

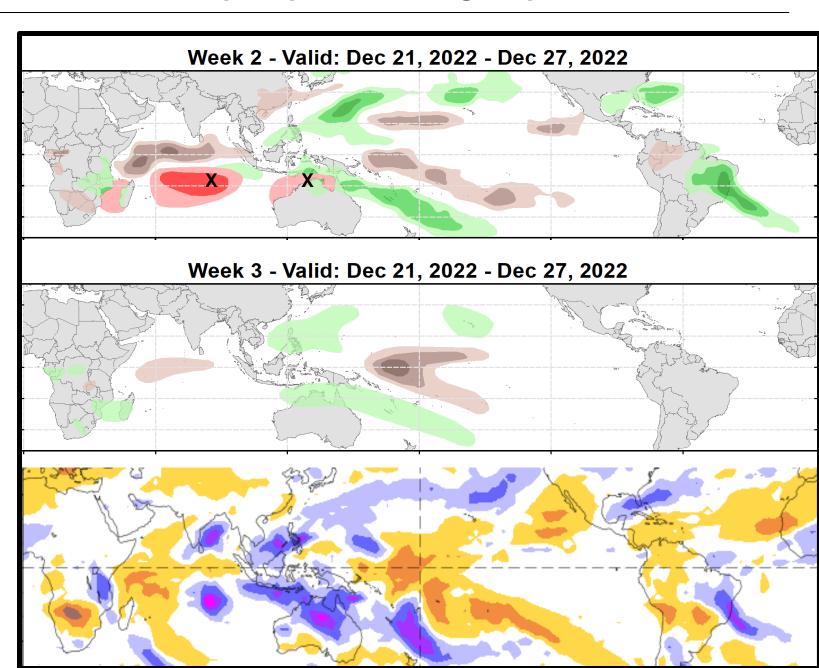


# Weeks 2-3 Global Tropics Hazards Outlook 12/27/2022

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

- One TC developed TS Ellie (12/22). Cyclone Darian formed on 12/18
- Forecasts for below and above-average precipitation match up quite well with recent OLR anomaly observations.



#### **Synopsis of Climate Modes:**

#### ENSO: (Dec 8, 2022 Update) next update on Thursday, Jan 12<sup>th</sup>

- ENSO Alert System Status: <u>La Niña Advisory</u>
- La Niña is expected to continue into the winter, with equal chances of La Niña and ENSO-neutral during January-March 2023. In February-April 2023, there is a 71% chance of ENSO-neutral.

#### MJO and other subseasonal tropical variability:

- Following a weak presentation of the MJO over the Indian Ocean due to Rossby wave interference, the MJO
  has become more robust and the enhanced phase is crossing the Maritime Continent.
- RMM-index forecasts are supportive of continued MJO evolution over the next few weeks, with the enhanced phase crossing the West Pacific during Weeks 1-2, the Western Hemisphere during Weeks 2-3, and possibly returning to the Indian Ocean by Week-4.
- The MJO supports potential tropical cyclogenesis in the vicinity of Australia and the Coral Sea during Week-2.
   Dynamical models are not supportive of SPCZ development, while the GEFS indicates potential formations near the Philippines.
- The MJO teleconnects well with the midlatitude pattern during the Boreal winter. Typical lagged MJO responses favor warmth over the eastern US during Week2, with a potential pattern change during Weeks 3-

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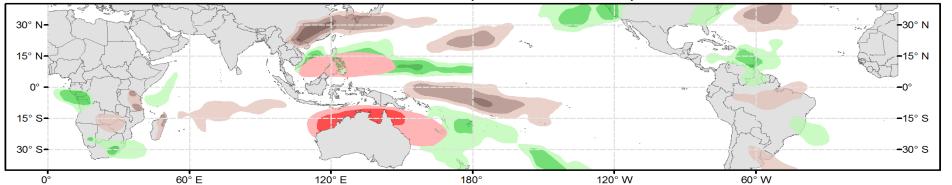


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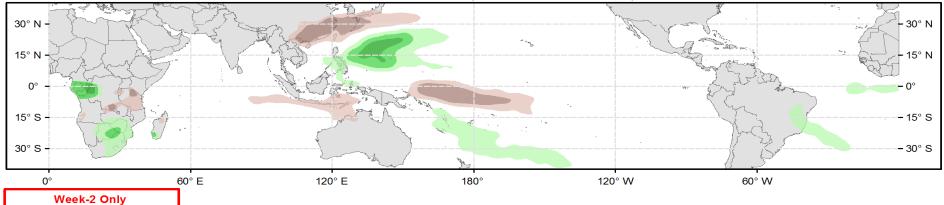
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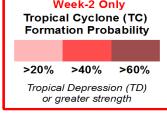


