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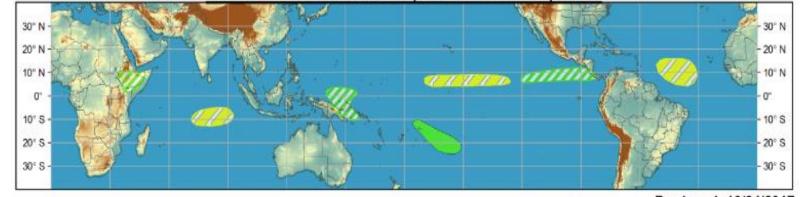
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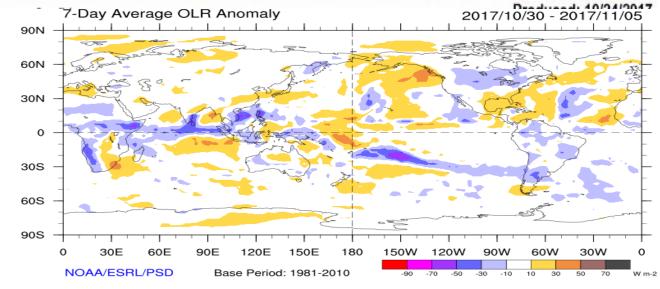
Outlook Review





Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain



Synopsis of Climate Modes

ENSO:

 Increasing chance (~55-60%) of La Nina during the Northern Hemisphere fall and winter 2017-18.

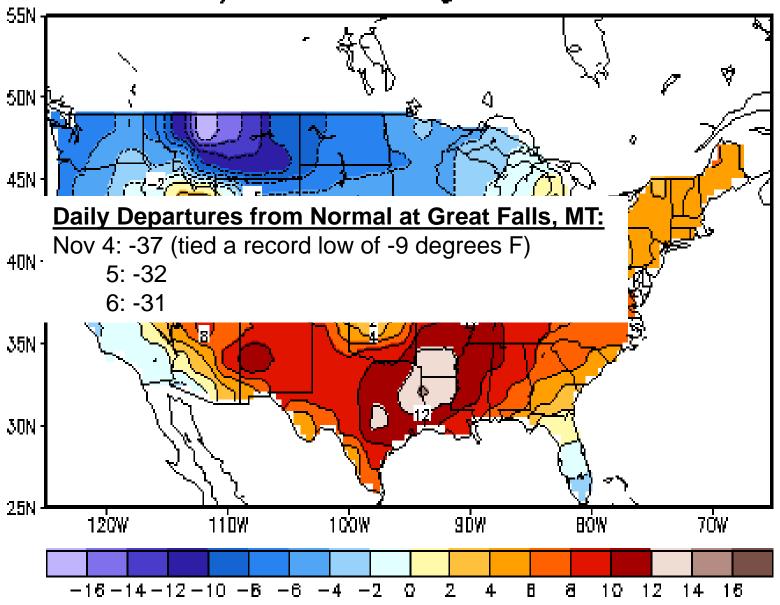
MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

- The MJO weakened since late October with a remnant enhance phase entering the Indian Ocean.
- The preferred ECMWF model indicates a continued weakening and the latest GFS/Canadian models are converging on this solution.
- Tropical cyclones and the base state are likely to be the major contributors.

Extratropics:

• The much below-normal temperatures that were observed across the northern Rockies and northern Plains during the first week of November is consistent with the enhanced phase of the MJO over the west Pacific two weeks ago.

