Global Tropics Hazards And Benefits Outlook

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<u>Outline</u>

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

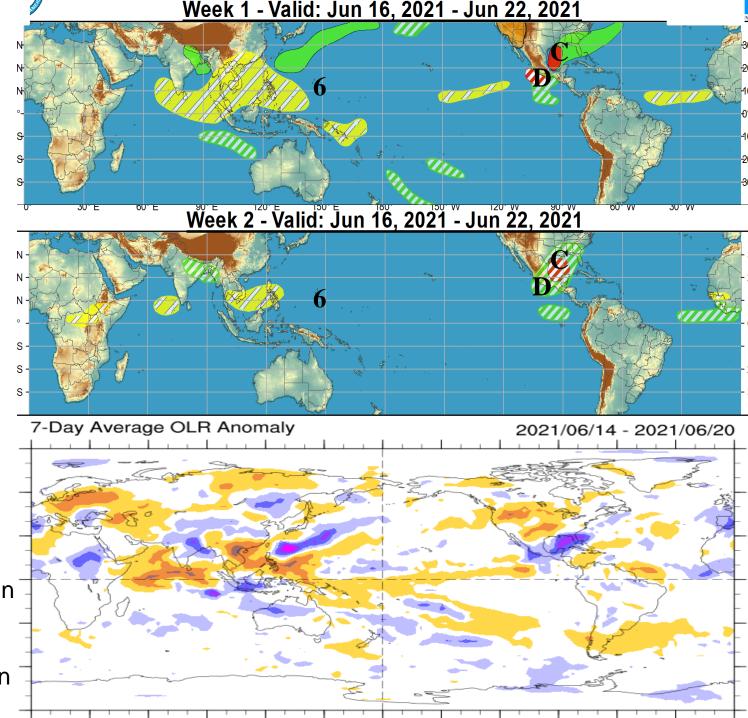
TS Dolores 6/18-6/20 Peak: 60 knots

TS Claudette 6/18-6/22 Peak: 40 knots

<u>TS Six</u> 6/21-present Peak: 35 knots

> Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain



Synopsis of Climate Modes

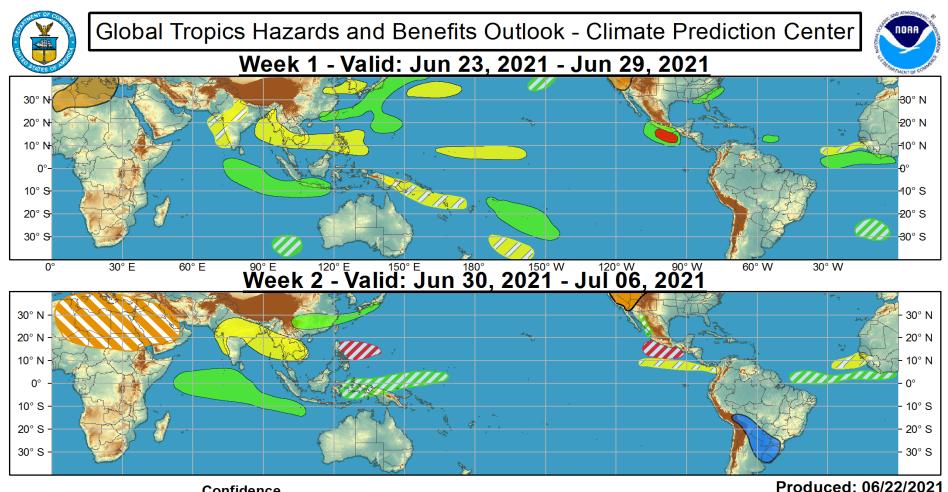
ENSO: (10 June, 2021 Update)

next update on 8th of July

- ENSO Alert System Status: <u>Not Active</u>
- ENSO-neutral conditions are favored through the Northern Hemisphere summer (78% chance for the June-August season) and fall (50% chance for the September-November season).

MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

- Two centers of action are enhancing convection near the Date Line and Prime Meridian. Both of these regions appear to be atmospheric Kelvin waves.
- Model guidance shows a focus on the Kelvin wave approaching the Prime Meridian as the dominant player the next two weeks.
- The aforementioned Kelvin wave activity would support increased tropical cyclone formation odds over the East Pacific through the early July and over the West Pacific beginning in July.



