

RIMES Capacity building services

Current range of weather and climate products and their integration for decision support



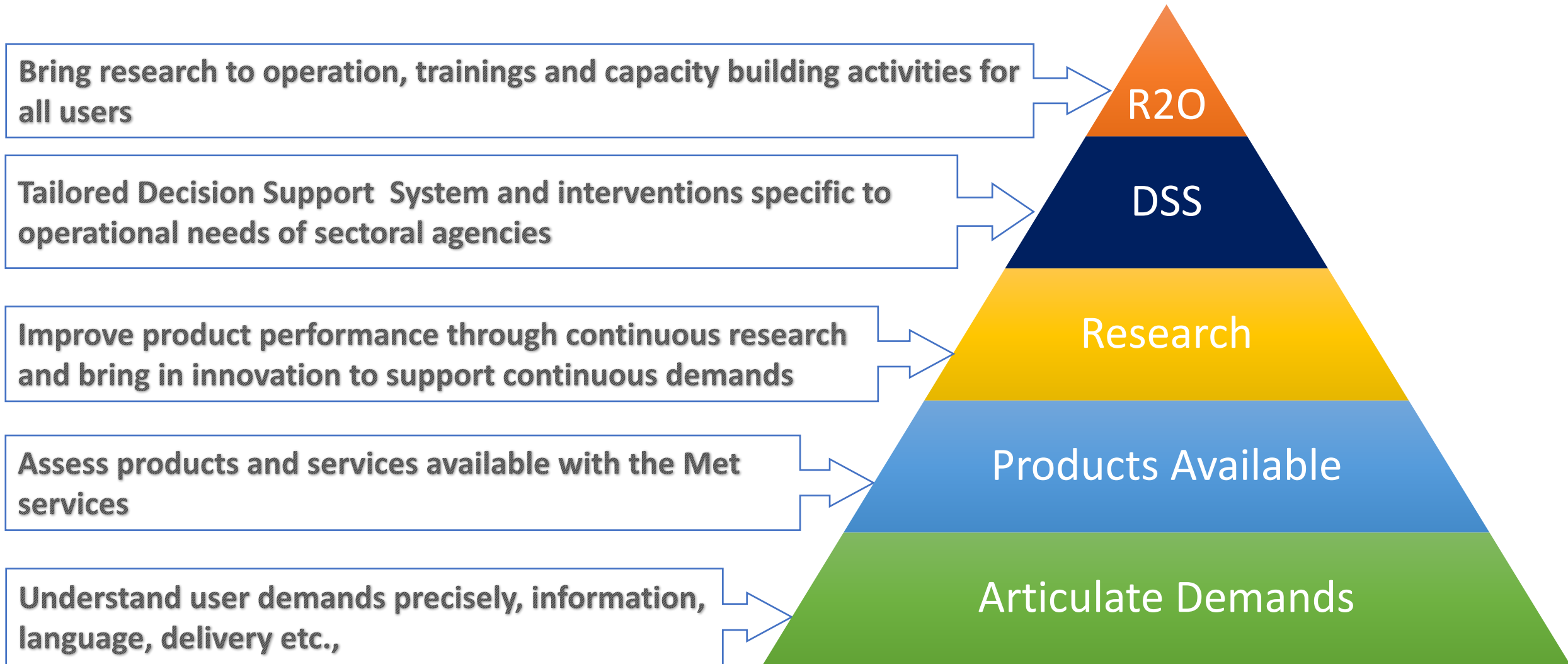