Mean Temp (F) Anomaly 5—day mean ending Nov 05 2017





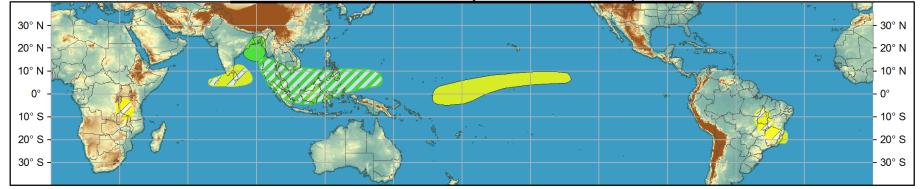
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Tropical Cyclone Formation







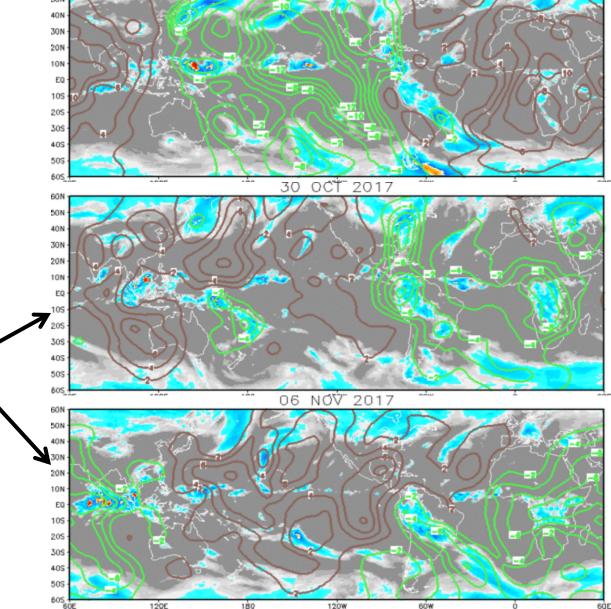




IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

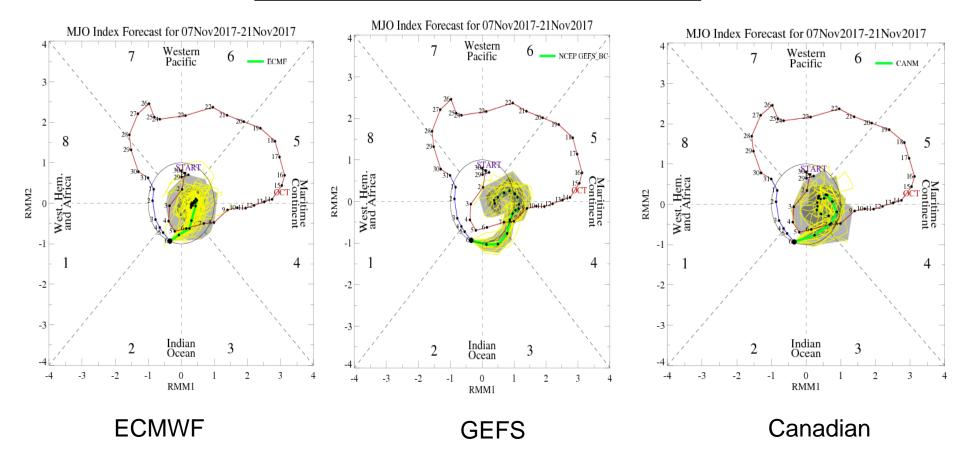
Wave-1 with a moderate/strong MJO projection.



