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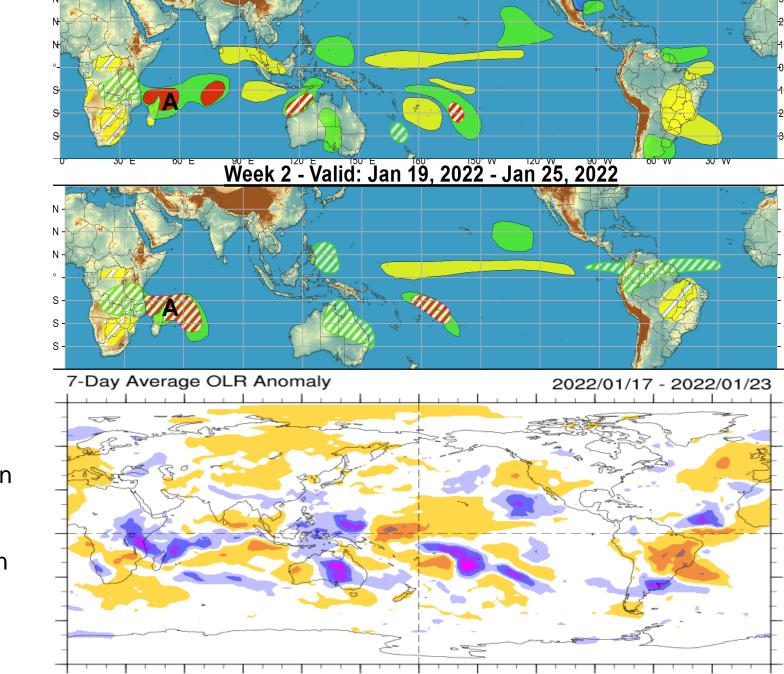
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Outline

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

Outlook Review

TCs formed: Ana (1/22)



<u>Week 1 - Valid: Jan 19, 2022 - Jan 25, 2022</u>

Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain

Synopsis of Climate Modes

ENSO: (January 13, 2022 Update)

next update on 10th of Feb.!

- ENSO Alert System Status: <u>La Niña Advisory</u>
- La Niña is likely to continue into the Northern Hemisphere spring (67% chance during MAM 2022) and then transition to ENSO-neutral (51% during AMJ 2022)

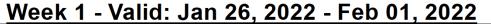
MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

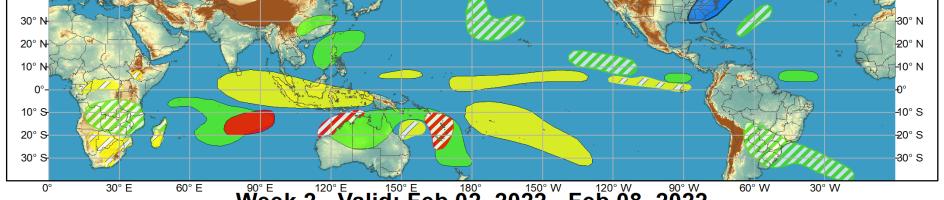
- Following an eastward propagating Madden Julian Oscillation (MJO) across the western and central Pacific during December and early January, the RMM-based MJO index has retreated into the unit circle.
- Dynamical model ensembles exhibit large variability regarding the evolution of the MJO during the next two weeks, with some increasing amplitude in the intraseasonal signal possible across the Indian Ocean or Maritime Continent by the end of week-2.
- Tropical Cyclone development continues to be favored across the southern Indian Ocean and the southwest Pacific, tied to enhanced Rossby Wave Activity.



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Week 2 - Valid: Feb 02, 2022 - Feb 08, 2022



Confidence High Moderate Produced: 01/25/2022

Forecaster: Collow

Tropical Cyclone Formation Development of a tropical cyclone (tropical depression - TD, or greater strength).

Above-average rainfall Weekly total rainfall in the upper third of the historical range.

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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Below-average rainfall

Above-normal temperatures

Below-normal temperatures













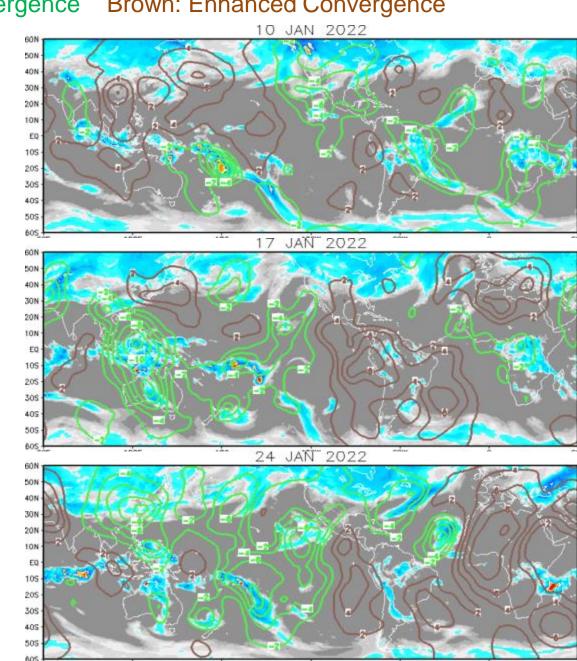
IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

