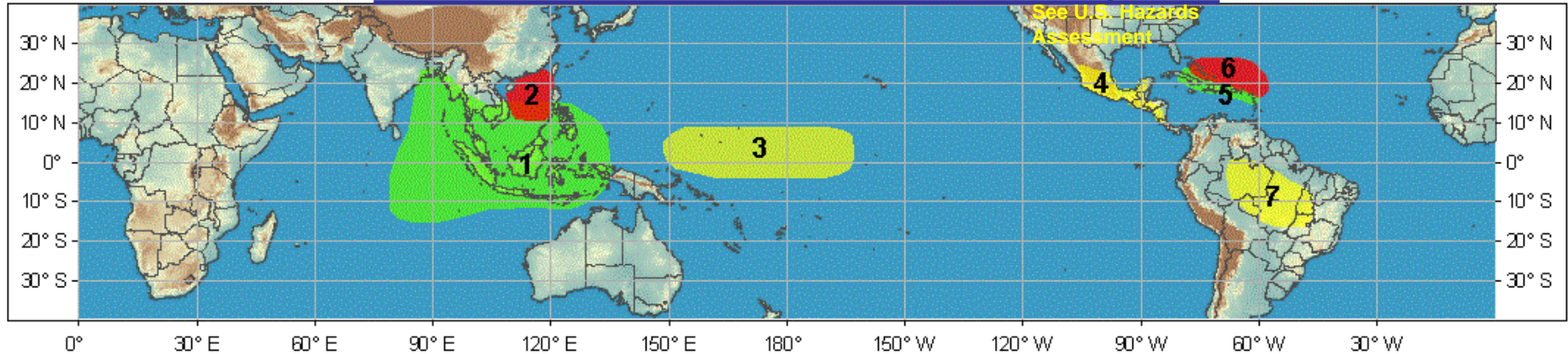




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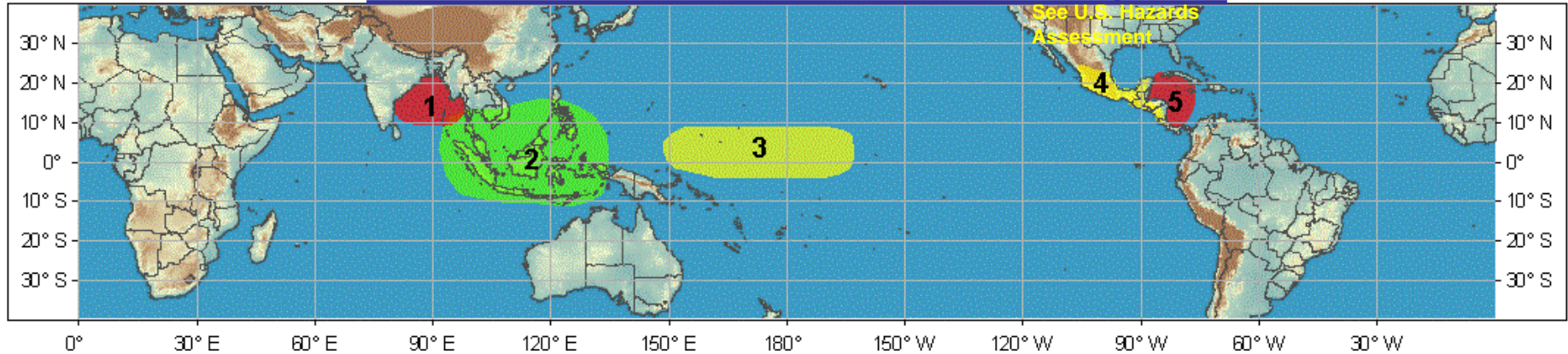
Synopsis:

- 1. An increased chance for above-average rainfall for the Bay of Bengal, eastern Indian Ocean, and Maritime Continent.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO, La Niña conditions, and numerical forecast guidance support enhanced rainfall in this region. **Confidence: High**
- 2. An increased chance for tropical cyclogenesis across the South China Sea.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO and numerical weather forecast guidance support the potential for tropical development during the period. **Confidence: Moderate**
- 3. An increased chance for below-average rainfall for the west-central Pacific Ocean.** La Niña conditions and numerical weather forecast guidance support an increased chance for suppressed convection in the region. **Confidence: High**
- 4. An increased chance for below-average rainfall for southern Mexico and Central America.** The suppressed phase of the MJO and numerical forecast guidance support suppressed rainfall in this region. **Confidence: High**
- 5. An increased chance for above-average rainfall for the central and eastern Caribbean islands.** A tropical disturbance currently located over the Leeward Islands is expected to move to the northwest and enhance rainfall in the region. **Confidence: Moderate**
- 6. An increased chance for tropical cyclogenesis in the western Atlantic Ocean.** A tropical disturbance is currently located in the northeast Caribbean Sea over the Leeward Islands, and model guidance favors an increased threat of development in this region. **Confidence: High**
- 7. An increased chance for below-average rainfall for central South America.** Numerical model guidance indicates suppressed convection resulting in a delayed onset to the South American monsoon. **Confidence: High**



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Week 2 Outlook – Valid: October 12-18, 2010



Synopsis:

- 1. An increased chance for tropical cyclogenesis in the Bay of Bengal.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO favors the potential for tropical cyclone development. **Confidence: Low**
- 2. An increased chance for above-average rainfall over the Maritime Continent.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO, La Niña conditions, and numerical forecast guidance favor enhanced rainfall in the region. **Confidence: High**
- 3. An increased chance for below-average rainfall for the west-central Pacific Ocean.** La Niña conditions and numerical weather forecast guidance support suppressed rainfall in this region. **Confidence: High**
- 4. An increased chance for below-average rainfall in southern Mexico and Central America.** The suppressed phase of the MJO and numerical forecast guidance supports suppressed rainfall in this region during the period. **Confidence: High**
- 5. An increased chance for tropical cyclogenesis in the western Caribbean Sea.** Above average sea surface temperatures and model guidance favor an increased threat of development in this region. **Confidence: Moderate**