Confidence

Tropical Cyclone Formation

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Below-average rainfall

Above-normal temperatures

Below-normal temperatures

High Moderate

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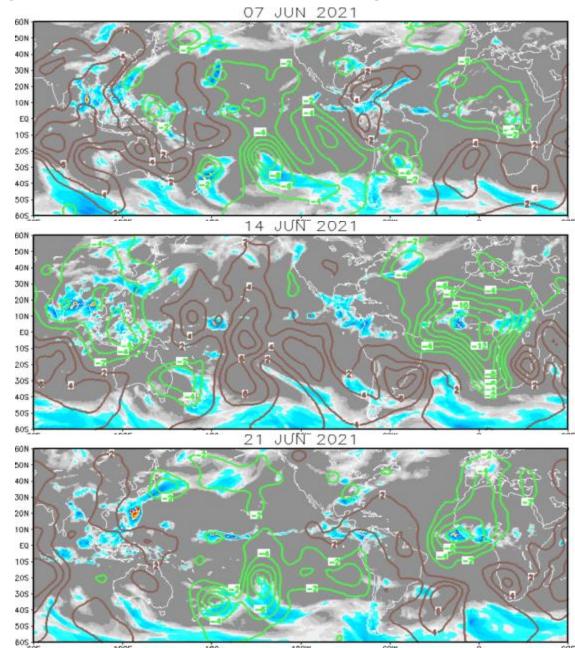
IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

Wave-2 structure with one center over the Pacific and another near the Prime Meridian.

Rapid eastward progression, with the Pacific Center shifting over Africa and the African center shifting over the Maritime Continent.

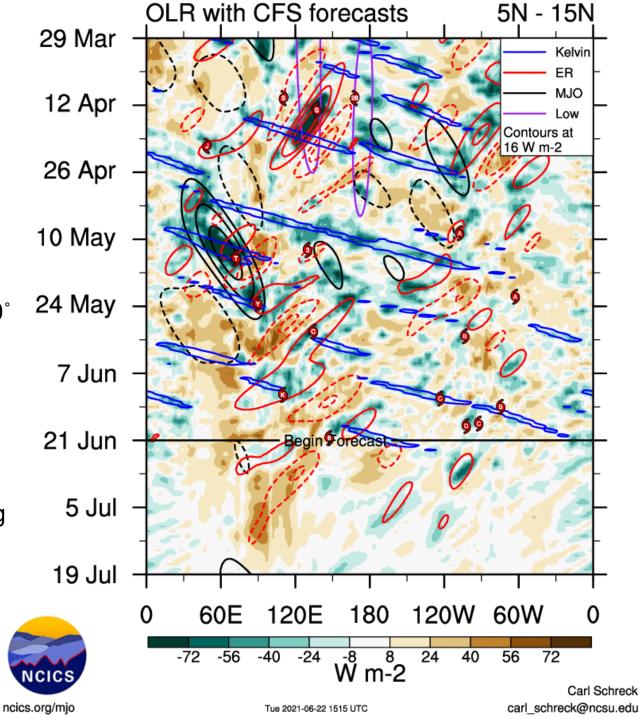
Eastward progression from mid-June, but most noteworthy is the decay in how strong signals are along the equator.



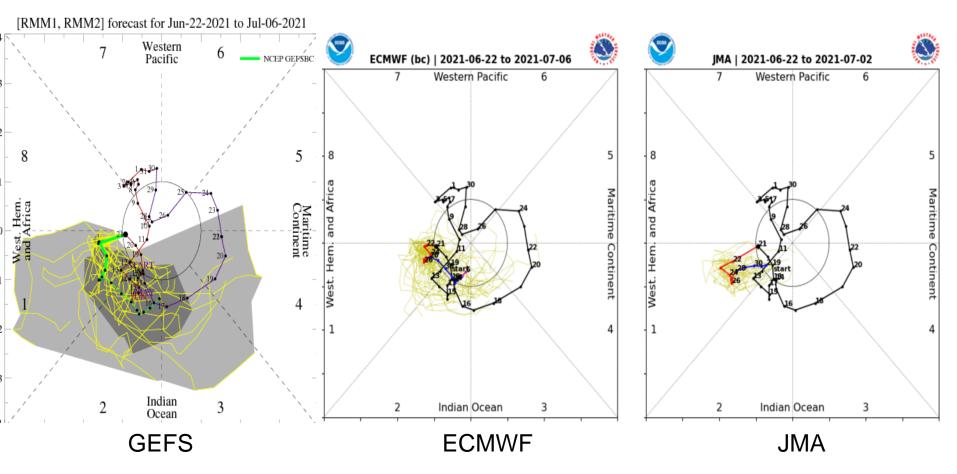
Kelvin wave activity is currently analyzed near 180° and approaching the Prime Meridian.

