



Winter 2022/2023 Outlook – Europe

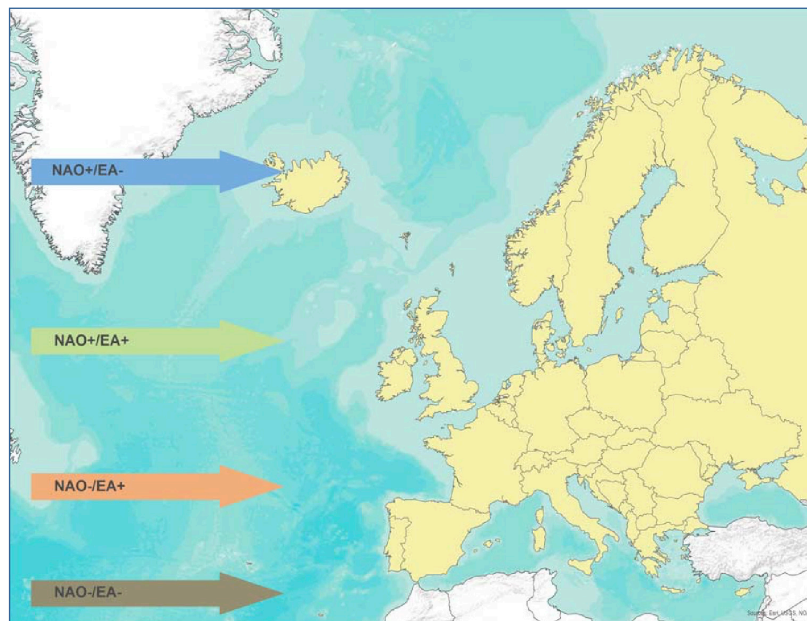
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Both North Atlantic Oscillation (NAO) and East Atlantic Oscillation (EAO) have an impact on European winter storm track.

Supporting Notes:

- [ECMWF](#)'s monthly NAO forecast predicts negative trends in early winter
- Warmer than average temperature projection over most of Europe suggests EAO positive

NAO negative and EAO positive suggest a higher likelihood of winter storms impacting France and central Europe



Source: [Verisk \(AIR\)](#)

PRECIPITATION OUTLOOK

- **Average** precipitation for central and western Europe
- **Slightly** drier conditions in northeast Europe
- **More** precipitation is forecasted over the Mediterranean

SNOWFALL OUTLOOK

- **Expect** a primarily below-average snowfall this winter with the possibility of extreme snow in February

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