

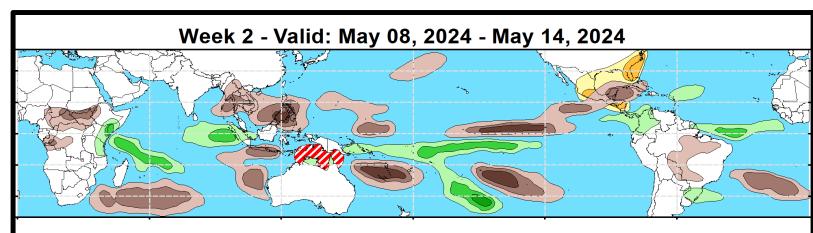


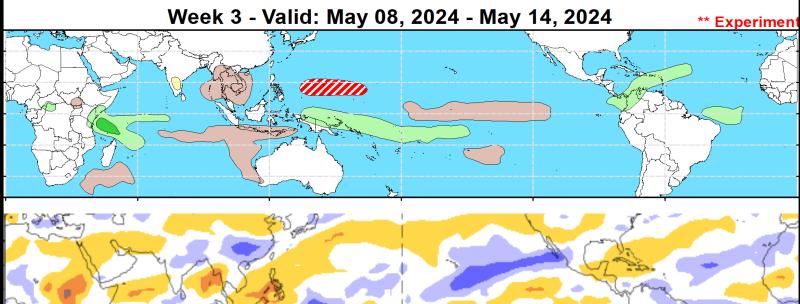
# Weeks 2-3 Global Tropics Hazards Outlook 5/14/2024

# Nick Novella NWS / NCEP / Climate Prediction Center

#### **Outlook Review:** TC development & anomalous precipitation during the past week

- No TCs formed in last week
- Invest 92S





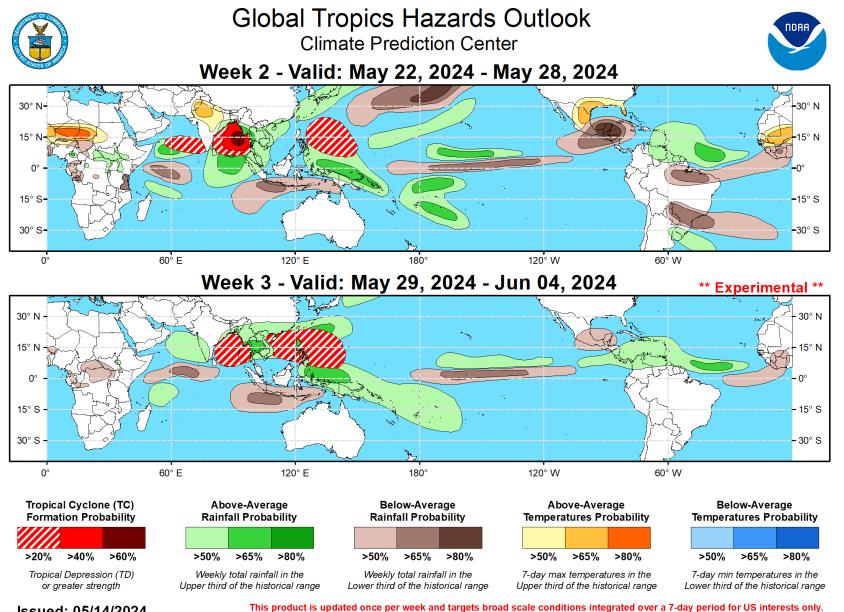
#### ENSO: (May 9, 2024 Update) *next update on Thursday, Jun 13th*

- ENSO Alert System Status: <u>El Niño Advisory</u> / <u>La Niña Watch</u>
- A transition from El Niño to ENSO-neutral is likely in the next month. La Niña may develop in June-August (49% chance) for July-September (69% chance)

#### MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

- The MJO became increasingly disorganized during the past week, with other modes of tropical variability playing more of a role throughout the global tropics.
- There is growing support in the dynamical models for renewed MJO activity over the Indian Ocean, with the enhanced phase propagating eastward across the Maritime Continent through the end of May. There remains questions in regards to other modes of variability superceding the MJO, as well as phase speed.
- The large-scale environment, as well as climatology, favors increased chances for tropical cyclone development in the northern Indian Ocean and western Pacific. Conversely, more unfavorable conditions are anticipated over the tropical Americas at least through the start of June.