Rossby wave activity is apparent over both hemispheres, with many regions of westward-moving variability showing up.

Little no sign of the **MJO** or **low frequency** variability.



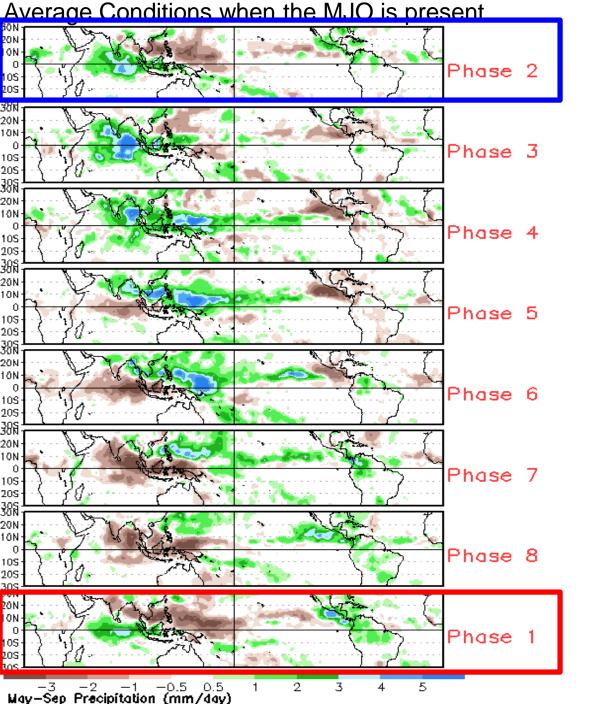
MJO Observation/Forecast



GEFS: Large spread (concludes in Phases 1 to 4 at large amplitudes)! General eastward progression toward the Indian Ocean the next two weeks.

ECMWF: Tighter spread compared to the GEFS, bringing the signal to the Indian Ocean by Week-2.

JMA: Very slow progression, with the signal generally hung up over Africa.

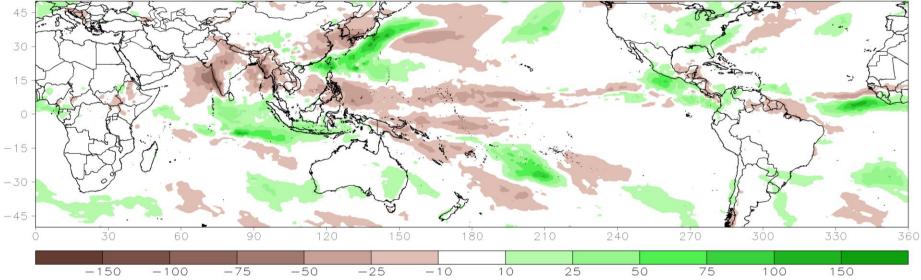


Week-1: Phase 1

Week-2: Phase 2

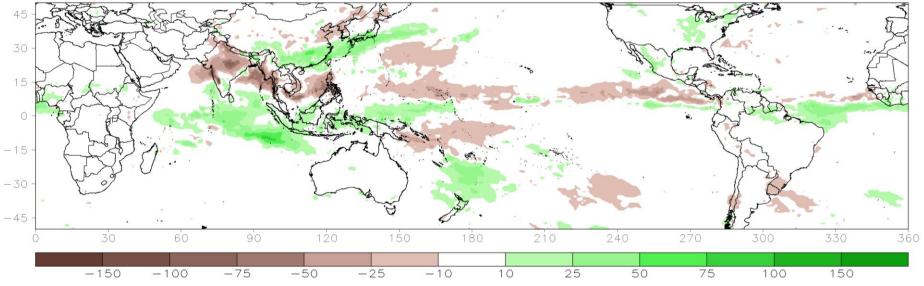
CAVEAT: These panels are representative of robust MJO events.



