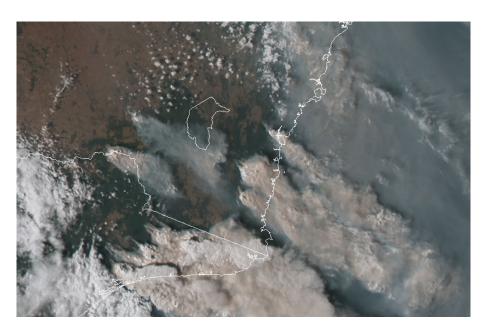
AUSTRALIAN FIRE PATTERN ANALYSES USING MODIS HOTSPOTS



Part 2: Annual activity patterns

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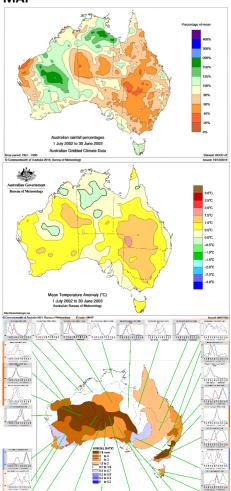
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Part 2: ANNUAL ACTIVITY PATTERNS

MAP



DESCRIPTION

The year's rainfall, as a percentage of the average annual amount. The maps are from the Bureau of Meteorology. From July 1 to June 30.

Fire activity in forest areas reflects drought, while in other fuel types there can longer or reverse relationships.

The year's temperature anomaly – the annual average minus the long term annual average. The maps are from the Bureau of Meteorology.

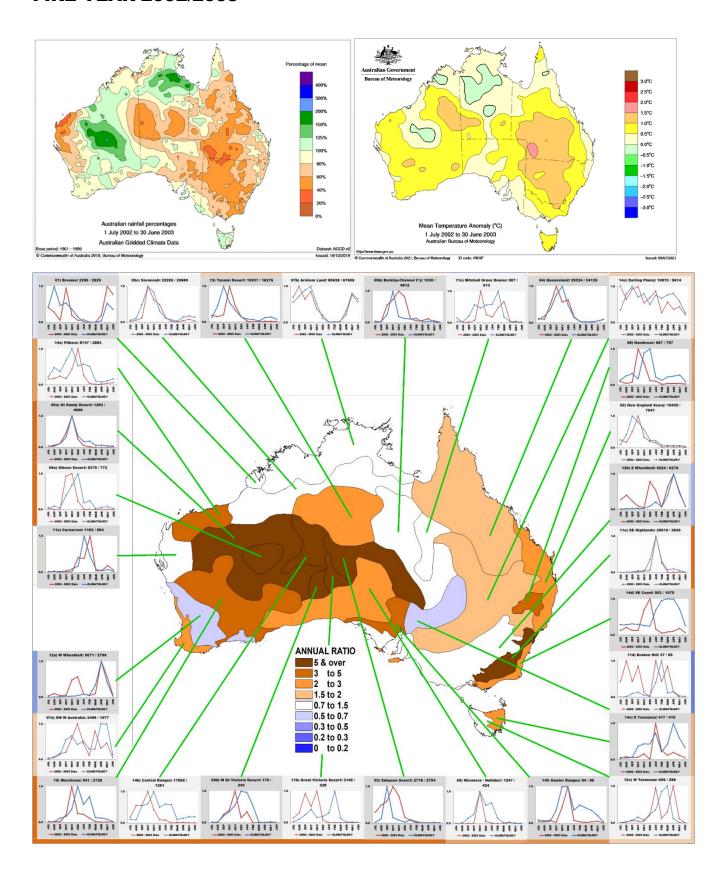
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Fire activity in most areas goes up with heat.

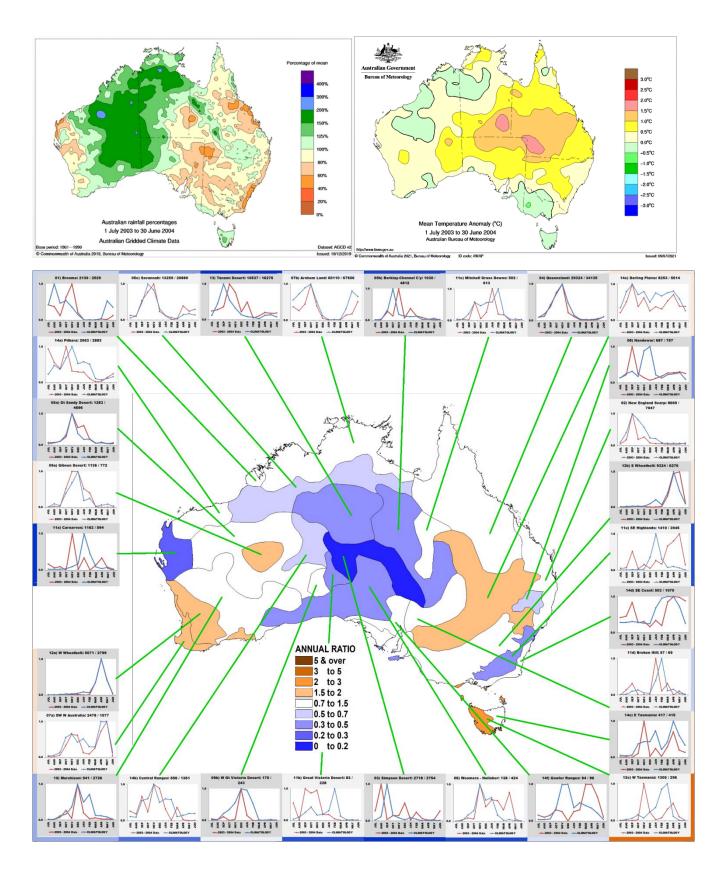
The chart of hotspot seasonality patterns:

- Annual hotspot seasonality patterns, showing observed monthly patterns and average patterns, from MODIS data supplied by NASA FIRMS.