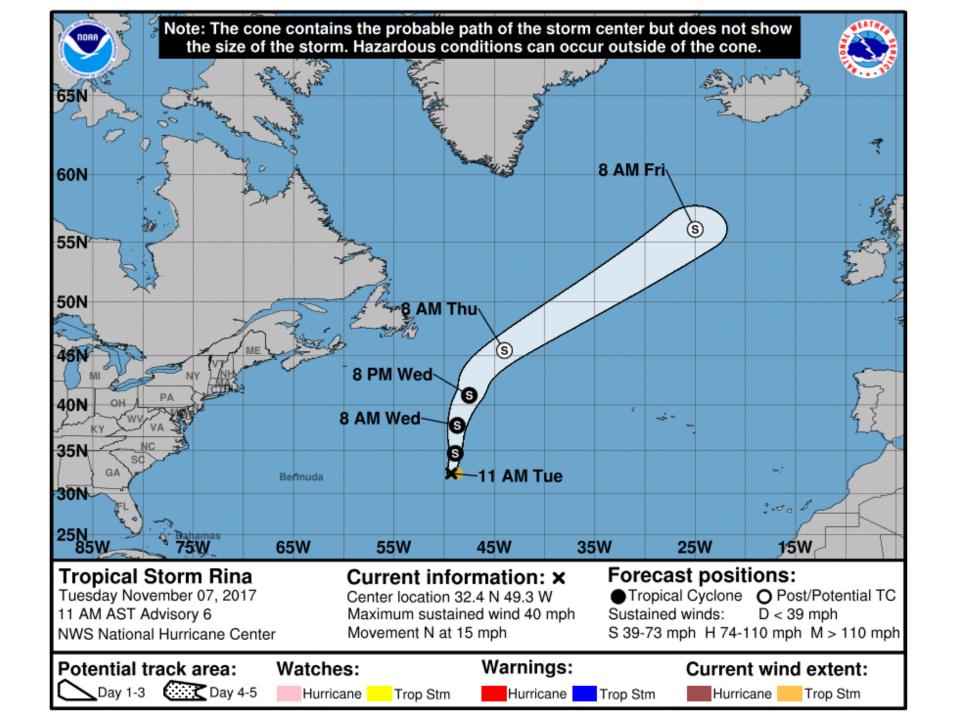
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Wave-1 but anomalies are smaller and more regional.

