# Global Tropics Hazards And Benefits Outlook

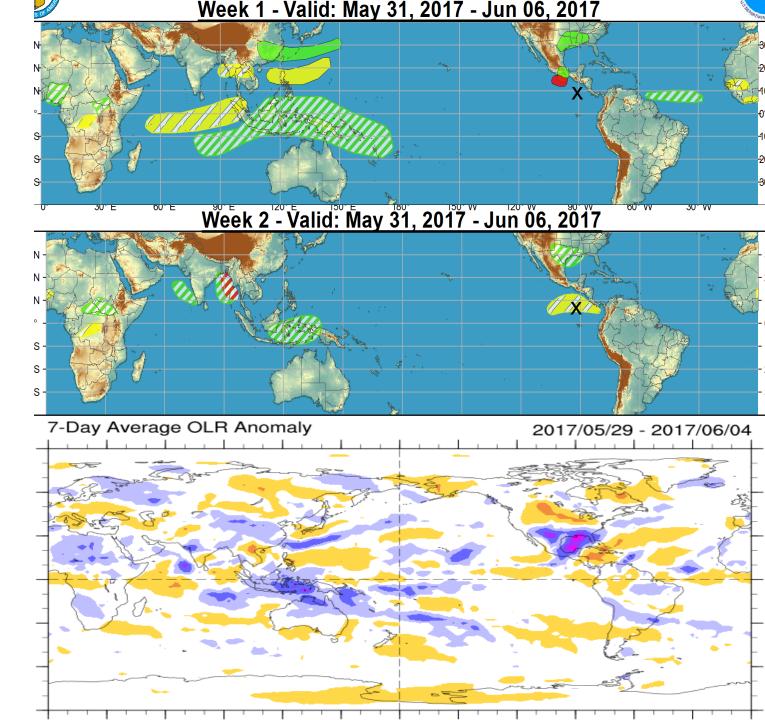
## <u>6/6/2017</u>

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## <u>Outline</u>

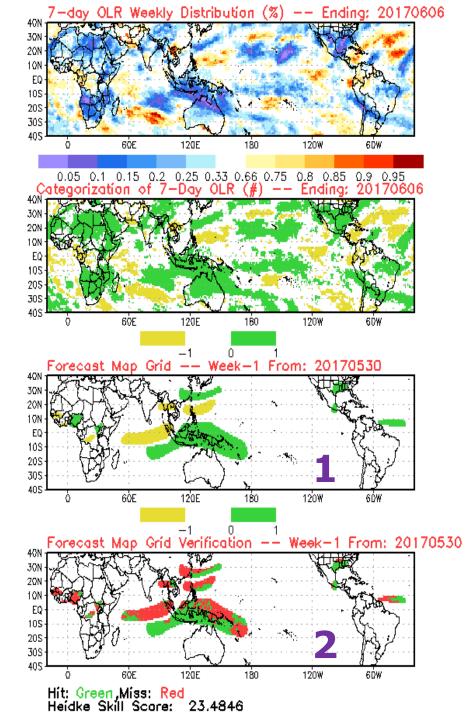
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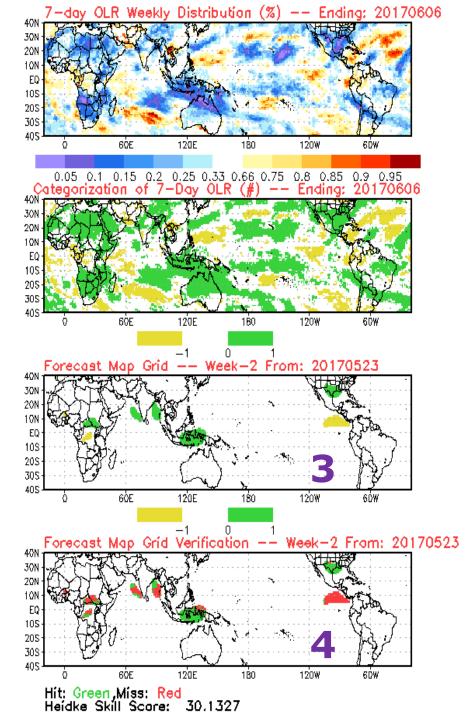
## <u>Outlook</u> <u>Review</u>



Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain





# Synopsis of Climate Modes

### ENSO:

 ENSO-neutral and El Niño are nearly equally favored during the Northern Hemisphere summer and fall 2017

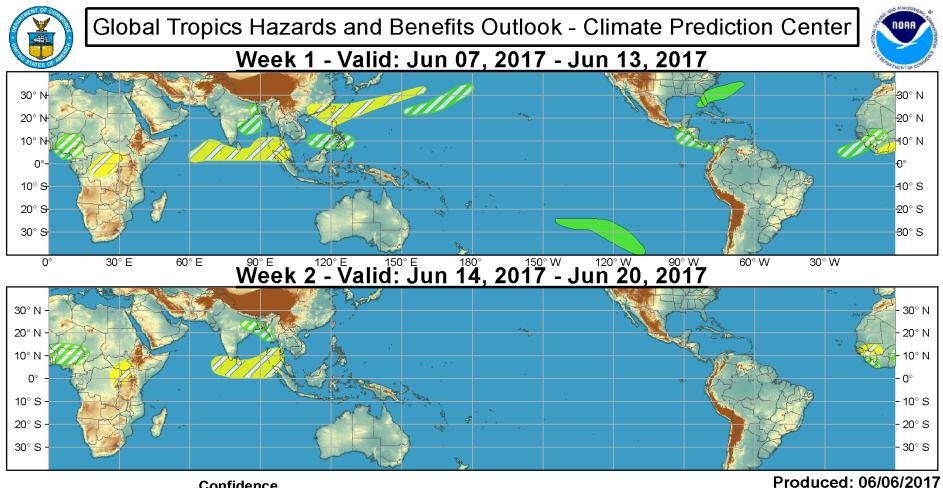
### MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

• A moderate amplitude MJO signal propagated eastward across the Indian Ocean and Maritime Continent region, then weakened, during the past week.

• Dynamical models indicate a weak, incoherent signal in Week-1, then the potential re-emergence of a more substantial sub-seasonal signal over the Indian Ocean (or Atlantic & Africa) during Week-2.

#### **Extratropics**:

• The extended range temperature and precipitation forecasts for the U.S. are not likely to be impacted by MJO activity (considerable uncertainty in where a more substantial intra-seasonal signal may re-emerge in Week-2)



#### Confidence High Moderate

Tropical Cyclone Formation

Above-average rainfall

Below-average rainfall

Above-normal temperatures

Below-normal temperatures

Forecaster: Artusa Development of a tropical cyclone (tropical depression - TD, or greater strength).

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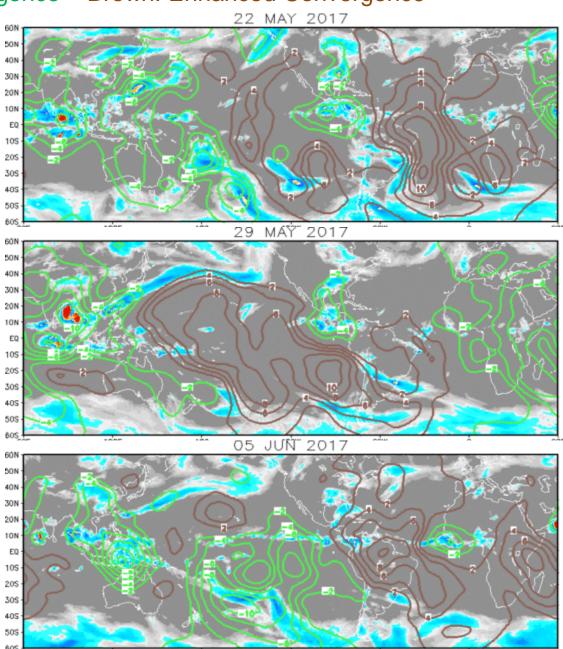
### **IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies**

