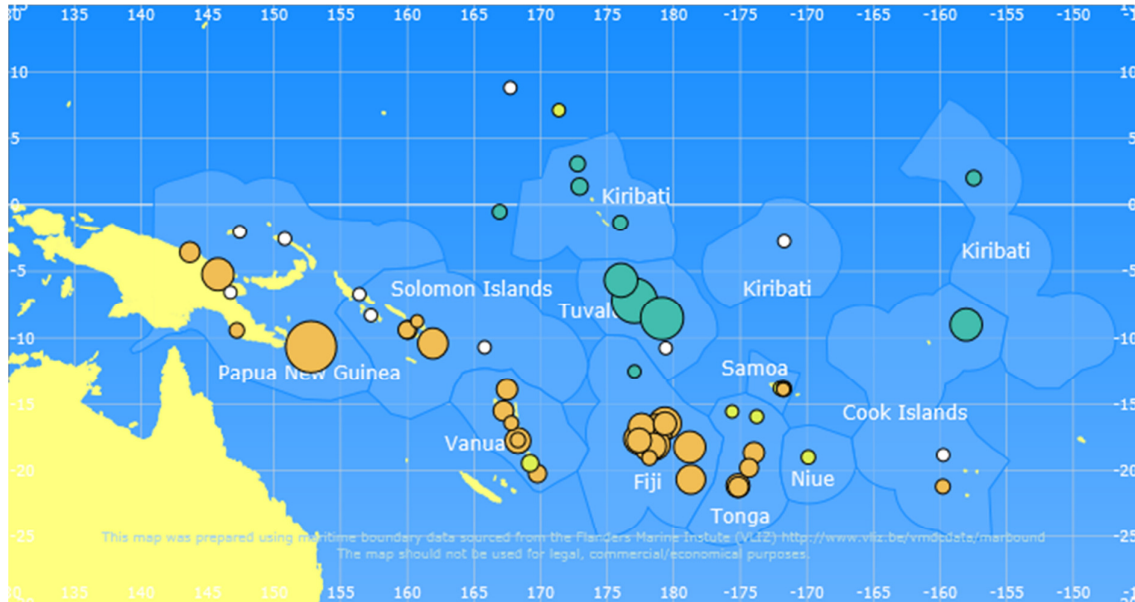


# scopic Spatial Summary

## Seasonal Climate Outlook for the period May to July 2015



**Legend**

- Bias towards below-normal rainfall
- Bias towards normal rainfall
- Bias towards above-normal rainfall
- No bias in forecast (Climatology)

Larger "bubbles" represent higher forecast skill (based on LEPS scores)

System	Outlook	Skill
<b>Cook Islands (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Rarotonga <b>Above Normal:</b> Penrhyn Climatology: Aitutaki	<b>Range:</b> very low - high <b>Average:</b> moderate
<b>Fiji (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Labasa Airfield, Lakeba, Laucala Bay, Lautoka, Nabouwalu, Nadi Airport, Nausori Airport, Navua, Ono-i-Lau, Penang & Yasawa-i-rara <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Vunisea <b>Normal to Above Normal:</b> Rotuma	<b>Range:</b> low - high <b>Average:</b> good
<b>Kiribati (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Above Normal:</b> Beru, Butaritari, Kiritimati & Tarawa Climatology: Kanton	<b>Range:</b> very low - low <b>Average:</b> low

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<b>Marshall Islands (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Normal:</b> Majuro <b>Climatology:</b> Kwajalein	<b>Range:</b> very low <b>Average:</b> very low
<b>Nauru (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Above Normal:</b> Nauru	<b>Range:</b> low <b>Average:</b> low
<b>Niue (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Alofi	<b>Range:</b> low <b>Average:</b> low
<b>Papua New Guinea (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Madang, Misima, Port Moresby & Wewak <b>Climatology:</b> Kavieng, Momote & Nadzab	<b>Range:</b> very low - exceptional!! <b>Average:</b> moderate
<b>Samoa (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Afiamalu & Nafanua <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Apia & Faleolo	<b>Range:</b> low <b>Average:</b> low
<b>Solomon Islands (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Auki, Henderson Airport, Honiara & Kirakira <b>Climatology:</b> Lata, Munda & Taro	<b>Range:</b> very low - high <b>Average:</b> low
<b>Tonga (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Fua'amotu, Ha'apai, Nuku'alofa & Vava'u <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Niuafo'ou & Niuatoputapu	<b>Range:</b> very low - good <b>Average:</b> moderate
<b>Tuvalu (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Above Normal:</b> Funafuti, Nanumea & Nui <b>Climatology:</b> Niulakita	<b>Range:</b> low - very high <b>Average:</b> high
<b>Vanuatu (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Feb-Mar 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Aneityum, Pekoa & Port Vila <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Bauerfield, Lamap, Sola & Whitegrass	<b>Range:</b> low - good <b>Average:</b> moderate

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

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