

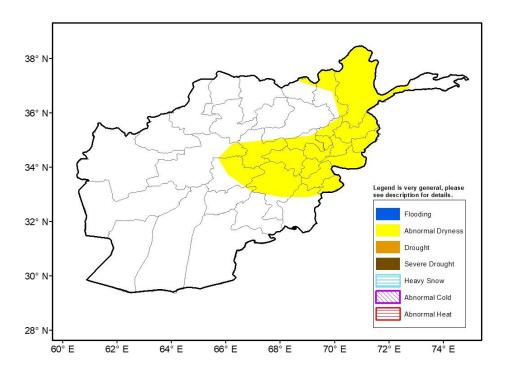
Climate Prediction Center's Afghanistan Hazards Outlook 18 November – 24 November, 2021

Temperatures

During the past week, mean maximum temperatures were below normal in northwest Afghanistan. Negative maximum temperature anomalies were between 2 and 6 degrees C. Temperatures were slightly above average in the greater region around Kabul. The weekly mean minimum temperatures were below normal in the southwest region of Afghanistan. Weekly mean minimum temperatures were 0 to -10 degrees C in the central and northeast regions. During the outlook period, GEFS model forecasts below normal temperature across southern regions of Afghanistan. In contrast, above normal mean temperatures are forecast across eastern region of Kabul. Weekly average minimum temperatures are forecast around 0 to -12 degrees C across northeast Afghanistan.

Precipitation

During the past 7 days, light precipitation was observed across northwest region of Afghanistan. Analyzing the past 30-day period's precipitation performance, negative 30-day rainfall anomalies of 10-50mm are depicted across northeast region of Afghanistan according to satellite estimates. Based on USGS snowfall analysis, negative snow depth anomalies currently exists across northeast region of Afghanistan. For the outlook period, drier conditions are reflected. The GEFS weekly ensemble mean forecasts light precipitation in the northwest and northern region of Afghanistan.



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.