Global Tropics Hazards And Benefits Outlook 10/30/2018

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<u>Outline</u>

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

Outlook Review

30° N+

20° N

NOAA/ESRL/PSD

20° S -20° S 30° S -30° S Week 2 - Valid: Oct 24, 2018 - Oct 30, 2018 30° E 60° E 30° W 20° N 20° N 10° N 10° S -10° S - 20° S 20° S -30° S -- 30° S 7-Day Average OLR Anomaly 2018/10/22 - 2018/10/28 90N 60N 30N 30S 60S 90S

Base Period: 1981-2010

Week 1 - Valid: Oct 24, 2018 - Oct 30, 2018

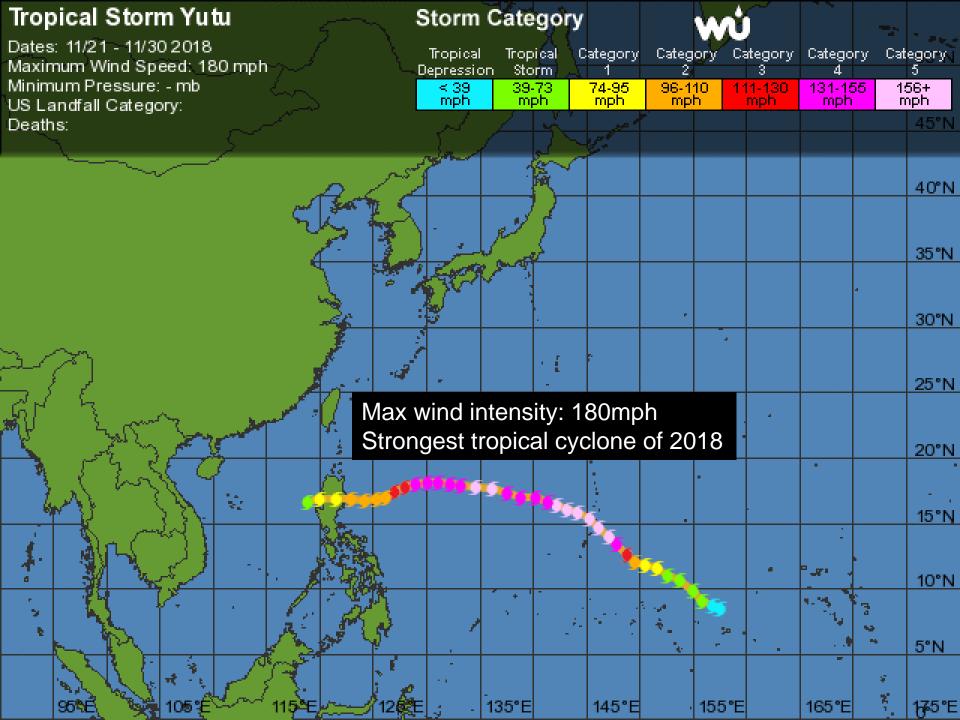
Willa

X//Oscar

10° N

Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain



Super Typhoon Yutu



Synopsis of Climate Modes

ENSO: (October 11, 2018 Update)

- ENSO Alert System Status: El Niño Watch
- El Niño is favored to form in the next couple of months and continue through the Northern Hemisphere winter 2018-19 (70-75% chance).

MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

- The MJO remained weak during the past week with the low-frequency state (developing El Niño) the major influence but signs of a developing MJO.
- Dynamical models indicate a strengthening MJO with eastward propagation from the Western Hemisphere to the Indian Ocean during early to mid-November.

Extratropics:

- The MJO is not anticipated to influence the mid-latitudes during early November but could have more of an influence later in the month.
- No recurving typhoons in the West Pacific and tropical cyclones that develop in the East Pacific are not expected to affect the Southwest.