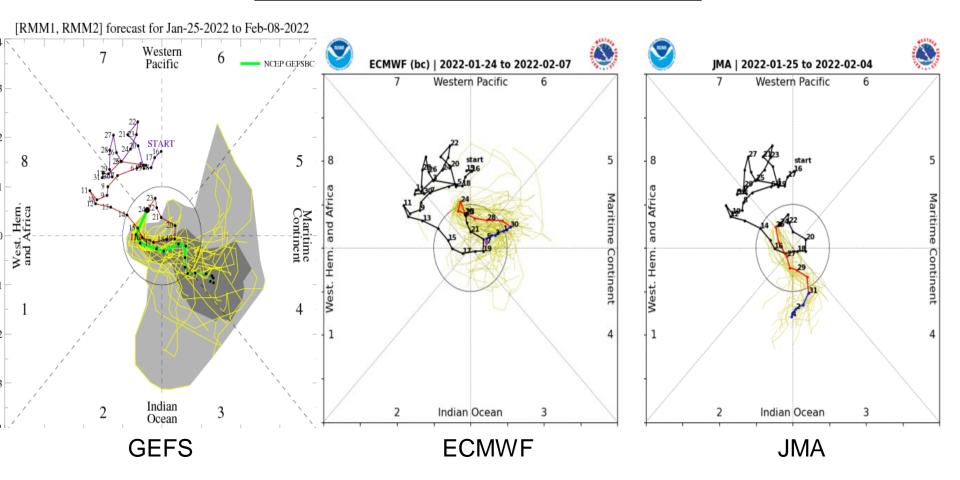
Largely incoherent spatial pattern observed in the upper level velocity potential (VP) field as the MJO signal weakens.

Enhanced convection developed across the Maritime Continent and Australia, with the VP field generally remaining incoherent elsewhere.

Some evidence of a wave-1 asymmetry pattern trying to develop, but still several localized extrema suggestive of contributions from higher frequency modes of tropical and extratropical variability.



MJO Observation/Forecast



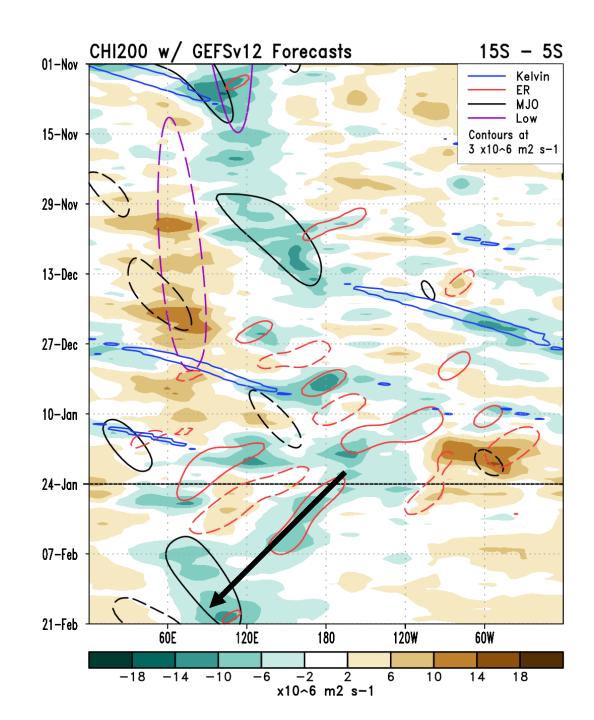
There is large ensemble variability in the GEFS and ECMWF, with a meandering MJO signal forecast during the next two weeks.

