# **Global Tropics Hazards And Benefits Outlook**

## 7/26/2022

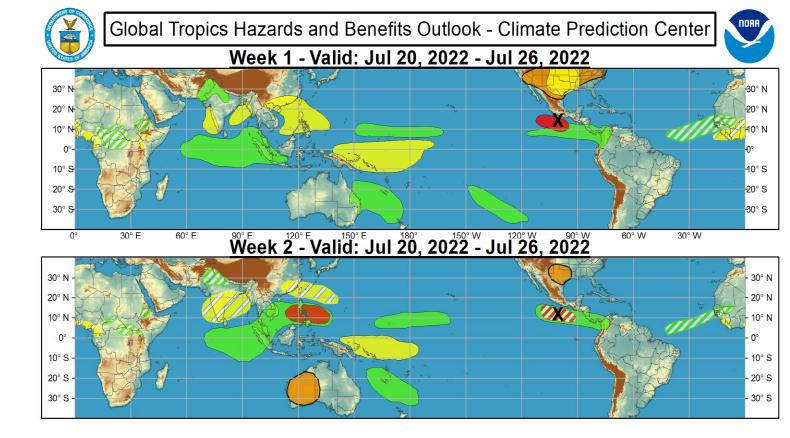
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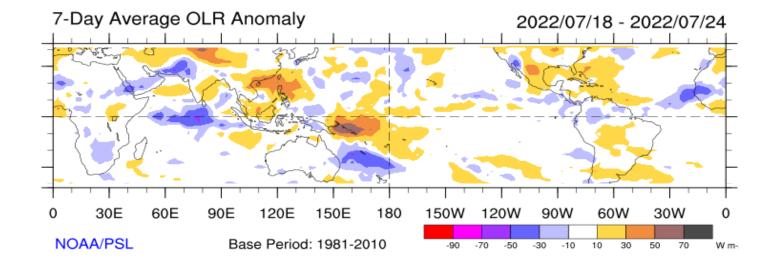


X= Tropical Storm Frank (East Pacific)



Cool shading More clouds/rain

Warm shading Less clouds/rain



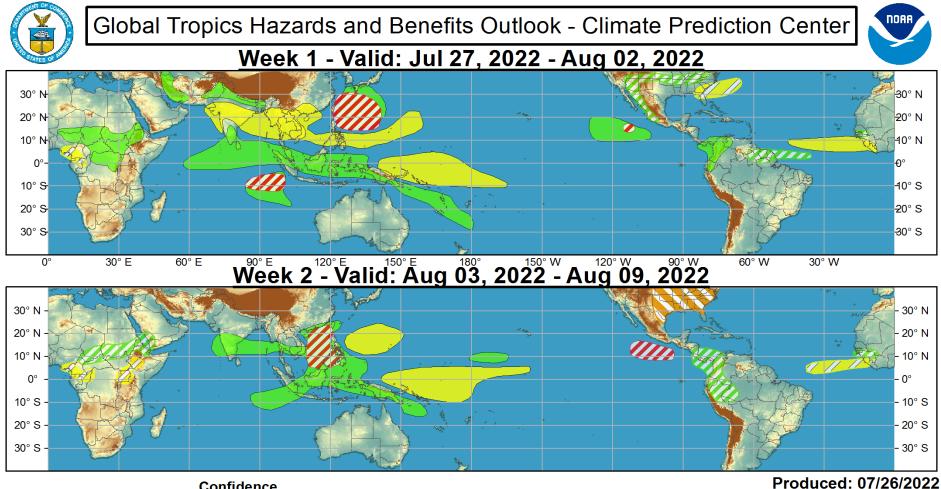
# Synopsis of Climate Modes

### ENSO: (14 July, 2022 Update) next update on 11<sup>th</sup> of Aug.!

- ENSO Alert System Status: <u>La Niña Advisory</u>
- La Niña is favored to continue through 2022 with the odds for La Niña decreasing into the Northern Hemisphere late summer (60% chance in July-September 2022) before increasing through the Northern Hemisphere fall and early winter 2022 (62-66% chance).

### MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

- Following a period of weakening over the Pacific, there appears to be a rapid transition of the intraseasonal signal back to the Indian Ocean.
- Kelvin wave activity continues to modulate the overall pattern.
- Dynamical model forecasts suggest renewed MJO activity crossing the Indian Ocean and Maritime Continent over the next two weeks, somewhat out of phase from the previous event.
- There is a potential for unusual tropical cyclone development over the southeastern Indian Ocean.



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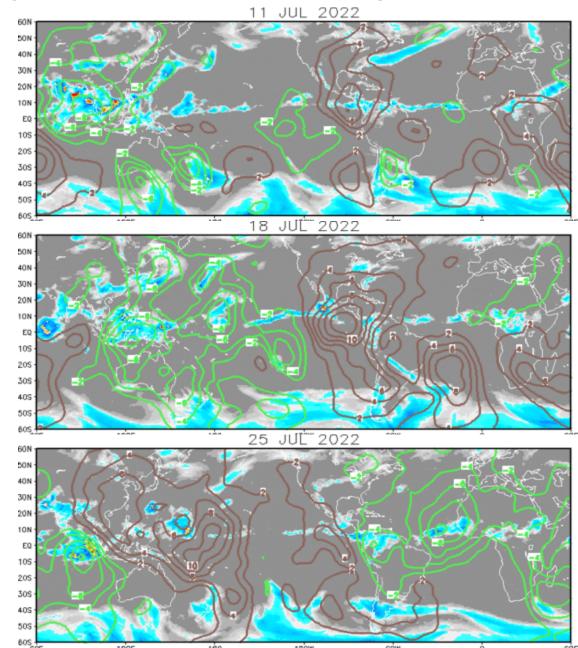
### **IR Satellite & 200-hpa Velocity Potential Anomalies**

Green: Enhanced Divergence Brown: Enhanced Convergence

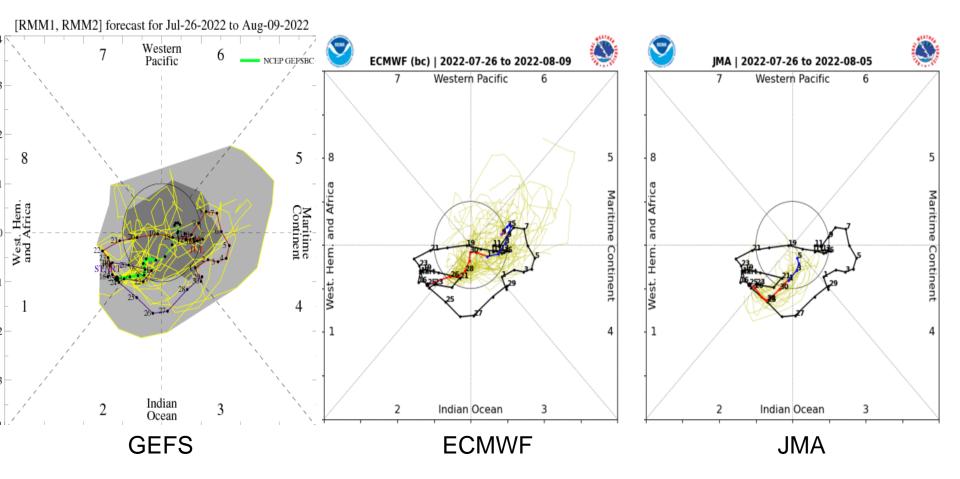
The MJO signal began to break down as the enhanced phase destructively interfered with the Pacific La Niña response.

Kelvin wave activity crossed the Pacific, bringing some enhancement despite the strong trade wind regime.

More recently, there has been a rapid shift of the pattern towards Africa and the Indian Ocean.



