Synopsis:

1. **An increased chance for below-average rainfall for the equatorial Indian Ocean.** Drier-than-average conditions associated with the entering suppressed convective phase of the MJO signal favors suppressed rainfall in this region especially towards the end of this period. **Confidence: Moderate**

2. **An increased chance for tropical cyclogenesis in the Bay of Bengal.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO signal favors an elevated potential for tropical cyclone development early in the period. **Confidence: Moderate**

3. **An increased chance for above-average rainfall for the Bay of Bengal, Southeast Asia, the Maritime Continent, the western Pacific and Australia.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO, La Niña conditions, and numerical forecast guidance support enhanced rainfall in this region. **Confidence: High**

4. **An increased chance for tropical cyclogenesis across the northwest Pacific Ocean.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO signal and numerical weather forecast guidance support the potential for tropical development during the period. **Confidence: High**

5. **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**

6. **An increased chance for below-average rainfall for southern Mexico and Central America.** The suppressed convective phase of the MJO signal and numerical forecast guidance support suppressed rainfall 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: Moderate**

**ACTIVE TROPICAL CYCLONES:**

Caribbean Sea; Tropical Storm Paula (16.4N, 84.3W) ➔ Consult updates from the National Hurricane Center

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Synopsis:

1. **An increased chance for below-average rainfall for the equatorial Indian Ocean.** Drier-than-average conditions associated with the suppressed convective phase of the MJO favors reduced rainfall in this region. **Confidence: Moderate**

2. **An increased chance for above-average rainfall for Southeast Asia, the Maritime Continent, the western Pacific and Australia.** The enhanced convective phase of the MJO, La Niña conditions, and numerical forecast guidance support enhanced rainfall in this 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 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 convective phase of the MJO and numerical forecast guidance support suppressed rainfall in this region. **Confidence: High**

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