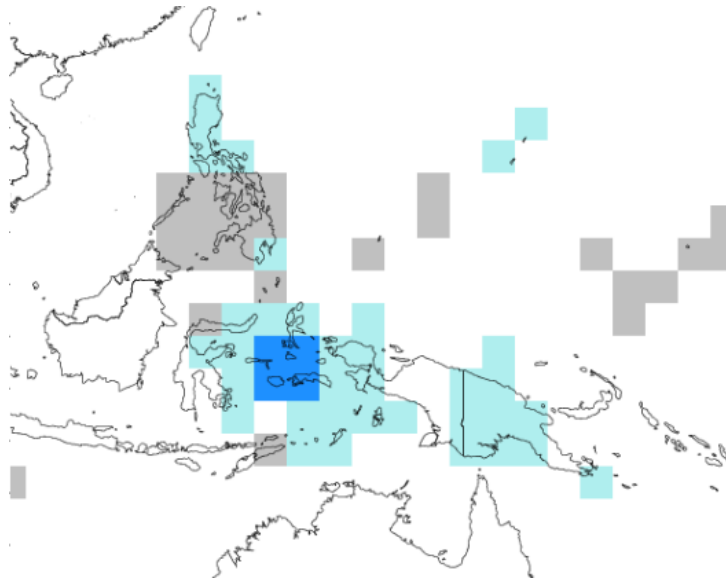


South-East Asia Regional Forecast: Total Rain and Snow for May-July 2012

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Forecast Update: There are few strong forecast signals this month, as we are no longer in a La Niña or El Niño phase.

IRI Global Forecast Map: Colours on this map show areas with an increased chance of having an unusually wet or dry season. The darker the colour, the more confident we are.

Areas of Concern

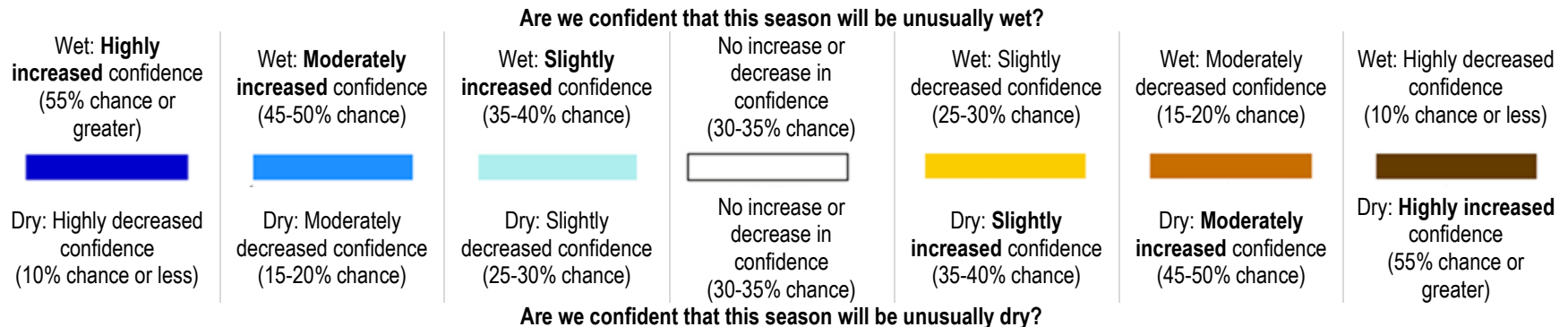
Southeast Asia: There is moderately increased confidence that parts of **Indonesia** will be unusually wet this May-July.

What can I do?

To anticipate local impacts, monitor local rainfall forecasts to see when and where rainfall events might occur. Some regional resources include: [ASEAN Specialised Meteorological Centre \(ASMC\)](#).

If above-normal rainfall does occur, the following sectoral impacts are possible:

- Disaster management: flooding and landslides
- Health: increase in vector-borne diseases early in the rainy season
- Watsan: combined stormwater/sewage overflow
- Food security: change in planting/harvesting times, crop drying/storage



For more information to help interpret the forecast, see accompanying document called: 'Important Forecast Guidance and Resources'.

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