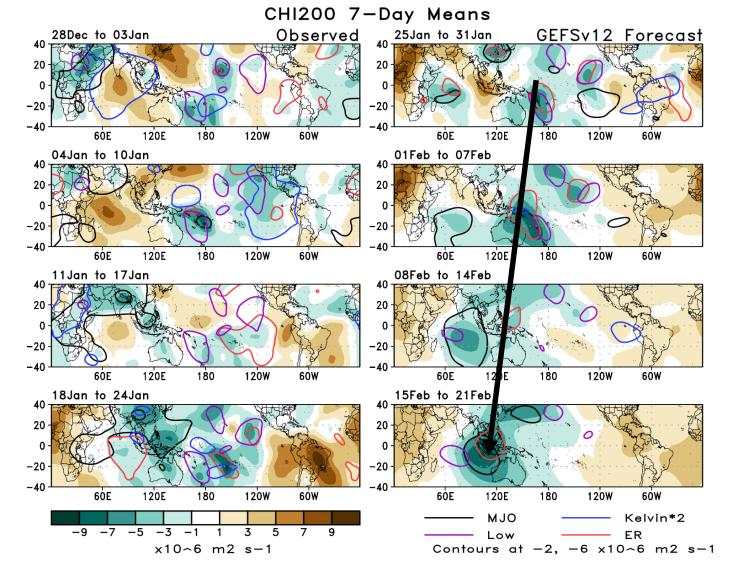
The dynamical models indicate some evidence of a reemergence of the intraseasonal signal around the end of January (JMA over the eastern Indian Ocean; GEFS and ECMWF over the Maritime Continent).

MJO activity has generally been weak and incoherent, with several higher frequency modes of tropical variability coming through the filtering in the velocity potential field.

Rossby Wave activity over the southern Indian Ocean likely promoted tropical cyclone development, and continues to enhance convection across the southwest Pacific.

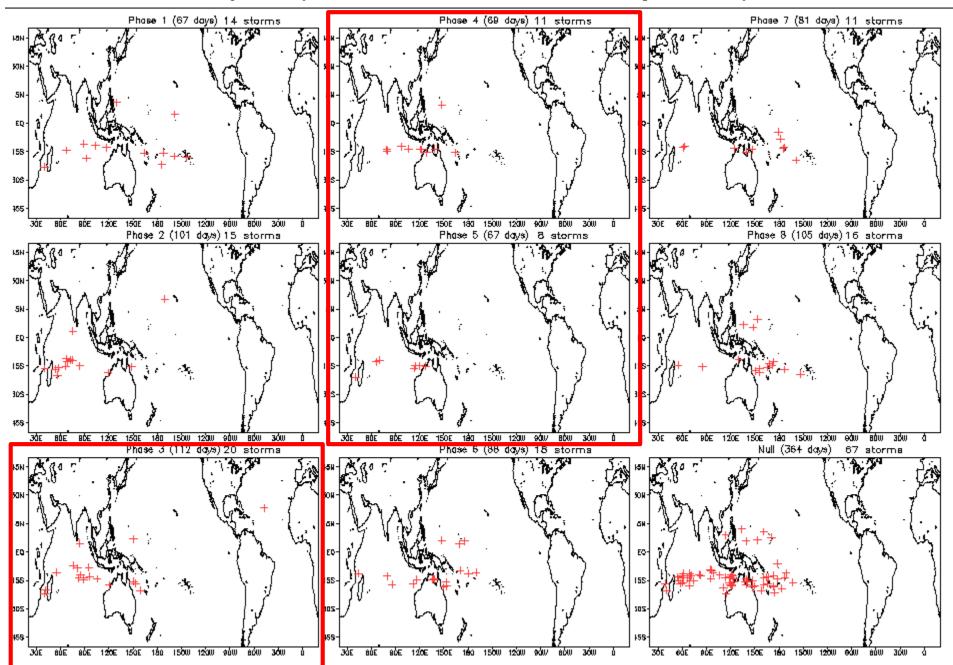
Retrogression of the enhanced convection favored during next few weeks; possible redevelopment of the **MJO** by the end of week-2.





Westward expansion of the enhanced convective signal is depicted during the next 2-3 weeks, consistent with a possible reemergence of the MJO across the Maritime Continent or eastern Indian Ocean, along with a return to typical La Niña conditions following its disruption by the MJO event during the past month.

