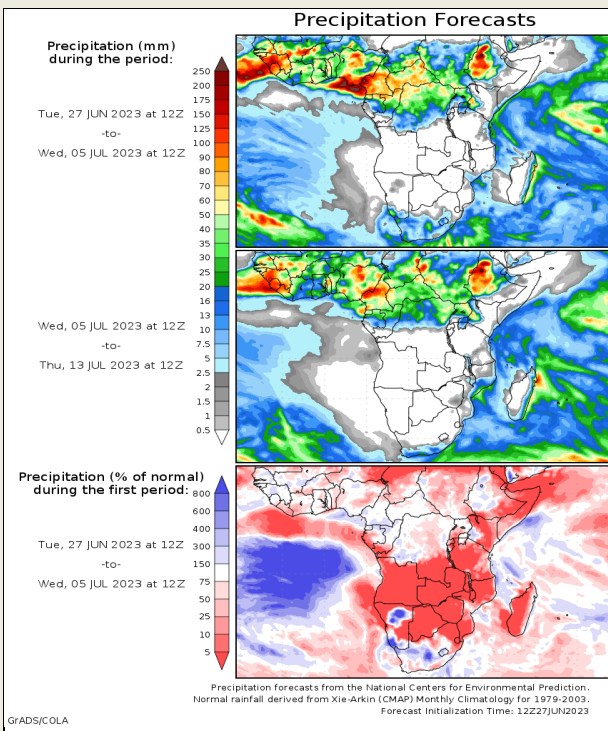
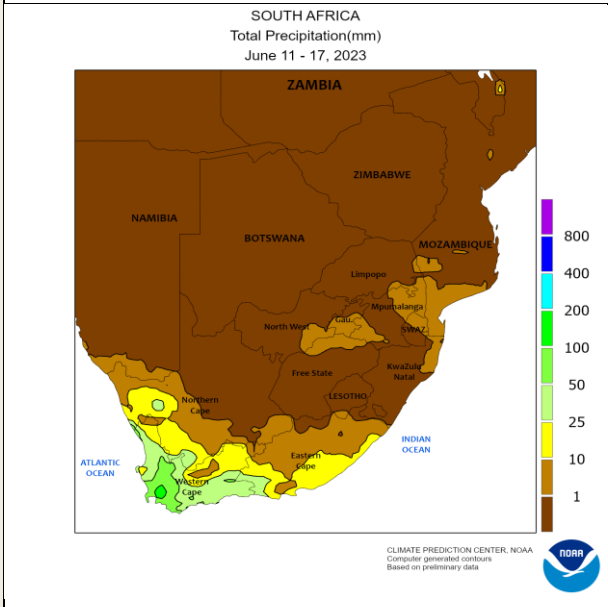
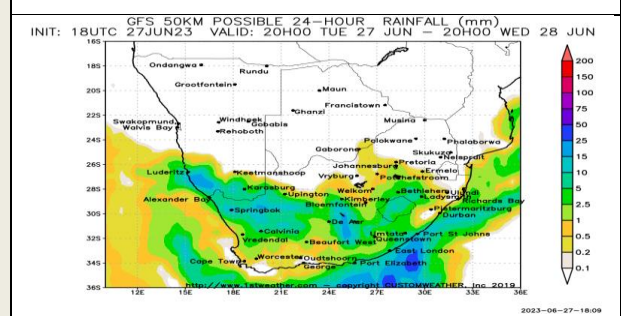
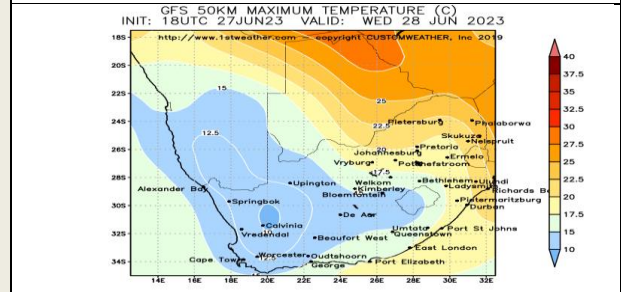
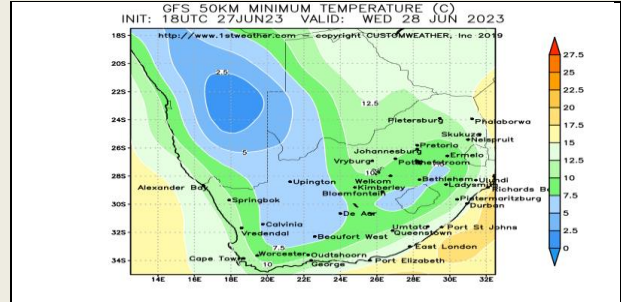


