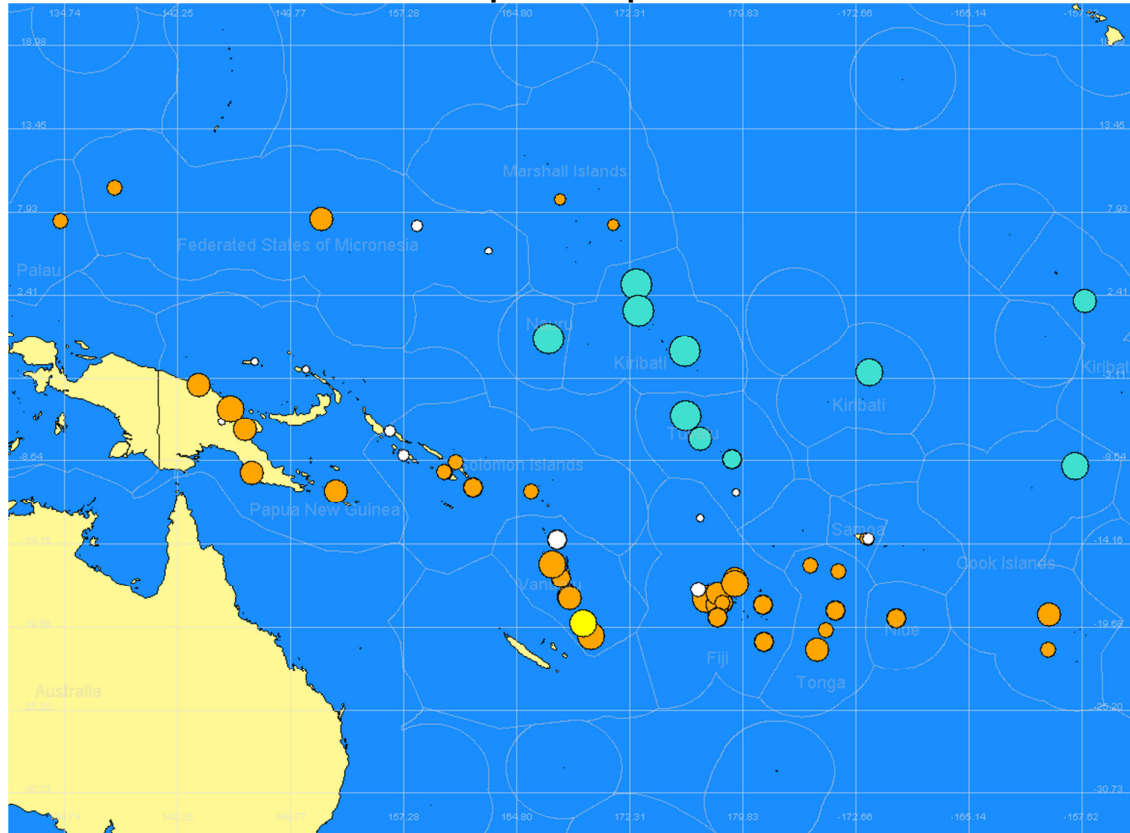


# scopic Spatial Summary

## Seasonal Climate Outlook for the period September to November 2017



**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 (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Aitutaki & 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 (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Chuuk <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Yap <b>Climatology:</b> Kosrae & Pohnpei	<b>Range:</b> very low - high <b>Average:</b> moderate
<b>Fiji (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Lakeba, Nadi Airport, Navua, Ono-i-Lau, Savusavu, Suva & Vunisea <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Labasa Airfield, Lautoka, Nausori Airport & Penang <b>Climatology:</b> Rotuma & Viwa	<b>Range:</b> very low - very high <b>Average:</b> high

<b>Kiribati (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Above Normal:</b> Beru, Butaritari, Kanton, Kiritimati & Tarawa	<b>Range:</b> high - exceptional!! <b>Average:</b> exceptional!!
<b>Marshall Islands (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Kwajalein & Majuro	<b>Range:</b> low <b>Average:</b> low
<b>Nauru (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Above Normal:</b> Nauru	<b>Range:</b> exceptional!! <b>Average:</b> exceptional!!
<b>Niue (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Alofi	<b>Range:</b> good <b>Average:</b> good
<b>Palau (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Koror	<b>Range:</b> moderate <b>Average:</b> moderate
<b>Papua New Guinea (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Madang, Misima, Port Moresby & Wewak <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Nadzab <b>Climatology:</b> Goroka W O, Kavieng & Momote	<b>Range:</b> very low - very high <b>Average:</b> good
<b>Samoa (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Faleolo <b>Climatology:</b> Afiamalu, Apia & Nafanua	<b>Range:</b> low <b>Average:</b> low
<b>Solomon Islands (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Auki, Honiara & Kirakira <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Henderson & Lata <b>Climatology:</b> Munda & Taro	<b>Range:</b> low - good <b>Average:</b> moderate
<b>Tonga (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Nuku'alofa <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Fua'amotu, Ha'apai, Niuafo'ou, Niuatoputapu & Vava'u	<b>Range:</b> moderate - high <b>Average:</b> good
<b>Tuvalu (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Normal to Above Normal:</b> Funafuti <b>Above Normal:</b> Nanumea & Nui <b>Climatology:</b> Niulakita	<b>Range:</b> very low - exceptional!! <b>Average:</b> high
<b>Vanuatu (Rainfall mm)</b> 2mth NINO3.4 SST Anomalies (Jun - Jul 2017)	<b>Below Normal:</b> Aneityum & Port Vila <b>Below Normal to Normal:</b> Bauerfield, Lamap, Pekoa & Whitegrass <b>Climatology:</b> Sola	<b>Range:</b> good - very high <b>Average:</b> high

<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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