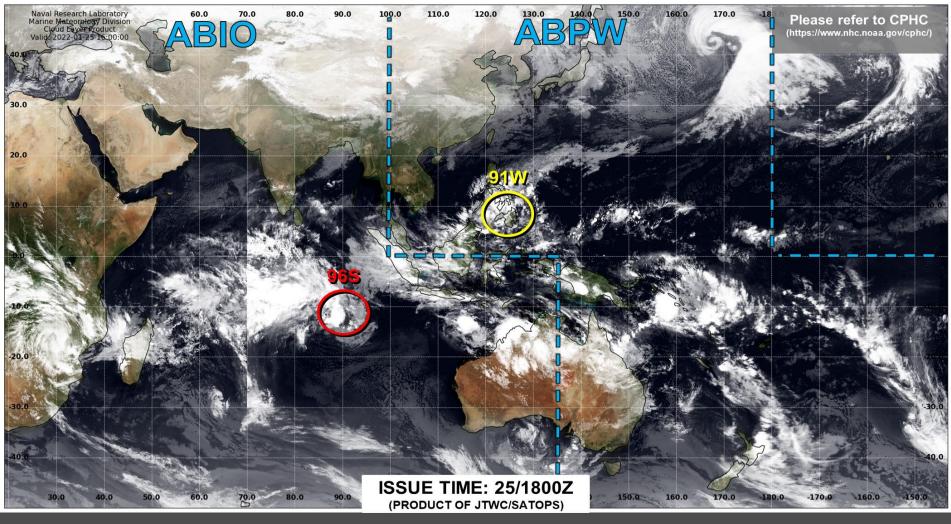
January Tropical Storm Formation by MJO phase





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TC development unlikely within 24 hours



TC development likely, but expected to occur beyond 24 hours

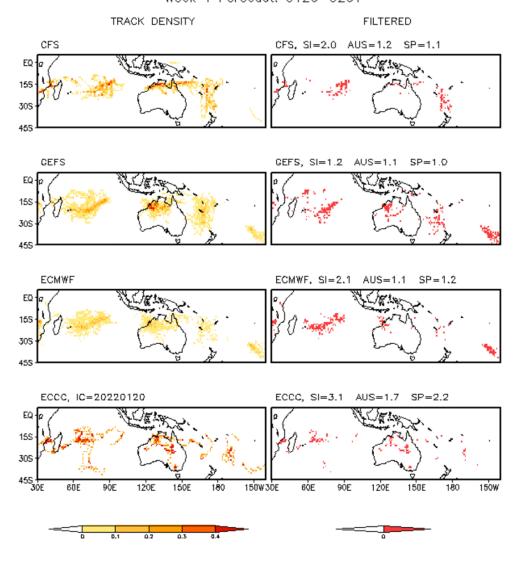




Monitoring for potential transition to TC. Invest label color denotes tropical transition probability

