Country: Türkiye

**Institute: Turkish State Meteorological Service** 

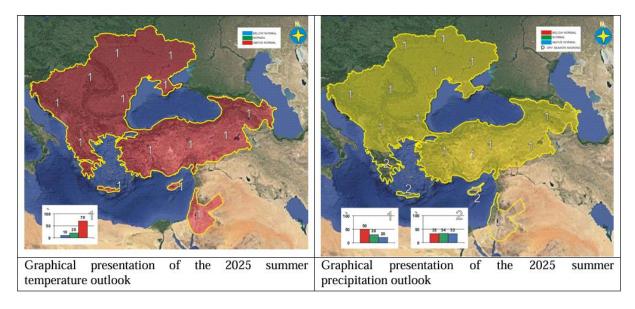
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#### Assessment of the seasonal forecast for the winter season

#### JJA 2025

#### 1. SEECOF-33climate outlook for 2025 summer season:



According to the SEECOF-33 consensus statement, temperatures were expected to be above normal throughout Türkiye during the summer season of 2025, while precipitation was predicted to be below normal across the country.

### Analysis of 2025 summer season:

The reference period is 1991-2020. Between 1991 and 2020, Türkiye's mean summer temperature was 24.0 °C. In the summer of 2025, the mean temperature was 25.5 °C, which is 1.5 °C above the seasonal average. This made the **summer of 2025 the second hottest on record** for Türkiye.

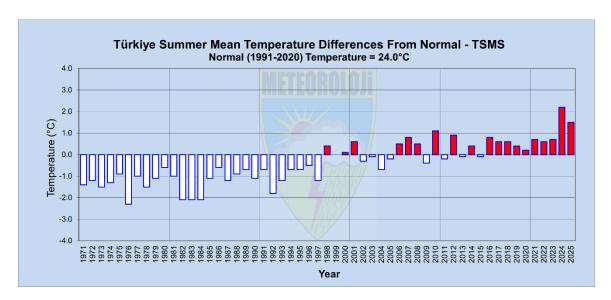


Figure 1 Türkiye Summer Season Mean Temperature Anomalies

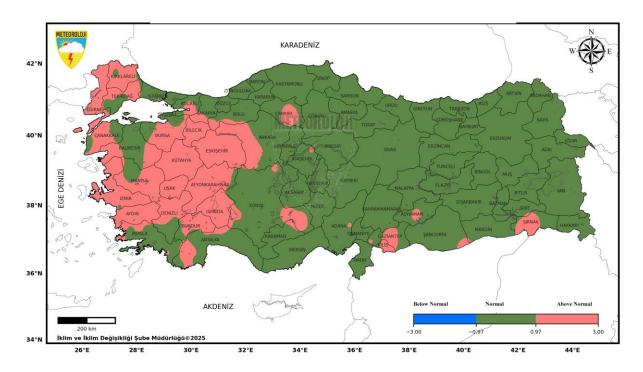


Figure 2 Türkiye Summer Season Mean Temperature Anomalies in 2025

The temperature was normal in most parts of the country, while it was above normal in western Türkiye.

# **Precipitation**;

Türkiye's 1991-2020 summer season mean total precipitation is 64.0 mm. The mean total precipitation of the 2025 summer season was 30.0 mm and %53 below the seasonal normal.

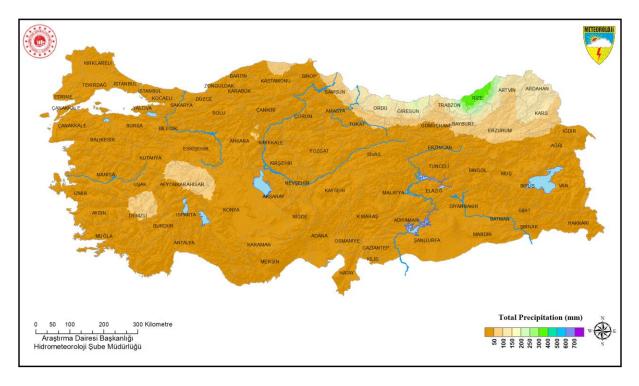


Figure 3 Türkiye 2025 Summer Season Total Precipitation

# In General, precipitation was;

- During the summer, some Mediterranean coastal areas experienced above-normal rainfall; however, the rest of the country saw precipitation levels that were significantly below normal.
- In many regions, including Marmara, Aegean, Western Black Sea, and Southeastern Anatolia, the decrease in precipitation exceeded 80%.

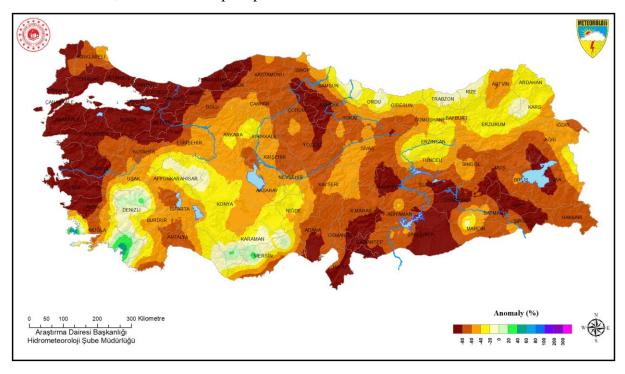


Figure 4 Türkiye Summer Season Total Precipitation Anomalies in 2025

# 2. High Impact Events:

- On July 25, 2025, a temperature of 50.5 °C was recorded, setting a new maximum temperature record for Türkiye.
- Summer 2025 was the second hottest summer season on record.
- July 2025 set a record as the hottest month, while June and August 2025 were ranked as the fourth hottest months on record.
- Maximum temperature records were broken at 5 stations in June 2025, 66 stations in July 2025, and 12 stations in August 2025.

# 3. Verification of the SEECOF-33 climate outlook for 2025 summer season:

Country	Seasonal temperature JJA		Seasonal precipitation JJA	
	Observed	SEECOF-33	Observed	SEECOF-33
		climate outlook for		climate outlook
		temperature		for precipitation
Türkiye	Near normal	Above normal	Below normal	
	Above normal in western parts			Below normal