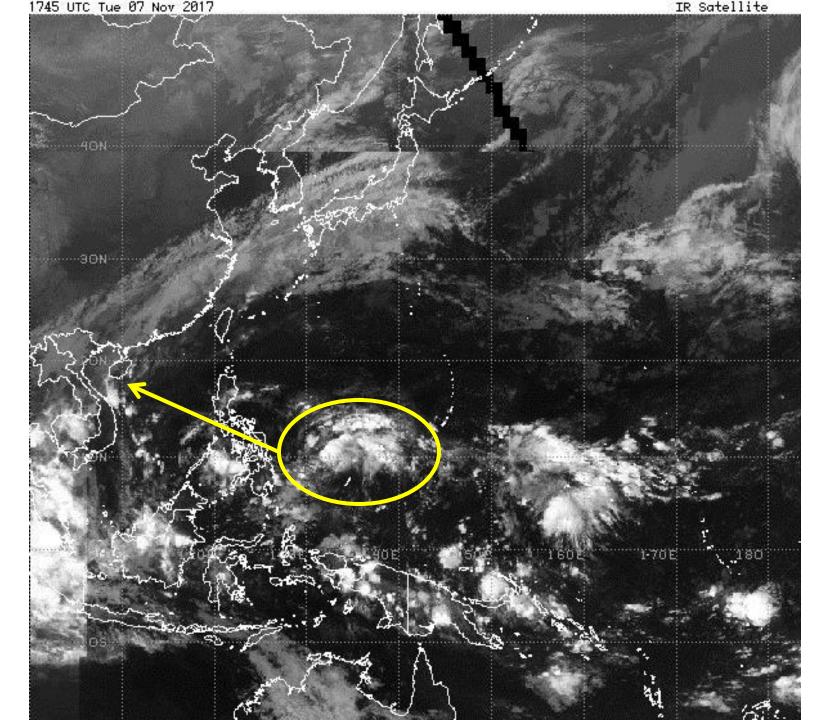
MJO Observation/Forecast

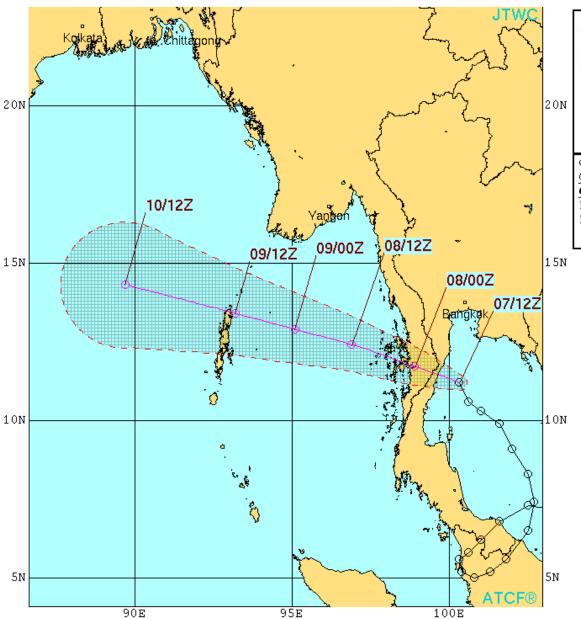


The GEFS and Canadian models have trended towards the ECMWF solution with a continued decay of the MJO signal during Week-1.



GFS Total Accumulated Precipitation (inches) from 12z07Nov2017 to 12z15Nov2017 Init: 12z Nov 07 2017 Forecast Hour: [192] valid at 12z Wed, Nov 15 2017 TROPICALTIDBITS.COM 24 20 16 14 12 10 30 N 5.5 4.5 3.5 2.5 2 20N-1.75 1.5 1.25 0.75 0.5 0.4 0.3 0.2 10N-0.15 0.1 0.05 0.0 100W 9nw 70.W 50W





TROPICAL DEPRESSION 29W (TWENTYNINE) WARNING #6
WTPN31 PGTW 071500
071200Z POSIT: NEAR 11.2N 100.3E
MOVING 335 DEGREES TRUE AT 07 KNOTS
MAXIMUM SIGNIFICANT WAVE HEIGHT: 6 FEET
07/12Z, WINDS 025 KTS, GUSTS TO 035 KTS
08/00Z, WINDS 020 KTS, GUSTS TO 030 KTS
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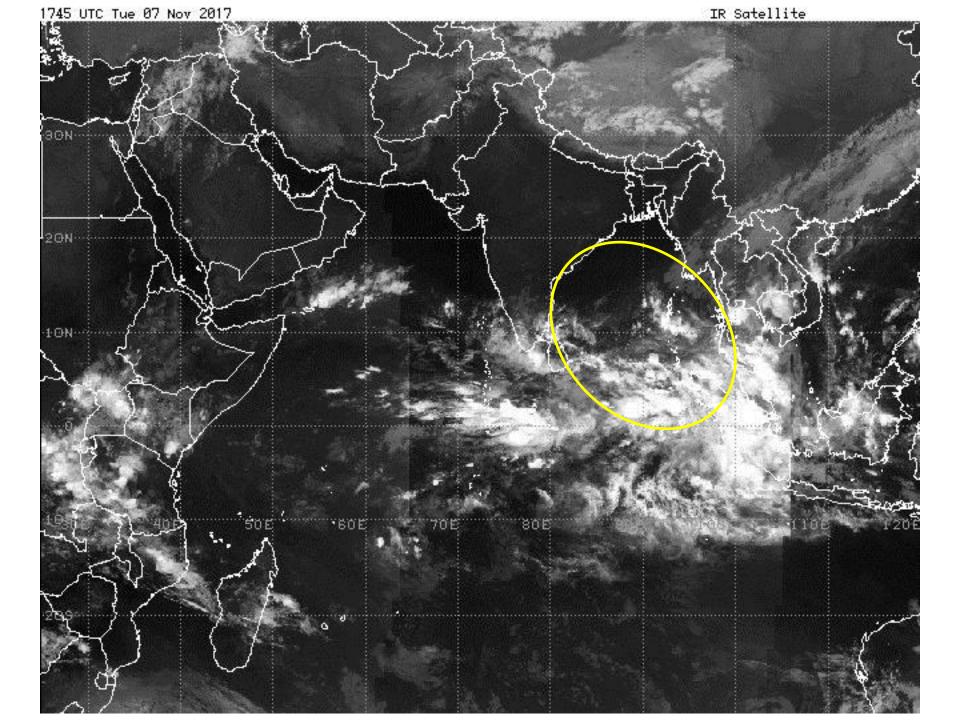
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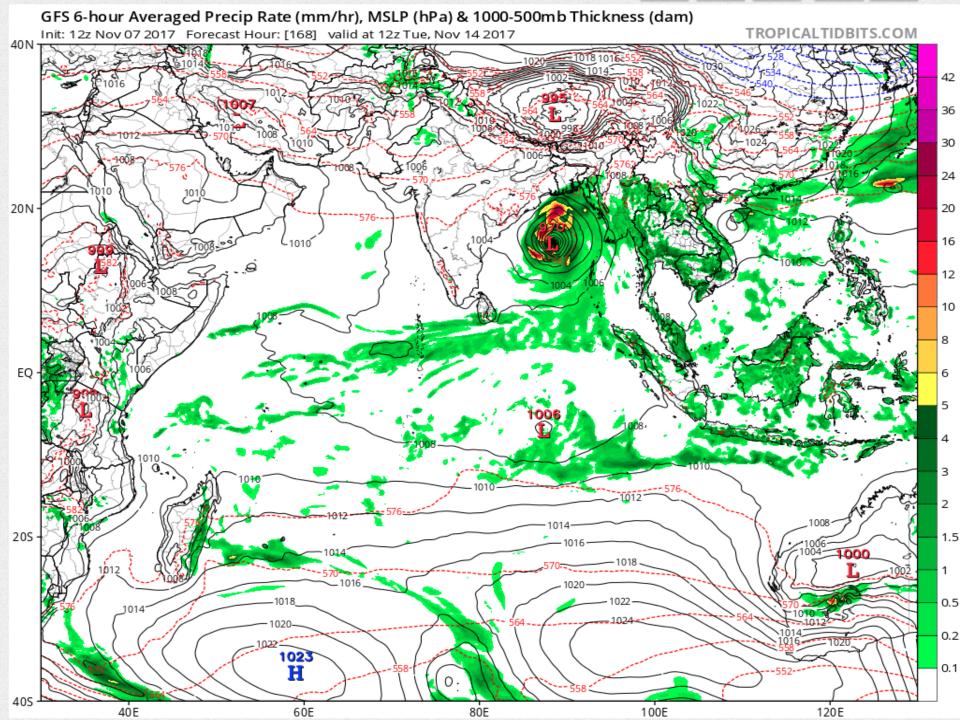
634-63 KNOTS