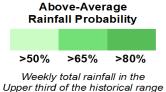
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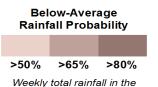


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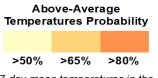








Lower third of the historical range



Below-Average
Temperatures Probability
>50% >65% >80%

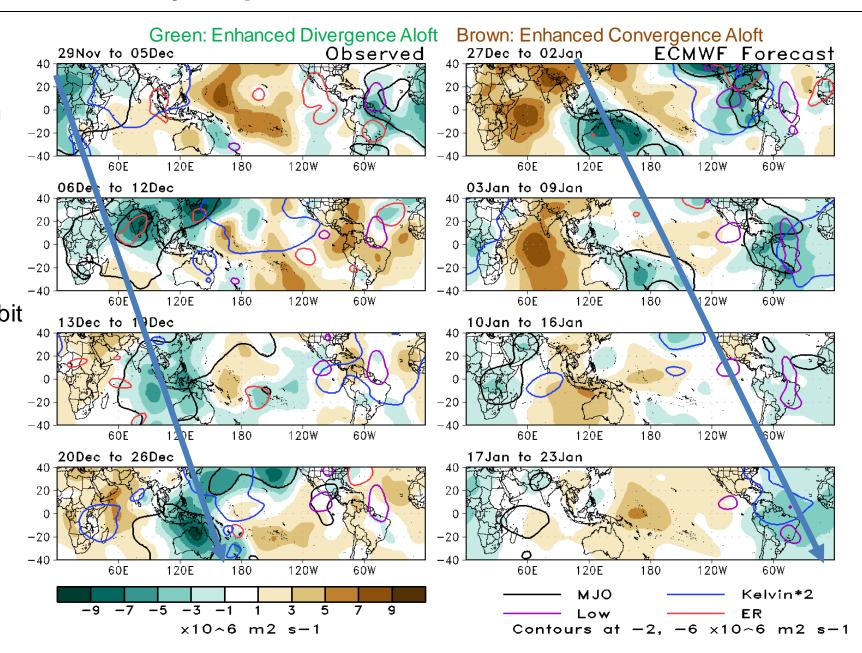
7-day mean temperatures in the Upper third of the historical range Lower third of the historical range

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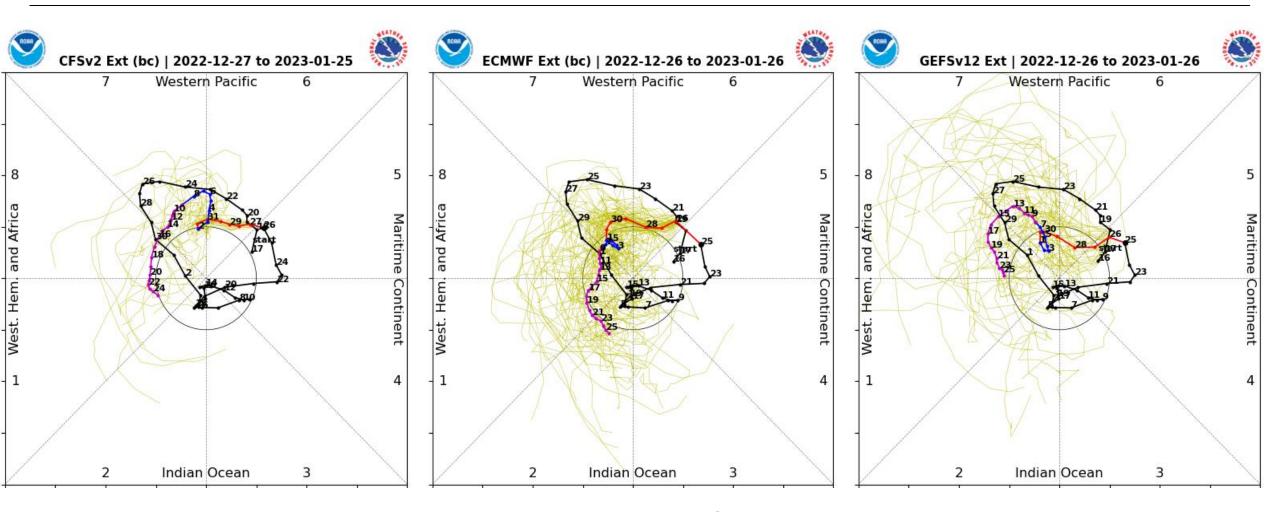
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## 200-hPa Velocity Potential Anomaly Maps:

- Despite the weak projection on the RMM-index, eastward propagation of enhanced divergence aloft was well established through most of December.
- The upper-level signature is a bit weaker over the next several weeks due to destructive interference with La Niña, but clear eastward propagation to the Western Hemisphere by mid-late January is evident.



