



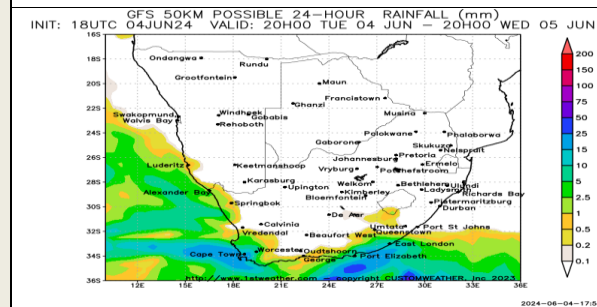
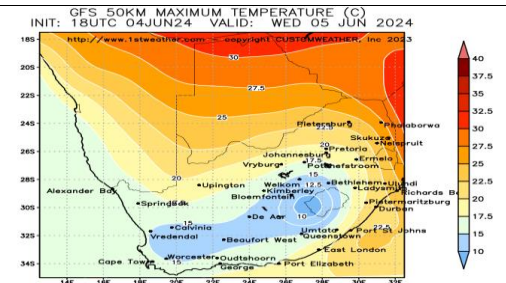
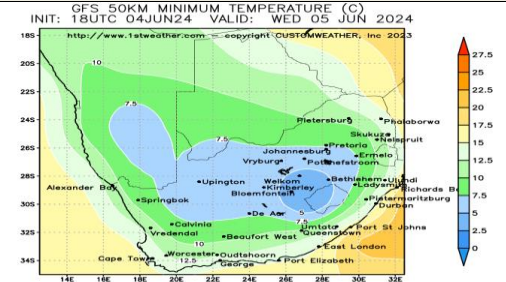
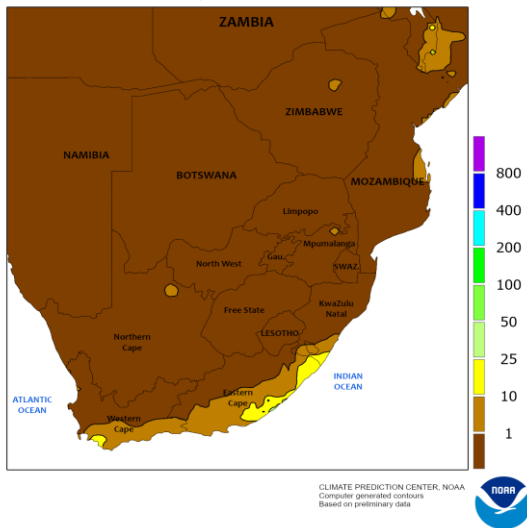
# **Weather Report**

## **05 June 2024**

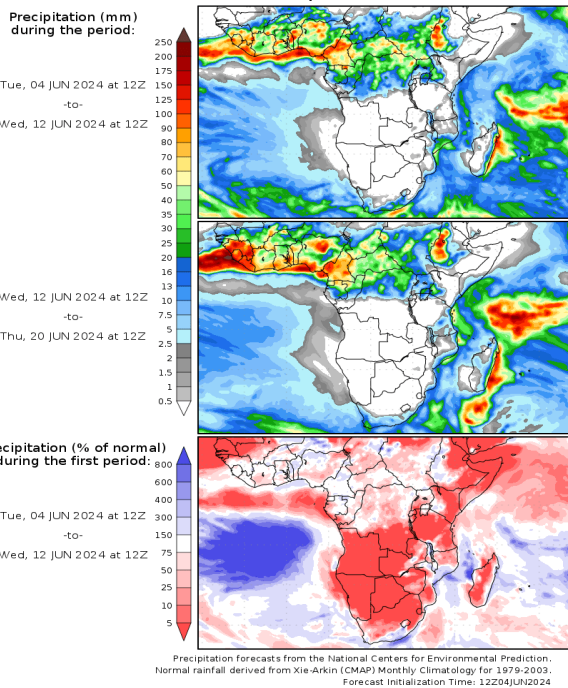
## South Africa - Weather

**SOUTH AFRICA :** South Africa's main summer crop production areas will be dry or receive limited rainfall this week. The lack of rain will promote a good environment for harvesting and general fieldwork. Western Cape, Northern Cape, and Free State will otherwise see a good environment for planting and establishment of the winter wheat. Free State will need additional rain to support ideal long-term wheat prospects. South Africa will receive varying amounts of rain this week. A disturbance will initially promote rain in the southern half of the country today and Tuesday. Disturbances will also generate light and erratic rain in portions of western and southern South Africa Wednesday into Friday. Drier weather will evolve over the weekend. Western Cape, southern Northern Cape, Eastern Cape, and southern Natal will receive 0.25-1.50" of rain with local amounts of 2.50" or slightly more in southwestern Western Cape by next Monday morning. Other areas in Natal into southern sections of Free State and Mpumalanga will receive 0.10-0.75" of rain. The remaining production areas will be dry or mostly dry. Any rain that does occur will be rapidly lost to evaporation.

