

Climate Prediction Center's Central Asia Hazards Outlook For USAID / FEWS-NET 30 September – 06 October, 2021

Temperature:

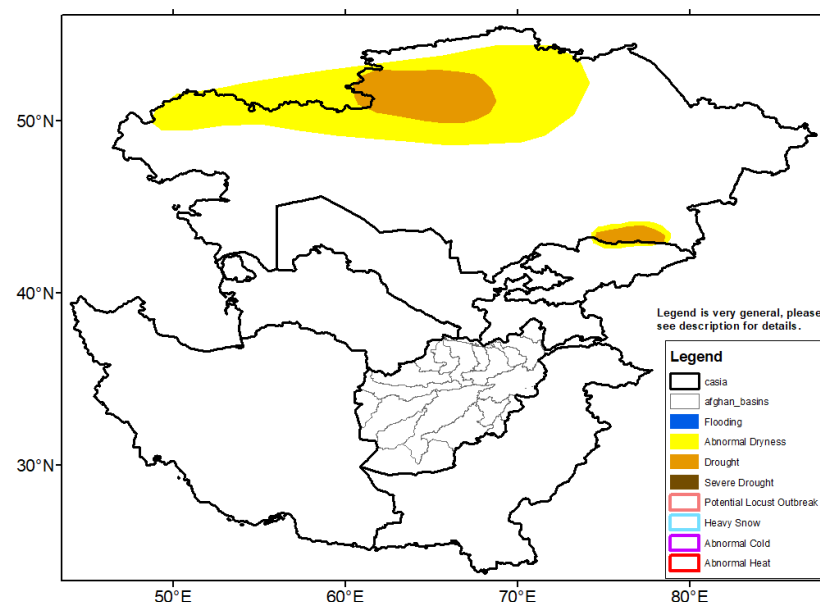
Weekly average maximum temperatures were below-normal (-2 to -8 °C) across northeast Kazakhstan during 21 September – 27 September. In contrast, above normal mean temperatures were observed across eastern Turkmenistan, Afghanistan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, eastern Uzbekistan, and western Pakistan.

The GEFS model forecasts below-normal temperatures across Kazakhstan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, western Afghanistan, and northern Kyrgyzstan during 30 September – 06 October. In contrast, above normal mean temperature are forecast across eastern Tajikistan, eastern Afghanistan, and Pakistan.

Precipitation:

Moderate to heavy precipitation (10mm to 75mm) was observed across western Kazakhstan, and northern and southeast Pakistan during 21 September - 27 September. Light rain was observed in northeast Afghanistan.

The GEFS weekly ensemble mean forecasts light to moderate precipitation across northern and eastern Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, northwest and eastern Tajikistan, and northeast Afghanistan during 30 September – 06 October. Some greater amount of precipitation is expected across southeast Pakistan. Mostly dry weather is forecast for the remaining areas of Central Asia.



Note: The Hazards outlook map is based on current weather/climate information, short and medium range weather forecasts (up to 1 week), and assesses their potential impact on crop and pasture conditions. Shaded polygons are added in areas where anomalous conditions have been observed. The boundaries of these polygons are only approximate at this continental scale. This product does not reflect long range seasonal climate forecasts or indicate current or projected food security conditions.

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