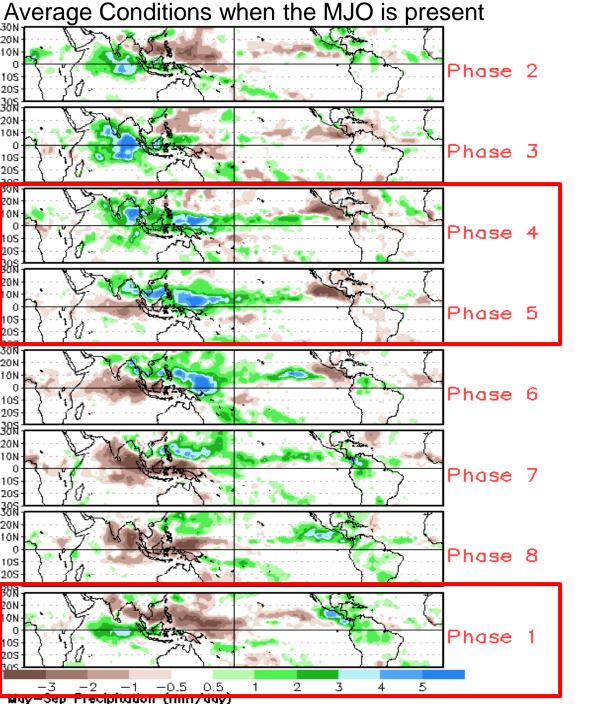
## **MJO Observation/Forecast**



GEFS is your all-in-one everything you may want or not forecast solution (high uncertainty).

ECMWF ensembles generally favor a rapid progression to the Maritime Continent over the next two weeks.

The JMA forecast only goes out 1-week, but is broadly similar to the ECMWF.