- 2) Annual hotspot counts and average annual hotspot counts.
- 3) Colouring show the ratio of those two numbers. From July 1 to June 30.

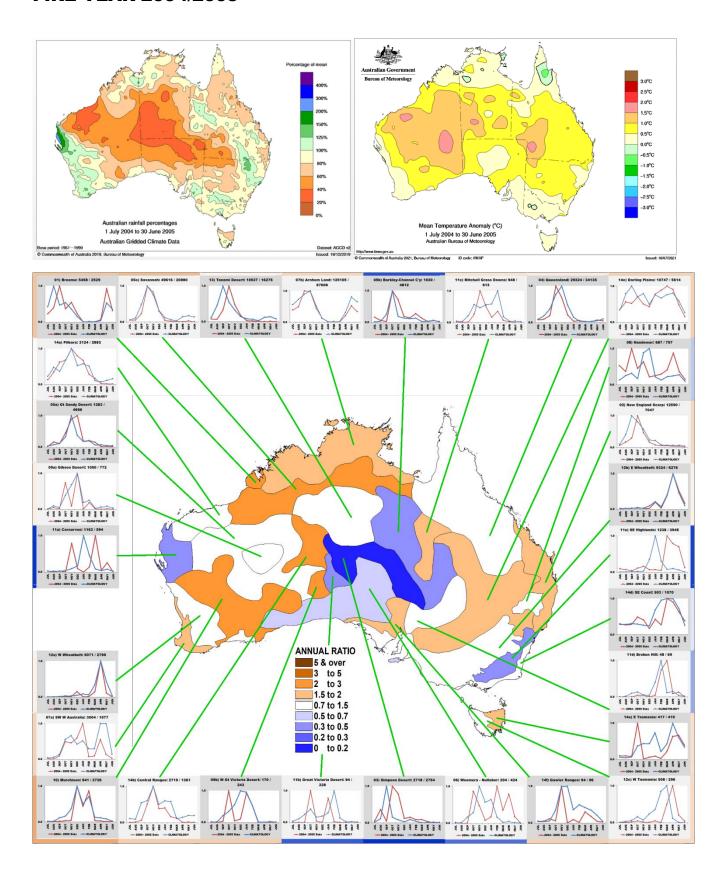
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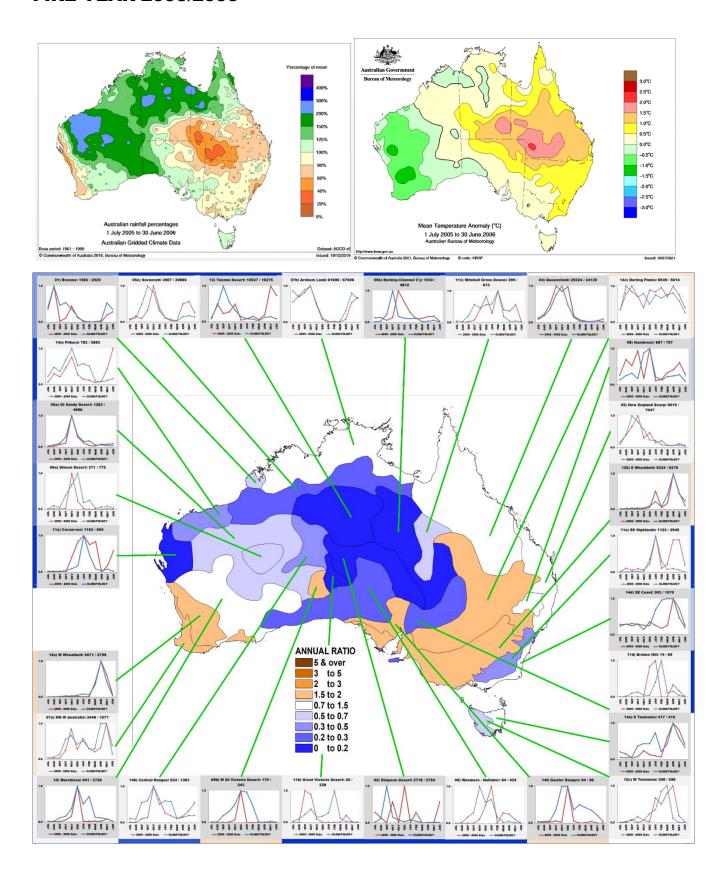
