

## Climate Prediction Center's Central Asia Hazards Outlook For USAID / FEWS-NET 02 September – 08 September, 2021

### **Temperature:**

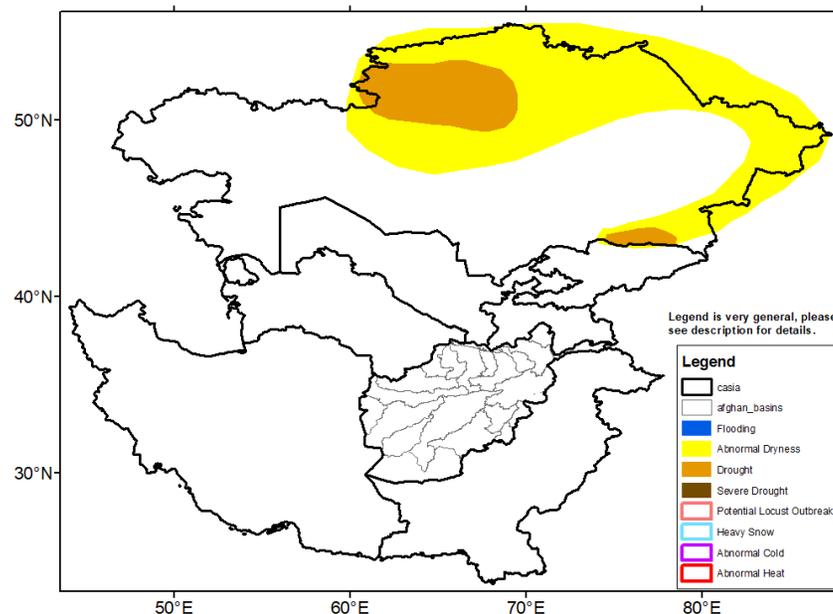
Weekly average maximum temperatures were above-normal (4 to 6 °C) across western and eastern Kazakhstan, and western Uzbekistan during 24 August - 30 August. Near normal mean temperatures prevailed across Afghanistan, and southern Pakistan. Observed maximum average temperatures were registered around 40 to 45 °C across southern Afghanistan, and central Pakistan.

The GEFS model forecasts an above normal mean temperature across eastern Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Turkmenistan, southern Afghanistan, and central Pakistan during 02 September – 08 September. In contrast, below-normal temperatures are forecast across eastern Tajikistan, northeast Afghanistan, southeast Kyrgyzstan, northern Pakistan, and in far western Kazakhstan.

### **Precipitation:**

Light to moderate precipitation was observed across northcentral region of Kazakhstan, northern Kyrgyzstan, northeast Afghanistan, and northern Pakistan during 24 August - 30 August.

The GEFS weekly ensemble mean forecasts 5mm to 25mm of precipitation across western Kazakhstan during 02 September – 08 September. Light precipitation is expected across northeast Kyrgyzstan, northeast Afghanistan, northern Pakistan, and southeast Kazakhstan.



**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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