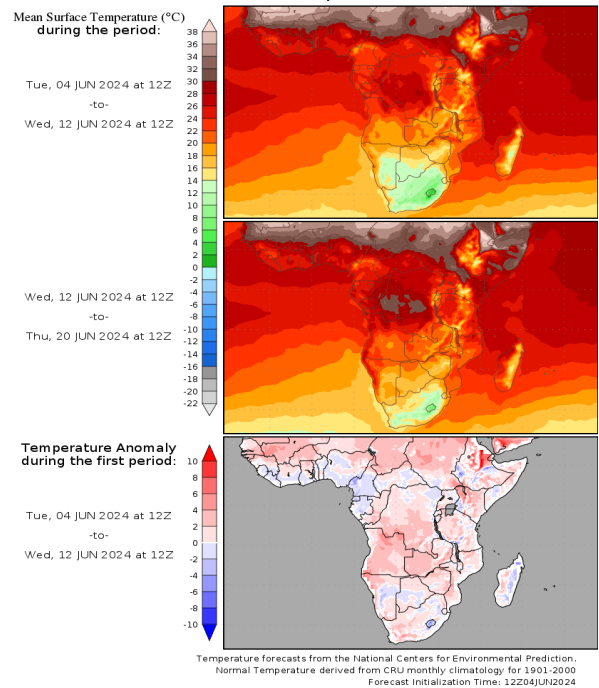
**SOUTH AFRICA**  
Total Precipitation(mm)  
May 19 - 25, 2024



