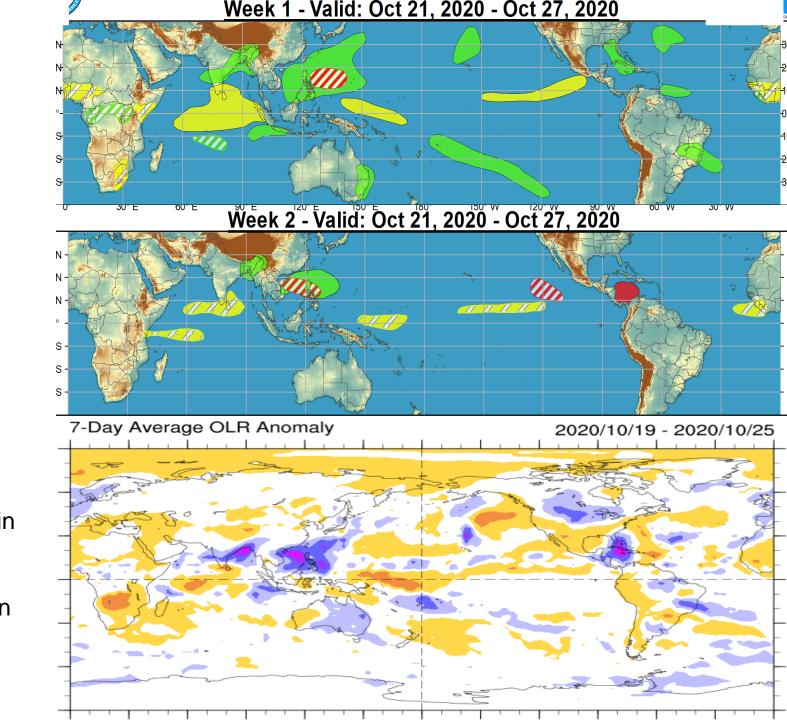
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<u>Outline</u>

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- 4. Connections to U.S. Impacts

Outlook Review



Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain

Synopsis of Climate Modes

ENSO: (8 October, 2020 Update) next update on 12th of Nov.!

- ENSO Alert System Status: <u>La Niña Advisory</u>
- La Niña is likely to continue through the Northern Hemisphere winter 2020-21 (~85% chance) and into spring 2021 (~60% chance during February-April).

MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

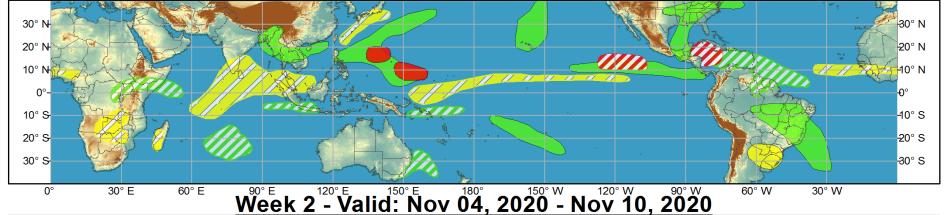
- The MJO signal remained pronounced in the wind field and upper-level velocity potential anomalies, but there has been little eastward propagation of the signal.
- Rossby wave and La Niña interference are likely playing a role in the blocked eastward progression.
- Dynamical models generally favor a fast propagation across the Pacific, with the MJO reaching the Western Hemisphere during Week-2
- The MJO may play a role in promoting additional tropical cyclogenesis over the western Caribbean and East Pacific.



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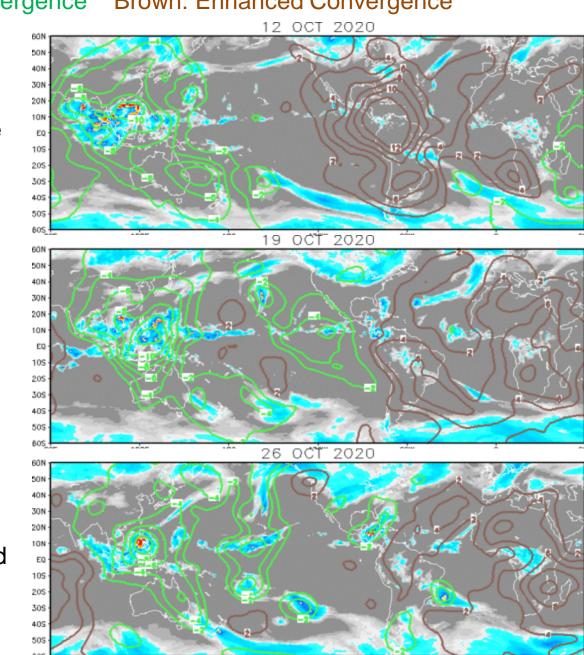
IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