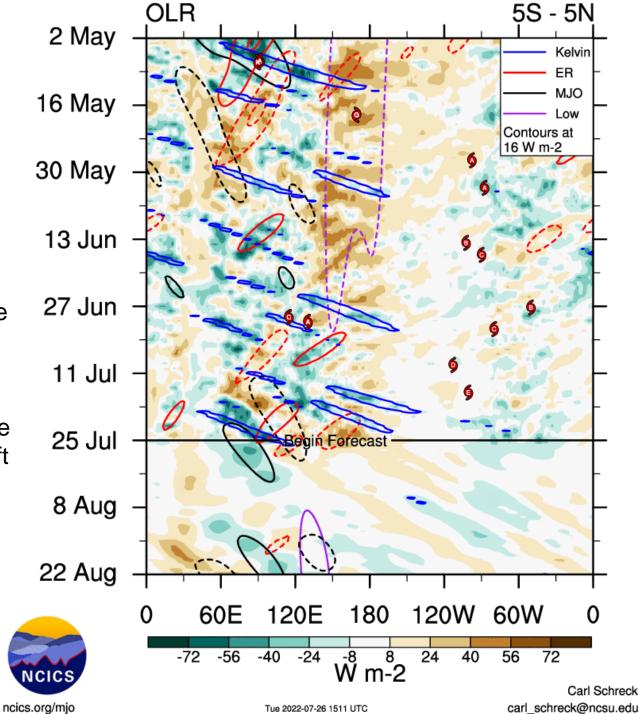


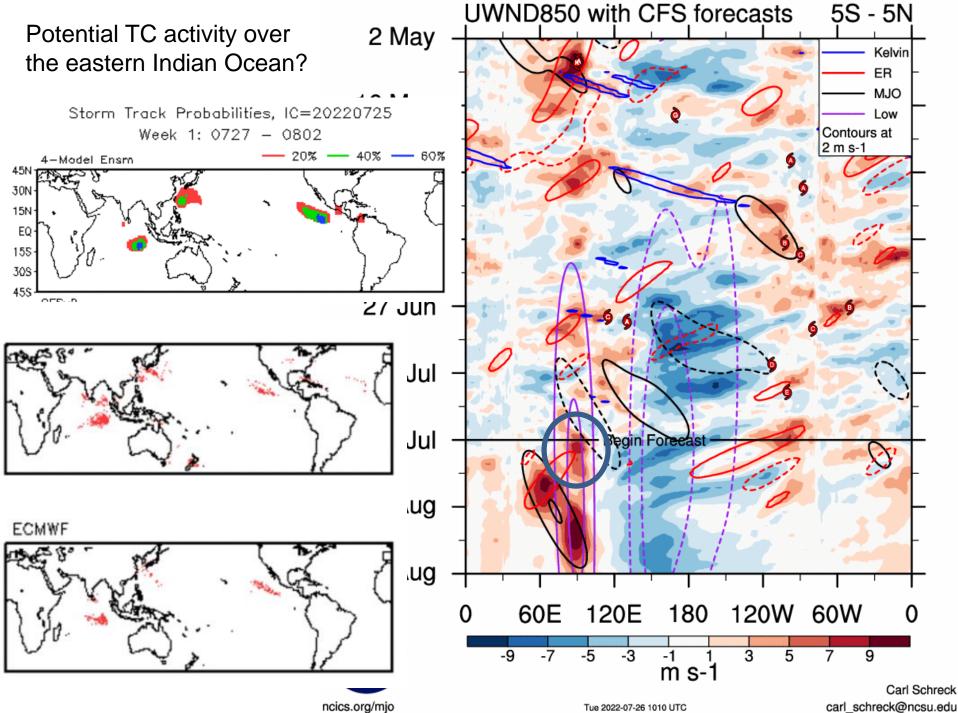
CAVEAT: These panels are representative of robust MJO events.

**MJO** activity is coming through the filtering near the eastern IO and Maritime Continent.

Kelvin wave activity may be contributing to the rapid shift in the pattern over the eastern Indian Ocean.

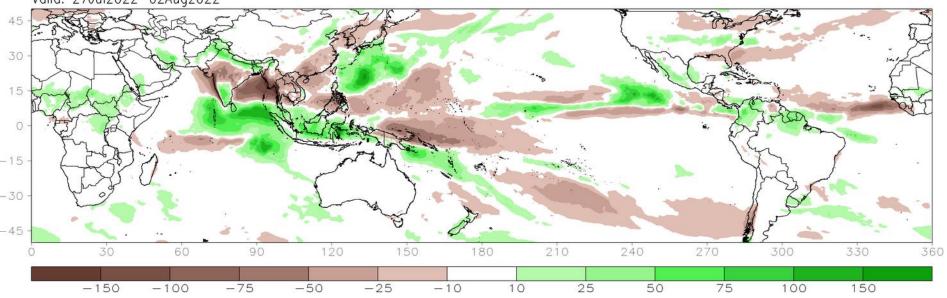
Low frequency contours depict ENSO cold conditions.