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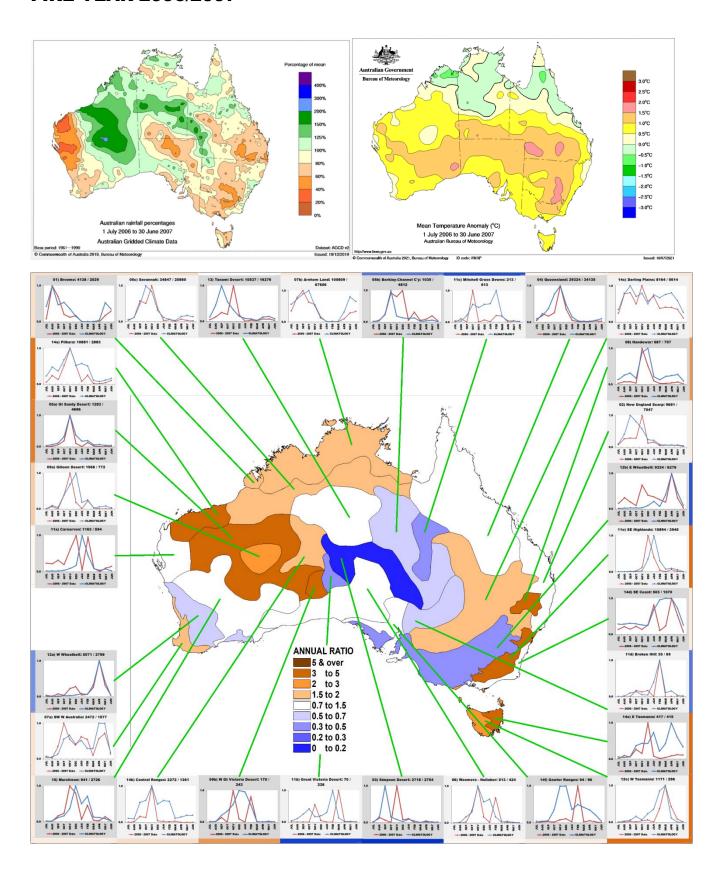
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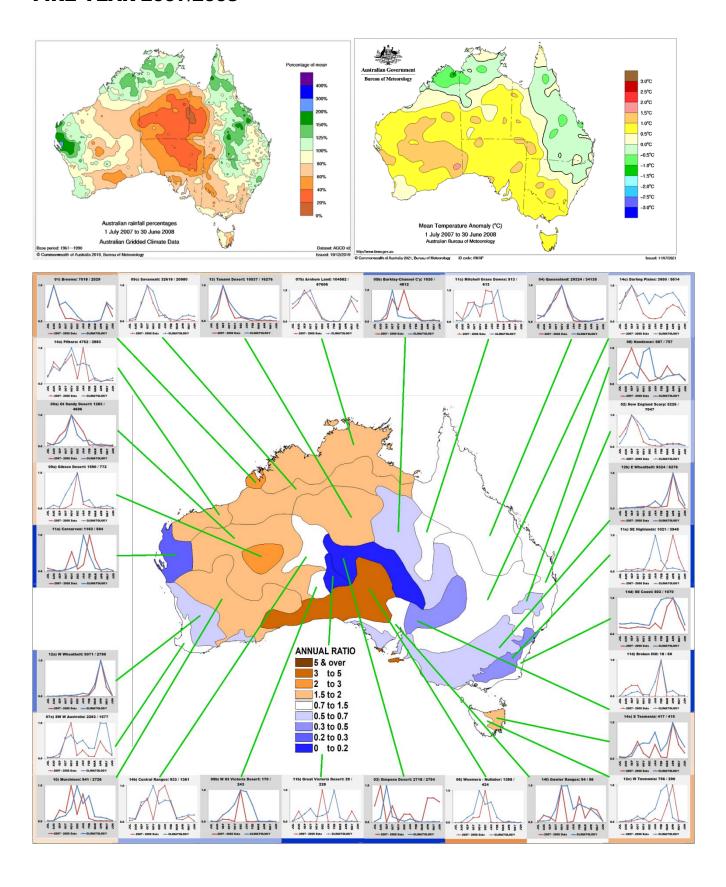
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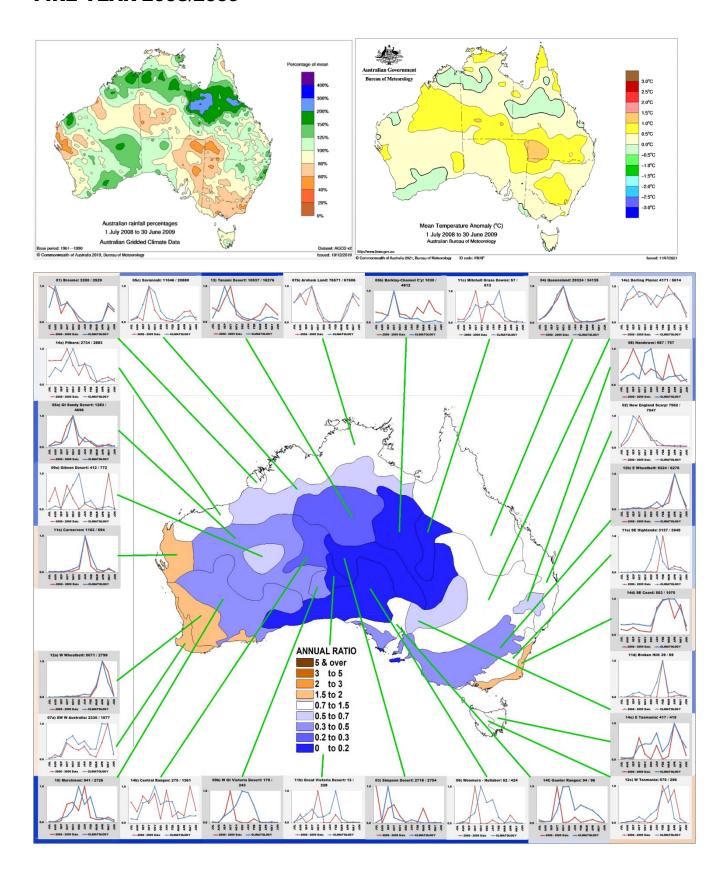