### **GTH Outlook:**

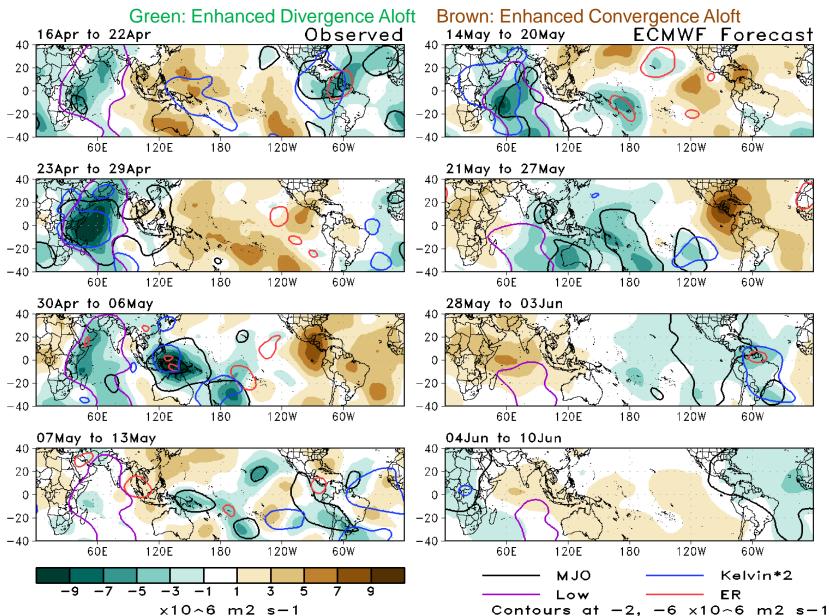


Issued: 05/14/2024 Forecaster: Novella

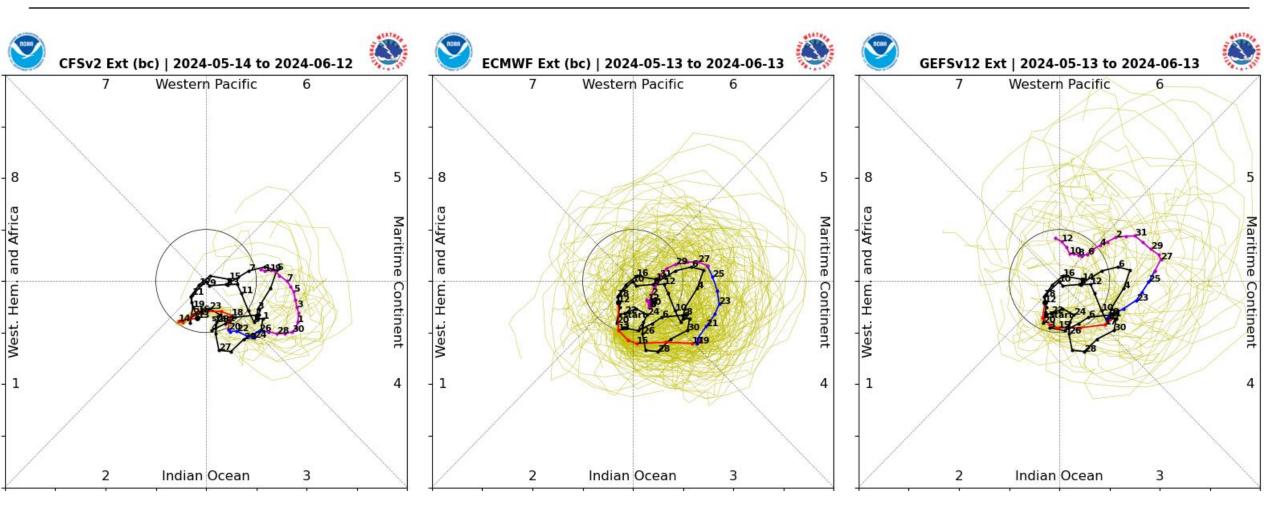
Consult your local responsible forecast agency.

## 200-hPa Velocity Potential Anomaly Maps:

- The upper-level pattern became more incoherent, evolving into three centers of enhanced divergence loft in latest weekly mean.
- As Kelvin wave activity crosses the Prime Meridian, it looks to constructively interferre with Low frequency variability in the Indian Ocean, with renewed MJO activity coming through the filtering.
- Low frequency signals look to shift eastward, where a wave-1 pattern takes shape through early June. \*\*NOTE\*\* The GEFS is considerably slower than the ECWMF in regards to MJO phase speed.

