

RMD Daily Weather Report:

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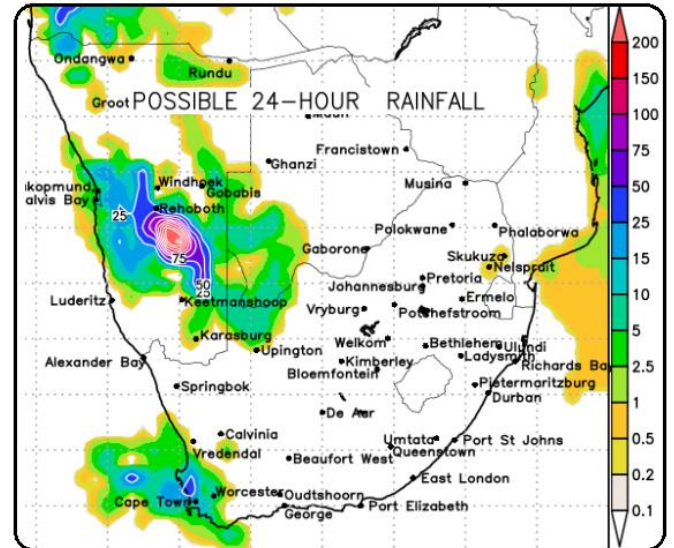
RSA Weather

DRY SOUTH AFRICA

The next 24 hours rain is expected in the Namibian Botswana areas as well as in the South Western parts of the RSA region, image on the right. Besides that, the interior is expected very dry the next week.

Next weekend an event is expected to move in from the Indian Ocean into the "far eastern" parts of the sub-continent, at this point, rain can be expected in the Kruger Park and Surrounding areas.

Early morning temperatures are expected cool, the whole week, in the eastern and southern parts of the Sub-continent with hot midday conditions in the interior.



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COOL, DRY MIDWEST FORECAST

The weather forecast continues to call for mainly dry conditions during this week. This trend will favour Midwest harvest and temperatures will remain below normal, leading to slow drying in wettest areas.

MAINLY DRY IN SOUTHERN PLAINS

Across the Southern Plains, a cool but dry pattern is in store during the next week. Soil moisture is in good supply for the new winter wheat crop.

BENEFICIAL NORTHERN PLAINS TREND

In the Northern Plains, drier and milder conditions through early next week will favour harvest progress. No significant precipitation is indicated through the end of October.

UNFAVORABLE DELTA RAIN

In the Delta, harvest progress continues to be disrupted by rainfall. The rainy pattern is disrupting harvest and damaging crop quality. Rain may also hinder activity in at least the southern half of this region next week, possibly the entire region.

SOUTHEAST SHOWERS

In the south-eastern U.S., scattered light rain showers was in store through the past weekend. The overall pattern favours recovery efforts in areas that were badly damaged by Hurricane Michael in the past week. Extensive crop loss has occurred in locales affected by the hurricane.

SHOWERS EASE IN WEST TEXAS

In west Texas, additional light rain was indicated the past weekend. A drier pattern to improve harvest prospects is forecast this week.

DRIER IN PRAIRIES

In the Canadian Prairies, a dry pattern through the past weekend favoured harvest efforts.

CONTINUED BRAZIL RAIN

Brazil soybean areas have continued rain in store through this week. Soil moisture is favourable for planting and early soybean development.

DRY EUROPE FORECAST

Primary wheat areas of Europe, from France east through Germany and Poland, have a dry and very warm forecast through this week. Soil moisture is short in many areas due to summer drought.

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