



TUVALU MONTHLY AND SEASONAL OUTLOOK AUGUST TO OCTOBER 2026



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SUMMARY

- The El Niño–Southern Oscillation (ENSO) is now in El Niño to some part of the Tuvalu groups.
- Most climate model (100%) agrees on El Niño events, and SST's were getting warmer in the Tropical Pacific.
- The rainfall outlook for Tuvalu indicates a mixture of above-normal (wetter-than-normal) and below-normal (drier-than-normal) rainfall conditions during both the August and August to October periods.
- Maximum and Minimum temperatures across Tuvalu are forecast to remain above normal, indicating (hotter– than-normal) conditions throughout the country.

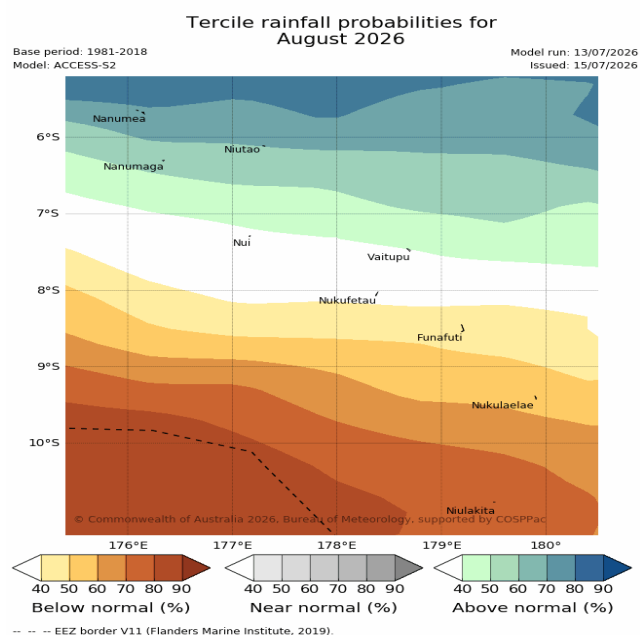
EL- NINOSOUTHERN OSCILLATION (ENSO)



- The tropical Pacific Sea Surface Temperature (SST's) continues to warm as all model (100%) reaches the El Niño threshold.
- In the month of June the Niño3.4 index value reached +1.44 °C, is an indication of moderate El Niño.
- For El Niño to be considered established, a corresponding atmospheric response would need to be observed.

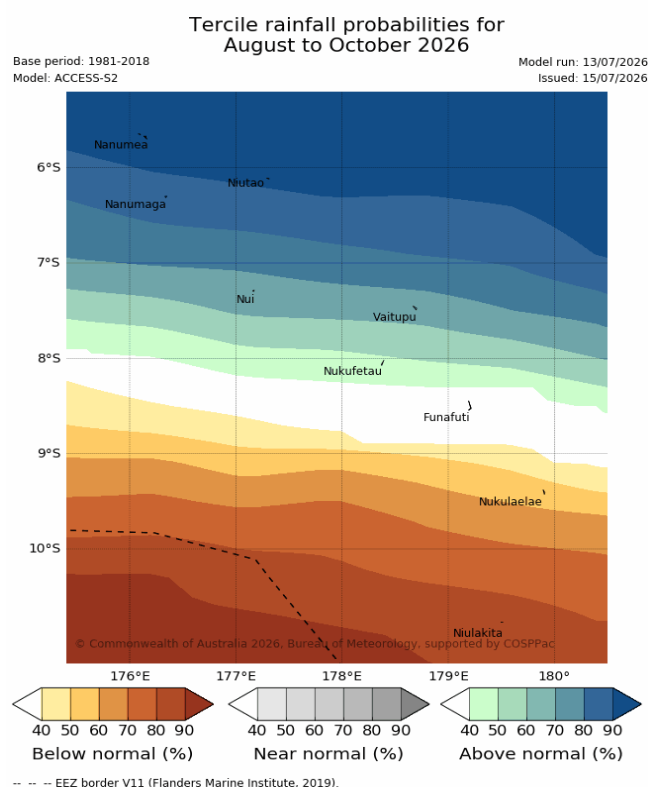
RAINFALL OUTLOOK

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Above normal (wetter-than-normal) rainfall is forecast for the Northern islands of Tuvalu, while near normal rainfall for the central island and below-normal (drier-than-normal) rainfall is expected for the Southern islands