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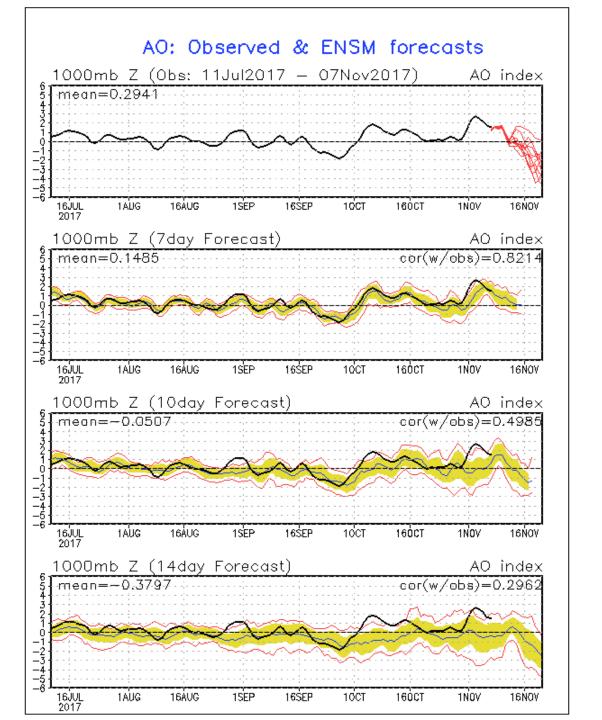
PAST 6 HOURLY CYCLONE POSITS IN BLACK FORECAST CYCLONE POSITS IN COLOR