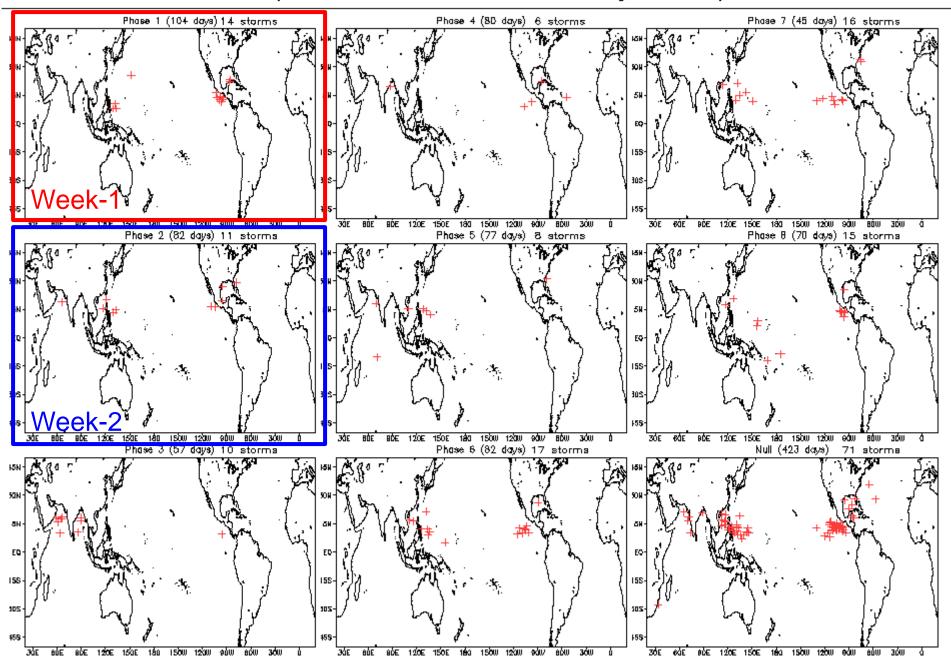


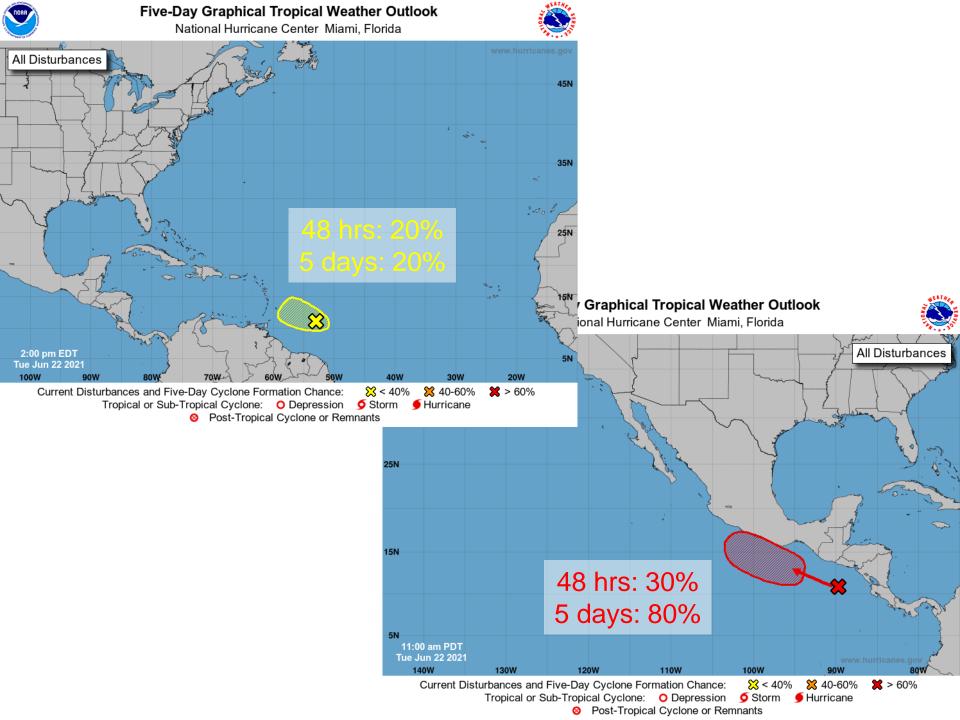
CONS 00z: Week2 Total Rainfall Anomaly (mm)