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Week 2 - Valid: Nov 07, 2018 - Nov 13, 2018



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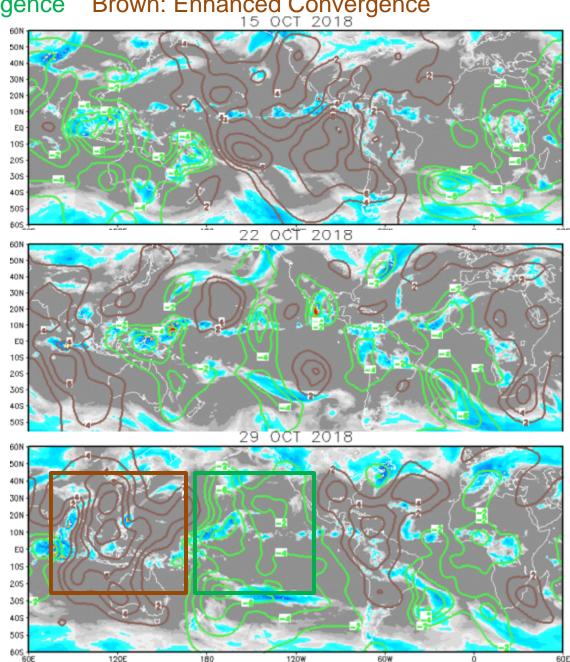
IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

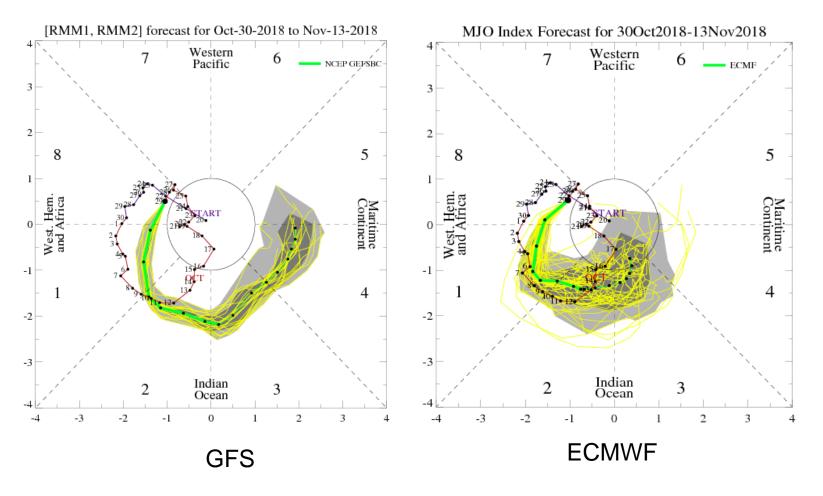
Continued organized MJO event apparent in upper-levels.

MJO became incoherent during mid to late October.

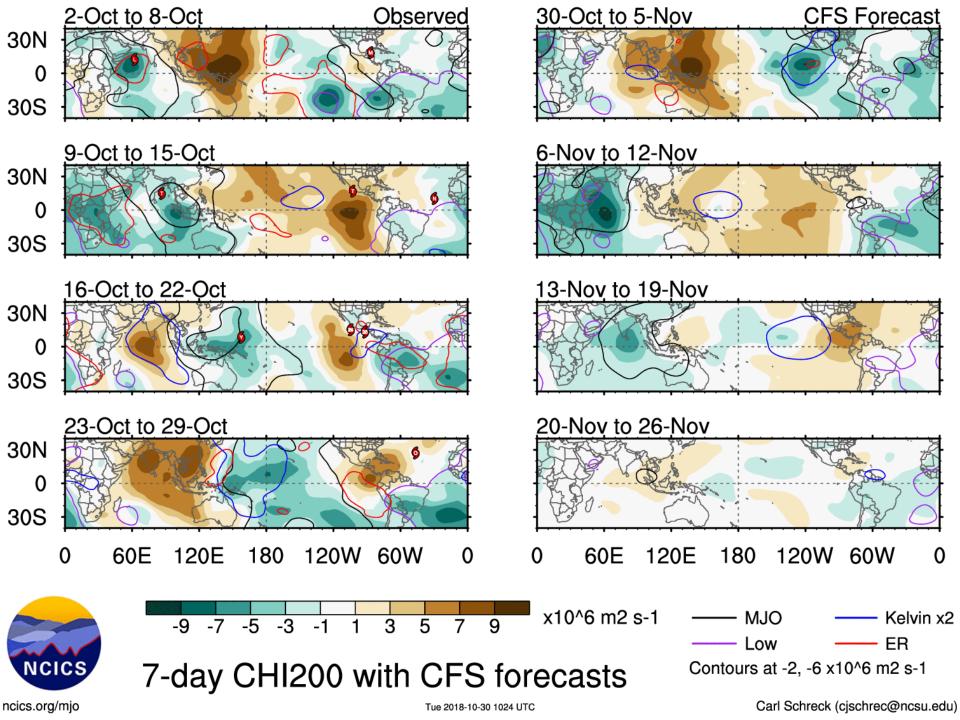
A couplet of anomalous **convergence** and **divergence** recently developed from the Maritime Continent and Pacific.