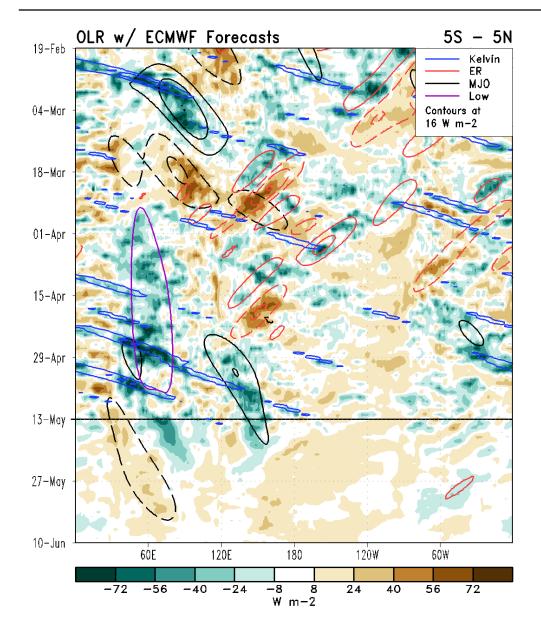


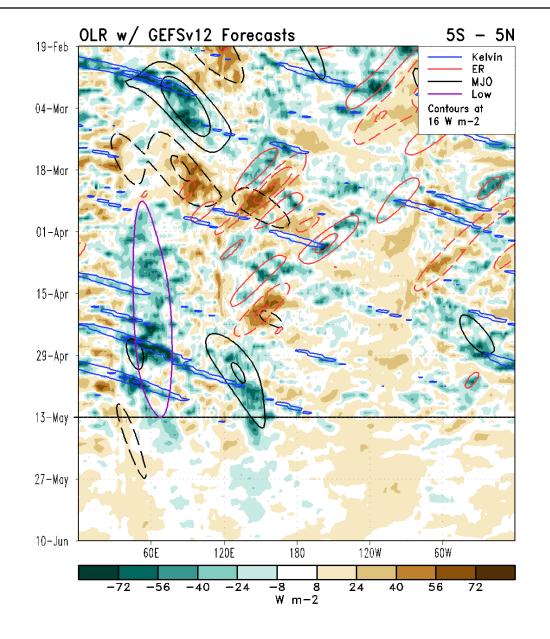
### **RMM Index Observations & Forecasts:**



- While ensembles averages are generally low in amplitude, all models feature continued eastward propagation, with many members favoring a higher amplitude event unfolding over the Maritime Continent.
- Caution should be exercised in the interpretation of the RMM forecasts due to shifting background state.

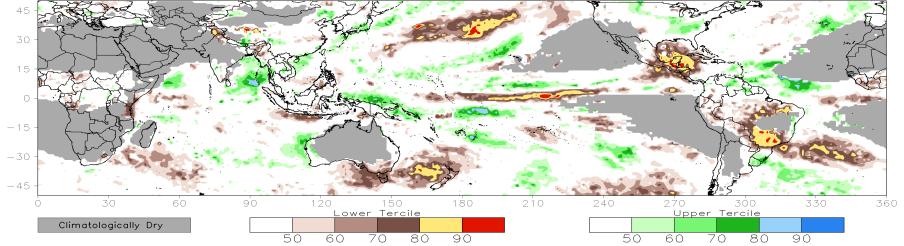
#### **Outgoing Longwave Radiation (OLR) Anomaly Time/Lon Plots:**



