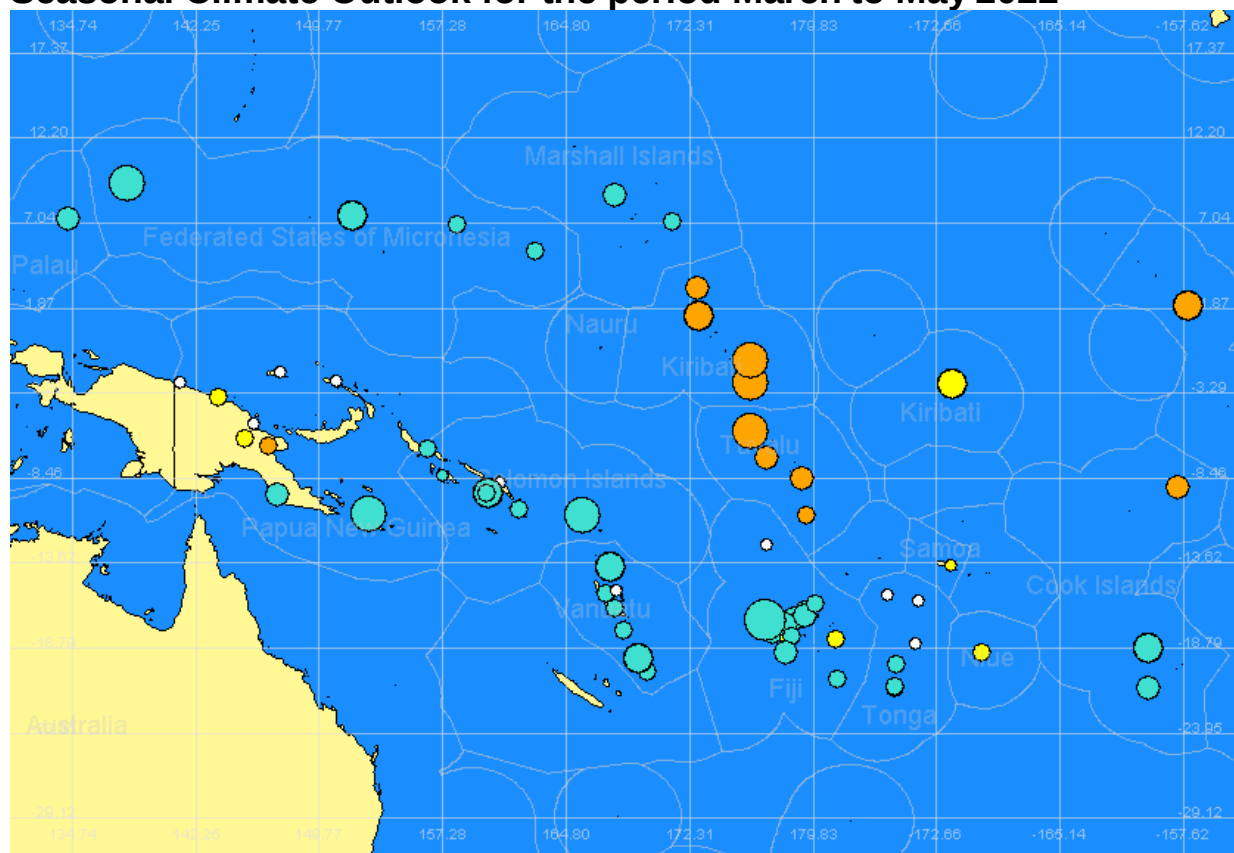


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Seasonal Climate Outlook for the period March to May 2022



Legend

Bias towards below-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
Cook Islands (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Below Normal to Normal: Penrhyn Above Normal: Aitutaki & Rarotonga	Range: moderate - good Average: moderate
Federated States of Micronesia (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal to Above Normal: Chuuk & Yap Above Normal: Kosrae & Pohnpei	Range: low - high Average: moderate
Fiji (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal: Navua Normal to Above Normal: Lakeba, Lautoka, Nausori Airport, Savusavu, Suva & Vunisea Above Normal: Labasa Airfield, Nabouwalu, Nadi Airport, Ono-i-Lau, Penang, Udu Point & Viwa Climatology: Rotuma	Range: very low - very high Average: moderate

System	Outlook	Skill
Kiribati (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Below Normal: Arorae, Butaritari, Kiritimati & Tarawa Below Normal to Normal: Beru & Kanton	Range: moderate - high Average: good
Marshall Islands (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal to Above Normal: Kwajalein Above Normal: Majuro	Range: low - moderate Average: low
Niue (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal: Alofi	Range: low Average: low
Palau (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal to Above Normal: Koror	Range: moderate Average: moderate
Papua New Guinea (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Below Normal: Nadzab Below Normal to Normal: Goroka W O Normal: Wewak Above Normal: Misima & Port Moresby Climatology: Kavieng, Madang, Momote & Vanimo W O	Range: very low - high Average: low
Samoa (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal: Apia & Nafanua Climatology: Afiamalu & Faleolo	Range: very low Average: very low
Solomon Islands (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Above Normal: Henderson, Honiara, Kirakira, Lata, Munda & Taro Climatology: Auki	Range: very low - high Average: moderate
Tonga (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal: Fua'amotu Normal to Above Normal: Nuku'alofa Above Normal: Ha'apai Climatology: Niuafo'ou, Niuatoputapu & Vava'u	Range: very low - low Average: low
Tuvalu (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Below Normal: Funafuti, Nanumea, Niulakita & Nui	Range: low - high Average: good
Vanuatu (Rainfall mm) 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)	Normal to Above Normal: Aneityum, Bauerfield & Pekoa Above Normal: Lamap, Port Vila, Sola & Whitegrass Climatology: Saratamata	Range: very low - good 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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