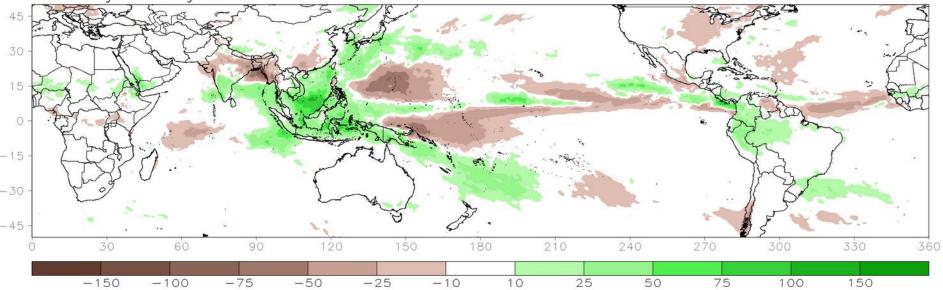


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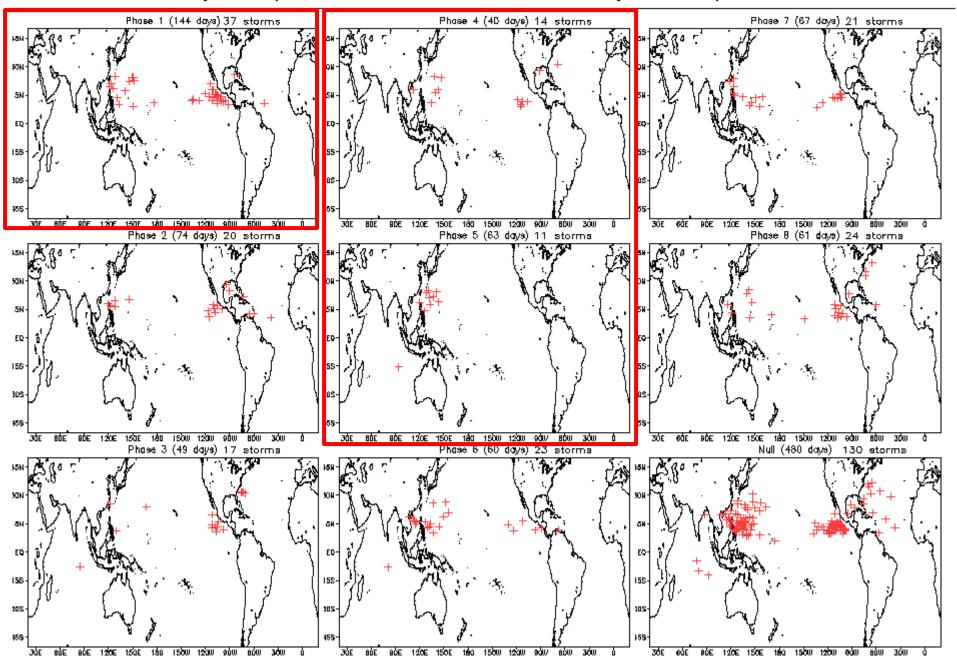
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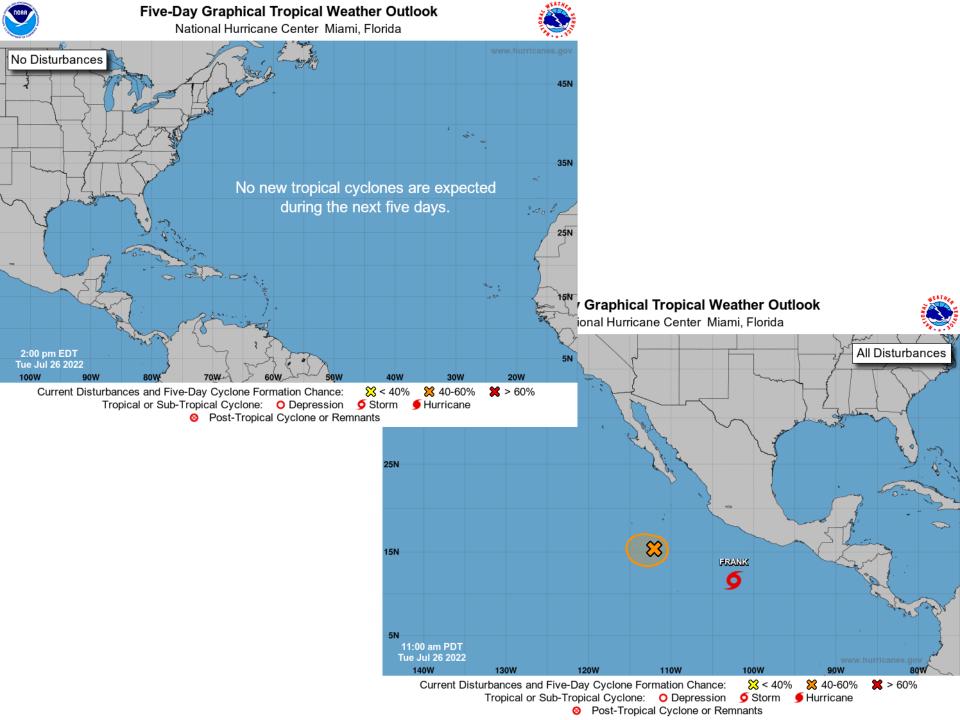