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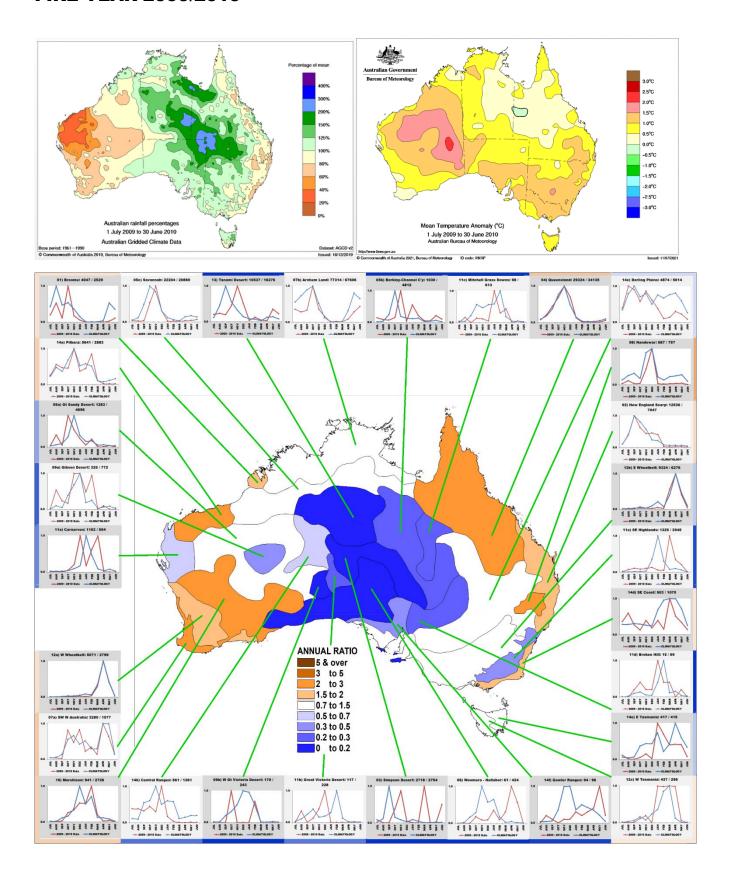
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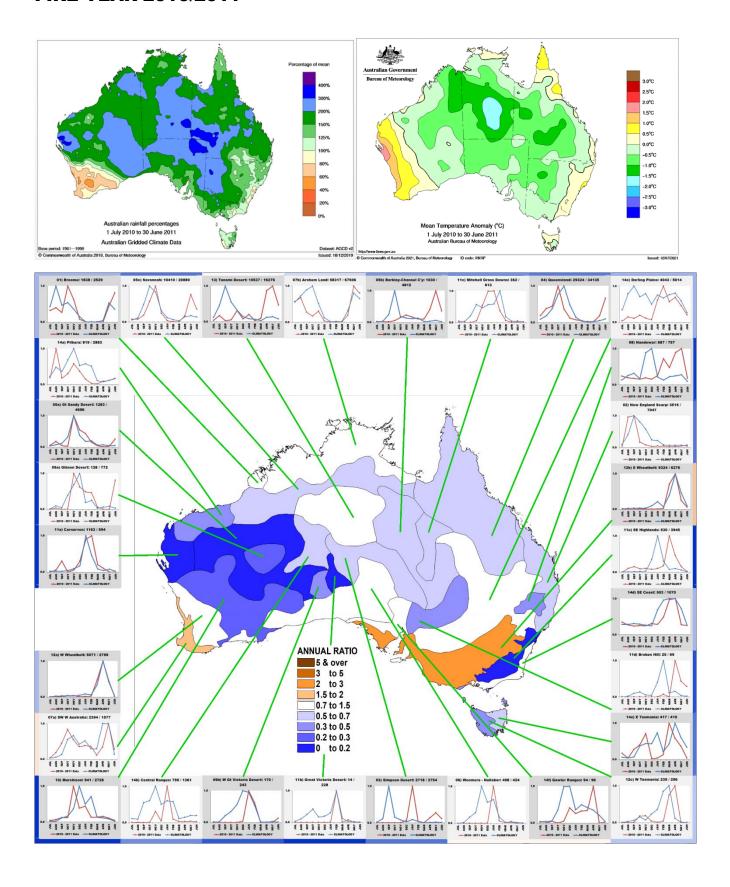
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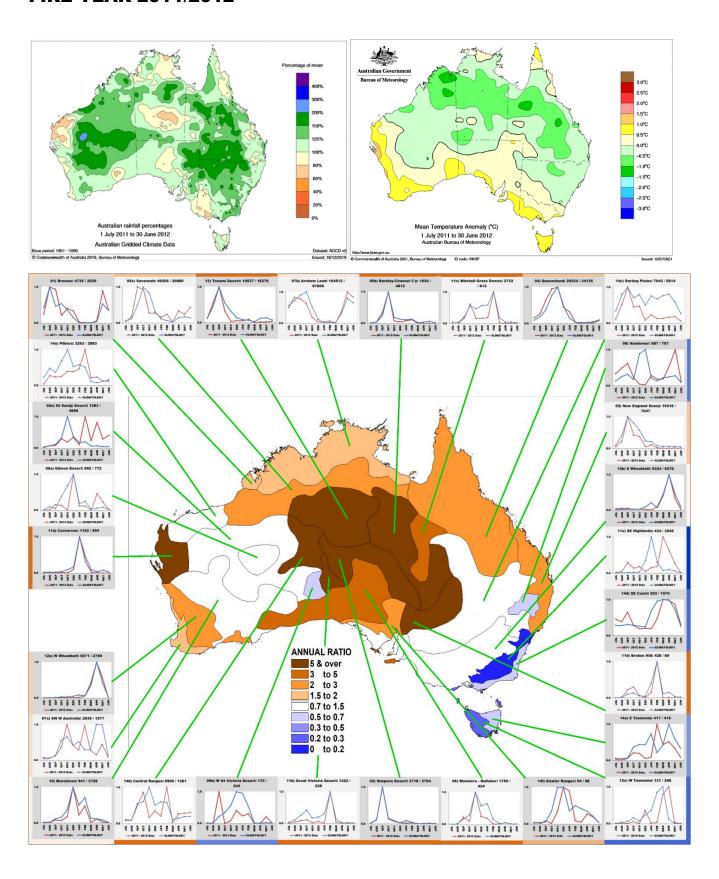
