Global Tropics Hazards And Benefits Outlook 7/2/2019

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<u>Outlook</u> <u>Review</u>



Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain

Synopsis of Climate Modes

ENSO: (June 13, 2019 Update)

• ENSO Alert System Status: El Niño Advisory

• El Niño is predicted to persist through the Northern Hemisphere summer 2019 (66% chance), though there is considerable uncertainty beyond that.

MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

• While the MJO is fairly weak, its footprint continues to be manifest in a variety of our diagnostic data sets – the enhanced phase is now centered over the Pacific.

• Dynamical models indicate a strengthening of the MJO signal over Africa and the western Indian Ocean over the next two weeks.

Impacts:

• The MJO supports tropical cyclogenesis over the East Pacific during Week-2 and is broadly consistent with a quiet West Pacific basin as well.



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IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

Robust Wave-1 signature as the MJO moved over the eastern Maritime Continent.

Broad features are still present, but interference from other modes is apparent.

Enhanced phase is currently centered over the Pacific Ocean.



MJO Observation/Forecast



Ensemble means from all three models indicate a more coherent signal reemerging over Africa and the western Indian Ocean.



CAVEAT: These panels are representative of robust MJO events.

Destructive interference between the MJO and the suppressed phase of a Rossby wave is apparent.



ncics.org/mjo

Mon 2019-07-01 1512 UTC







TROPICAL CYCLONE FORMATION ALERT WTPN21 PGTW 012100 0118002 POSITION: NEAR 17.8N 113.3E MOVING NORTHWESTWARD AT 03 KNOTS MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS: 18 TO 23 KNOTS





Connections to U.S. Impacts





Week 2 – Temperature and Precipitation





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