GEFSv12 00z Ensemble Mean: Week2 Total Rainfall Anomaly (mm) Valid: 03Aug2022-09Aug2022



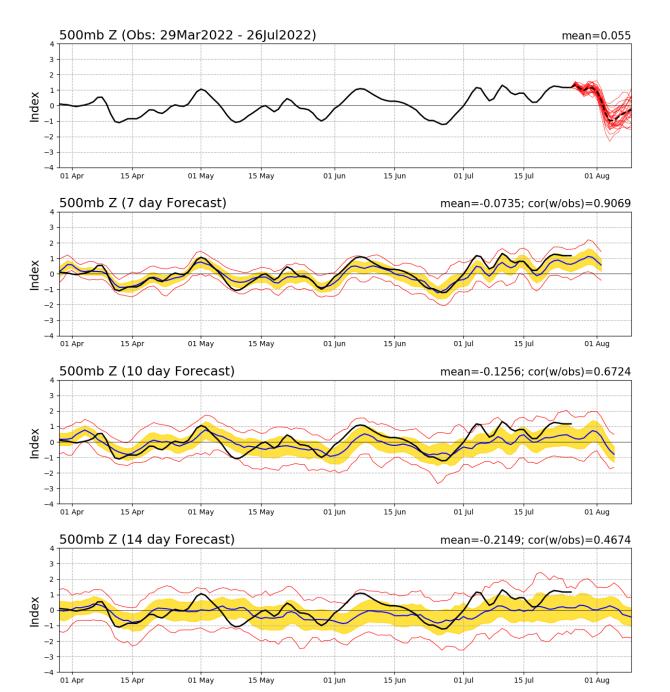
### July Tropical Storm Formation by MJO phase