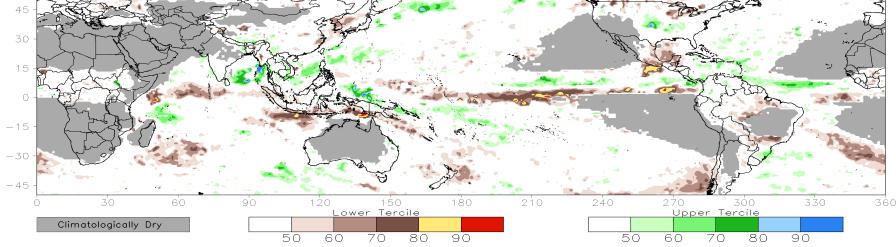


#### **Consolidated Probabilistic Precipitation: Weeks 2 & 3**

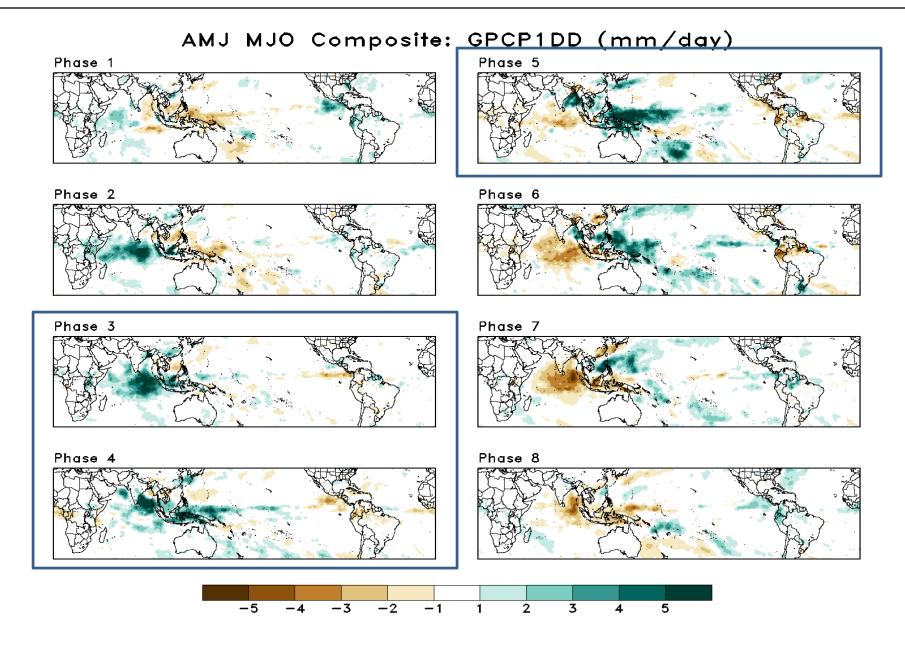
CONS 00z: Week2 Probability for Total Rainfall Below(Above) Lower(Upper) Tercile (%) Valid: 22May2024-28May2024



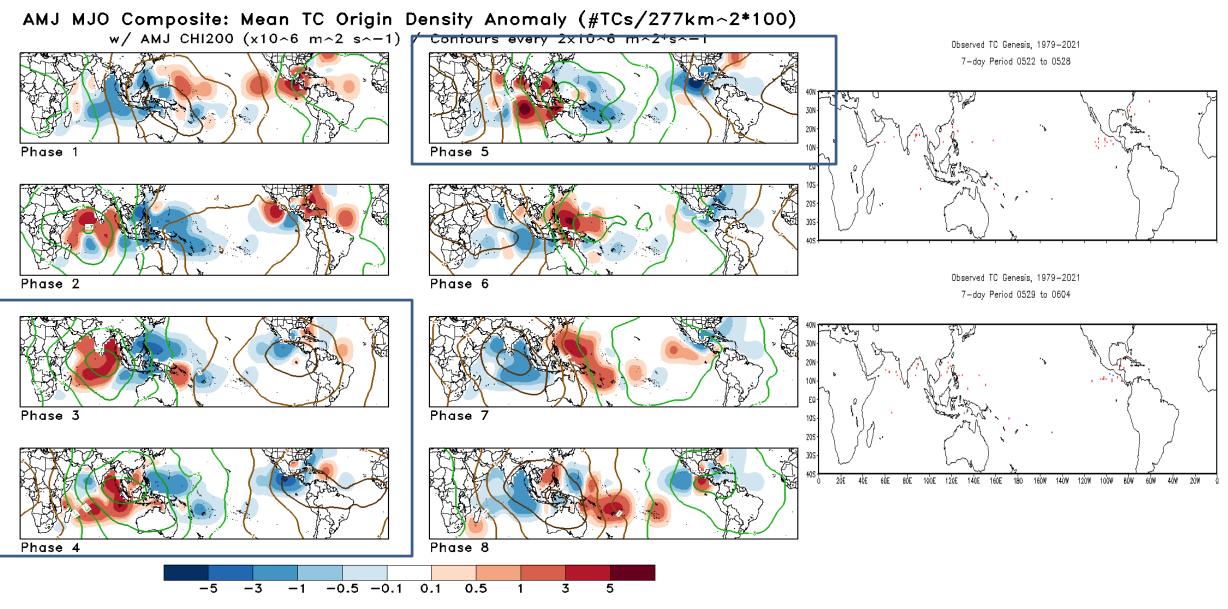
CONS 00z: Week3 Probability for Total Rainfall Below(Above) Lower(Upper) Tercile (%) Valid: 29May2024-04Jun2024