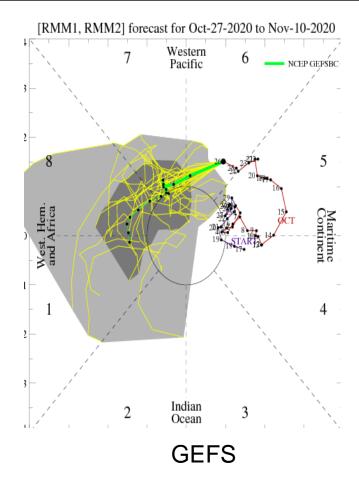
Fairly coherent MJO-like pattern, with the enhanced phase over the Indian Ocean.

Possible KW influence ahead of the MJO over the Pacific as the main signal crossed the Maritime Continent.

The strongest anomalies remain over the Maritime Continent (and in association with Typhoon Molave). Less eastward propagation.

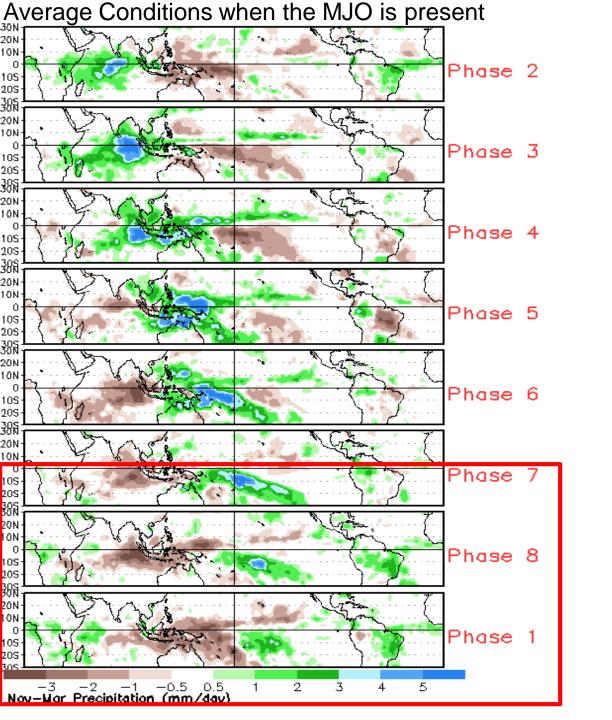


MJO Observation/Forecast



The GEFS depicts fast propagation across the Pacific, with the signal emerging over the Western Hemisphere during Week-2.

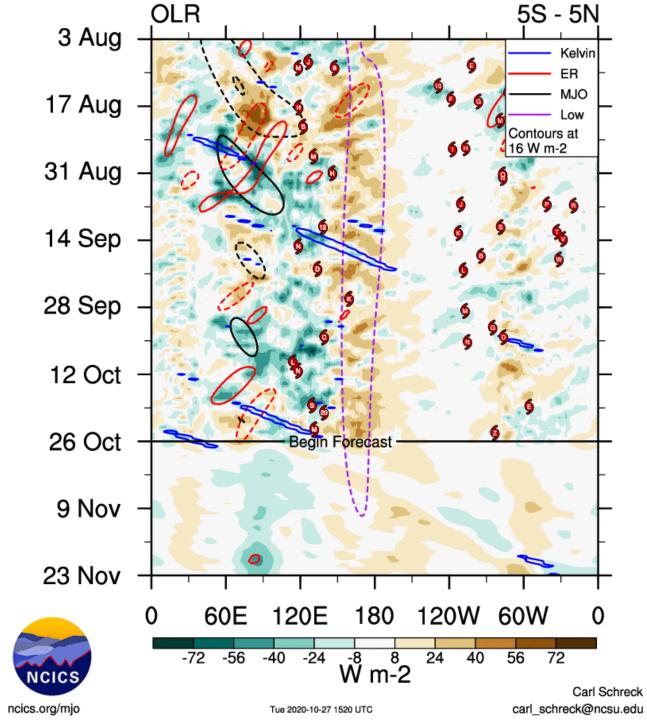
IT problems preventing other model diagrams from running, but model forecast fields from the ECMWF and Canadian also resemble a transition towards a Western Hemisphere MJO pattern.