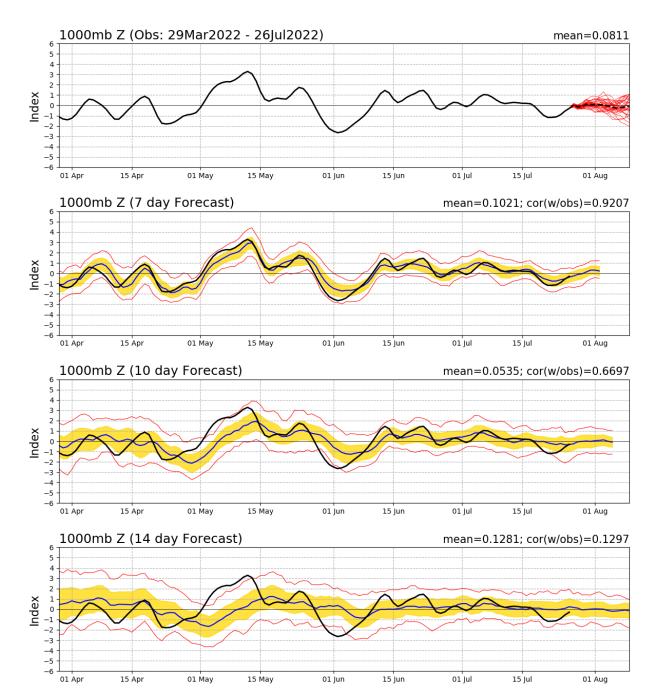


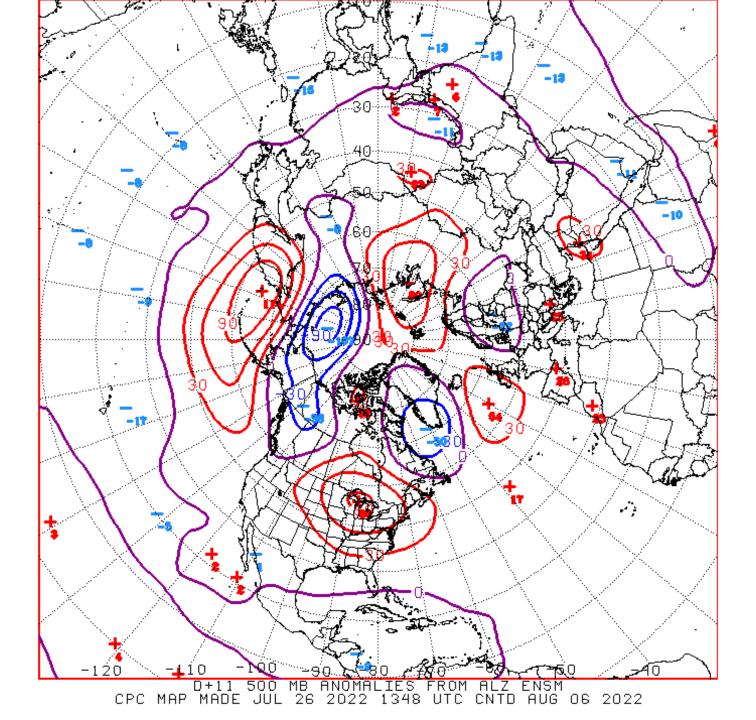
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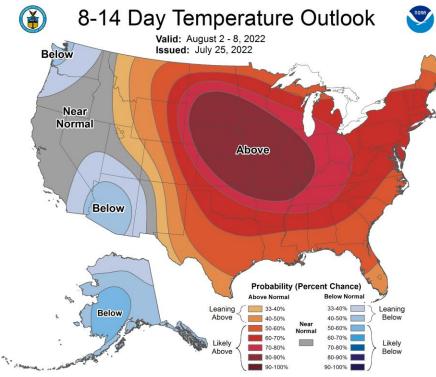


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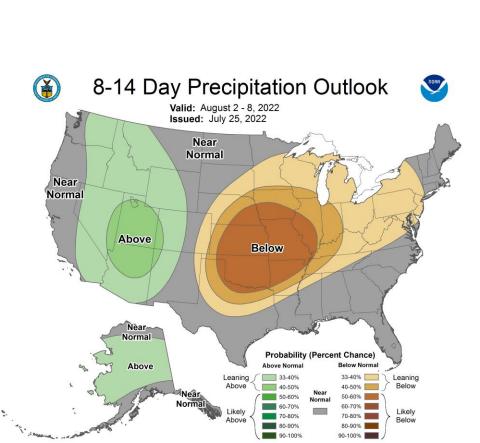


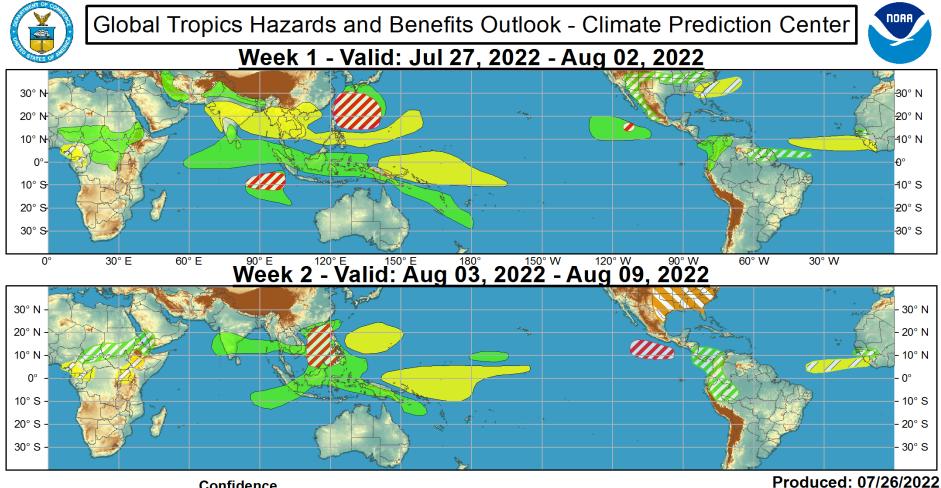


### Week 2 – Temperature and Precipitation



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





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