#### **Historical Precipitation Anomalies By MJO Phase:**

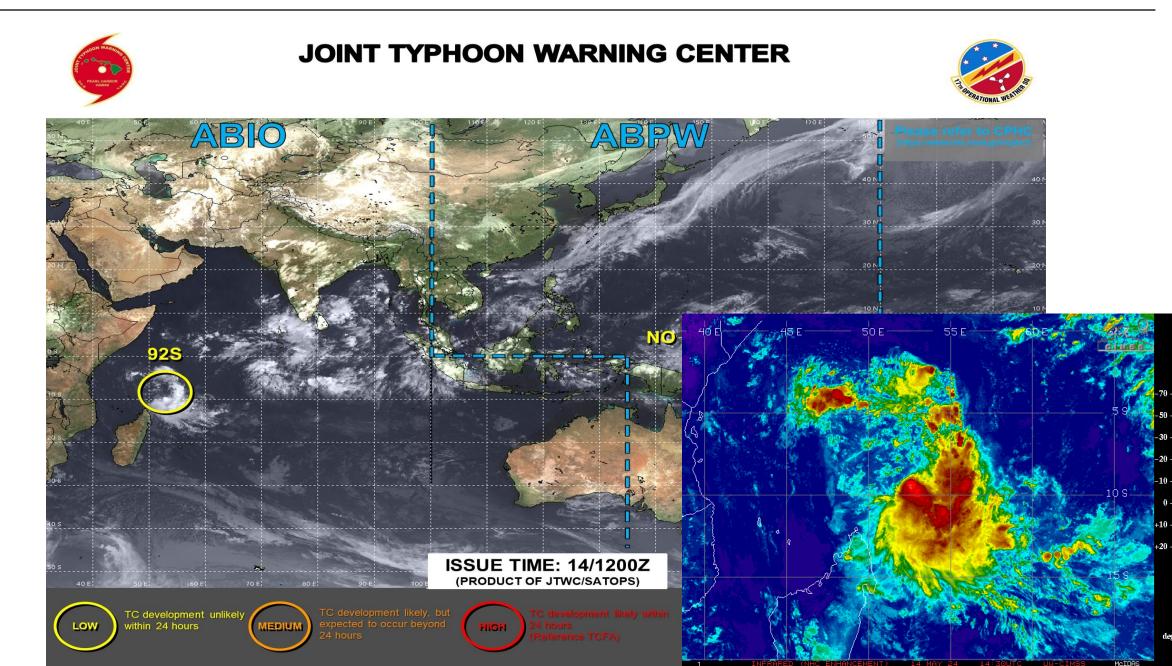


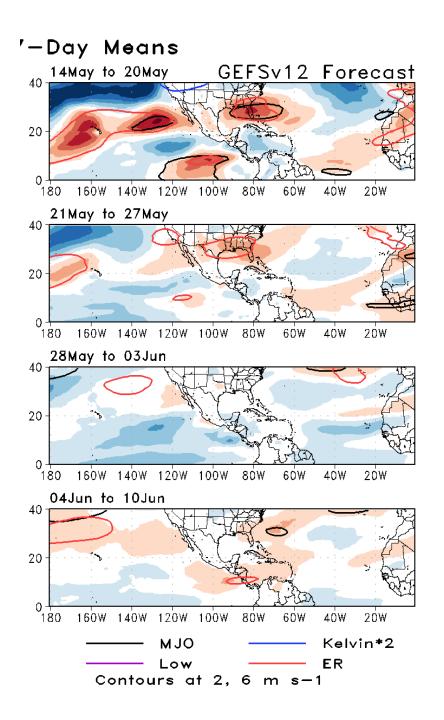
#### Historical TC Origin Anomalies By MJO Phase & Weeks 2+3 Genesis Climo:

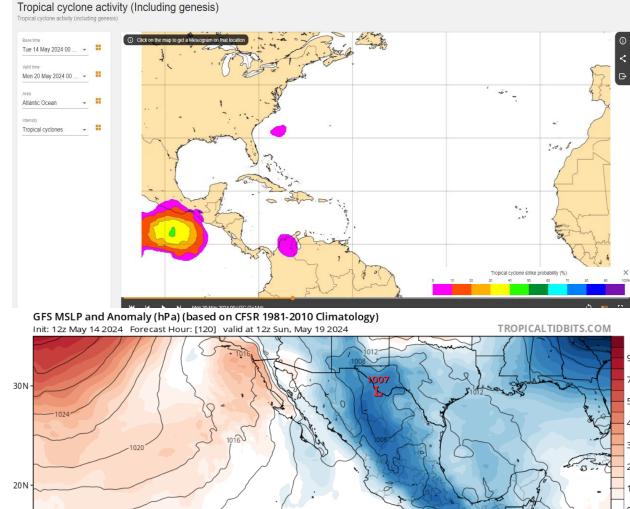


\*Experimental\*

### **Tropical Cyclone Monitoring/Forecast: JTWC**







110W

100W

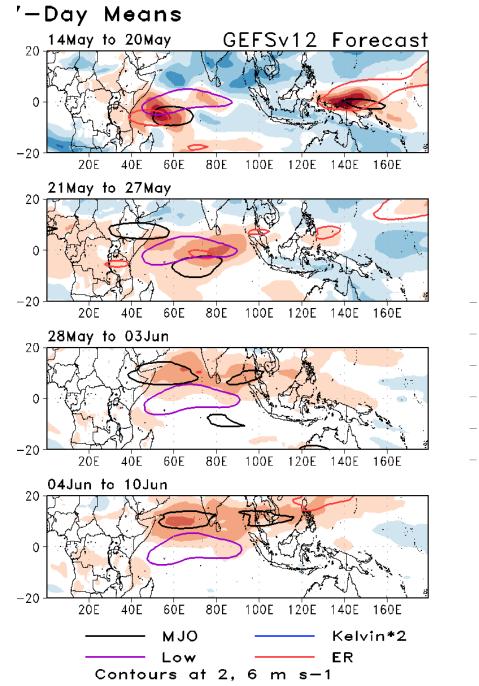
90w

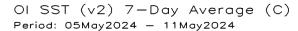
80W

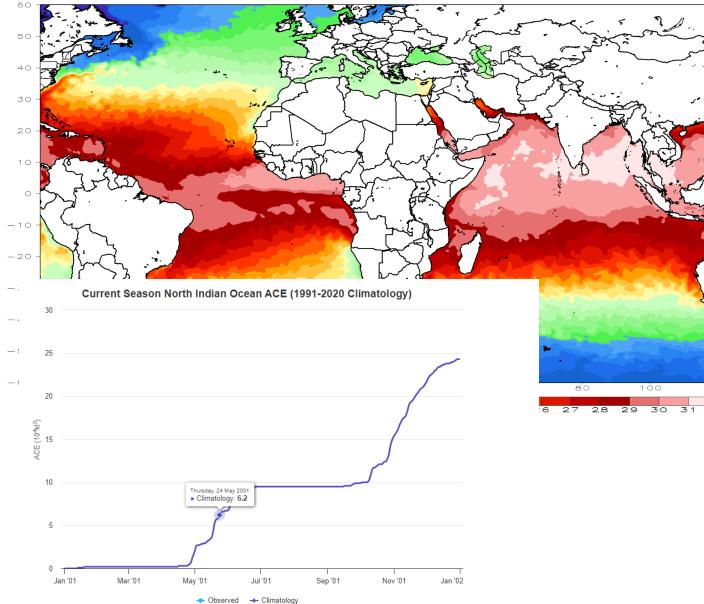
10 N ·

130W

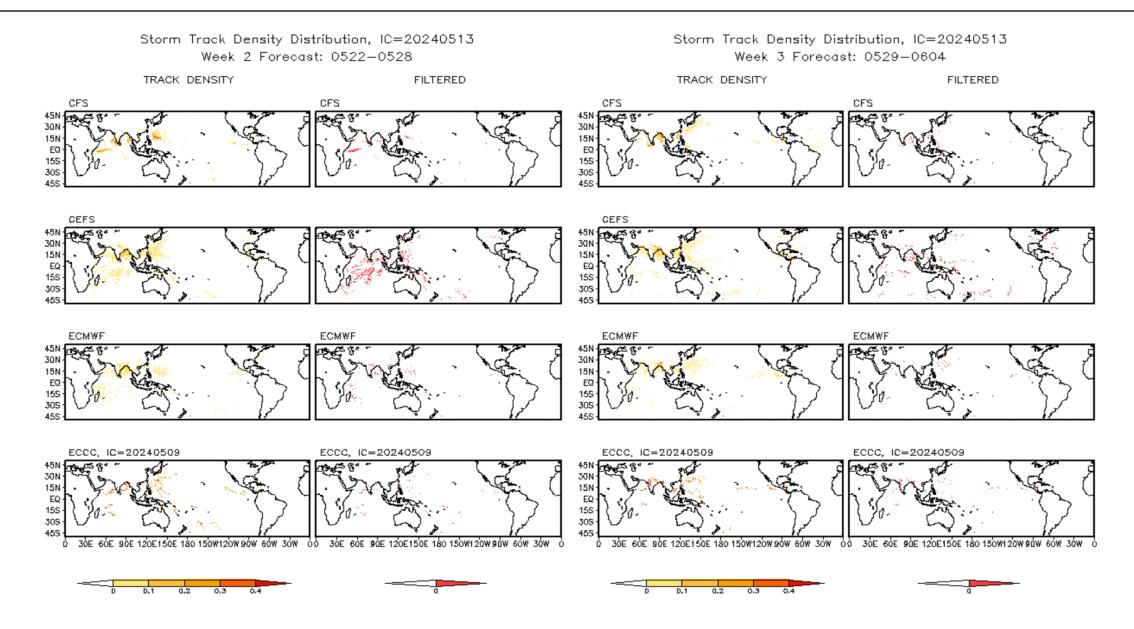
120W