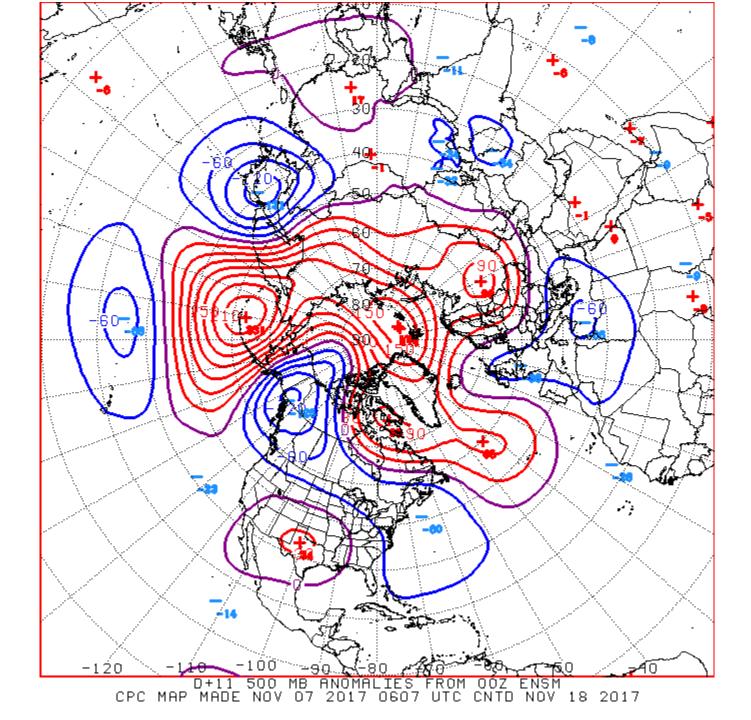




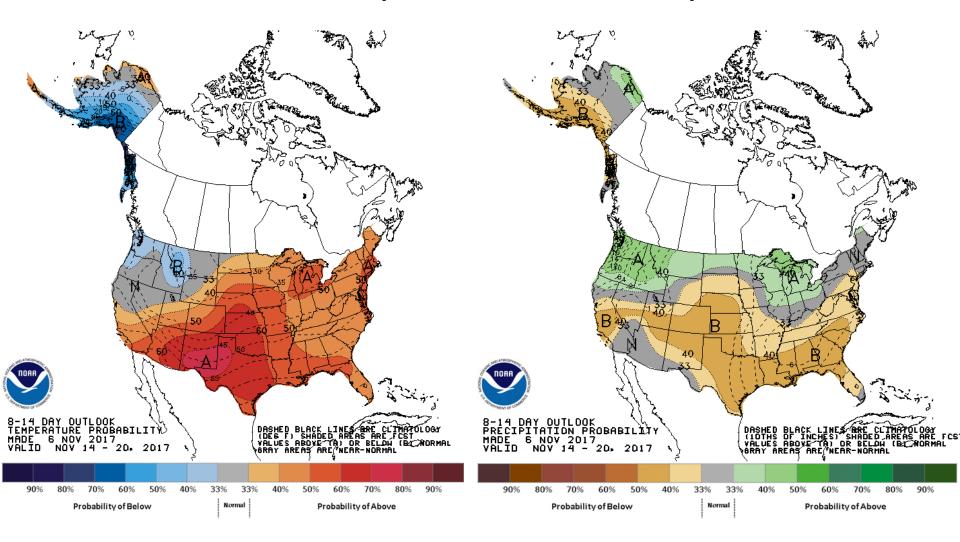


Connections to U.S. Impacts





Week 2 – Temperature and Precipitation





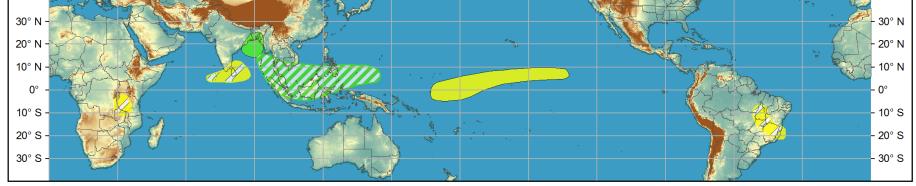
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