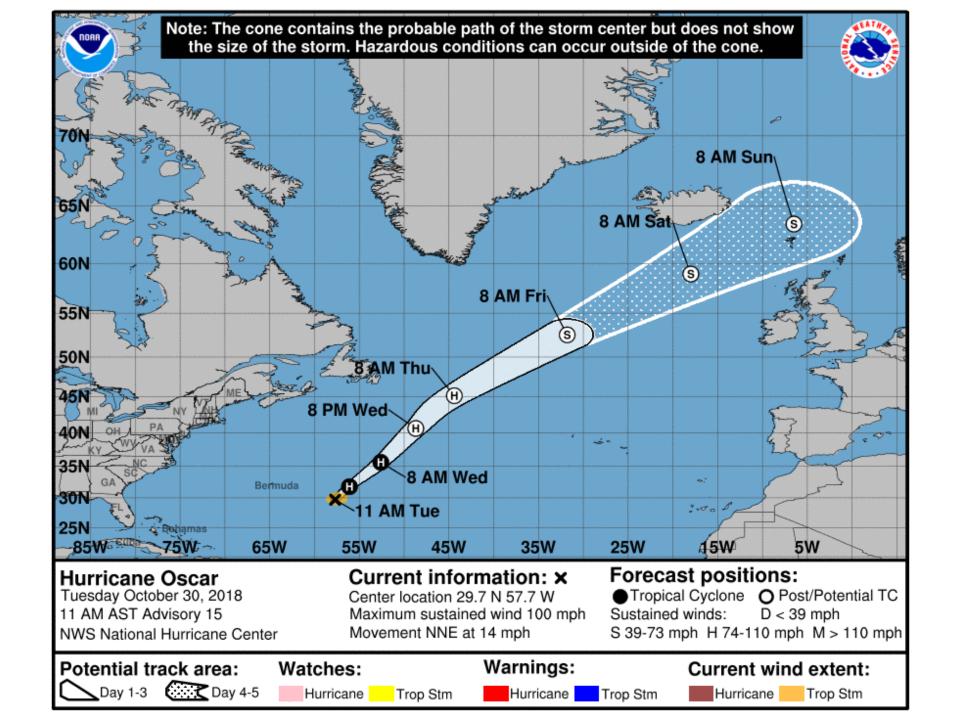


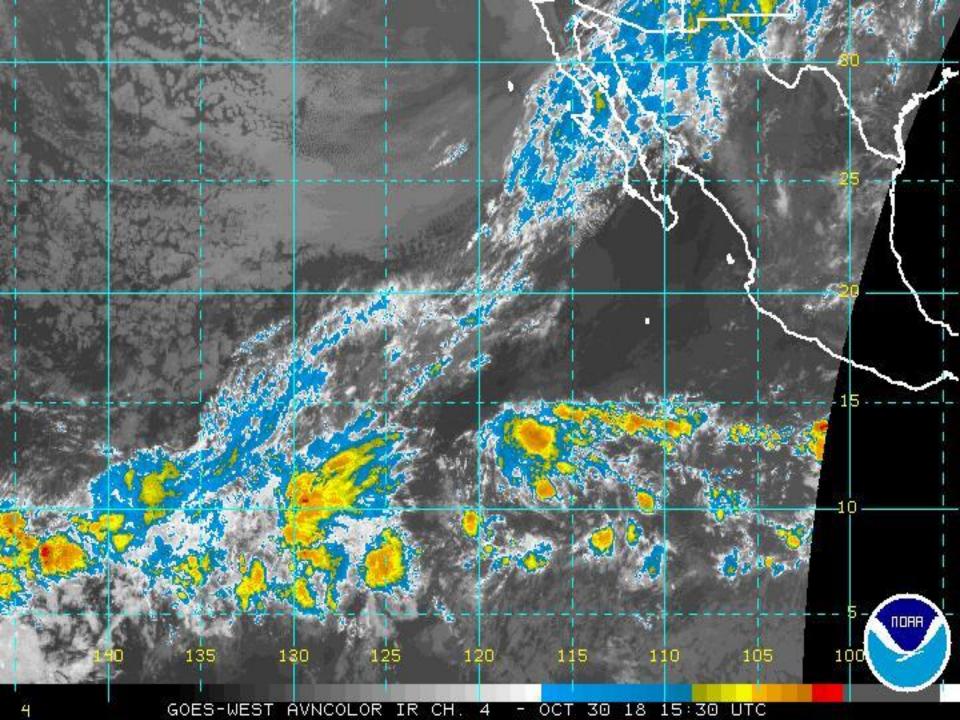
MJO Observation/Forecast



- GFS and ECMWF models are in good agreement for fast eastward propagation from Phases 8/1 to 3/4 by late Week-2.
- GFS model may have too much influence from a kelvin wave.



