Global Tropics Hazards And Benefits Outlook

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- 2. Synopsis of Climate Modes
- 3. GTH Outlook and Forecast Discussion
- 4. Connections to U.S. Impacts

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



Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain





Synopsis of Climate Modes

ENSO:

 ENSO-neutral is favored (50 to ~55% chance) through the Northern Hemisphere fall 2017.

MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

- The MJO remained weak during the past 7 days.
- Dynamical models indicate a weak signal initially, strengthening over the Indian Ocean during week-1, then models diverge significantly, allowing other modes to dominate the pattern.

Extratropics:

• The extended range temperature and precipitation forecasts for the U.S. are not likely to be impacted by MJO activity.



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

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Weekly total rainfall in the lower third of the historical range.

7-day mean temperatures in the upper third of the historical range.

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Product is updated once per week, except from 6/1 - 11/30 for the region from 120E to 0, 0 to 40N. The product targets broad scale conditions integrated over a 7-day period for US interests only. Consult your local responsible forecast agency.











IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

High wave number, not consistent with MJO.

Pattern not consistent with MJO.

High wave number, not consistent with MJO. Highlights other modes of variability.



MJO Observation/Forecast



RMM1



CAVEAT: These panels are representative of robust MJO events.

Rossby wave

Kelvin wave having an influence

MJO little to no influence

Low-frequency pattern less of an influence





CFS Precipitation Anomalies (mm) Issued 26Jun2017 Week—2 Forecast Ending 11Jul2017









CFSv2 45-Day Forecasts Week 1: 0627-0703



CFSv2 45-Day Forecasts Week 2: 0704-0710



Connections to U.S. Impacts





Week 2 – Temperature and Precipitation





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