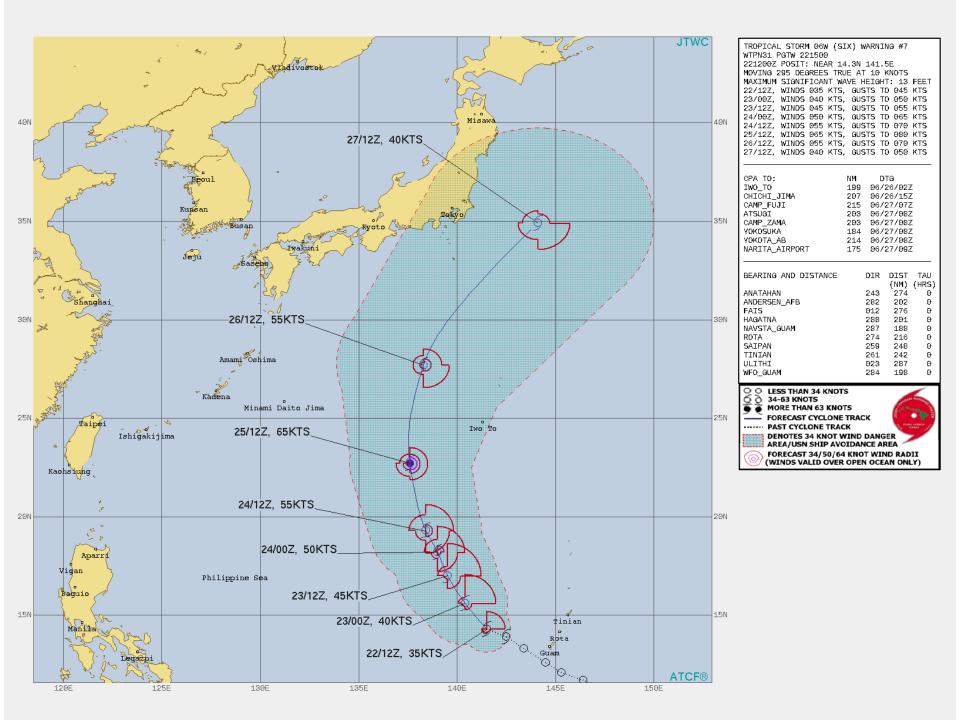
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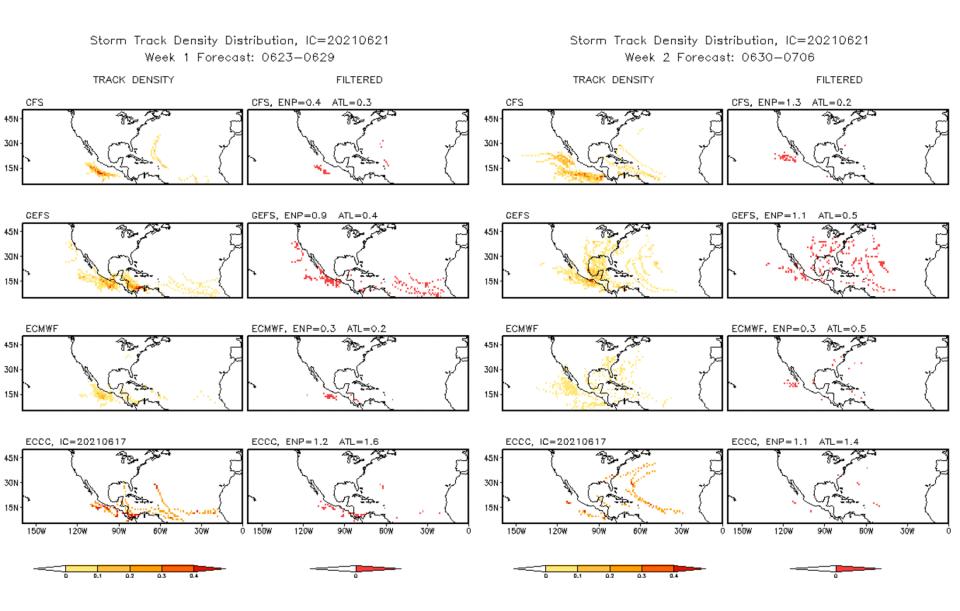