### Precipitation Forecasts



### Temperature Forecasts

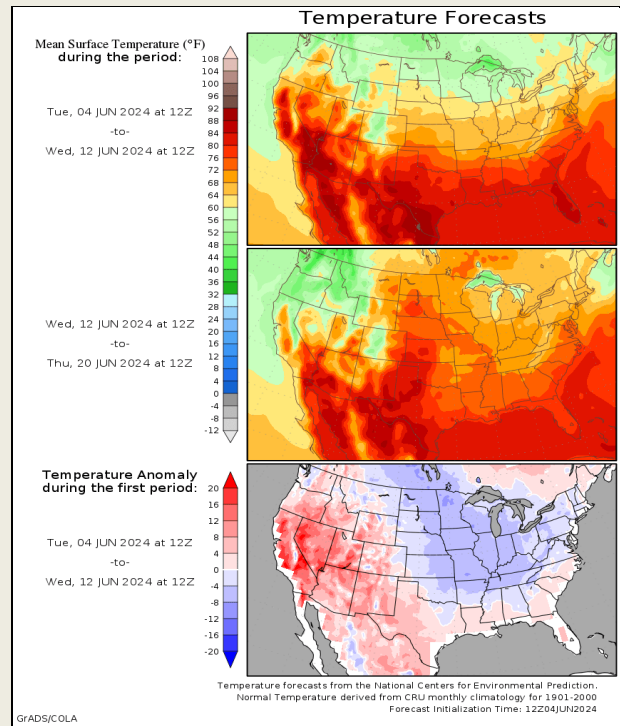
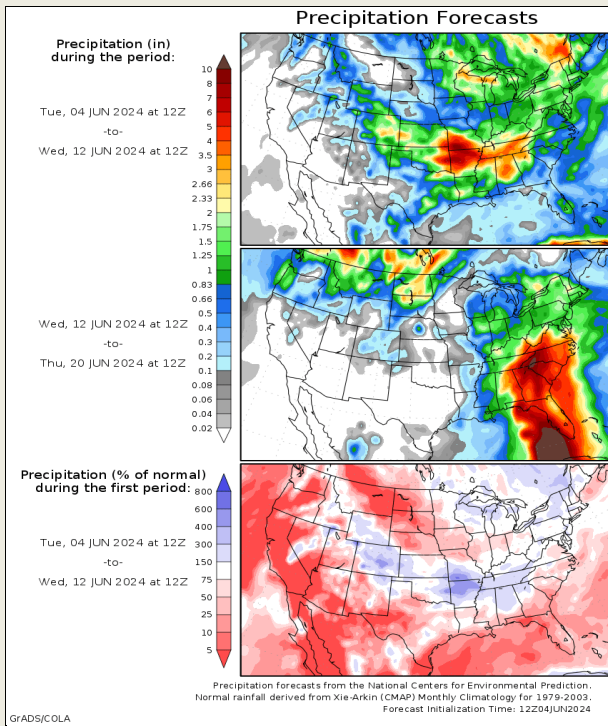
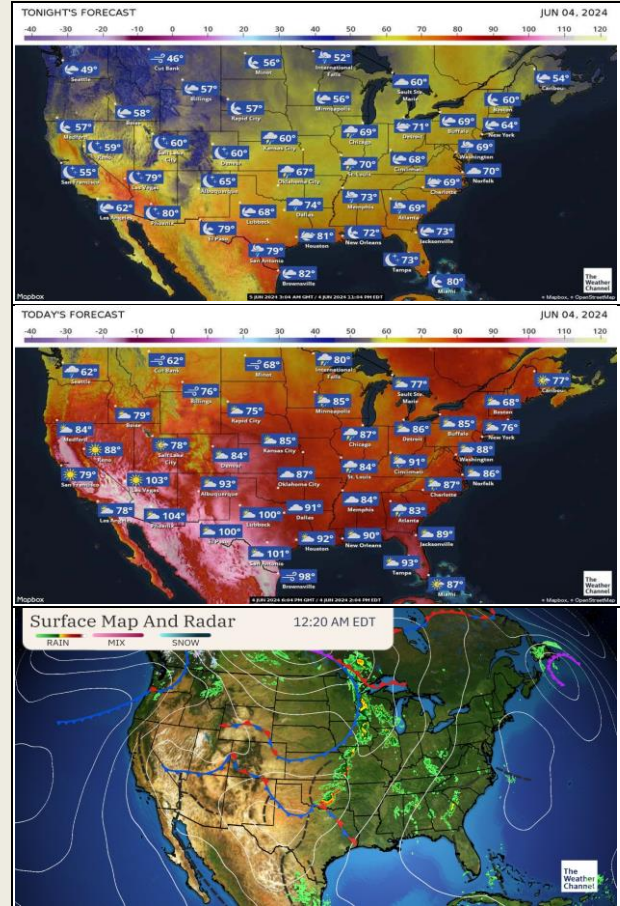
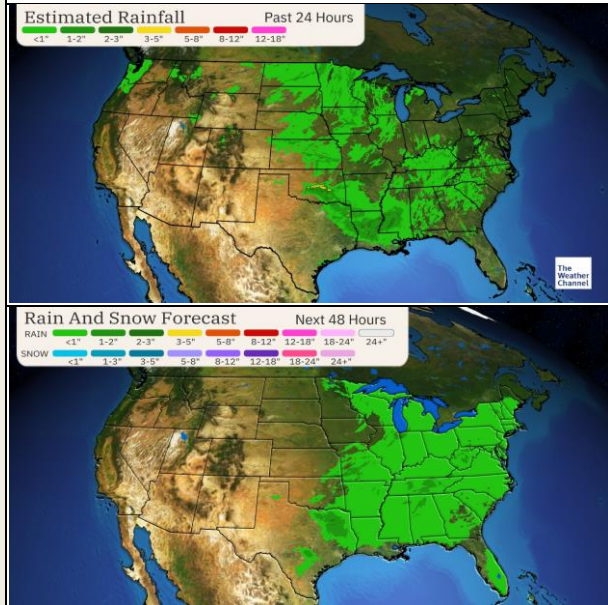


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## United States of America - Weather

**U.S. MIDWEST :** The Midwest will see a mix of rain and sunshine during the next two weeks that should allow for planting to advance around the rain while the moisture keeps soil conditions favorable in much of the region. o Some areas will dry down during the next two weeks, but with ample soil moisture in place and a lack of significant heat for at least ten more days crop conditions will remain favorable and production potentials should remain high.

**U.S. DELTA :** Daily rounds of showers and thunderstorms into Wednesday from the Delta into northern Georgia will keep many areas too wet for fieldwork while some planting should advance elsewhere where the soil is drier and rain will be lighter. Thursday through June 17 will be drier and planting should steadily increase and soon be completed in most areas with one round of organized rain advertised for June 10-12 likely to be great enough to cause more than temporary interruptions to fieldwork.