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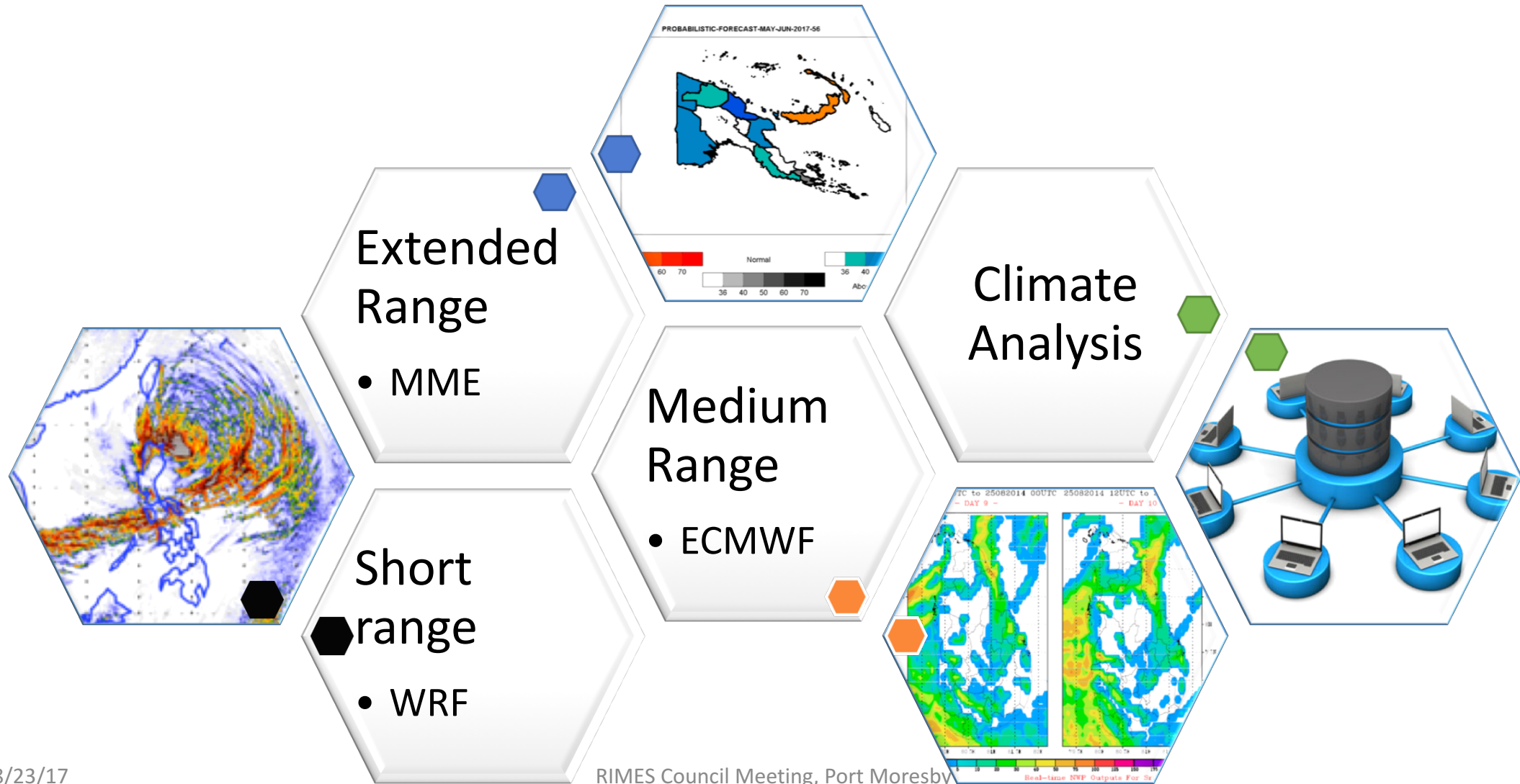
Addressing the Demands – A Bottom–Up approach

