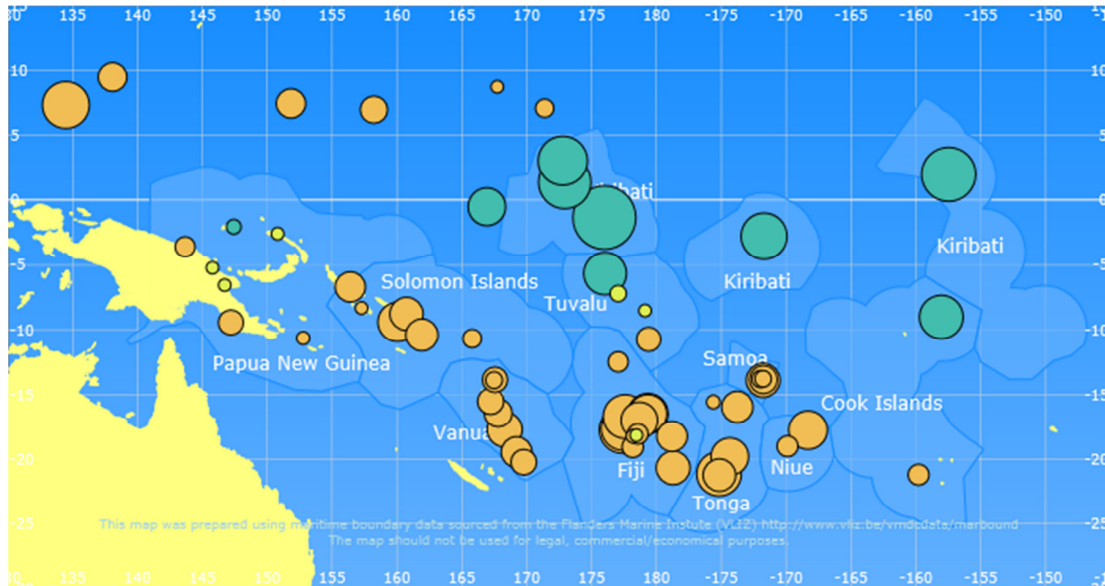


# scopic Spatial Summary

## Seasonal Climate Outlook for the period November 2015 to January 2016



**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 (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Rarotonga <b>Above Normal:</b> Penrhyn	<b>Range:</b> moderate - very high <b>Average:</b> high
<b>Federated States of Micronesia (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Chuuk, Pohnpei & Yap	<b>Range:</b> good - high <b>Average:</b> high
<b>Fiji (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Labasa Airfield, Lakeba, Lautoka, Nabouwalu, Nadi Airport, Nausori Airport, Navua, Ono-i-Lau, Penang, Rotuma, Vunisea & Yasawa-i-rara <b>Normal:</b> Laucala Bay	<b>Range:</b> low - very high <b>Average:</b> high
<b>Kiribati (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Above Normal:</b> Beru, Butaritari, Kanton, Kiritimati & Tarawa	<b>Range:</b> very high - exceptional!! <b>Average:</b> exceptional!!
<b>Marshall Islands (Rainfall mm)</b>	<b>Below Normal:</b> Kwajalein & Majuro	<b>Range:</b> very low - moderate

System	Outlook	Skill
2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)		<b>Average:</b> low
<b>Nauru (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Above Normal:</b> Nauru	<b>Range:</b> high <b>Average:</b> high
<b>Niue (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Alofi	<b>Range:</b> moderate <b>Average:</b> moderate
<b>Palau (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Koror	<b>Range:</b> very high <b>Average:</b> very high
<b>Papua New Guinea (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Misima, Port Moresby & Wewak <b>Normal:</b> Kavieng, Madang & Nadzab <b>Above Normal:</b> Momote	<b>Range:</b> very low - good <b>Average:</b> low
<b>Samoa (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Afiamalu, Apia, Faleolo & Nafanua	<b>Range:</b> low - high <b>Average:</b> good
<b>Solomon Islands (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Auki, Henderson Airport, Kirakira, Lata, Munda & Taro	<b>Range:</b> very low - very high <b>Average:</b> good
<b>Tonga (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Fua'amotu, Ha'apai, Niuafu'ou, Niuatoputapu & Nuku'alofa	<b>Range:</b> low - very high <b>Average:</b> high
<b>Tuvalu (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Niulakita <b>Normal:</b> Funafuti <b>Normal to Above Normal:</b> Nui <b>Above Normal:</b> Nanumea	<b>Range:</b> very low - very high <b>Average:</b> good
<b>Vanuatu (rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies extended (Aug-Sep 2015)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Aneityum, Bauerfield, Lamap, Patterson_Sola, Pekoa, Port Vila, Sola & Whitegrass	<b>Range:</b> low - very high <b>Average:</b> high

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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