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## South America - Weather

**BRAZIL:** Today through June 17 will be dry most often with light showers most days in portions of northeastern Brazil and in portions of southern Paraguay and far southern Brazil into Wednesday and June 13-17.

**ARGENTINA:** Harvesting of summer crops should advance well during the next two weeks as dry weather will be most common with some light showers on occasion and a couple rounds of organized rain that should not have lasting impacts on crops or conditions for fieldwork. o Rain will increase Friday into Sunday when much of La Pampa and Buenos Aires receive 0.20-1.20" and locally more with lighter rain in nearby areas.

-2.0° -1.0° 0° 1.0° 2.0° 3.0° 4.0° (C)

10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 (%)

### Precipitation Forecasts

Precipitation (mm)  
during the period:

Tue, 04 JUN 2024 at 12Z  
-to-  
Wed, 12 JUN 2024 at 12Z

Wed, 12 JUN 2024 at 12Z  
-to-  
Thu, 20 JUN 2024 at 12Z

Precipitation (% of normal)  
during the first period:

Tue, 04 JUN 2024 at 12Z  
-to-  
Wed, 12 JUN 2024 at 12Z

Precipitation forecasts from the National Centers for Environmental Prediction.  
Normal rainfall derived from Xie-Arkin (CMAP) Monthly Climatology for 1979-2003.  
Forecast Initialization Time: 12Z04JUN2024

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### Temperature Forecasts

Mean Surface Temperature (°C)  
during the period:

Tue, 04 JUN 2024 at 12Z  
-to-  
Wed, 12 JUN 2024 at 12Z

Wed, 12 JUN 2024 at 12Z  
-to-  
Thu, 20 JUN 2024 at 12Z

Temperature Anomaly  
during the first period:

Tue, 04 JUN 2024 at 12Z  
-to-  
Wed, 12 JUN 2024 at 12Z

Temperature forecasts from the National Centers for Environmental Prediction.  
Normal Temperature derived from CRU monthly climatology for 1901-2000  
Forecast Initialization Time: 12Z04JUN2024