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

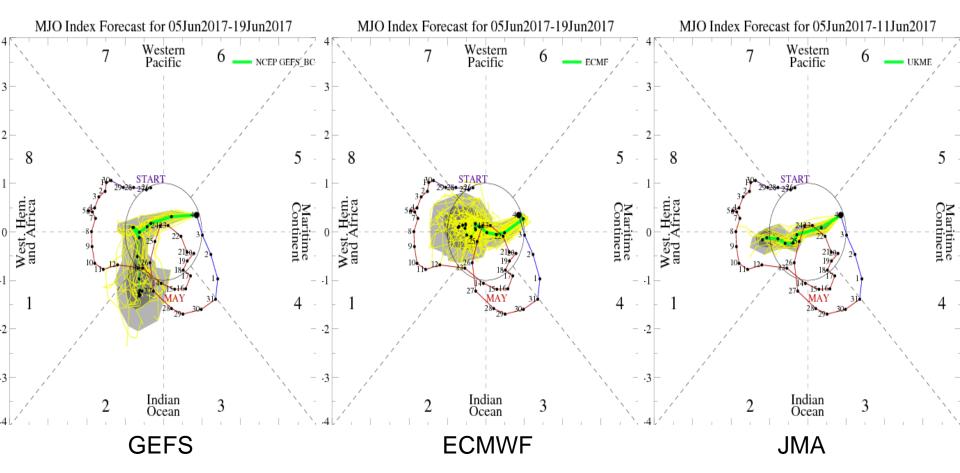
Wave-2 with an MJO projection. Enhanced convection over southwest Pacific and Americas to Africa.

Wave-1 with a moderate MJO projection.

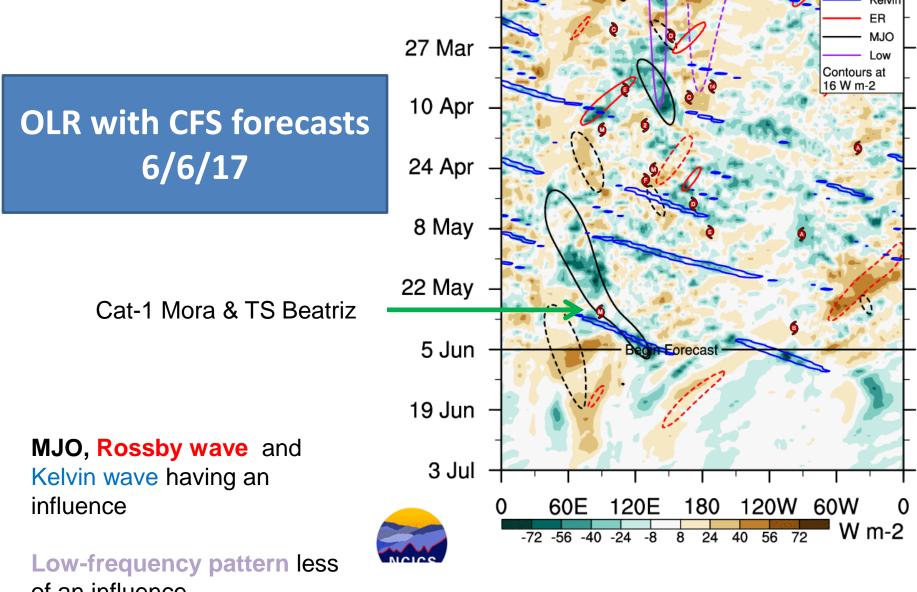
Enhanced divergence over the Maritime Continent region, and most of the South Pacific.