June Tropical Storm Formation by MJO phase

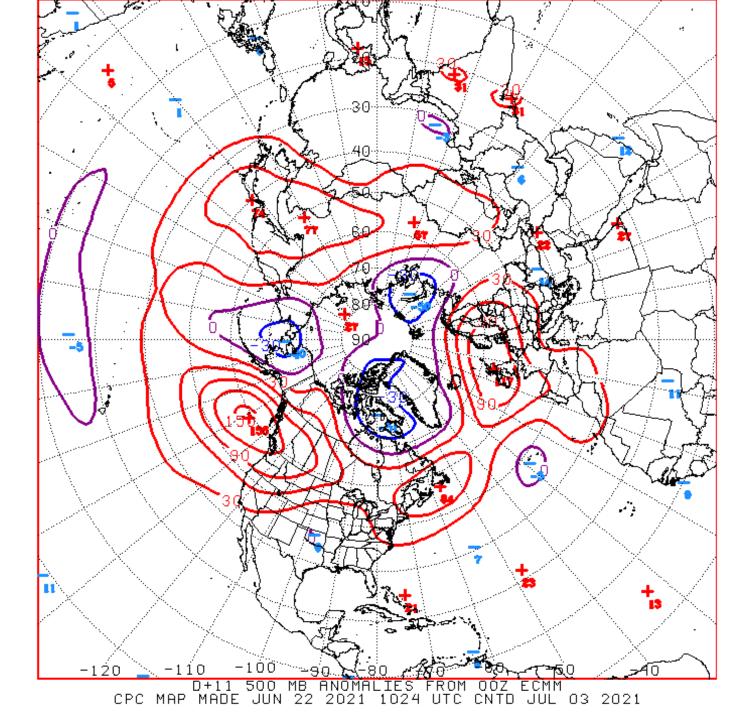




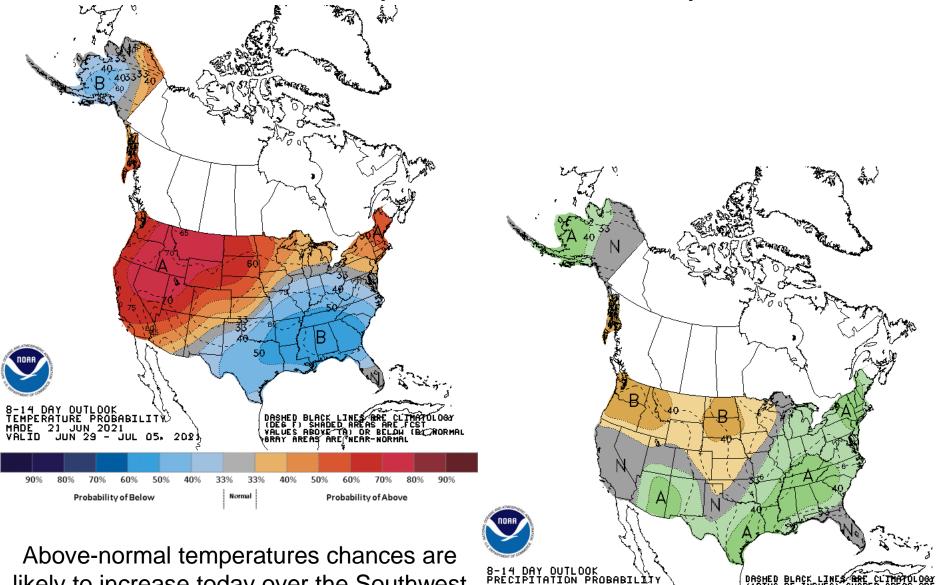




Connections to U.S. Impacts







21 JUN 2021

70%

60%

Probability of Below

JUN 29

80%

--JUL 05, 202∱

50%

40%

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Normal

40%

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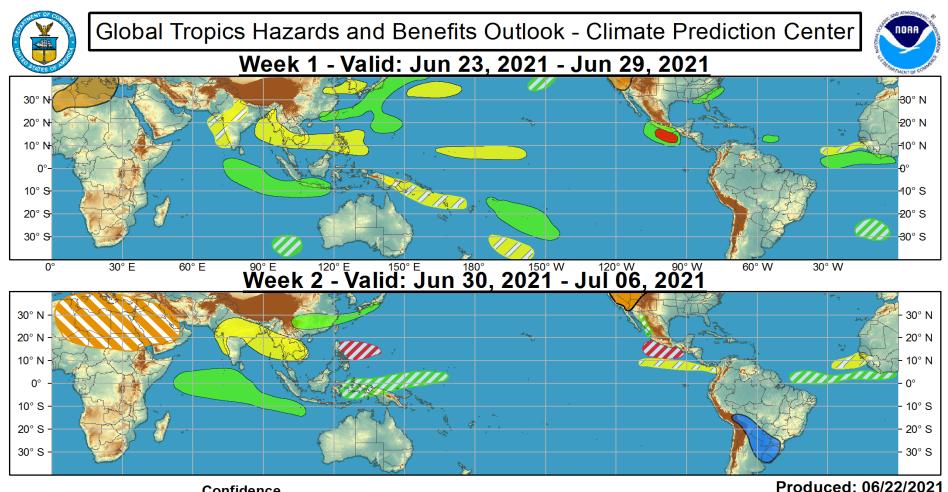
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likely to increase today over the Southwest and Lower Mississippi Valley.



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