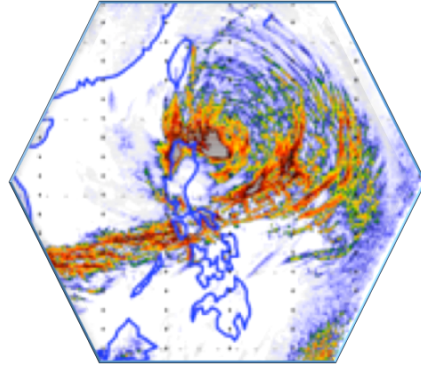


Articulate demands

timescales
 heavy-rain depressions
 uncertainty
 training observation
 monsoon
 trusting-the-forecast
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 sms accuracy
 language training
 feedback
 validation validation
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 performance
 translate above-normal

Range of weather and climate products and their integration for decision support

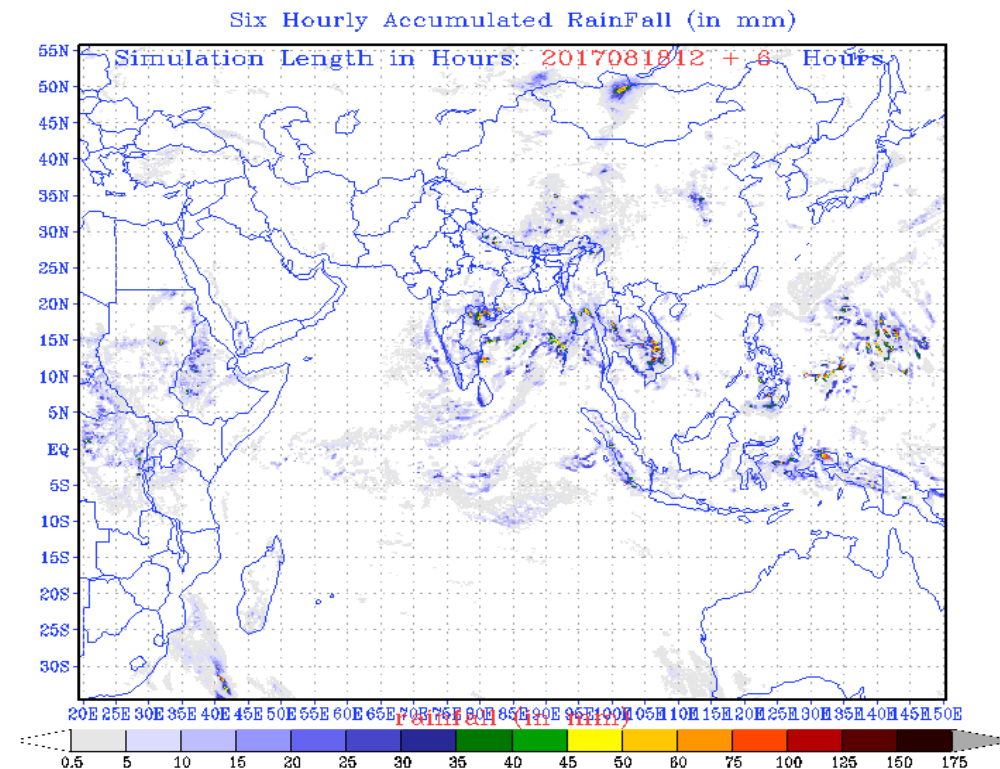




Short Range Forecast

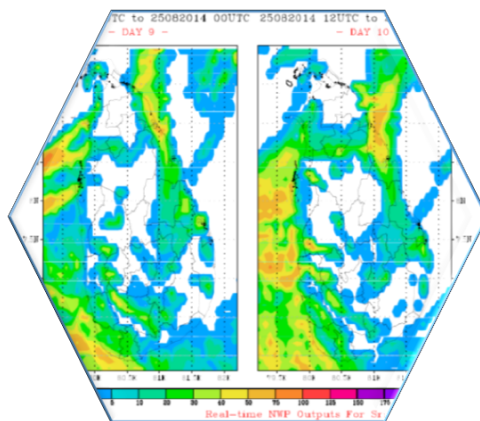
- For guidance Purpose only
- Daily weather forecast products
 - Rainfall, temperature, Seal Level Pressure, Wind Speed and Direction, Geo potential Height
- Severe weather
 - Heavy rainfall events, heat waves
- Storm Tracks and intensity with increased frequency of updates
- Model initialized with IMD-GFS* datasets
- Extend to **20E** to **150E** and **35S** to **55N** to cover east African region in the west Indian Ocean and PNG in Pacific