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



- There is good dynamical model support for continued MJO evolution, with the enhanced phase crossing the West Pacific and Western Hemisphere over the next several weeks.
- Some ensemble members depict re-emergence over the Indian Ocean by Week-4.

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

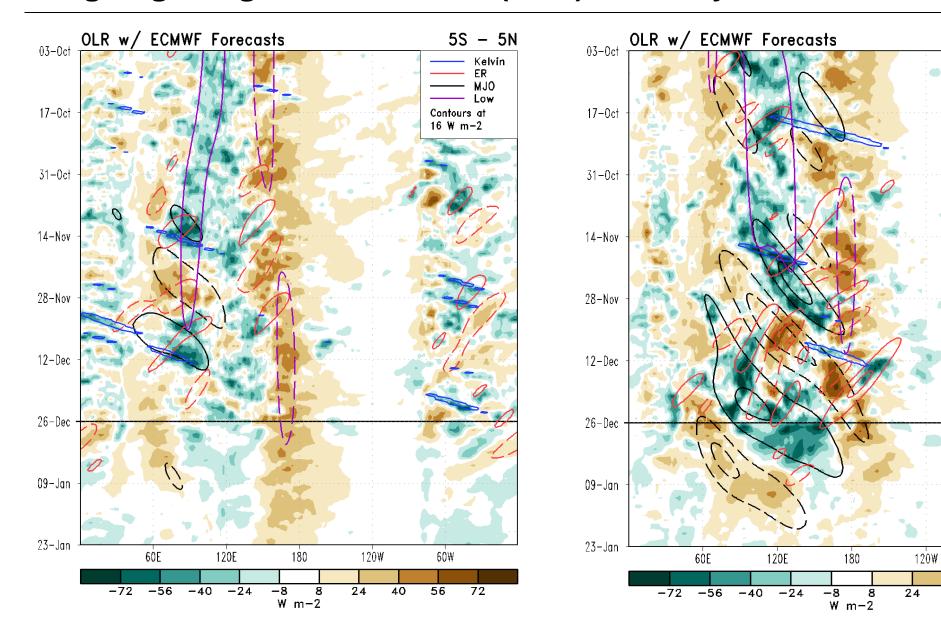
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16 W m-2

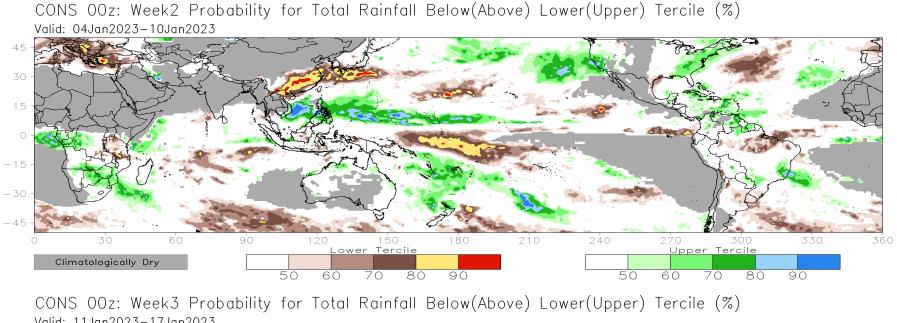
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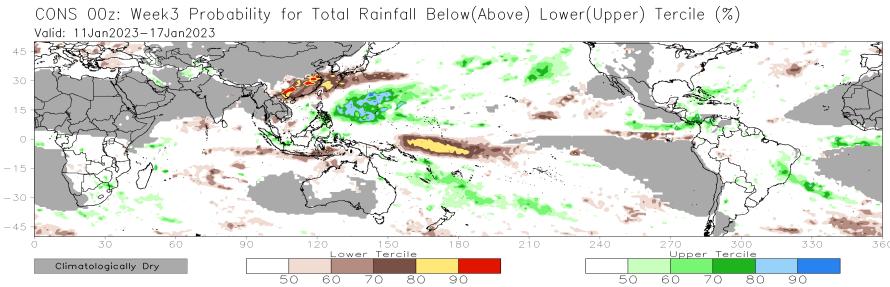
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Kelvin ER MJO