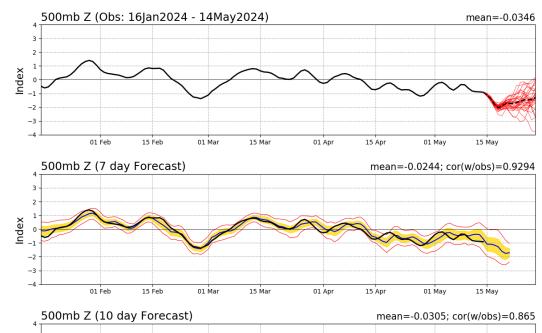




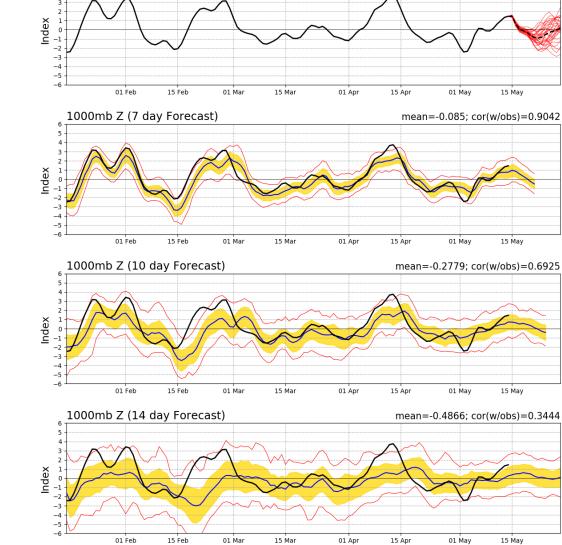


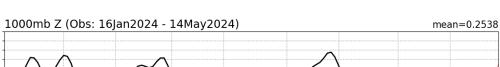
1 Ż O



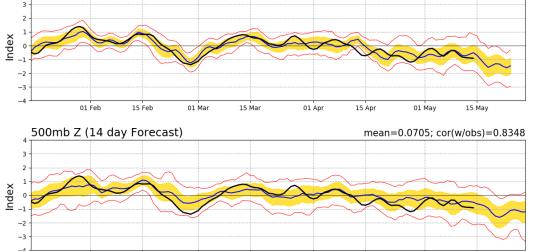


#### **PNA Index: Observed & GEFS Forecasts**





**AO Index: Observed & GEFS Forecasts** 



15 Mar

01 Apr

15 Apr

01 May