# **Weather Report**

## **28 June 2023**

# South Africa - Weather

**SOUTH AFRICA :** disturbance will promote erratic rainfall for western and central South Africa today into Wednesday. The precipitation will be welcome for the main winter wheat areas, though the rain-fed wheat in Free State would benefit from a little more precipitation. Overall production potentials remain favorable. Little follow-up rain is expected for the remainder of the coming week. Western and central South Africa will see a mix of erratic rain and sunshine during the coming week. Much of the rain will occur today through Wednesday as an upper-level disturbance passes over the region. Moisture totals by next Tuesday morning will range from 0.25-1.50" and locally greater amounts in Western Cape, western and southern Northern Cape, and Eastern Cape. Free State, North West, and the remaining portions of Northern Cape will receive 0.10-0.50" of rain. Eastern South Africa will be mostly dry during the coming week. Any rain that does occur will be lost to evaporation. South Africa will be drier biased July 5 - 11. Light rain will still be possible in southern, eastern, and western South Africa.

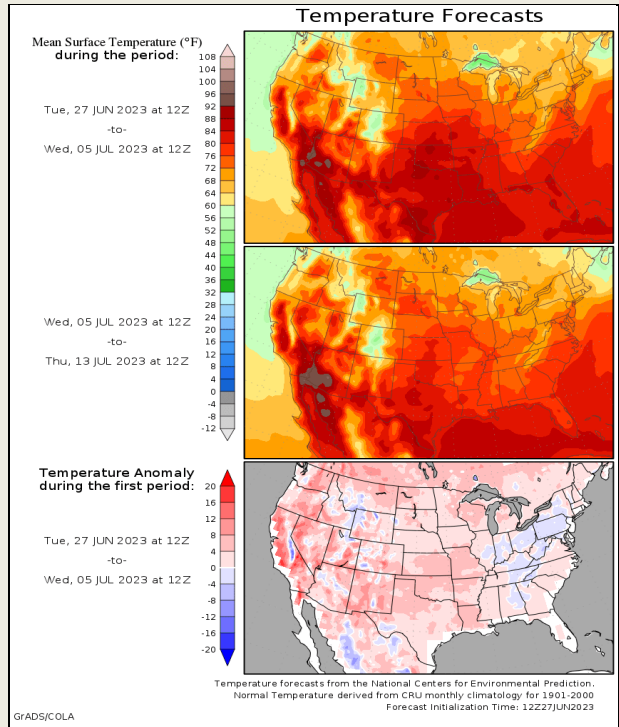
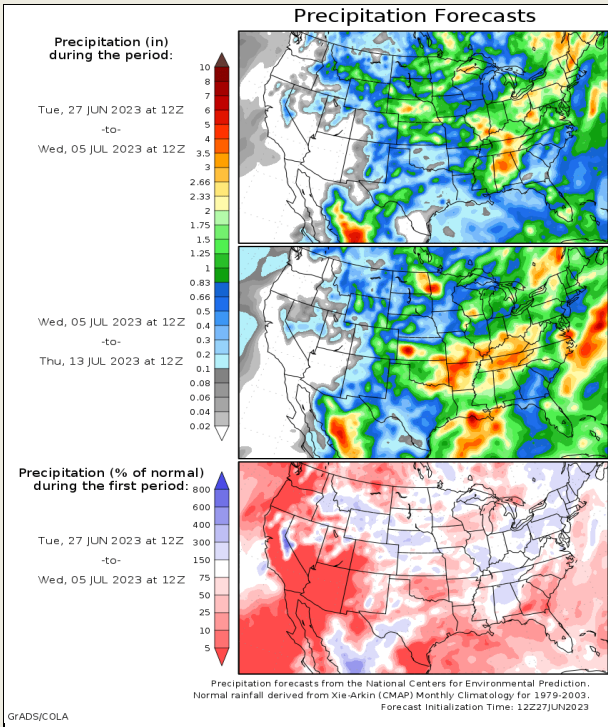
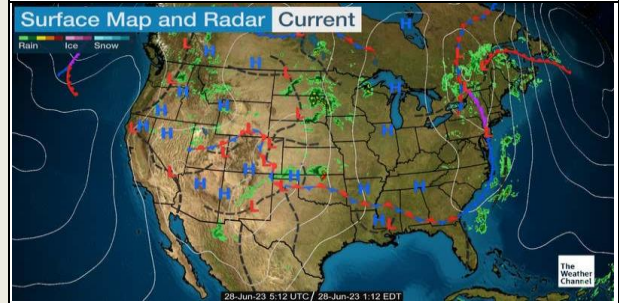
