

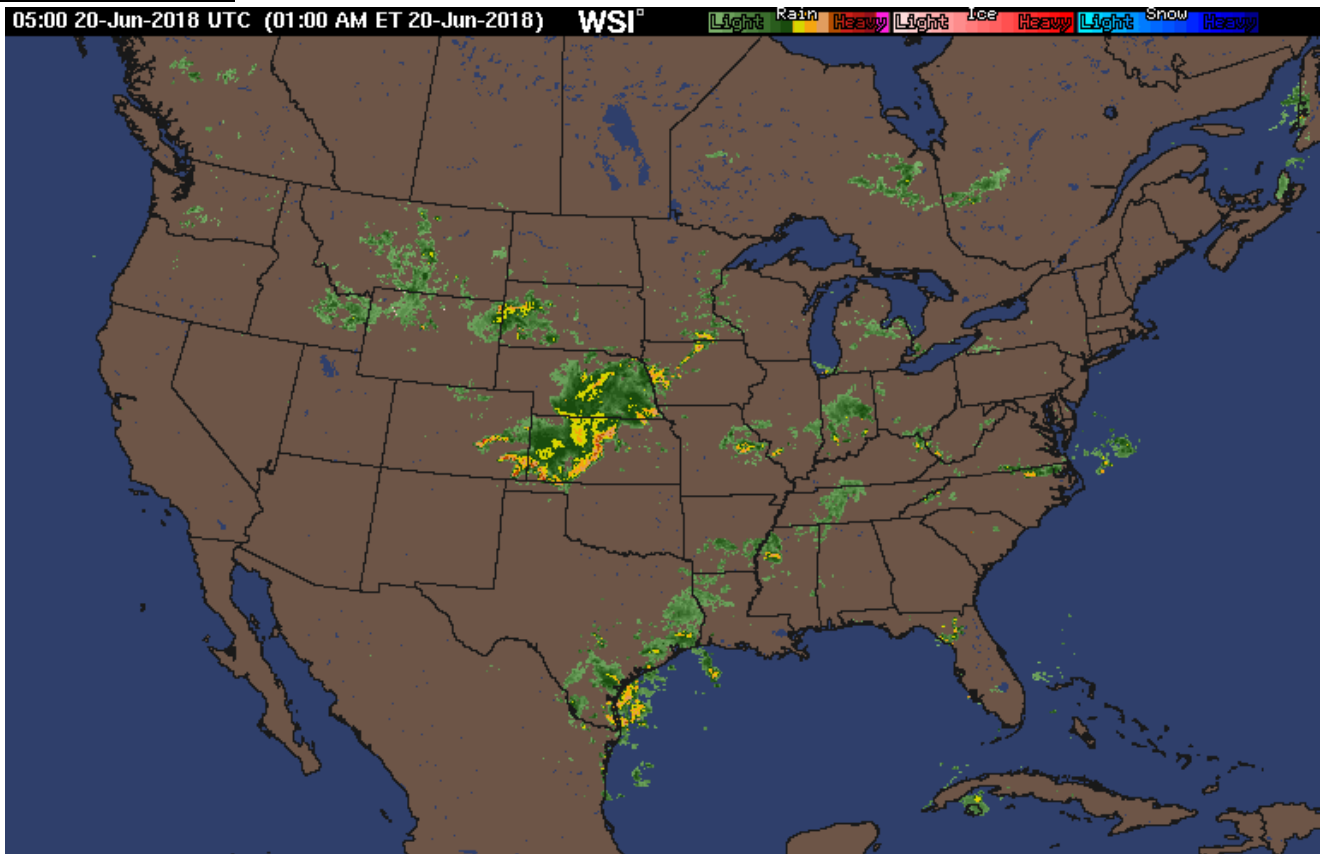
RMD Daily Weather Report:

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USA Weather



Above is a current rainfall map of the USA.

NEAR-GENERAL MIDWEST RAIN

Frequent episodes of showers and thunderstorms are expected the next week in the Midwest. Rainfall, along with cooler weather, will maintain favourable conditions for corn and soybean development while causing some delay to seasonal fieldwork. Local flooding may occur in the areas of heaviest rainfall.

SOUTHERN PLAINS RAIN

In the Southern Plains, showers and thunderstorms, along with more seasonal temperatures, are expected in north and central areas during the next week. This should help ease stress to summer crops while also bringing some disruption to wheat harvest. In southern sectors, drier and hotter conditions are favourable for wheat harvest, while maintaining high stress levels on row crops.

DRY WEST TEXAS TREND

West Texas continues with a drier forecast through the next 10 days. Temperatures will be more seasonal through Thursday, followed by a return to hot weather.

MILD NORTHERN PLAINS PATTERN

The Northern Plains continues to have favourable conditions for development of spring wheat, corn and soybeans. Northern sectors are likely to be drier during the next seven days. This should reduce soil moisture somewhat. However, mild weather will minimize crop stress.

STALLED INDIA MONSOON

The leading edge of the India monsoon remains stalled over the northern part of south Indian and in northeast India, continuing on a trend of one to two weeks later than average. There again are signs that monsoon rain may increase somewhat over southern and in northeast India this week, but progress toward the northwest is still uncertain.

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