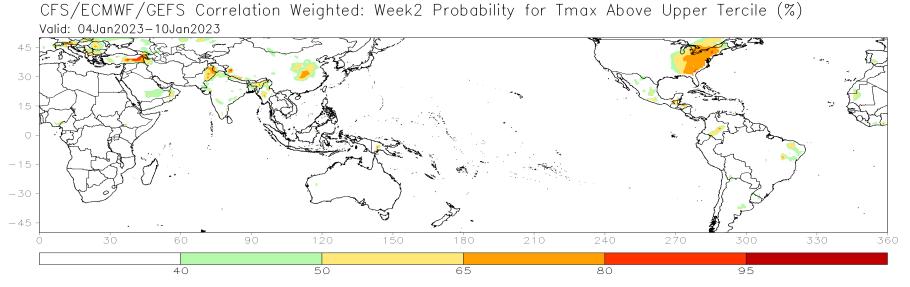


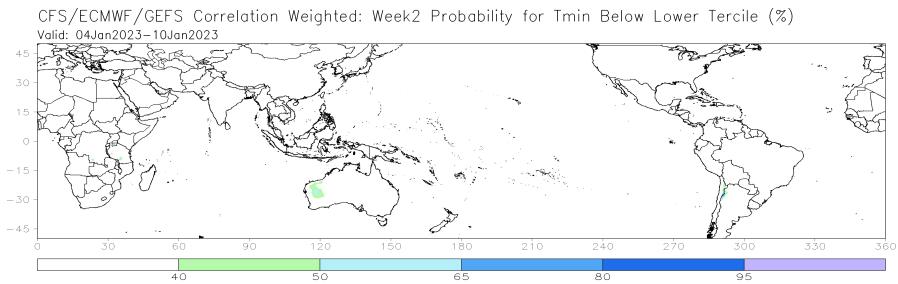
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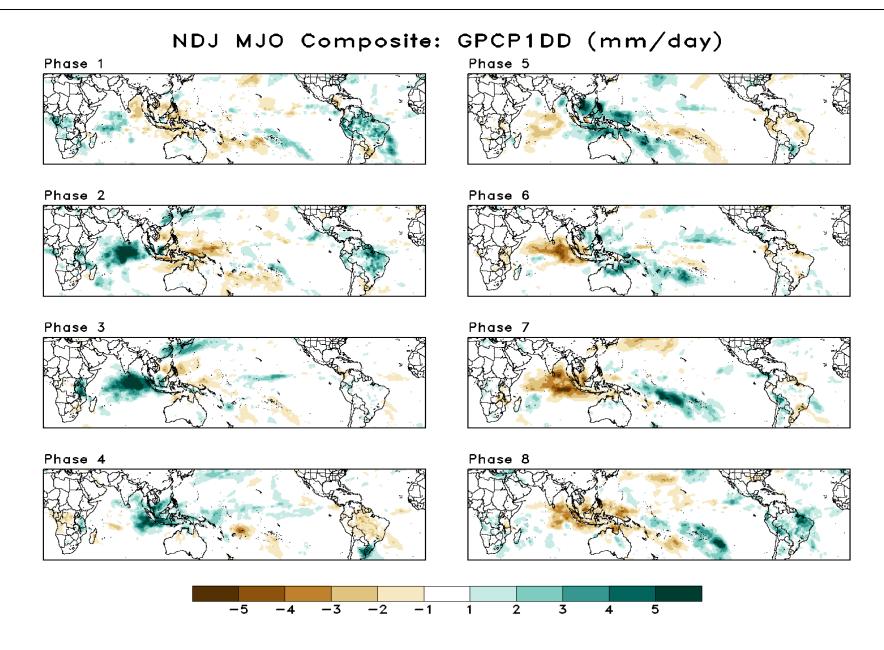


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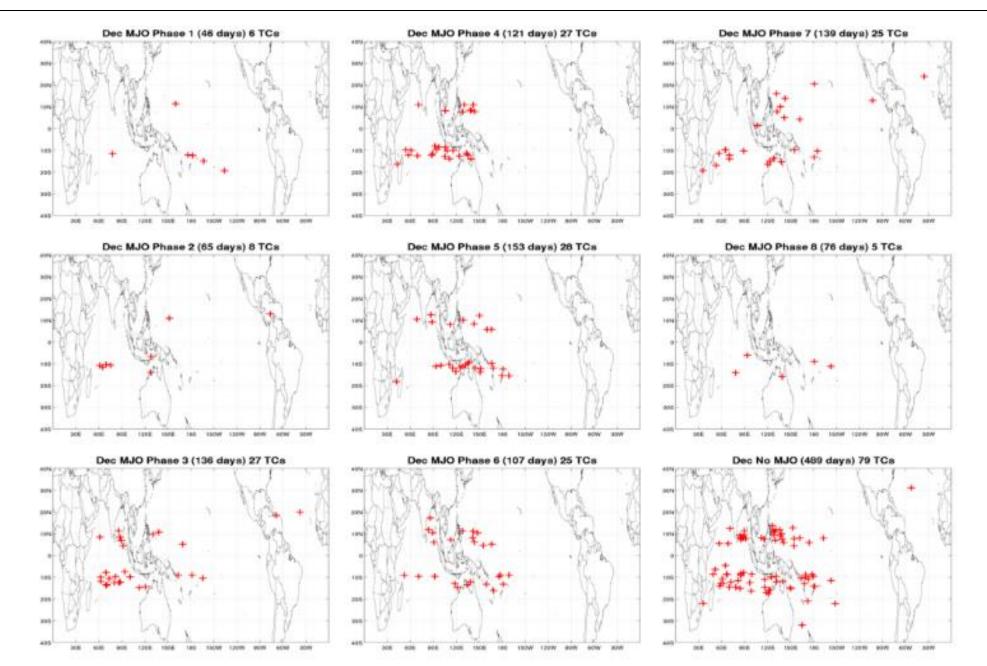