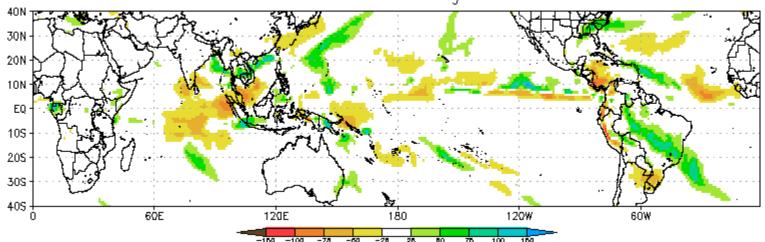
CAVEAT: These panels are representative of robust MJO events.

MJO activity is not coming through the filtering, but eastward propagation is visually evident.

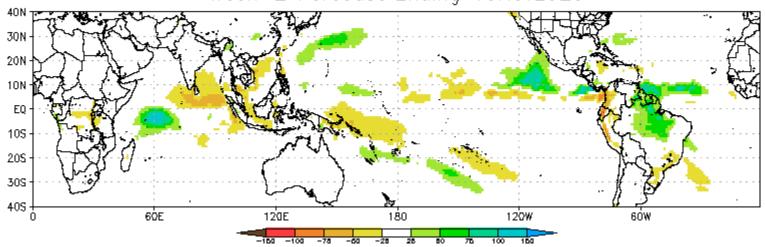
Low frequency contours depict ENSO cold conditions.



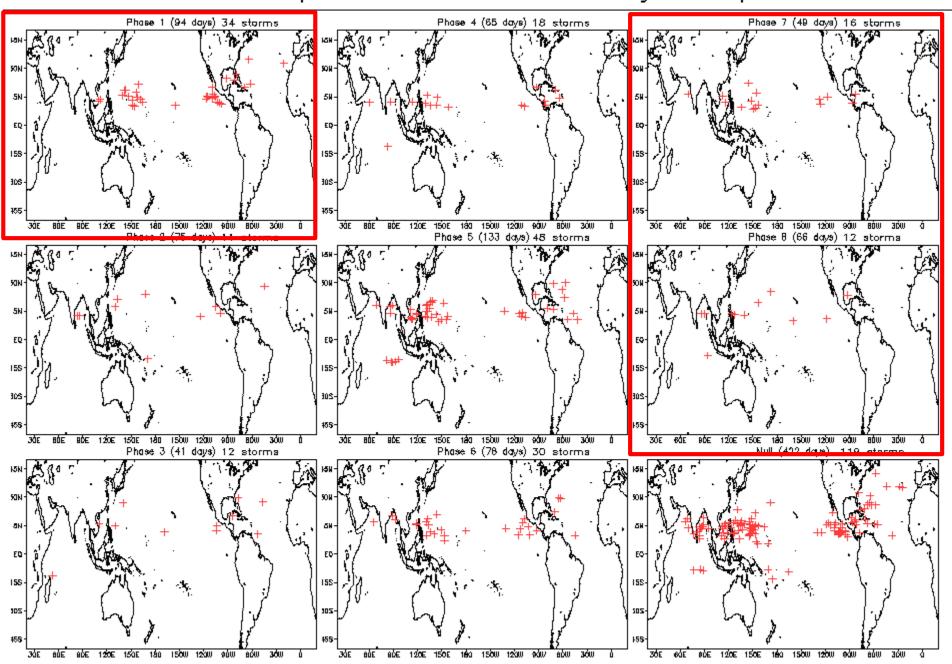
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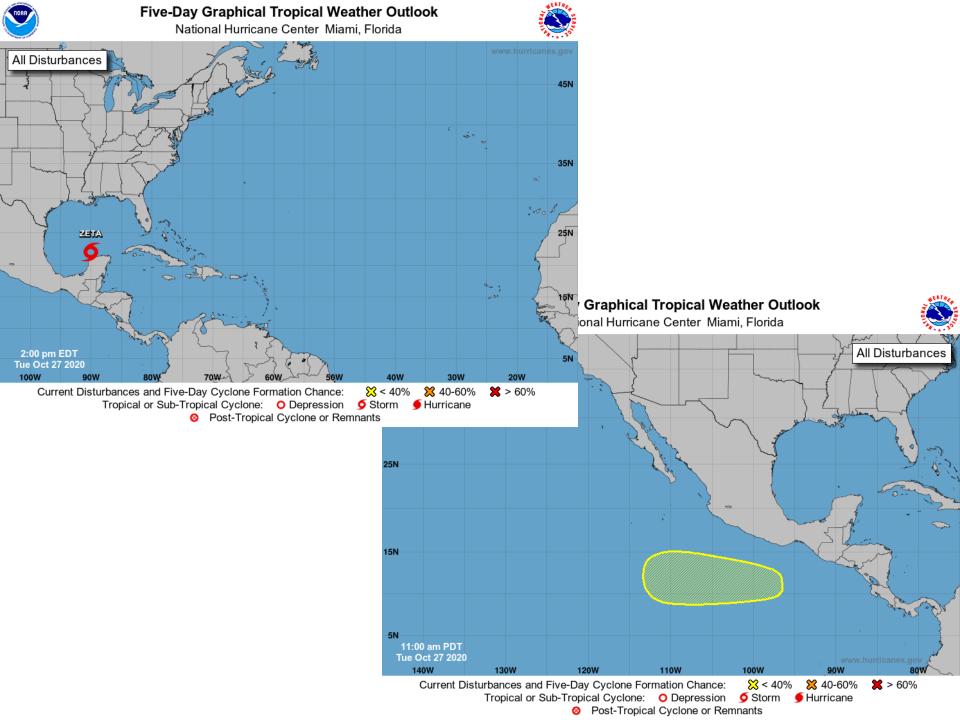


