





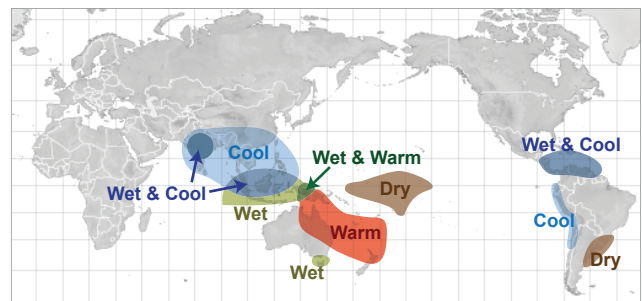
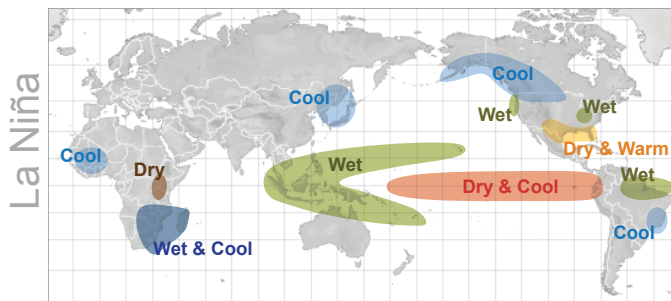
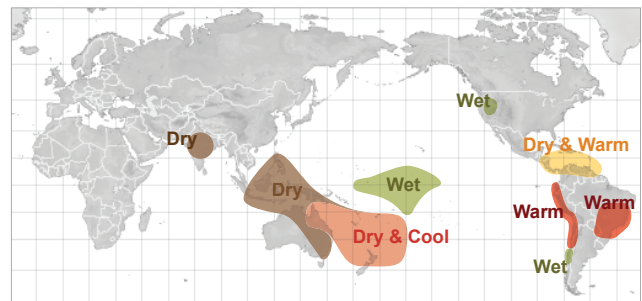
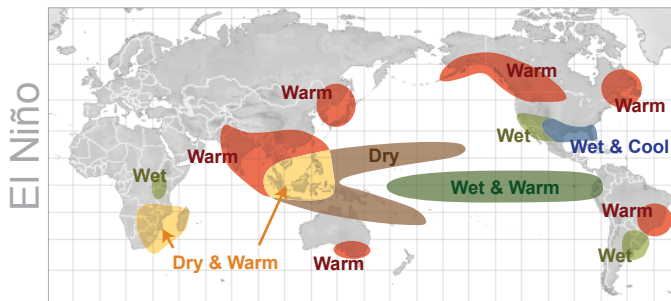
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ENSO

(El Niño Southern Oscillation) is the term for the shift in winds, ocean currents, sea surface temperatures, and surface air pressure patterns in the Pacific Ocean. Most commonly observed and reported aspect of ENSO is the change in sea surface temperature in the central and east Pacific Ocean. ENSO changes lead to major shifts in global weather patterns which effect the weather in several locations around the world. The maps below show where significant changes occur, relative to normal, due to the influence of ENSO.

December - January - February

June - July - August



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