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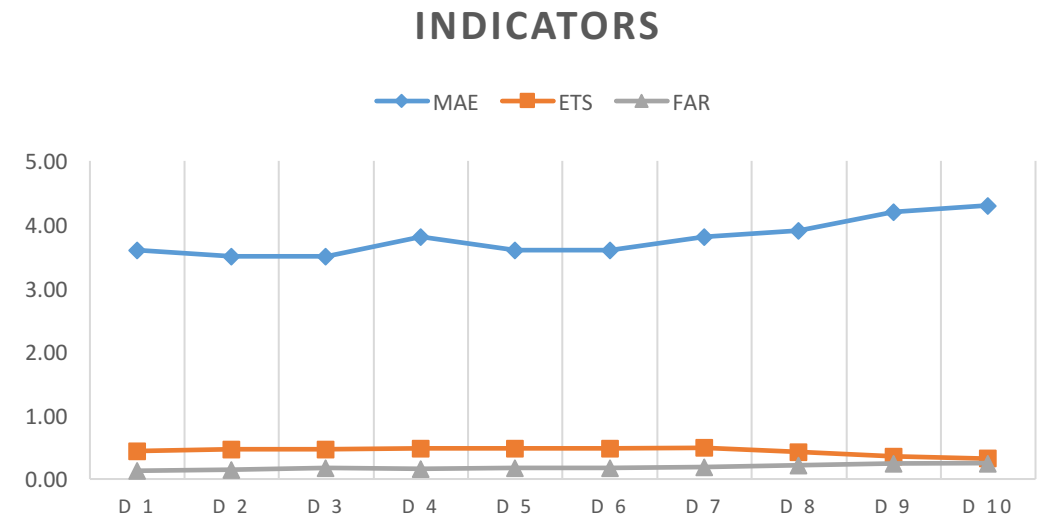
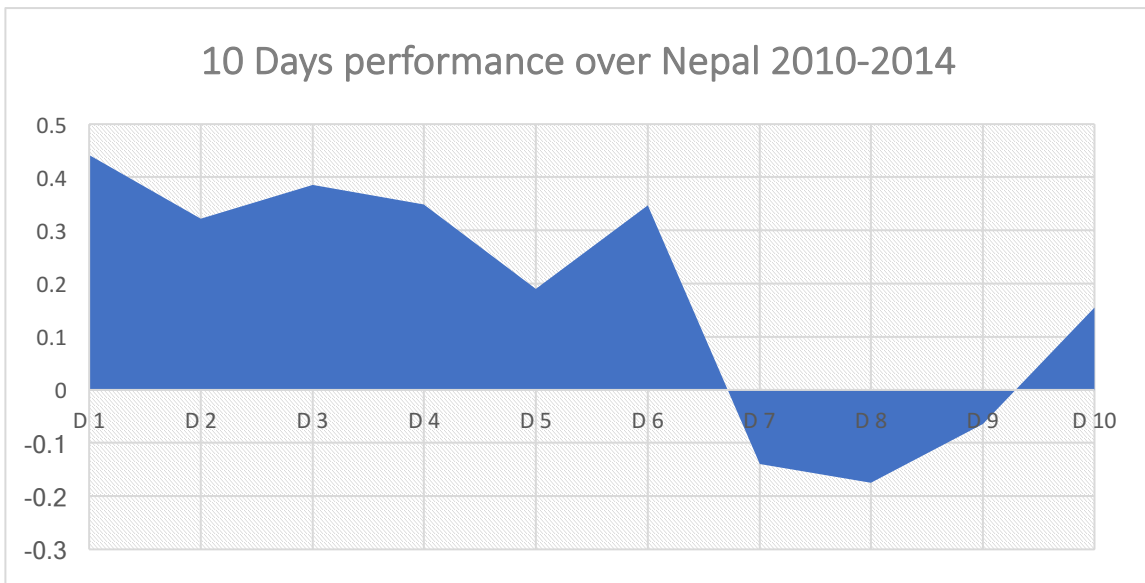
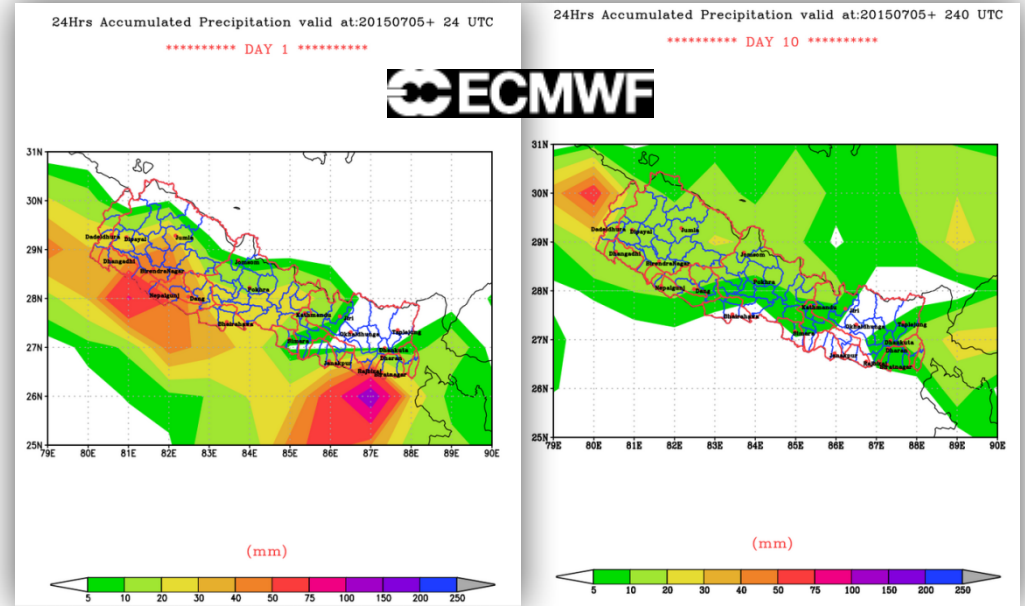
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2. Bangladesh
3. Bhutan
4. Cambodia
5. Comoros
6. East Timor
7. Lao PDR
8. Maldives
9. Mongolia
10. Myanmar
11. Nepal
12. Pakistan
13. PNG
14. Philippines
15. Seychelles
16. Sri Lanka
17. Tanzania
18. Yemen
19. Somaliland
20. Madagascar