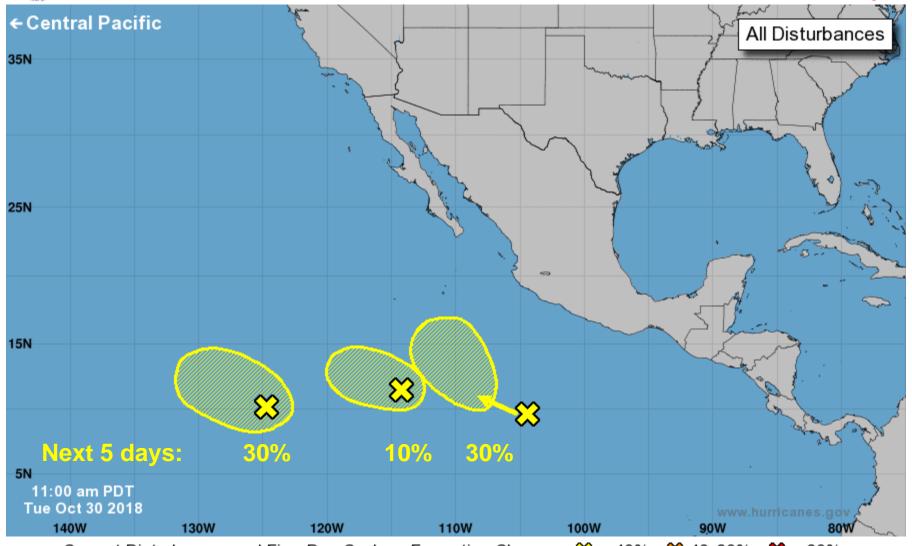






Five-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook

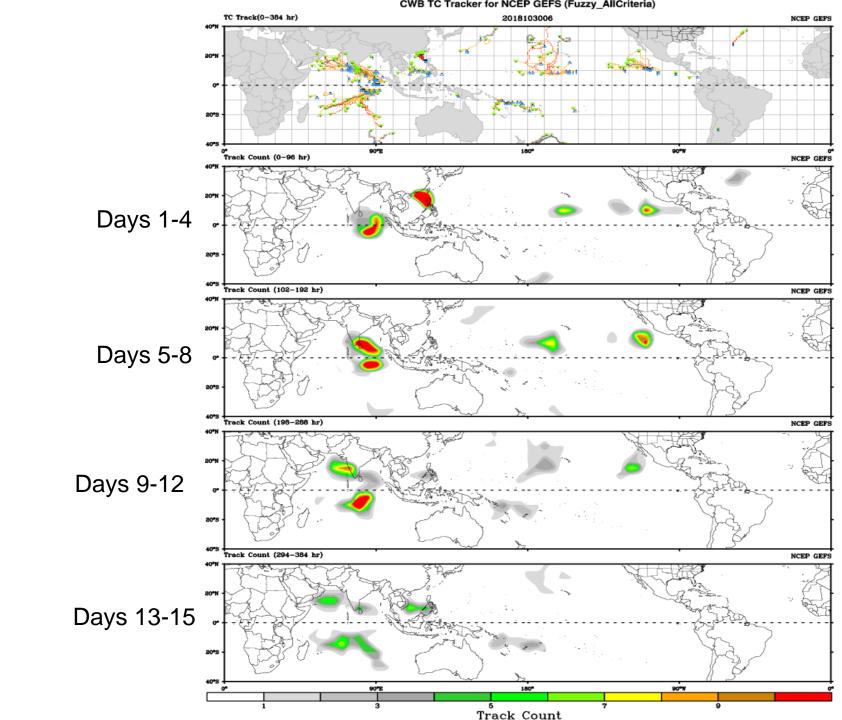
National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