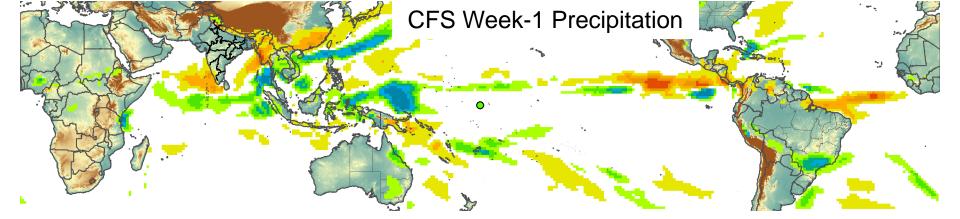
## **MJO Observation/Forecast**

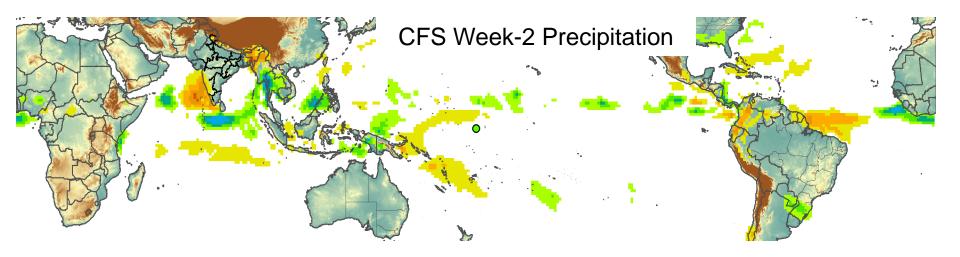


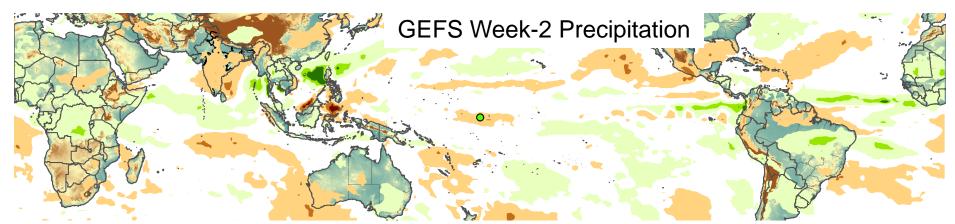
Wheeler-Hendon based analyses of model forecasts indicate a very weak MJO signal in Week-1. During Week-2, signal amplitude is expected to increase, with the GEFS showing re-emergence of signal in western Indian Ocean, ECMWF (phases 8 & 1), and JMA (phase 1).



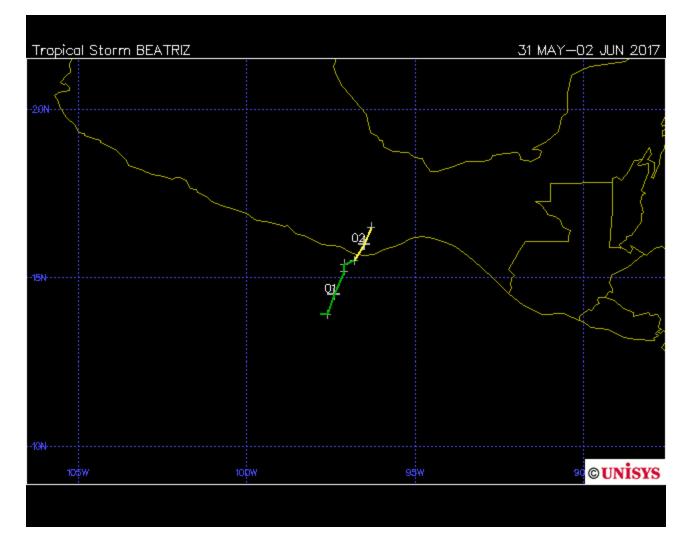
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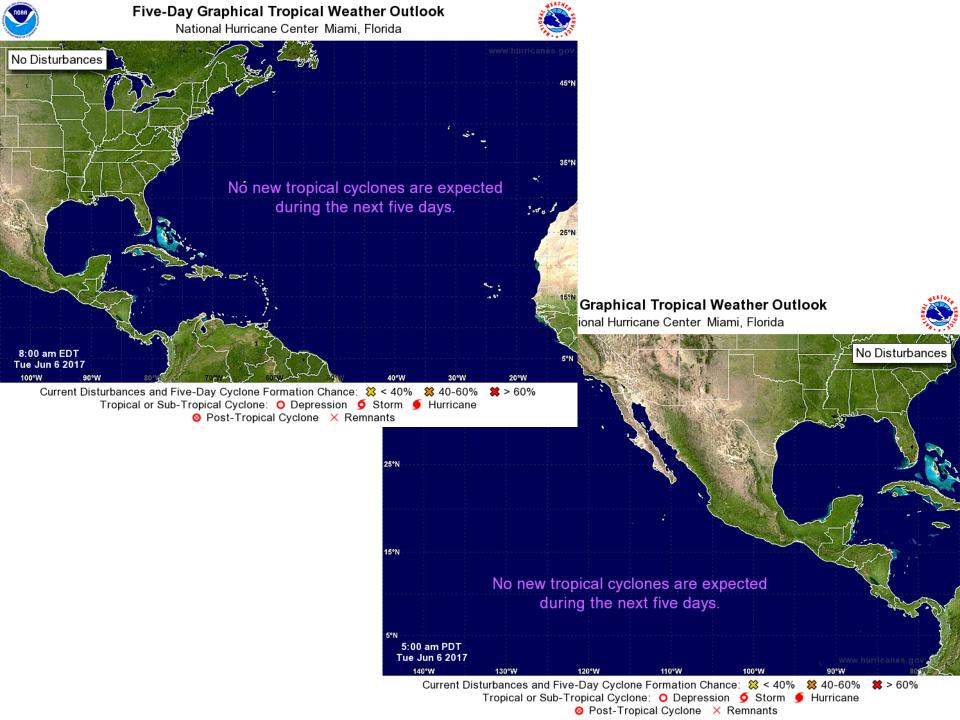