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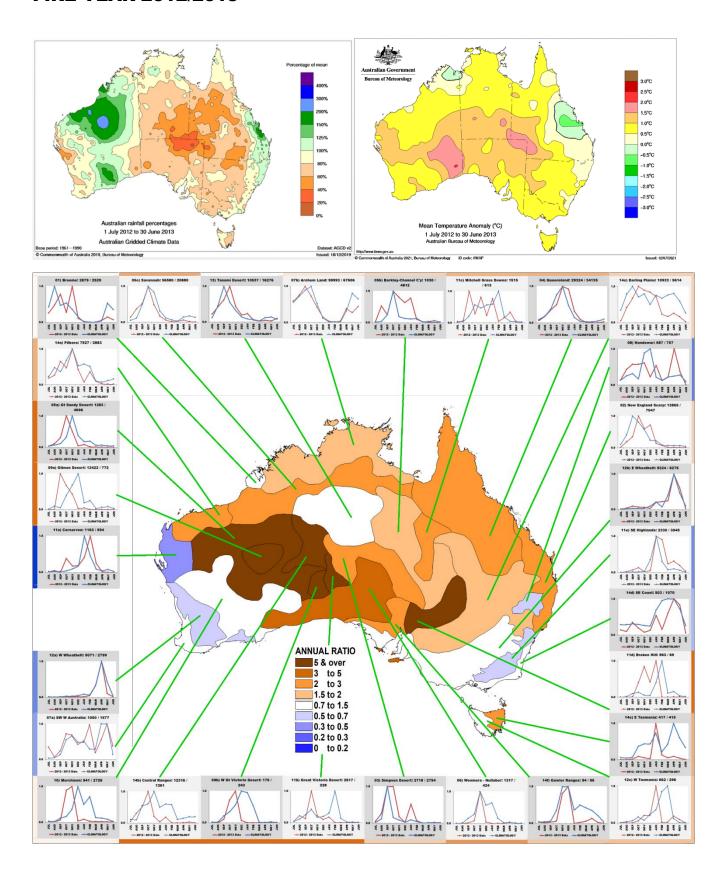
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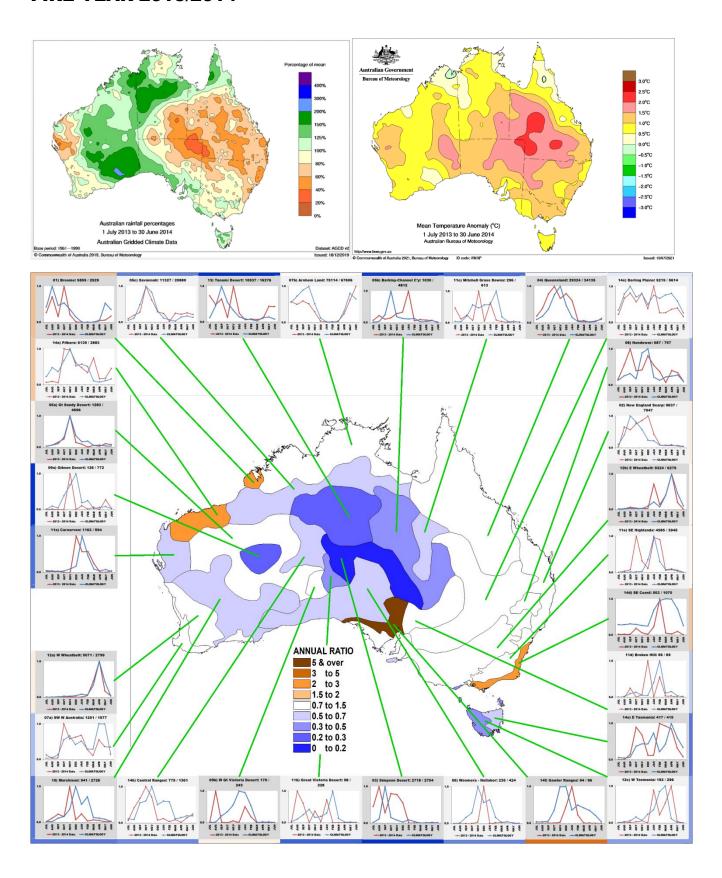
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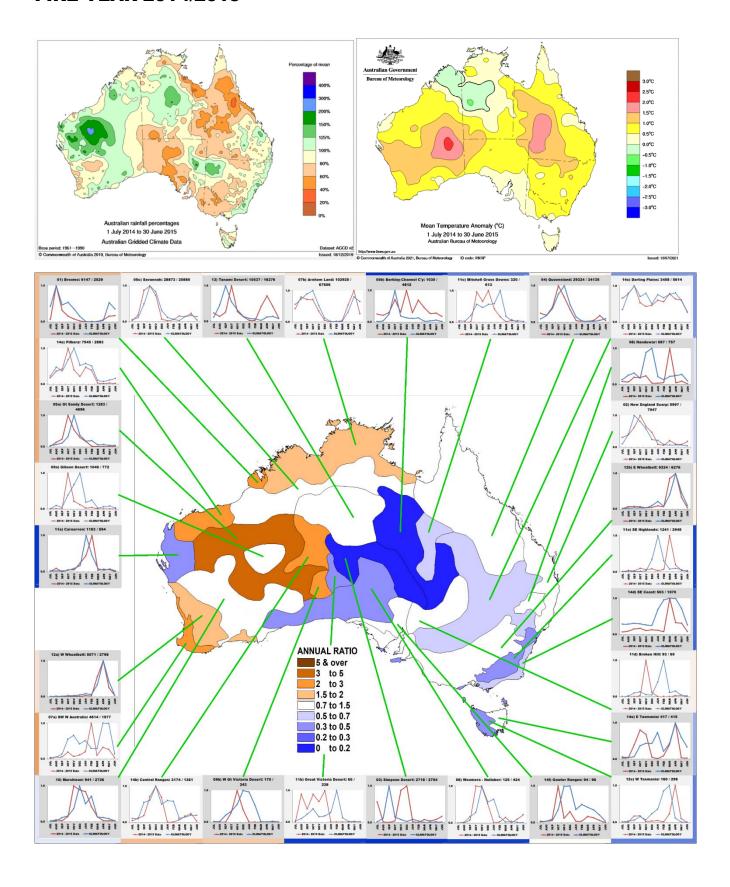