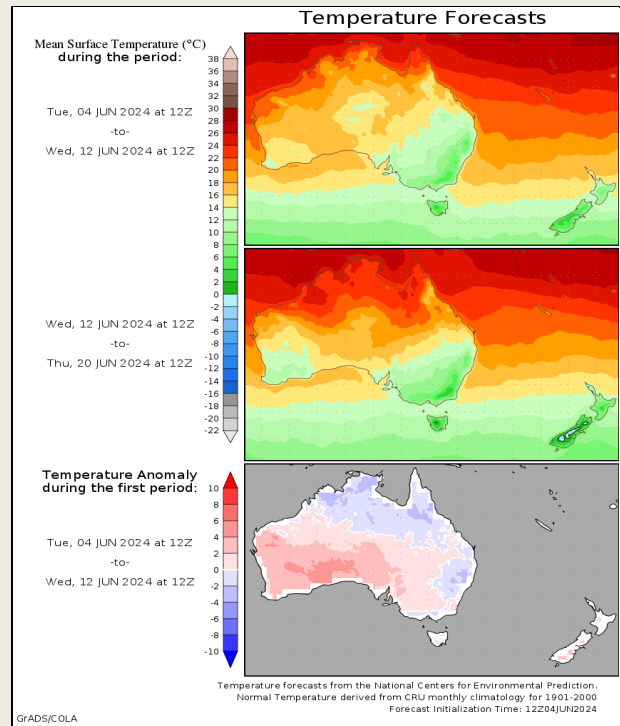
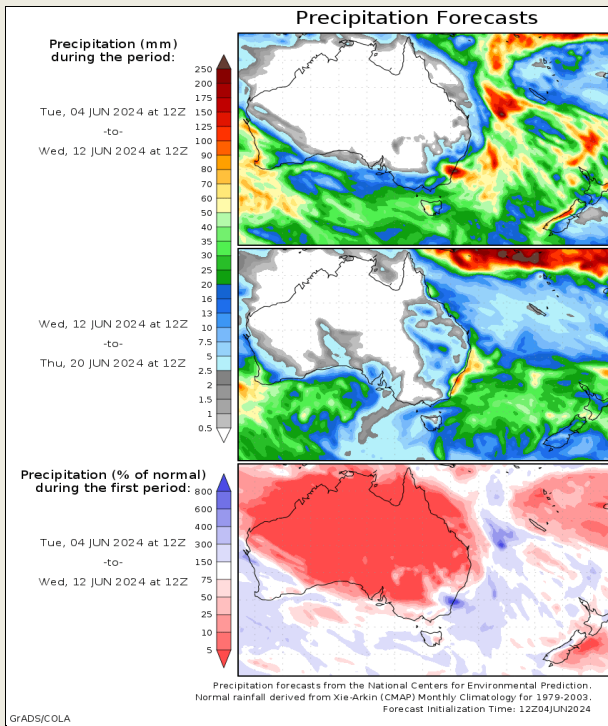
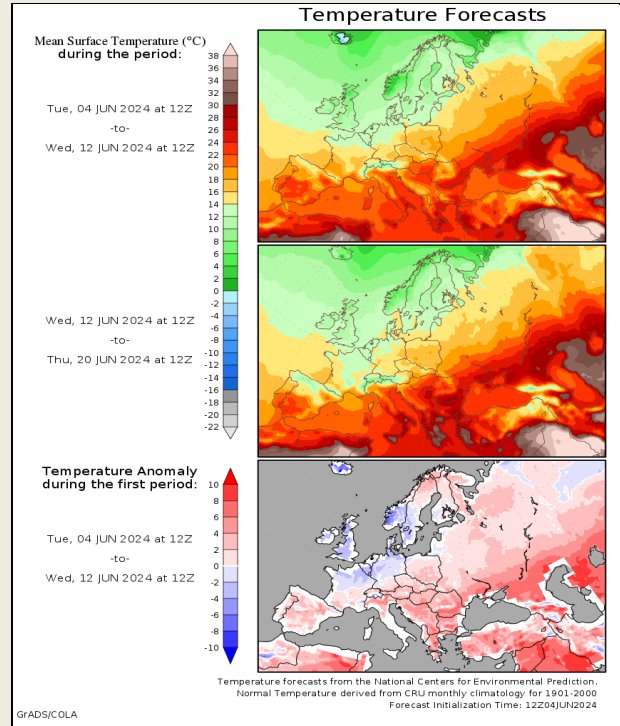
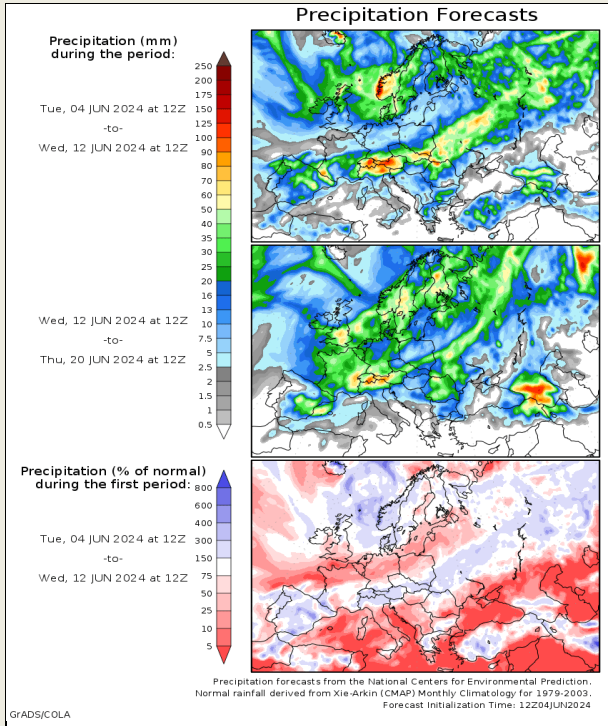
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## Europe, New Zealand and Australia - Weather

**EUROPE** : A large, slow-moving storm system will continue to promote significant rainfall in the region this week. Fieldwork delays and some areas of flooding will likely result from the rain in central Europe, possibly extending southeast into the Balkan Countries. Portugal and central and southern Spain will be driest with a rising need for more rain.

**AUSTRALIA** : Rain during the weekend was welcome and bolstered soil moisture for wheat, barley and canola planting in many areas, although South Australia and western Victoria as well as southern New South Wales only received light amounts of moisture resulting in a limited improvement of soil moisture. Rain in the next seven days will favor southwestern Western Australia and Eastern production areas of Queensland and New South Wales. This will leave South Australia with a continued need of greater rainfall and Victoria with a growing need of more moisture. The rain that occurs in Western Australia will be very beneficial though.



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