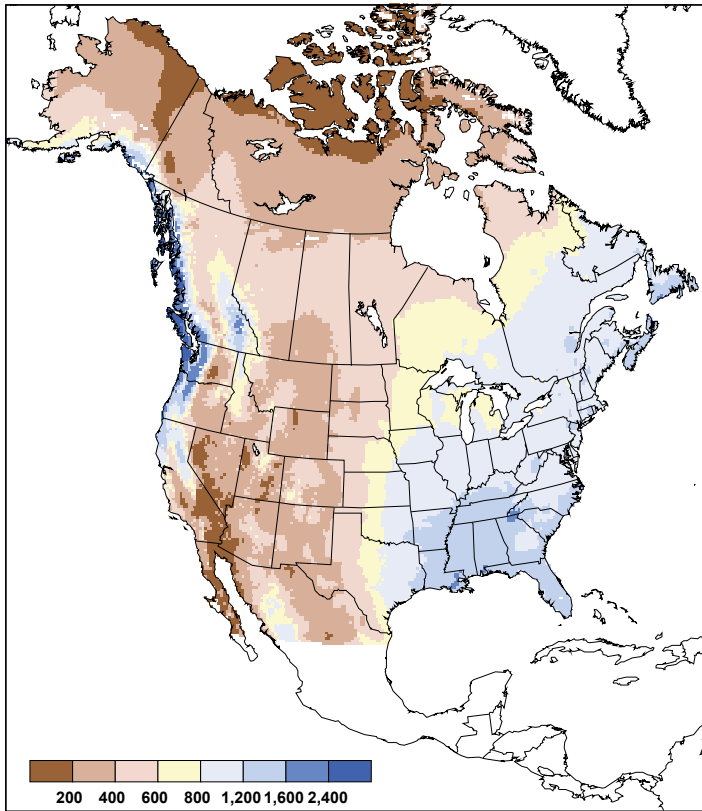


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Annual Precipitation (mm)



Actual Evap./Potential Evap.

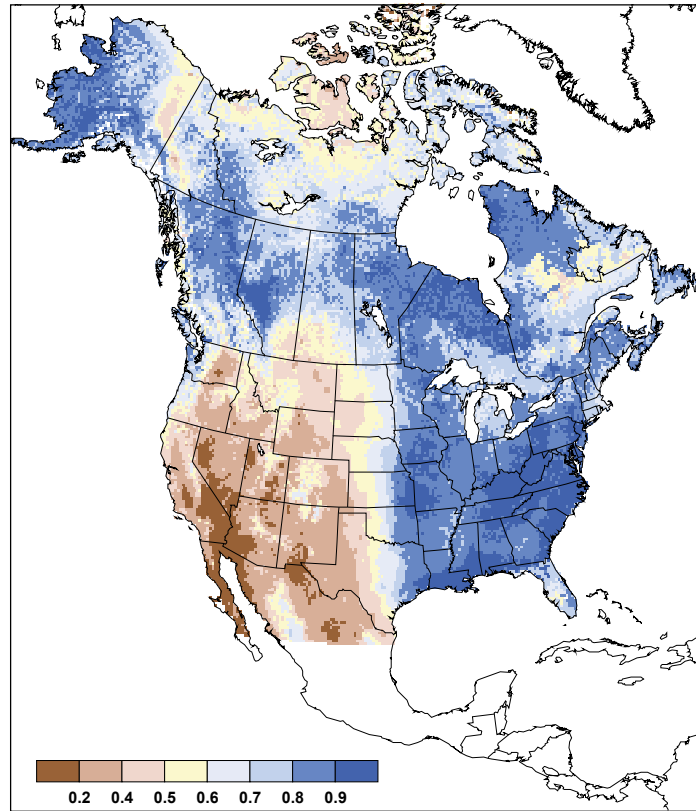


Figure 5. Maps of North America illustrating mean annual precipitation in millimeters (mm) and moisture index expressing ratio of actual to potential evapotranspiration (evap.).