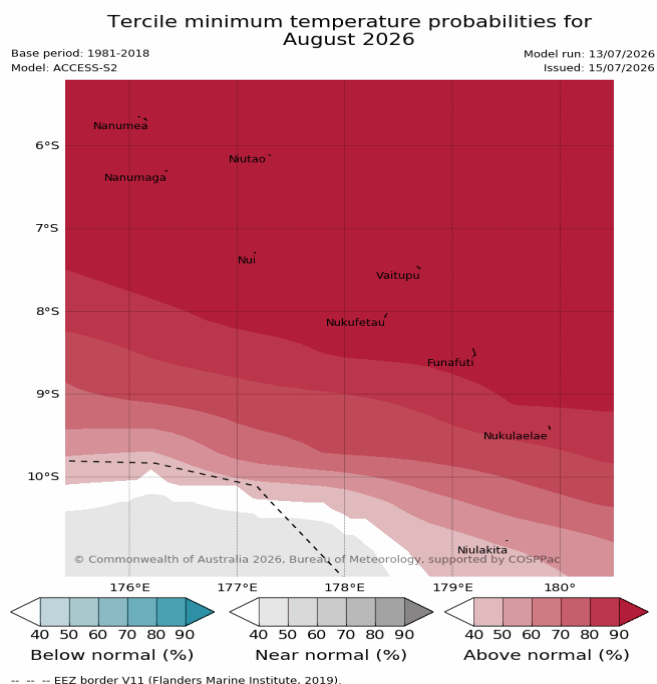
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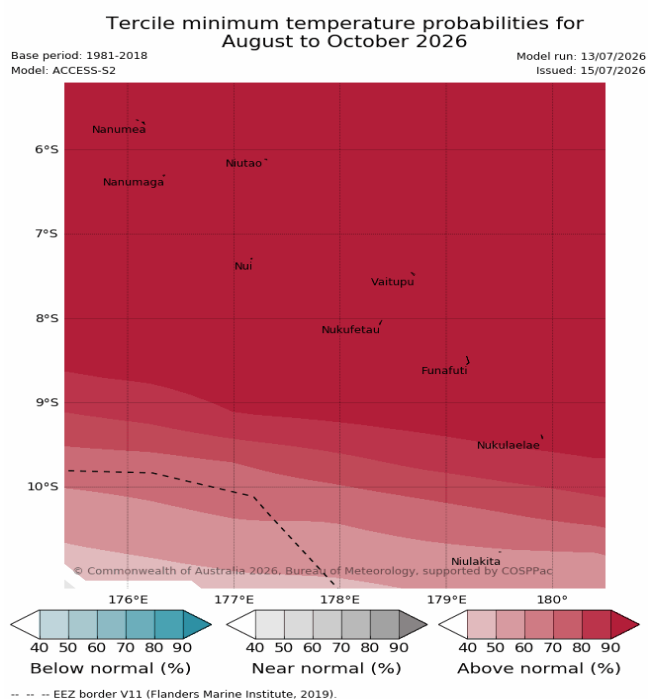
Above normal (wetter than normal) rainfall is forecast for the Northern islands and central islands. Near normal rainfall is expected for Funafuti, while Nukulaelae and Niulakita slightly increased likelihood of below normal (drier than normal) rainfall.

AIR TEMPERATURE OUTLOOK

Monthly and Seasonal Minimum Temperature



Minimum temperatures across Tuvalu are very likely to remain above normal (hotter than normal) during the July period

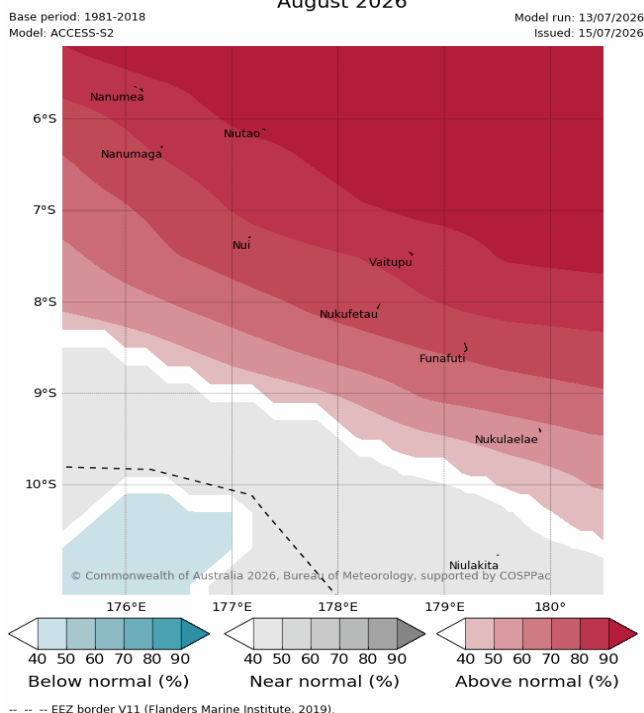


Above normal (hotter than normal) minimum temperatures are very likely across Tuvalu for the August —October 2026 period.

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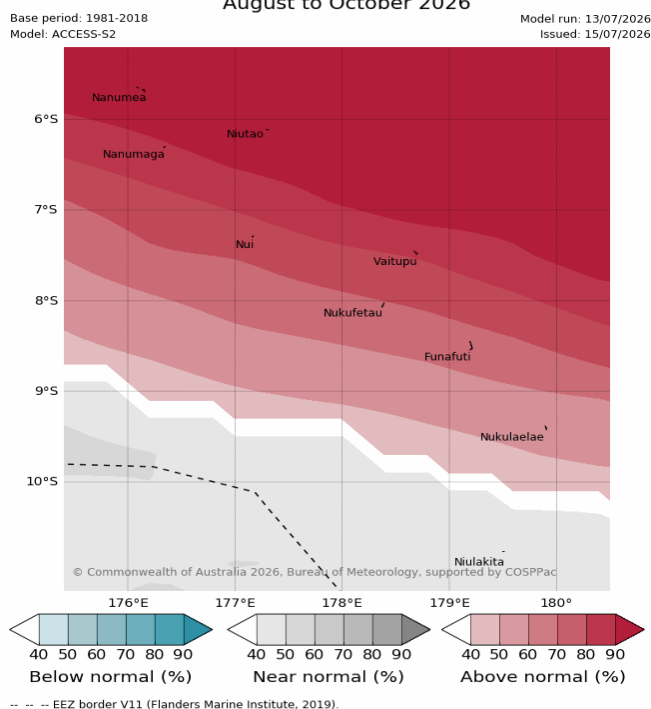
Monthly and Seasonal Maximum Temperature

Tercile maximum temperature probabilities for
August 2026



Maximum temperatures for August 2026 are very likely to be above normal (hotter than normal) across Tuvalu, except for Niulakita, where near normal-normal temperatures are expected.

Tercile maximum temperature probabilities for
August to October 2026



Maximum temperature for August to October 2026 are very likely to be above normal over Tuvalu, except Niulakita with near average temperature.