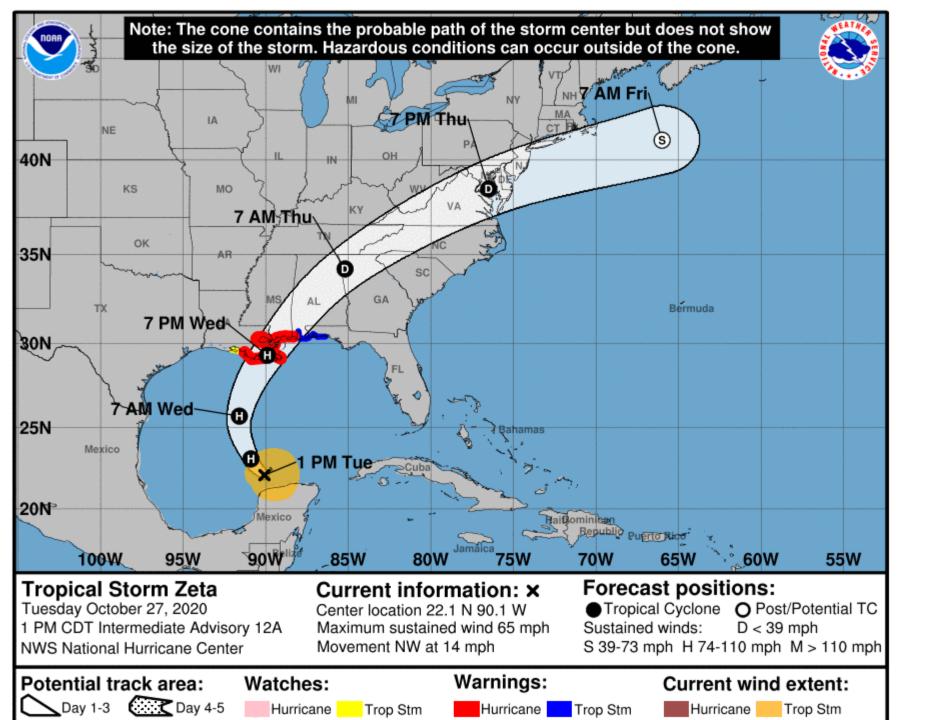
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October Tropical Storm Formation by MJO phase