## **Historical Precipitation Anomalies By MJO Phase:**



## **Historical TC Genesis Origins By MJO Phase:**

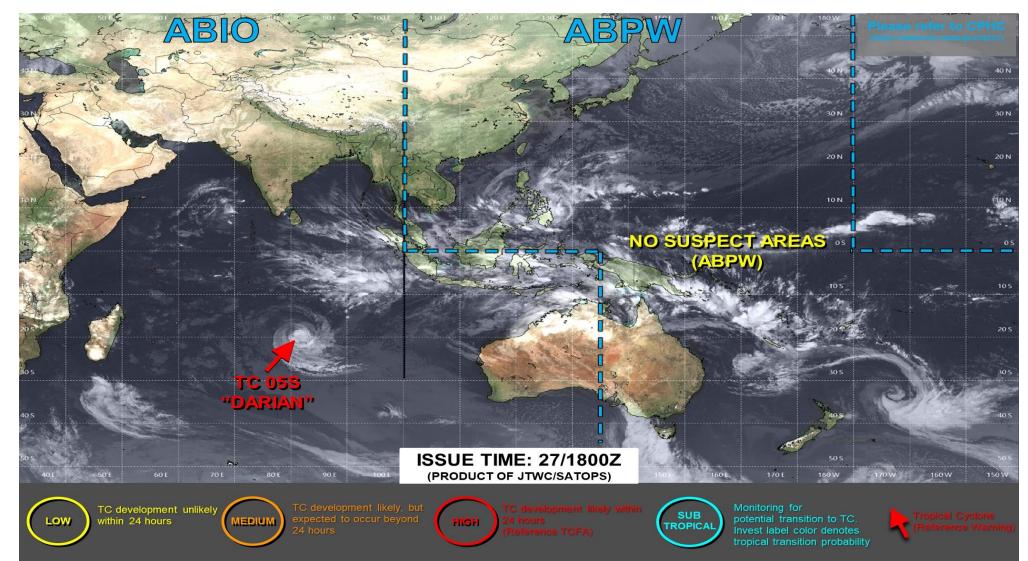


## **Tropical Cyclone Monitoring/Forecast: JTWC**

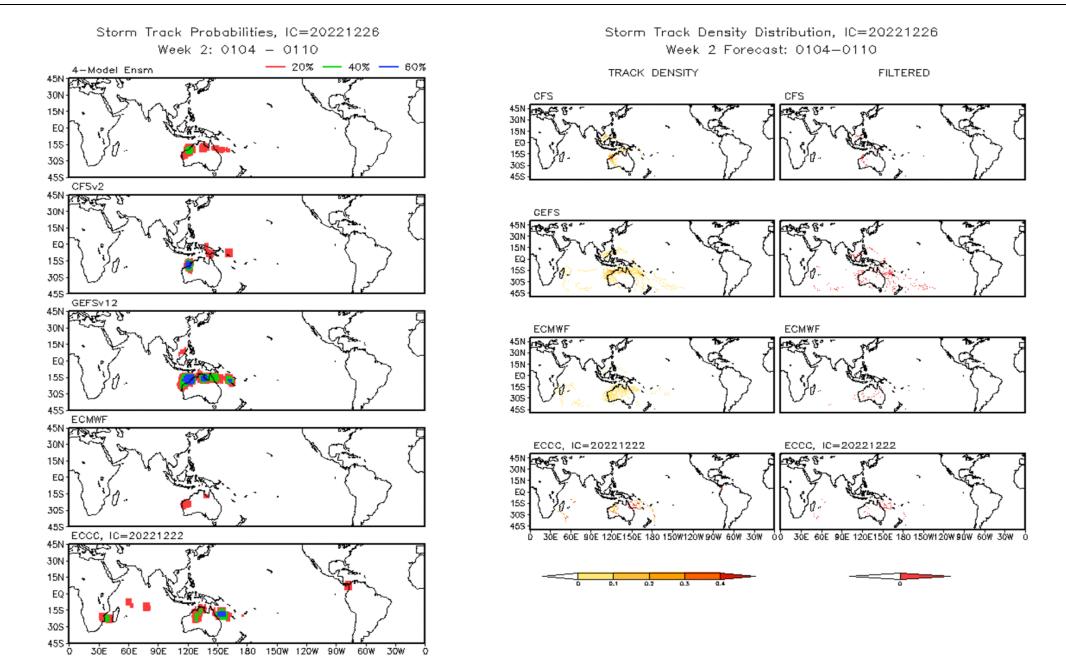