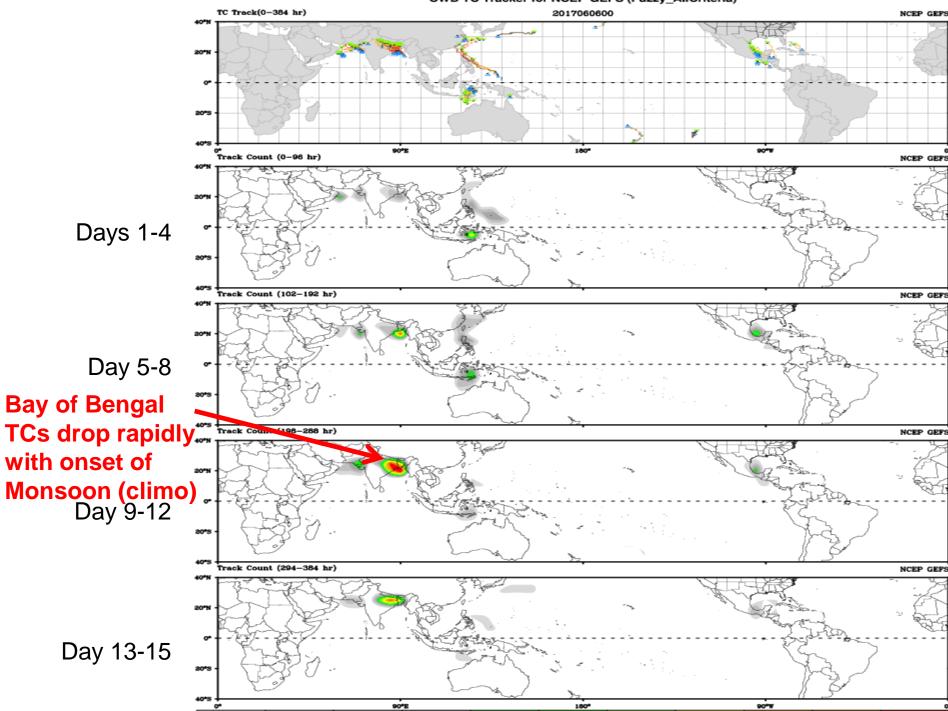




## **Tropical Storm Beatriz**

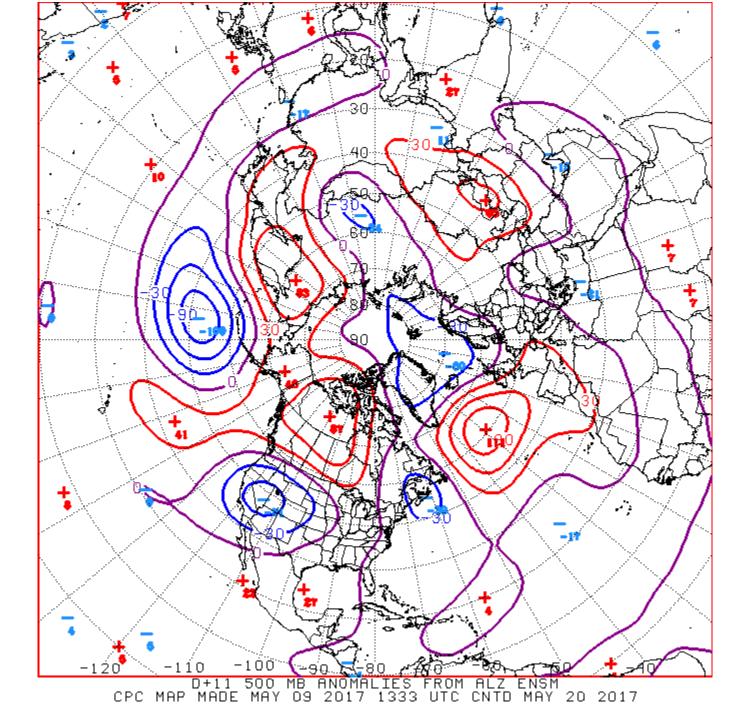




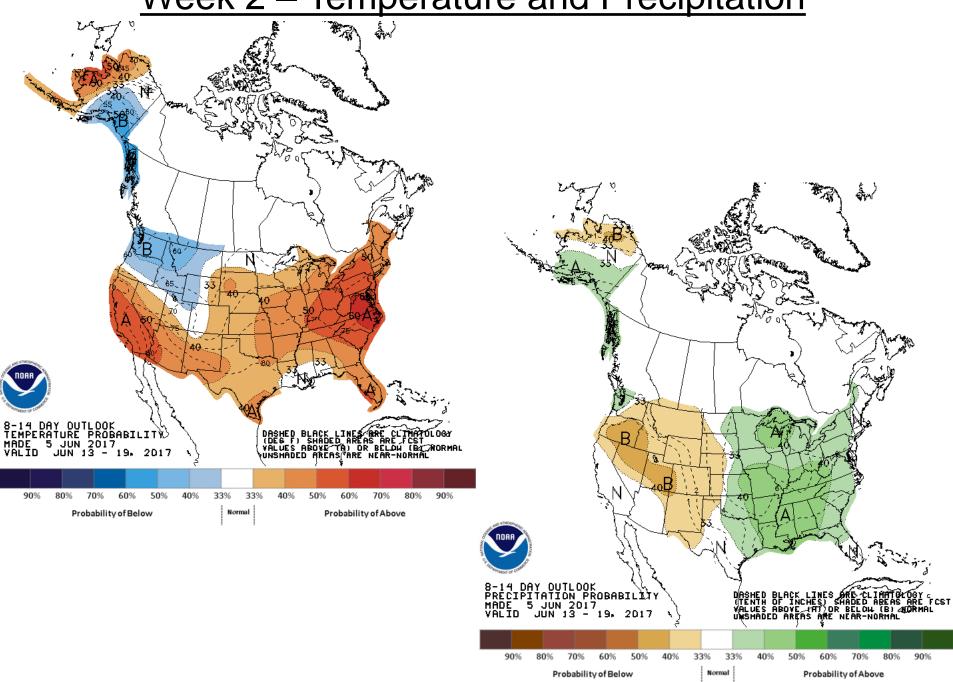


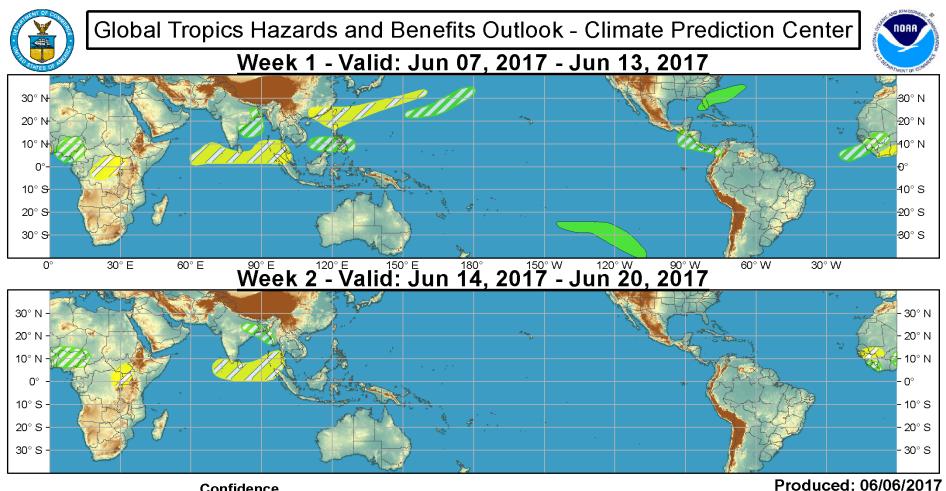
CWB TC Tracker for NCEP GEFS (Fuzzy\_AllCriteria)

## **Connections to U.S. Impacts**



## Week 2 – Temperature and Precipitation





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