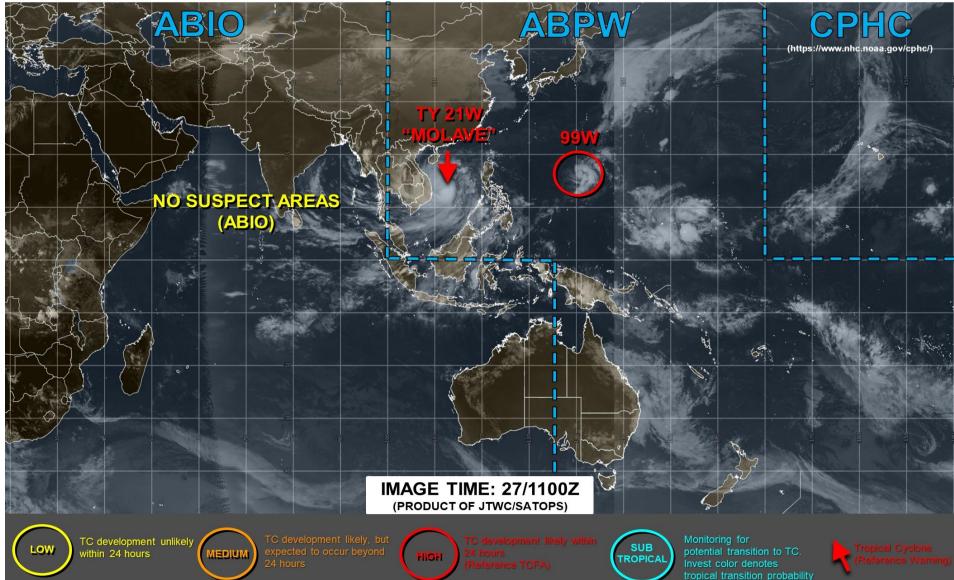




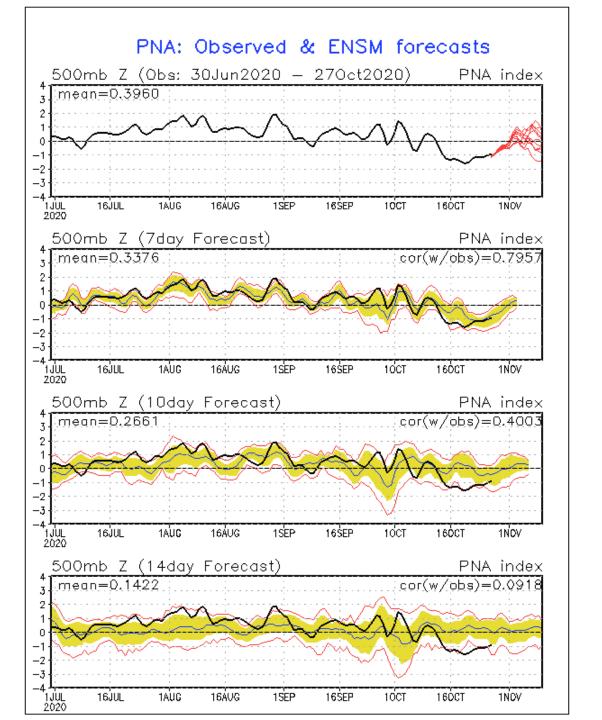


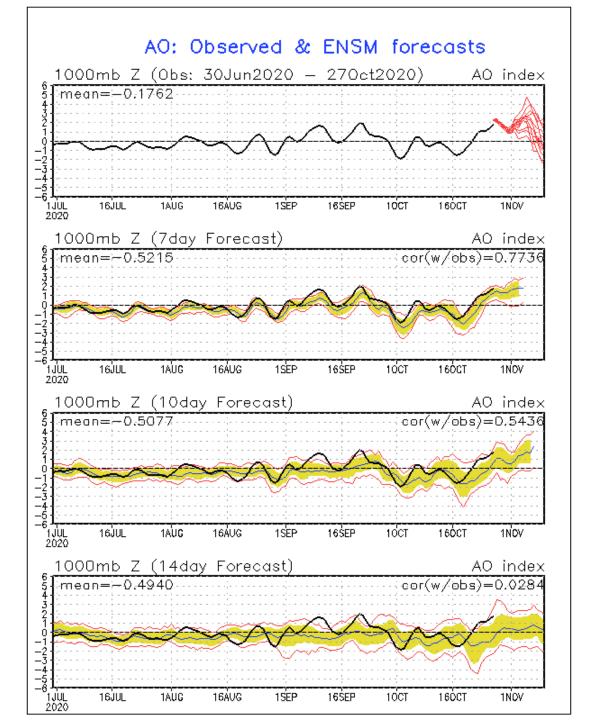
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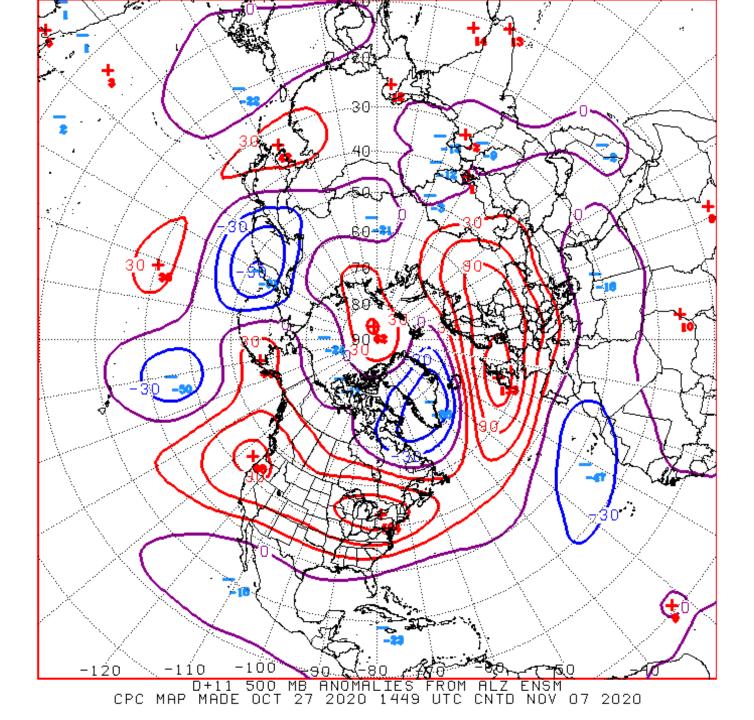




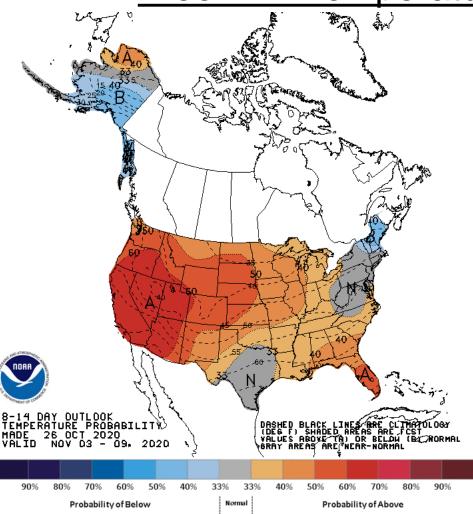