#### **JOINT TYPHOON WARNING CENTER**

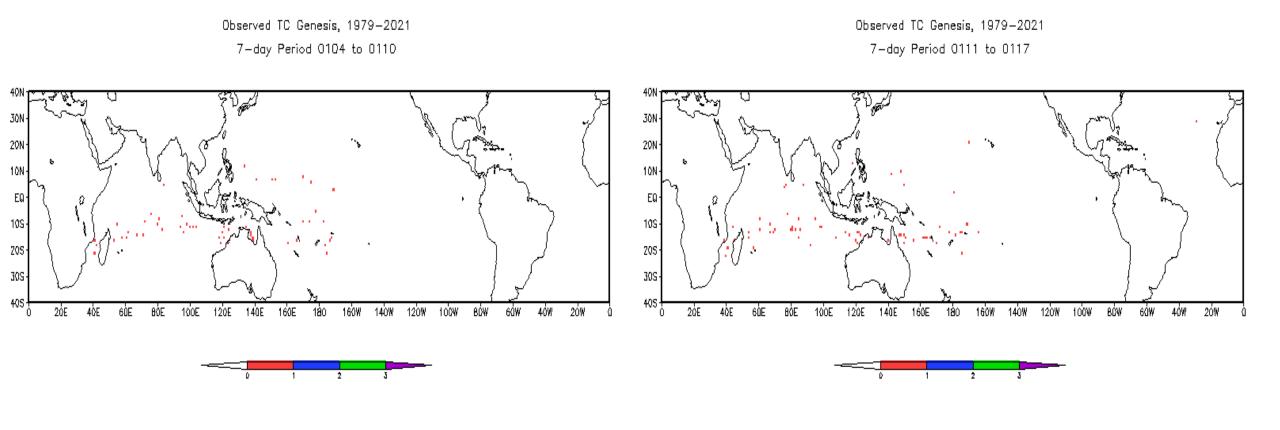




#### Multi-Model TC Track Probabilities/Densities: Week-2

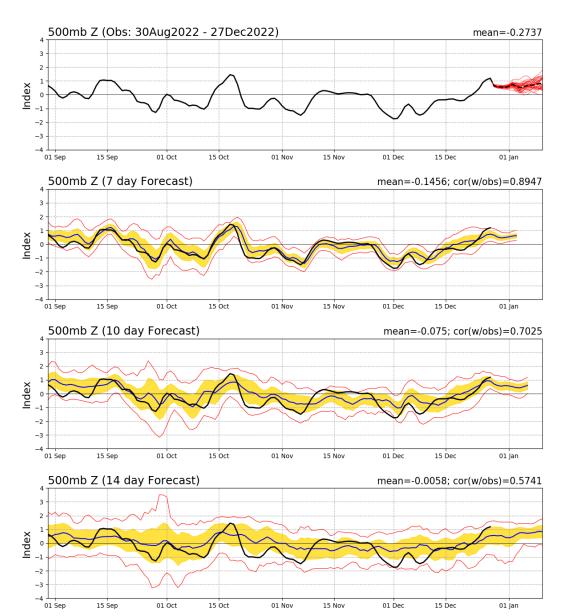


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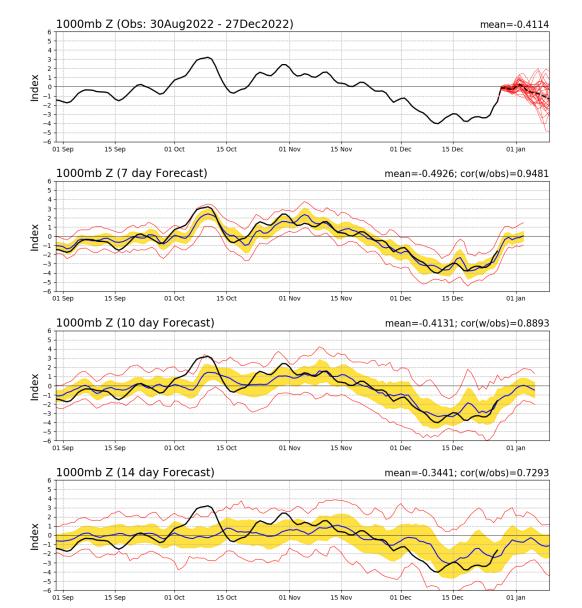


