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## **Further rainfall expected into early next week, more flooding possible in places**

**Following a week of rainfall over most of South Africa, further rain is expected for this weekend. The probabilities of rainfall increase significantly on Monday (7 November 2022), over the central and eastern parts of the country with the possibility of further flooding in places.**

Currently a cut-off low pressure is dominating the weather across South Africa, already resulting in flooding in certain areas (North West province and the Western Cape). This weather system is expected to move eastwards and result in further showers across most parts of the country today with clearance expected in the west tomorrow.

While this cut-off low pressure moves eastwards, a second cut-off low is developing off the west coast. By Monday (7 November), the system weakens slightly, however, it is still expected to result in showers and thundershowers over most of the country. **Early indications suggest that there is a potential for these showers to be disruptive, especially over the Free State, Gauteng as well as the already saturated North West province.** In addition, severe thunderstorms, with possible damaging winds and hail, are also likely in places over the central and eastern parts of the country. Warnings will be issued closer to the time, providing more details.

The South African Weather Service will continue to monitor these weather systems and provide updates. Severe warnings will be made regularly through the regular channels. Weather warnings are available at <https://www.weathersa.co.za/home/warnings>.

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