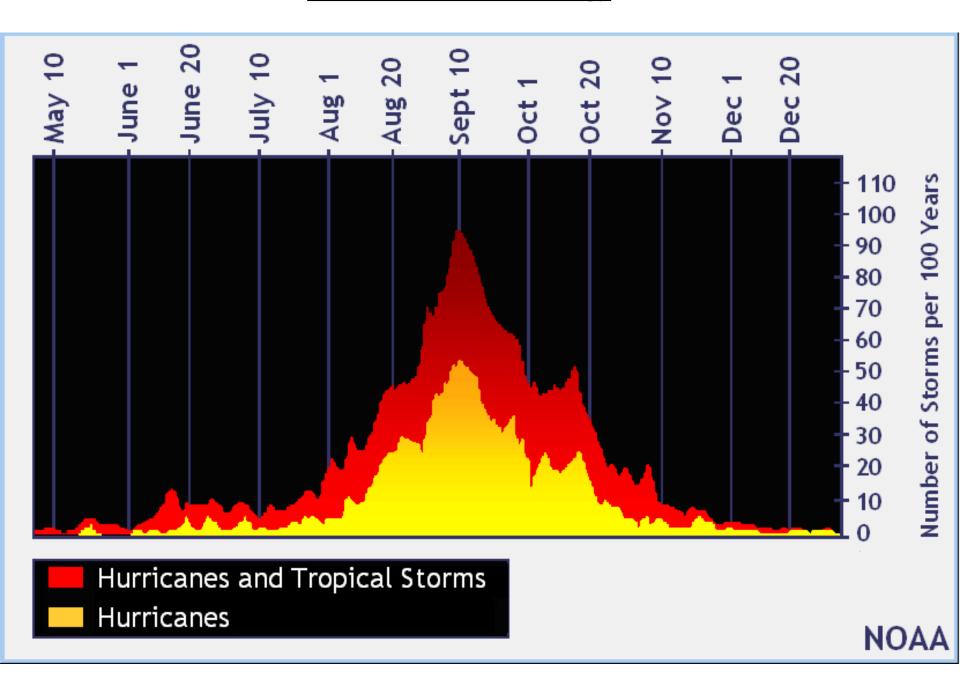
Current Disturbances and Five-Day Cyclone Formation Chance: 💢 < 40% **×** 40-60% **×** > 60%

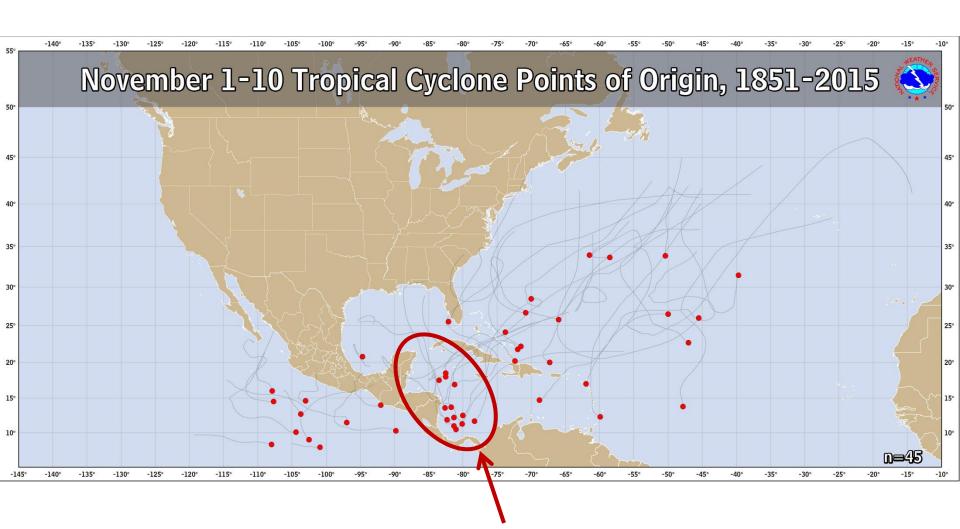
Tropical or Sub-Tropical Cyclone: O Depression 5 Storm 5 Hurricane