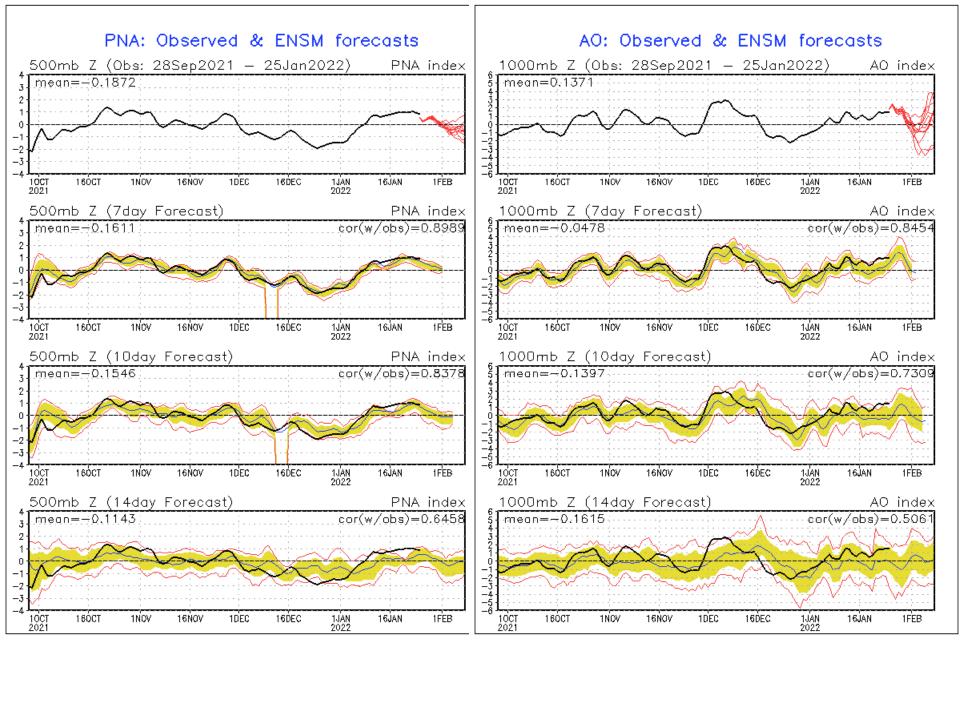


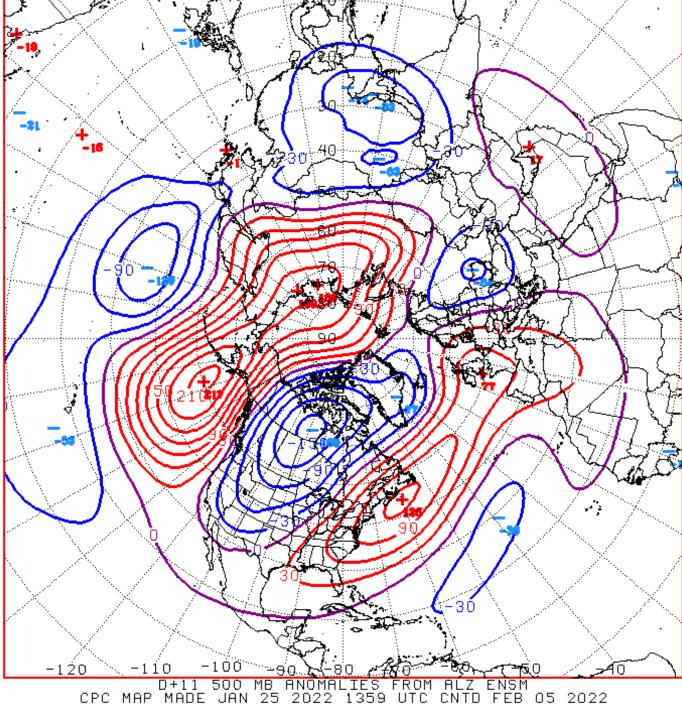
Storm Track Density Distribution, IC=20220124 Week 1 Forecast: 0126-0201



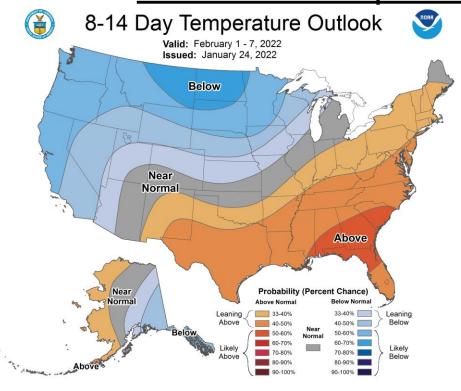
- Good model agreement regarding TC development over southern Indian Ocean (96S).
- ECMWF and GEFS indicate a
 disturbance near the
 northwest coast of Australia
 that may develop into a TC
 during the next week, with
 uncertainty as to whether or
 not this system will develop off
 the coast or inland over
 Australia.
- CFS and GEFS indicate TC development near the South-Pacific Convergence Zone

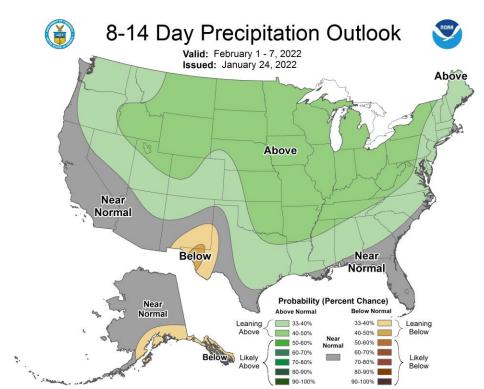
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Week 2 - Temperature and Precipitation



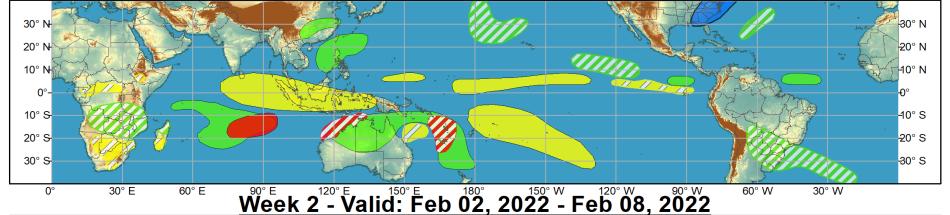


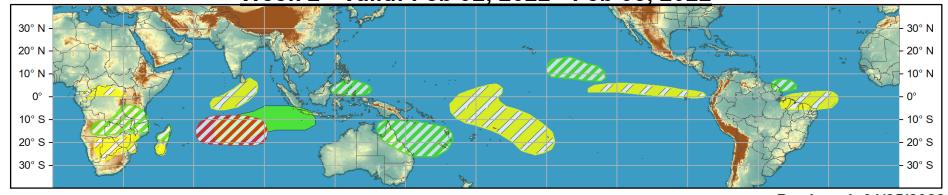
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