Medium Range Forecast

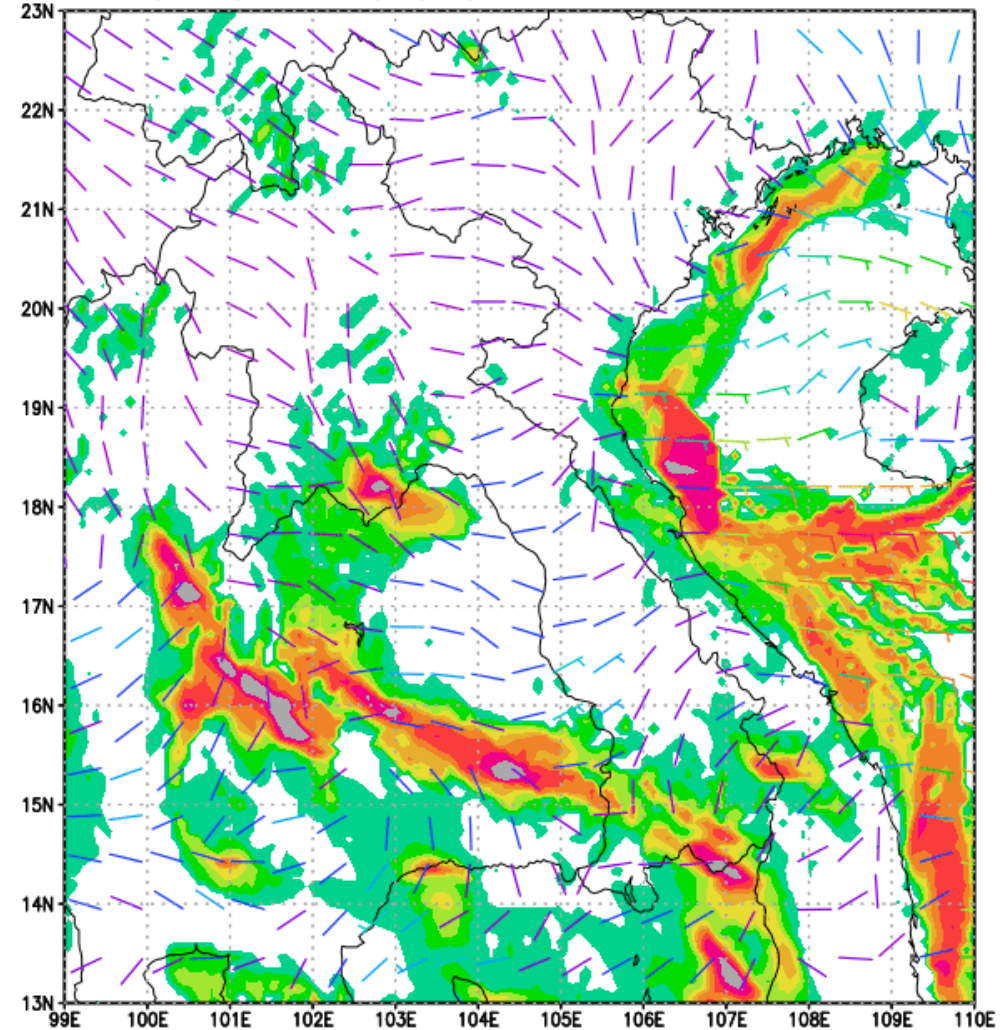
Performance evaluation

- Deterministic rainfall forecast for 10 days
- Customized from ECMWF data for Pakistan, Afghanistan, Nepal, Sri Lanka

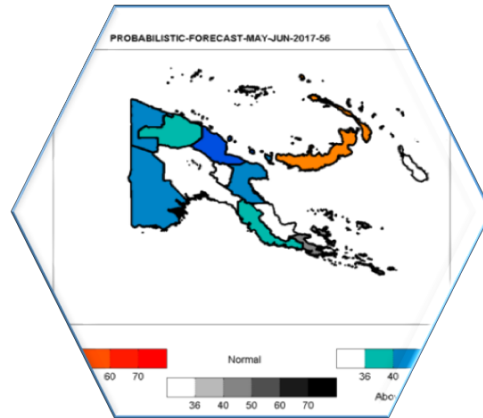


- High resolution 9km model downscaled using WRF
- Model initialized with NCEP-GFS forecast
- Experimentally Shared with
 - PNG, Myanmar, Cambodia, Sri Lanka, East Timor
- 12 hourly rainfall and wind speed and direction, Temperature
- Updated daily