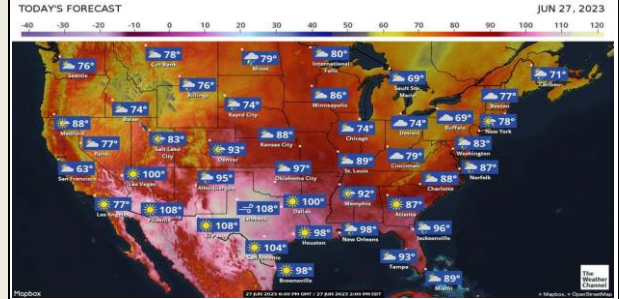
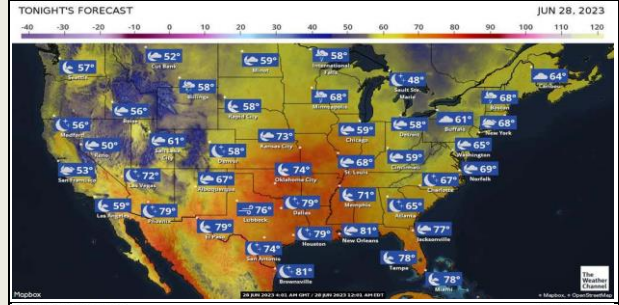


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# United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST :** Rain during the next two weeks is likely to be below normal in many areas and most areas will not see net increases in soil moisture, but enough rain is expected to support corn pollination and to prevent significant deterioration of crop conditions in much of the region. High crop stress and likely some reductions in yields will occur from eastern Kansas and southeastern Nebraska to southern Illinois and western Kentucky where soil moisture is short and temperatures will reach the middle 90s to the lower 100s in parts of the region Wednesday through Friday.

**U.S. DELTA :** Little rain will fall in the Southeast through Wednesday before regular rounds of showers and thunderstorms Thursday through July 11 bring enough rain to keep conditions for crop development mostly favorable. The Delta will see warm to hot temperatures into at least the middle of next week that will stress some crops while today's forecast is wetter overall and showers this weekend through July 11 should maintain crop conditions in most areas with some southern areas seeing improvements in crop conditions.