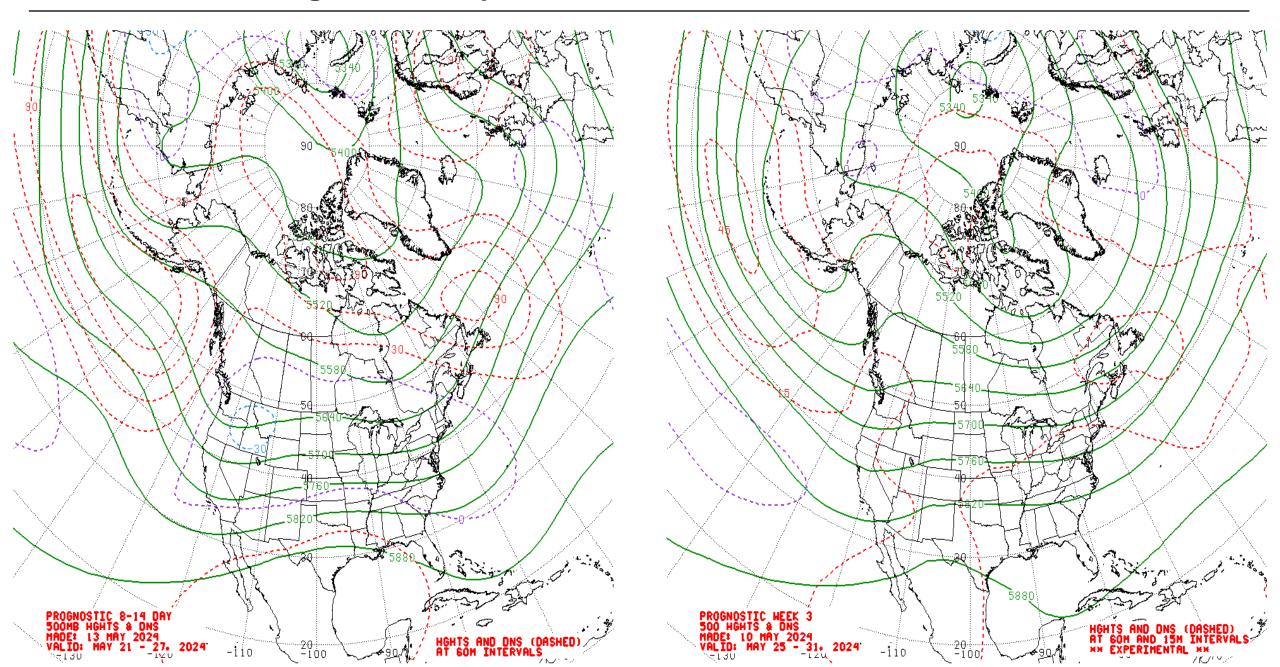
15 May

01 Feb

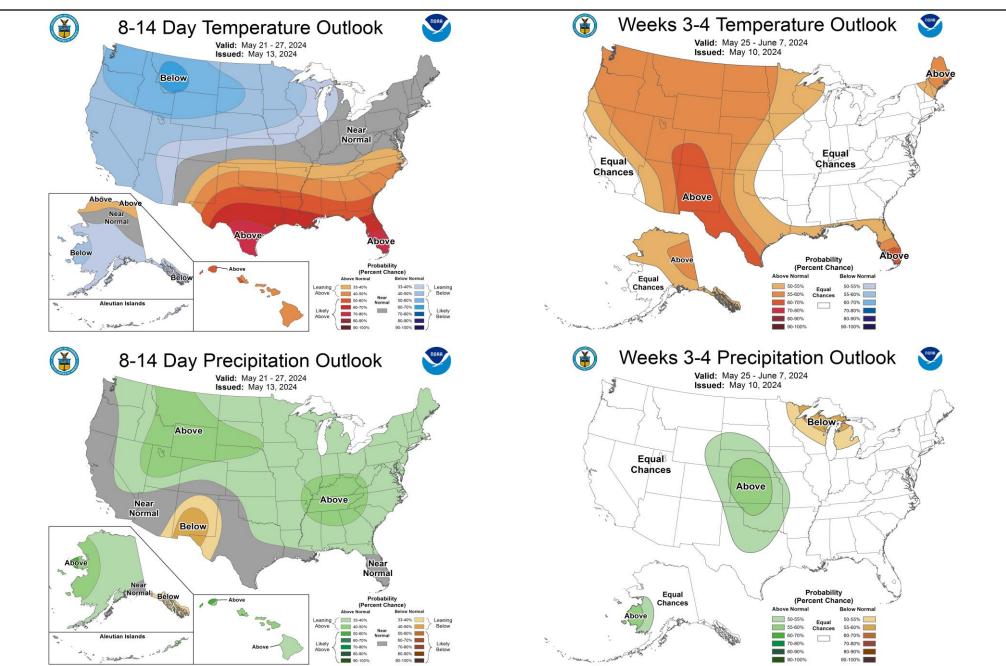
15 Feb

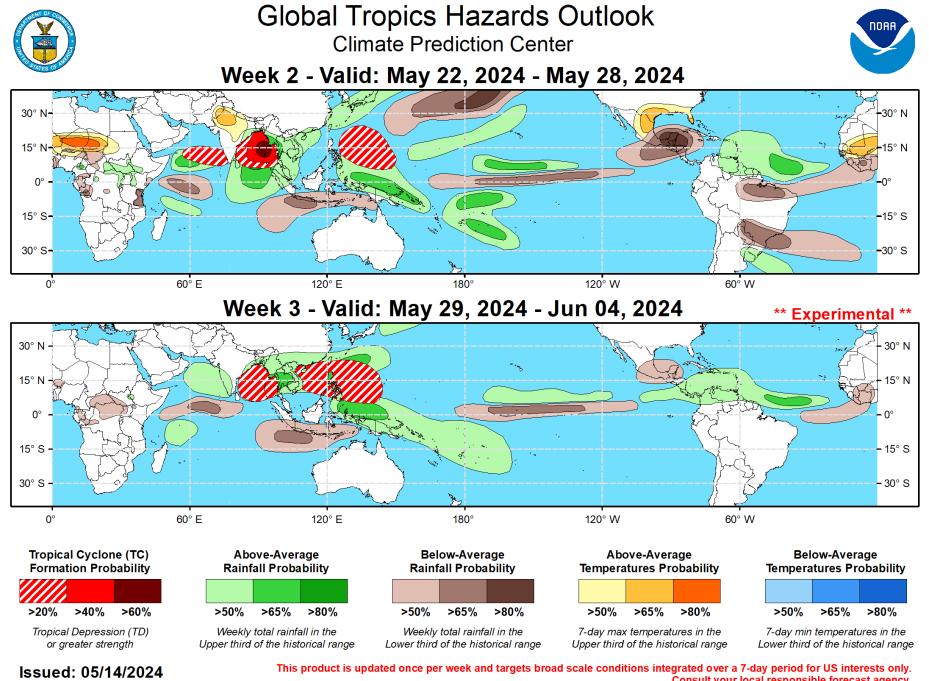
01 Mar

#### Mean 500-hPa Height Anomaly Forecasts: Weeks 2+3



#### **Official Temperature & Precipitation Forecasts:**





**Forecaster: Novella** 

Consult your local responsible forecast agency.