Post-Tropical Cyclone or Remnants



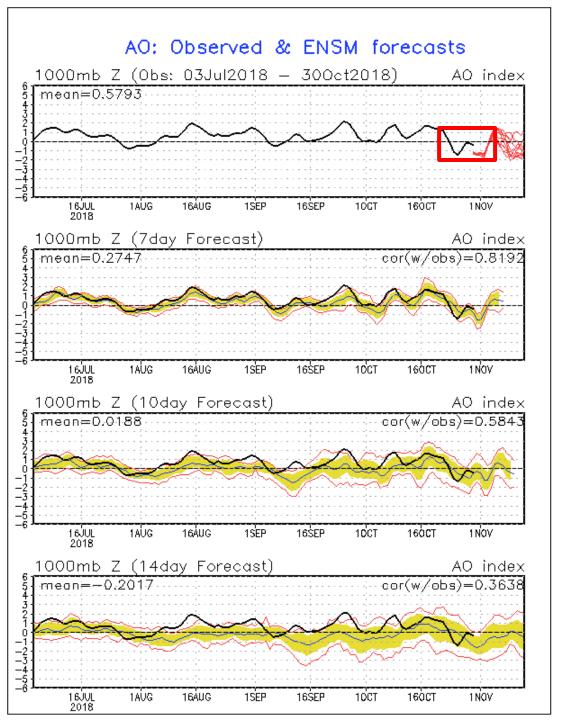
Atlantic Basin Climatology



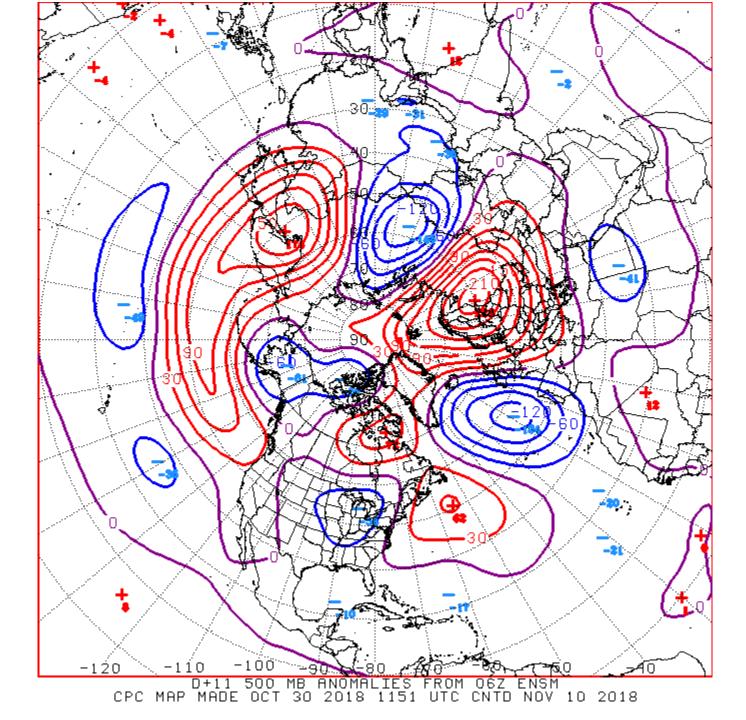


No sign of TC development in the typical hot spot during early Nov

Connections to U.S. Impacts

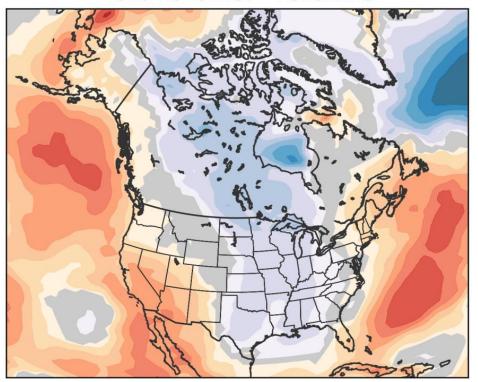


Major pattern change at mid to high latitudes of Northern Hemisphere



Week 2 – Temperature and Precipitation

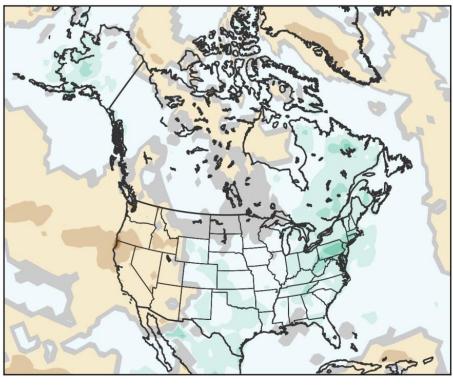
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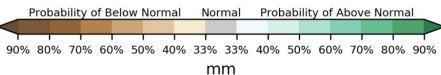


Probability of Below Normal Normal Probability of Above Normal
90% 80% 70% 60% 50% 40% 33% 33% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90%

degF

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