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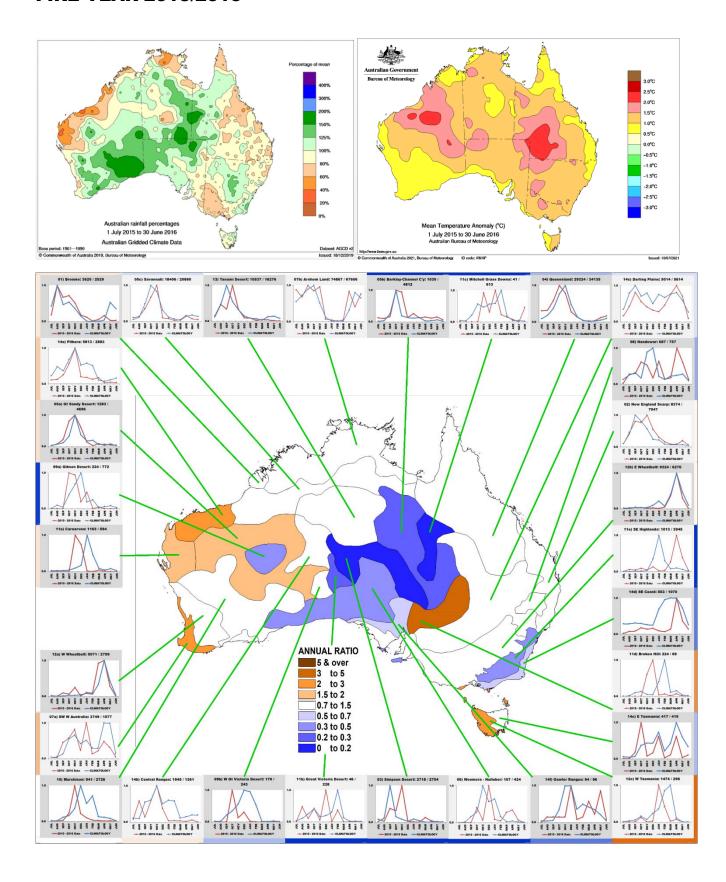
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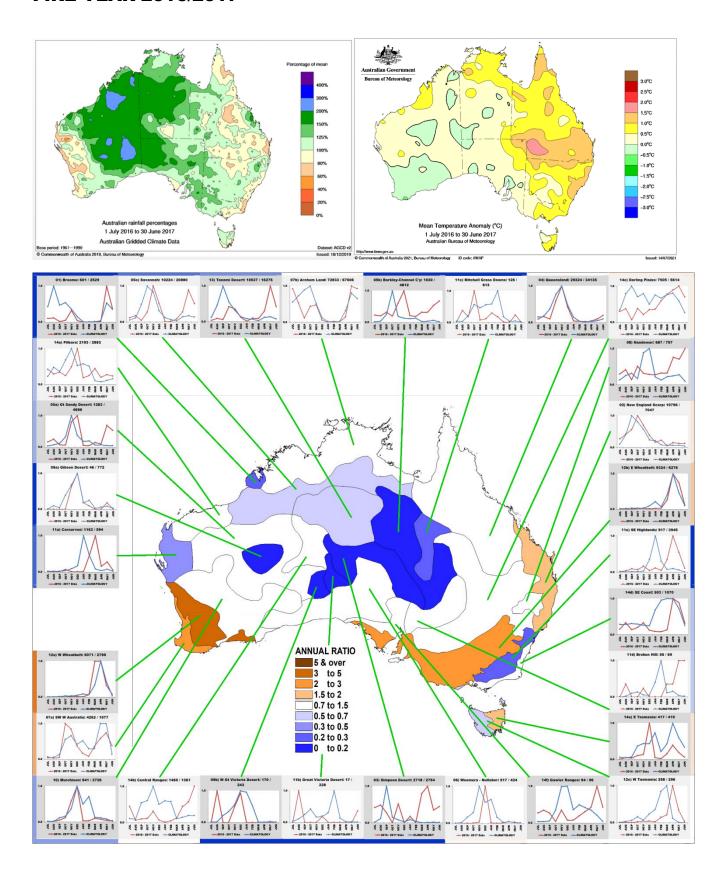
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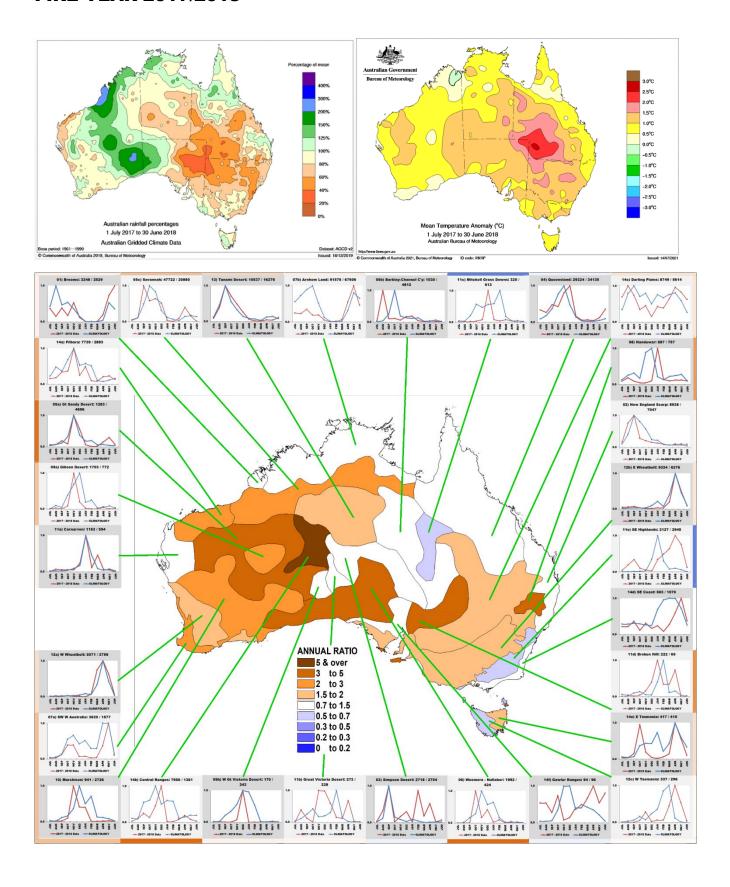