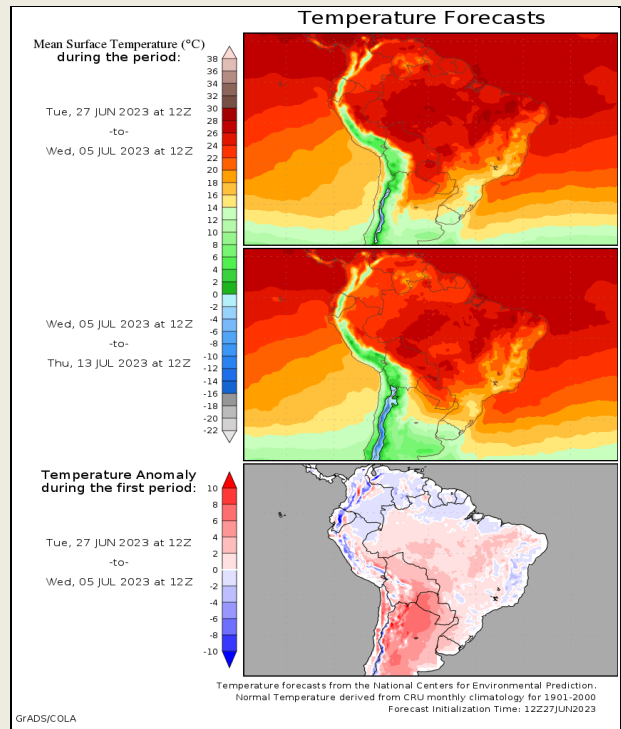
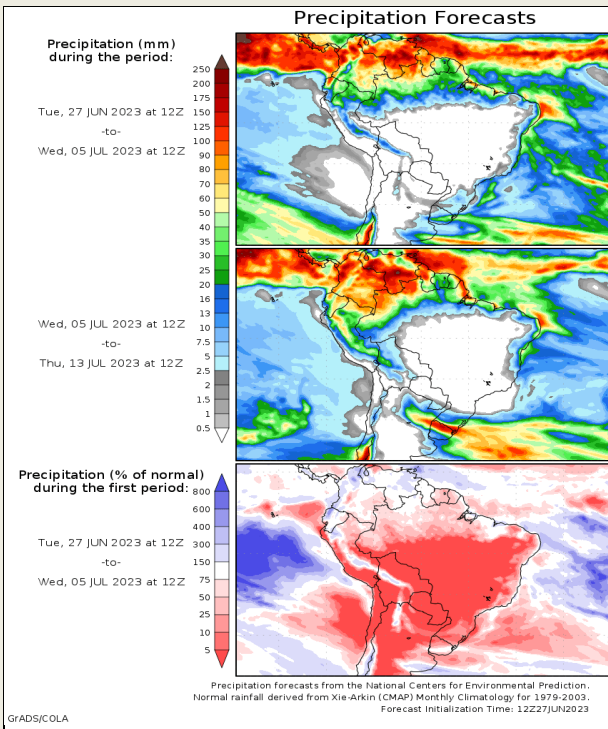
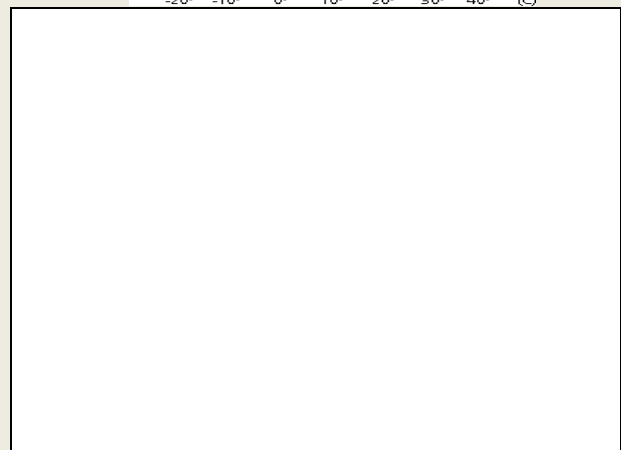
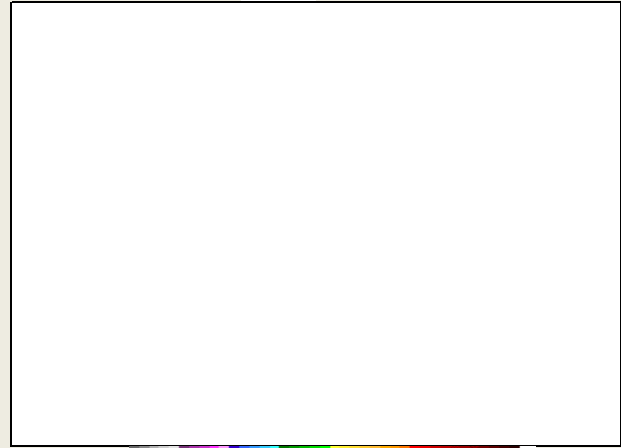


