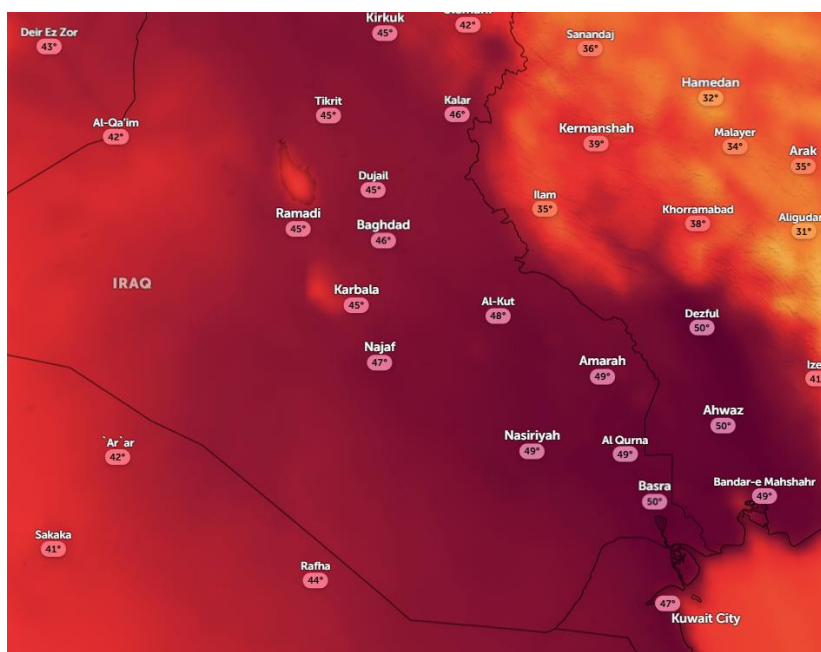




High Temperature & Heat Wave in Iraq



Affected Areas

Karbala, Baghdad, Al-Kut, Ramadi, Tikrit, Amarah, Basra, Nasiriyah Iraq

Duration

July 30- 1st August 2025

Hazard Types

High Temperature & Heat Wave

Hazard Summary

Prolonged high temperatures and heat waves across the region are significantly increasing the risk of forest fires and heat-related illnesses such as heat stroke. Dry conditions and intense heat are drying out vegetation, making forests highly susceptible to wildfires. Residents are urged to stay hydrated, avoid strenuous outdoor activities, and follow all local fire warnings or bans. If you live in fire-prone areas, be prepared for potential wildfire evacuations and keep emergency supplies ready. Take regular breaks in shaded or cool places to prevent heat-related health issues, and seek immediate medical help if symptoms of heat stroke appear. Stay updated with local weather alerts and safety instructions.