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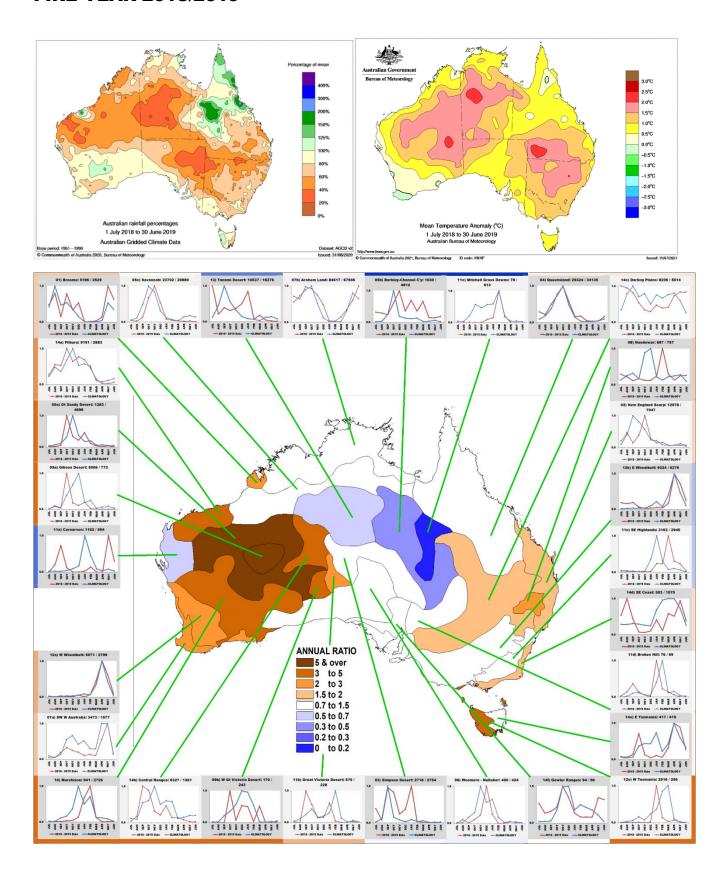
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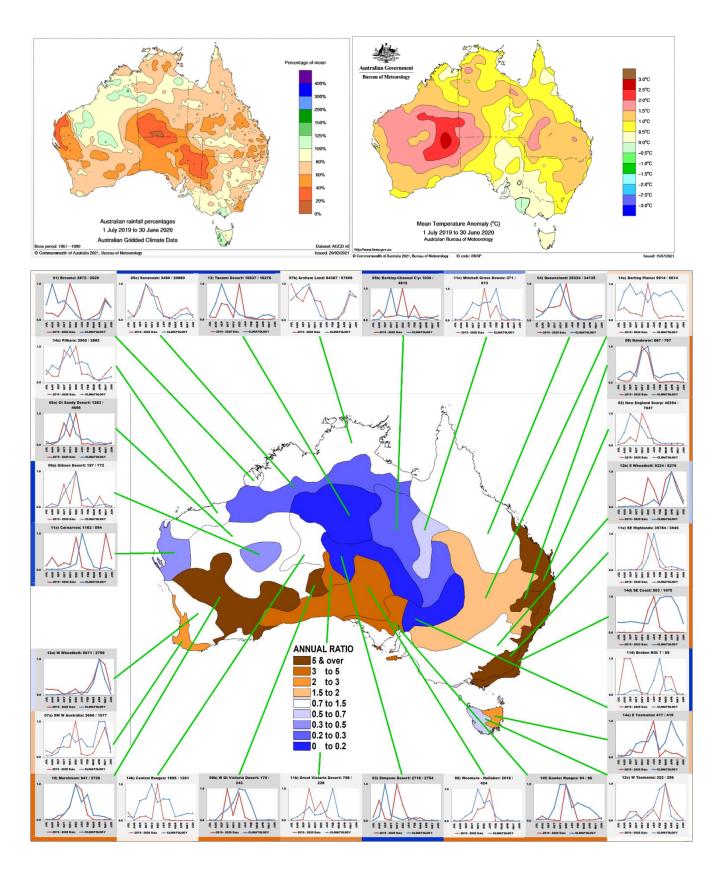
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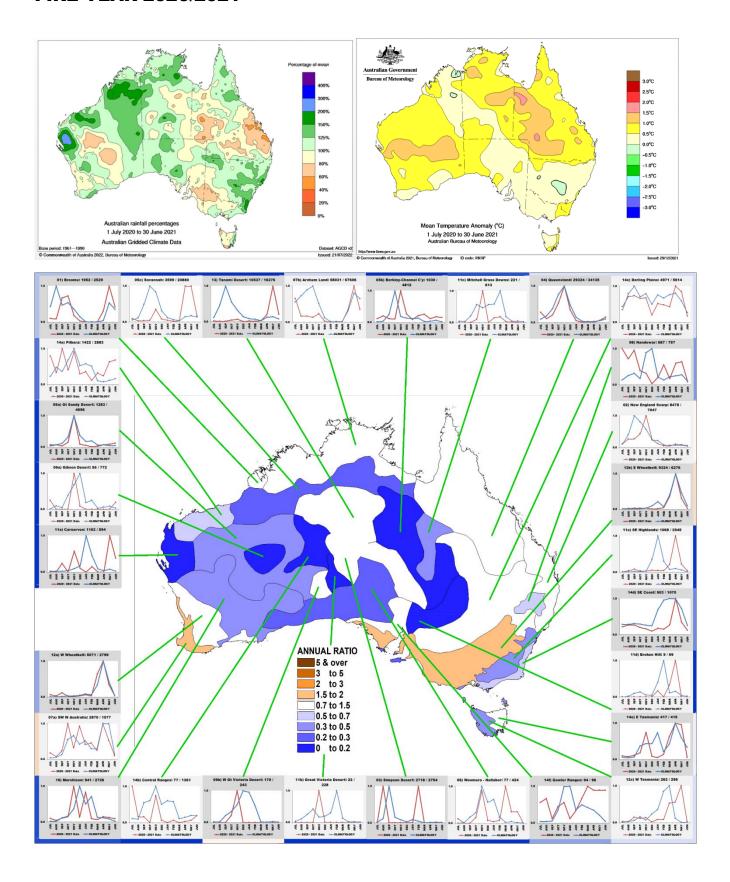
