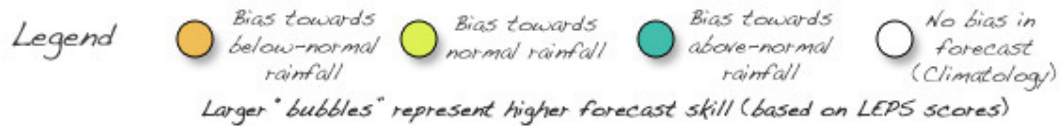
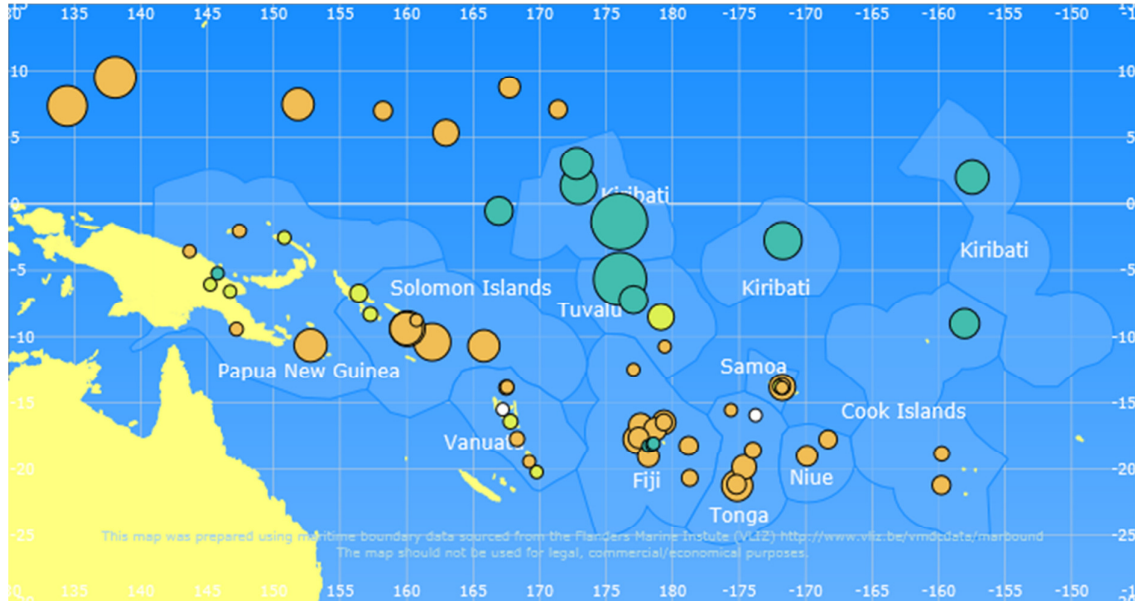




Seasonal Climate Outlook for the period February to April 2016



| System | Outlook | Skill |
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| Cook Islands (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Aitutaki & Rarotonga Above Normal: Penrhyn | Range: low - high Average: moderate |
| Federated States of Micronesia (rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Chuuk, Kosrae, Pohnpei_QC & Yap | Range: moderate - very high Average: high |
| Fiji (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Labasa Airfield, Lakeba, Lautoka, Nabouwalu, Nadi Airport, Ono-i-Lau, Penang, Rotuma, Vunisea & Yasawa-i-rara Above Normal: Laucala Bay, Nausori Airport & Navua | Range: very low - high Average: moderate |
| Kiribati (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Above Normal: Beru, Butaritari, Kanton, Kiritimati & Tarawa | Range: high - exceptional!!! Average: very high |
| Marshall Islands (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST | Below Normal: Kwajalein & Majuro | Range: moderate Average: moderate |

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|---|---|--|
| Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | | |
| Nauru (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Above Normal: Nauru | Range: good Average: good |
| Niue (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Alofi | Range: moderate Average: moderate |
| Palau (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Koror | Range: very high Average: very high |
| Papua New Guinea (rainfall mm) 3mth SOI Values (Oct-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Misima, Momote, Port Moresby & Wewak Normal: Goroka W O, Kavieng & Nadzab Normal to Above Normal: Madang | Range: very low - high Average: low |
| Samoa (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Afiamalu, Apia & Nafanua Normal: Faleolo | Range: very low - good Average: low |
| Solomon Islands (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Auki, Henderson Airport, Honiara, Kirakira & Lata Normal: Munda & Taro | Range: very low - high Average: good |
| Tonga (rainfall mm) 3mth SOI Values (Oct-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Fua'amotu, Ha'apai, Niuafu'ou, Nuku'alofa & Vava'u Climatology: Niuatoputapu | Range: very low - high Average: moderate |
| Tuvalu (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal to Normal: Niulakita Normal: Funafuti Above Normal: Nanumea & Nui | Range: very low - exceptional!! Average: high |
| Vanuatu (rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Nov-Dec 2015) | Below Normal: Bauerfield, Patterson_Sola, Port Vila, Sola & Whitegrass Below Normal to Normal: Lamap Normal: Aneityum Climatology: Pekoa | Range: very low - moderate Average: low |

| LEPS | very low | low | moderate | good | high | very high | exceptional |
|--------------|----------|-------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| SCALE | LEPS<0% | 0%<=LEPS<5% | 5%<=LEPS<10% | 10%<=LEPS<15% | 15%<=LEPS<25% | 25%<=LEPS<35% | LEPS>=35% |

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