#### **Teleconnection Indices: PNA / AO:**

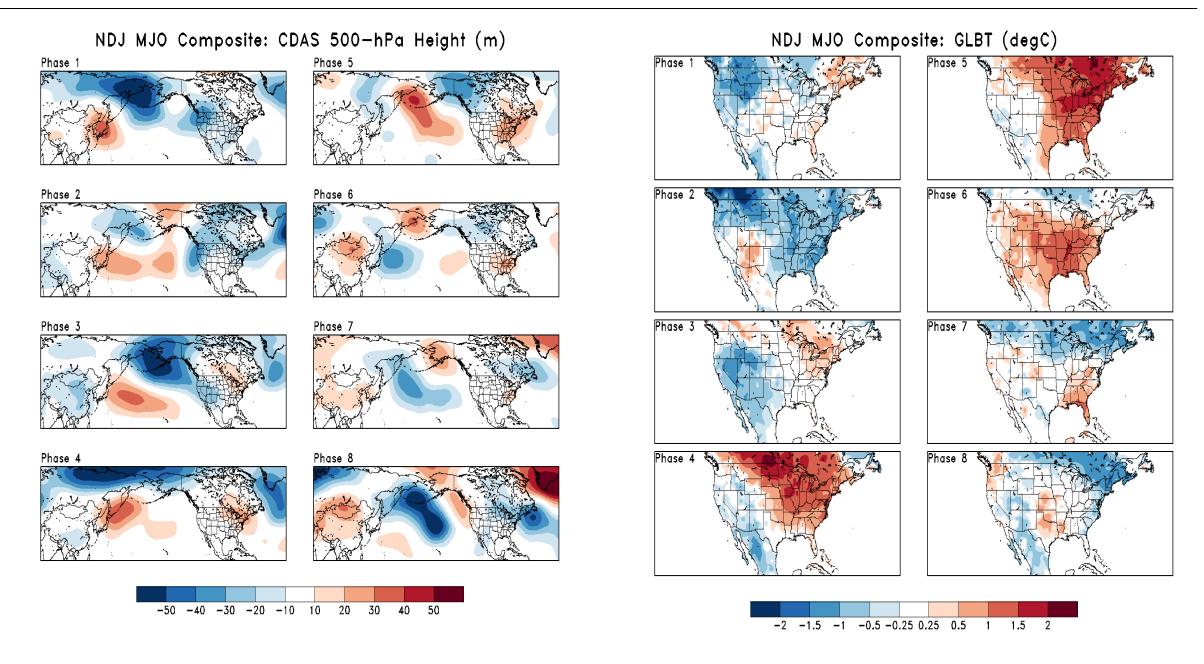
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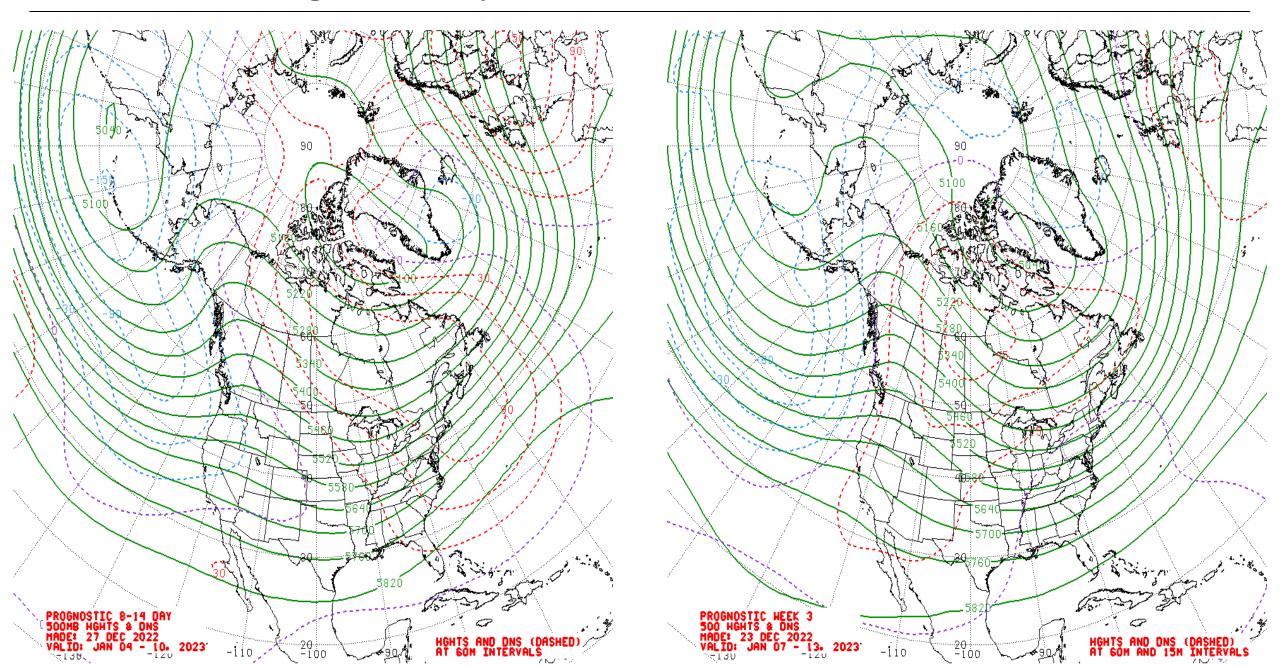
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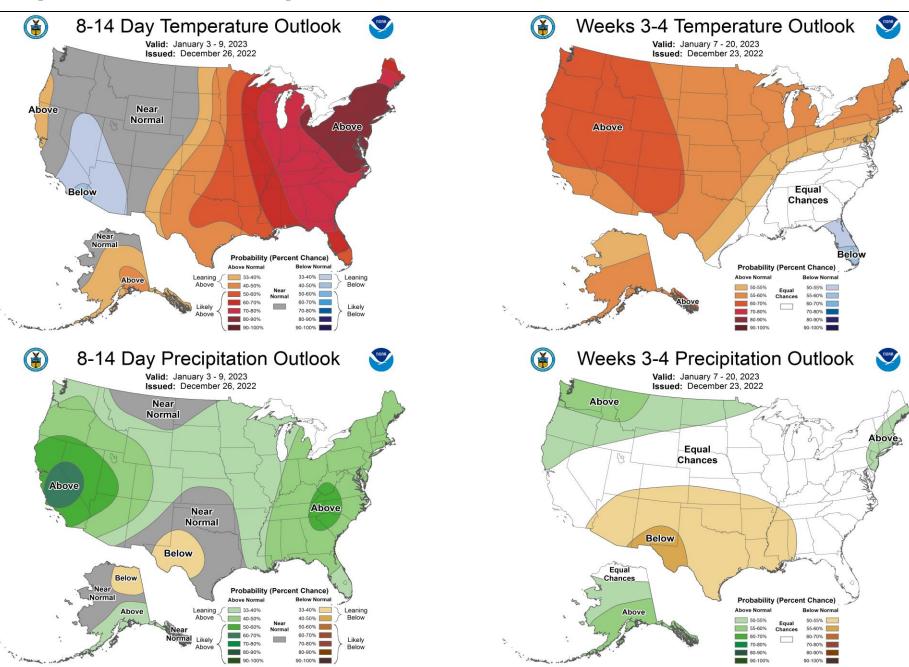
## Historical 500-hPa Height & U.S. Temperatures By MJO Phase:



## Mean 500-hPa Height Anomaly Forecasts:



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



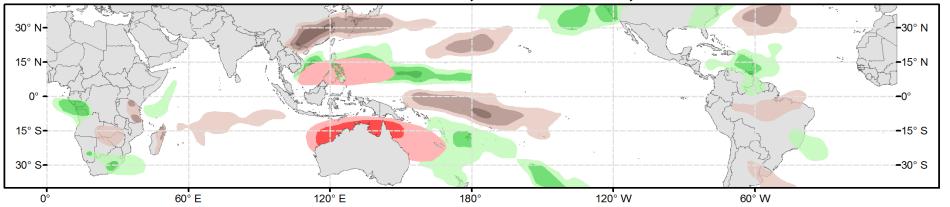


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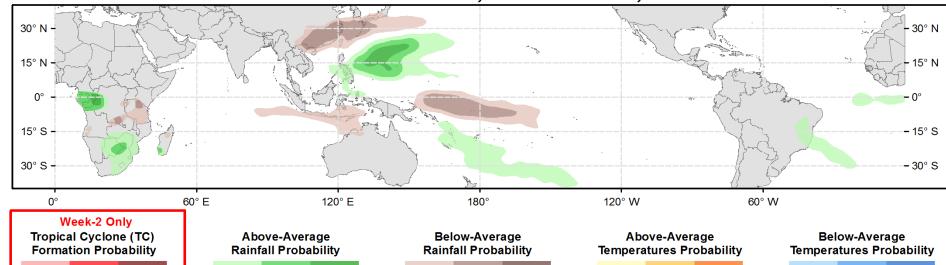
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>65% >80%

Weekly total rainfall in the

Lower third of the historical range

>50%

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Tropical Depression (TD)

or greater strength

>40% >60%

>50%

>65%

Weekly total rainfall in the

Upper third of the historical range

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>20%

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