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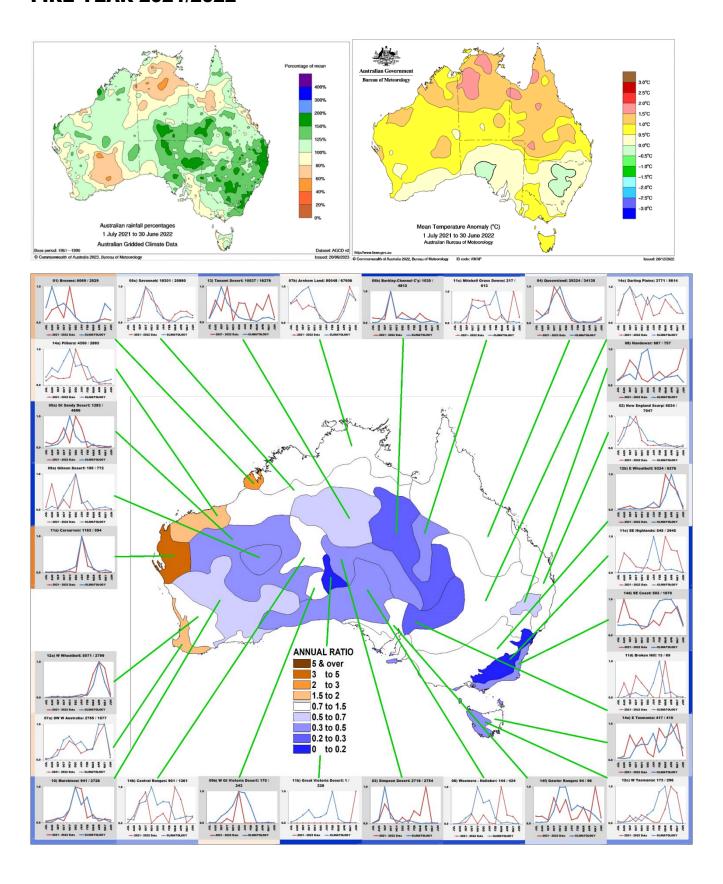
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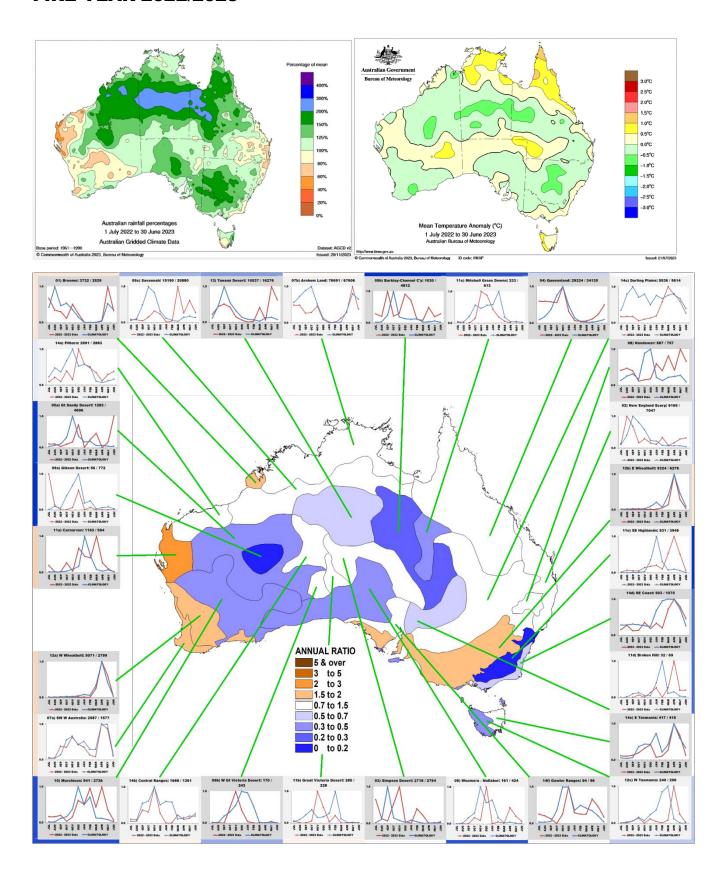
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FIRE YEAR 2023/2024