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## South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** Dry weather will continue to be most common in Brazil and Paraguay through the next two weeks with regular rounds of light showers in northeastern Brazil and a couple rounds of showers in southern Brazil with the resulting rain not likely to have much of an impact on crops. Showers will increase today into Friday when most of Rio Grande do Sul and Santa Catarina receive up to 0.75" and locally more with southern Brazil seeing another round of rain July 6-8.

**ARGENTINA :** Winter wheat areas in western Argentina will see some showers today into and again Sunday into the following Wednesday with the resulting rain beneficial, but not likely great enough to induce more than brief improvements in crop and soil conditions as drier weather will return July 6-11. Most of the remainder of Argentina will receive at least some light rain by the middle of next week with Entre Rios and northern into eastern Buenos Aires wettest.

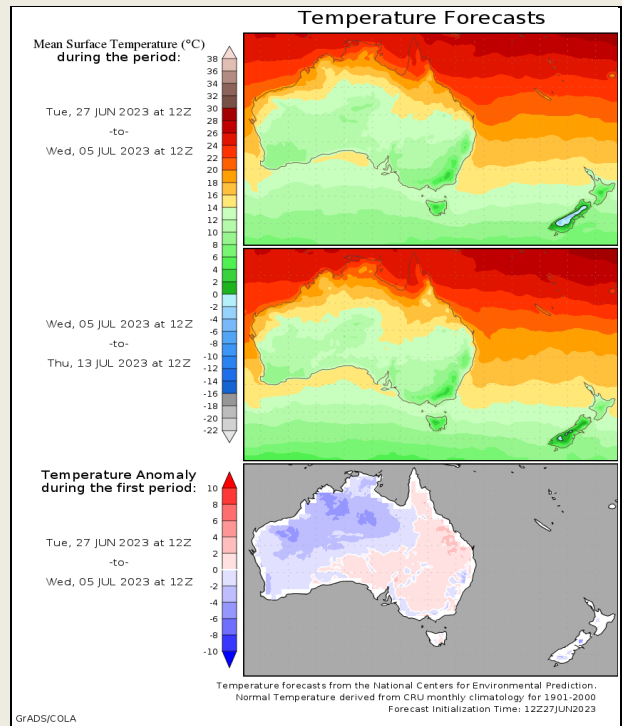