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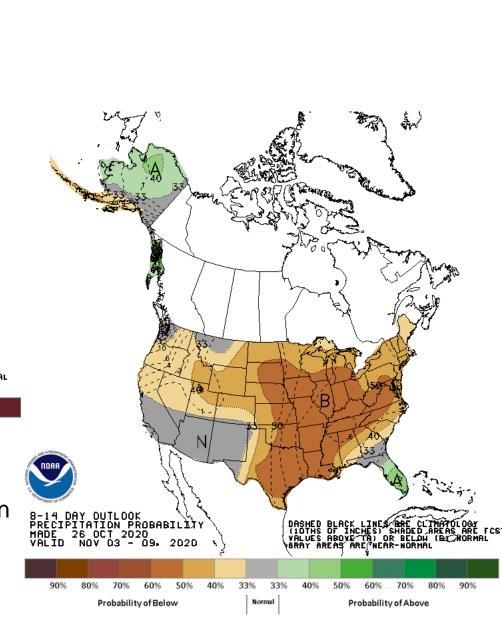




Week 2 - Temperature and Precipitation



Since we are in an amplified, stable pattern today's outlooks are likely to be similar.

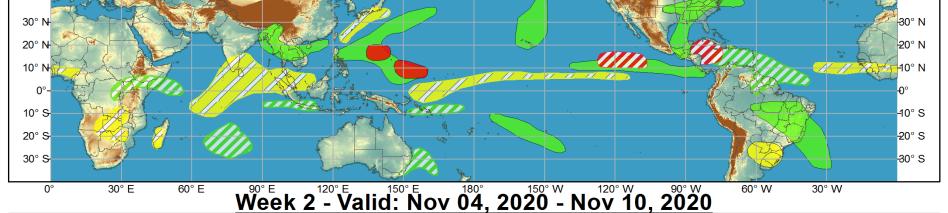




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