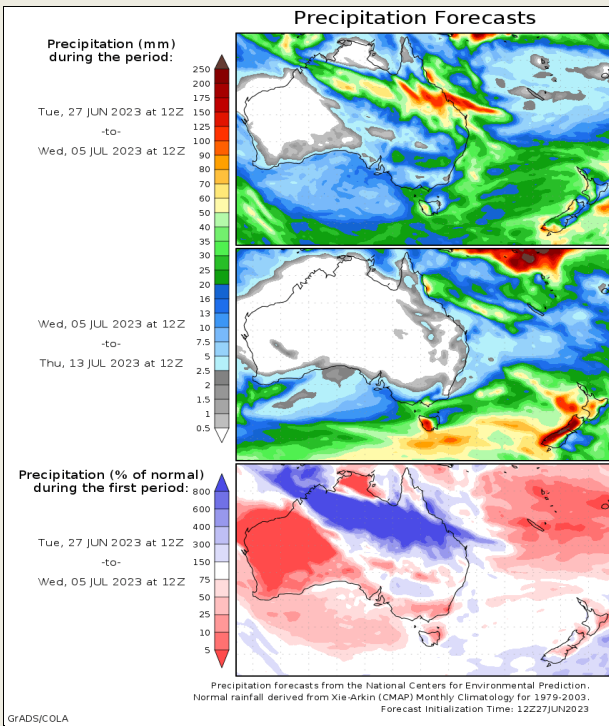
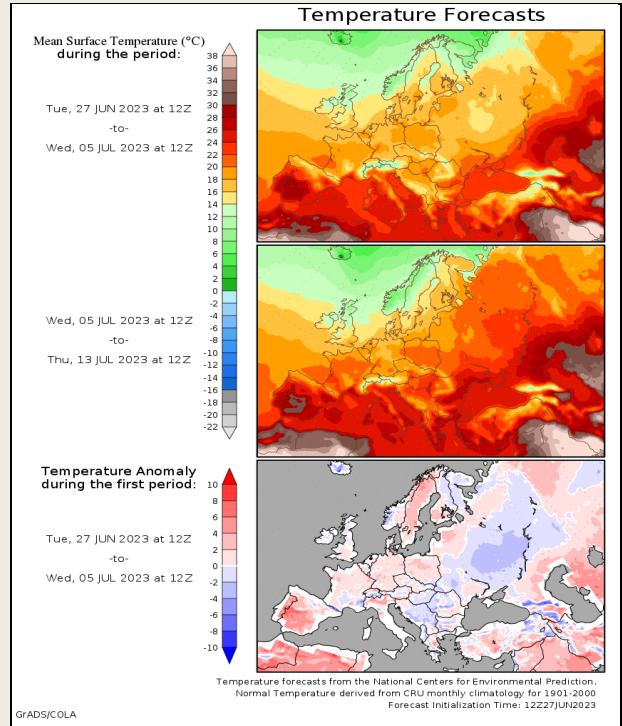
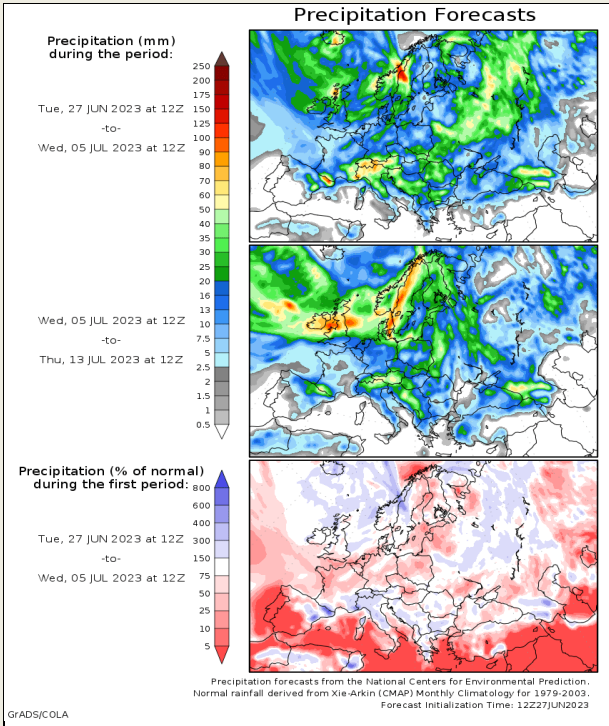


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## Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE :** Some needed rainfall will occur in the northern half of the region in the next seven days which will raise topsoil moisture and reduce crop stress. Much of the south will be trending drier which is also a needed change after recent heavy rain; although, there are a few pockets of the south that could still use more rainfall.

**AUSTRALIA :** A large upper-level low pressure area is likely to move into eastern Australia in the second half of next week and bring some needed rainfall to Queensland. Conditions in most other areas of the region are already favorable and will continue to be mostly good.



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