Rainfall(mm)&wind(m/s) valid at Fri 12Z18AUG2017



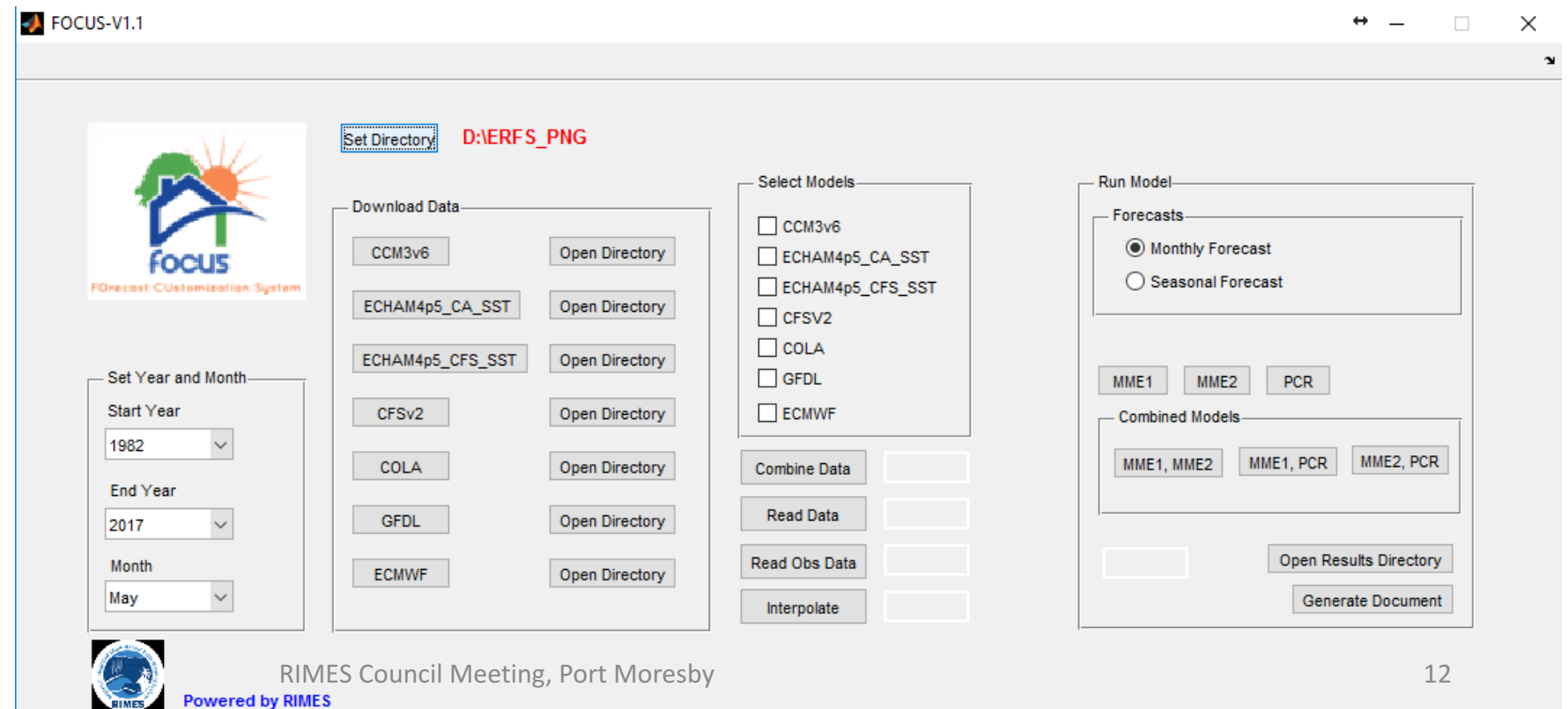
RIMES generated Product for LaoPDR initialized at 19082017 12UTC



Long Range Forecast

Monthly & Seasonal

- Model customized based on Global climate model (GCMs)
- A empirical statistical technique for generating multi-model ensemble forecast
- Uses Historical synoptic observation as the predictand
- Experimentally used in:
 - Sri Lanka
 - Myanmar
 - Maldives
 - Bangladesh
 - PNG



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Set Directory: D:\ERFS_PNG

Download Data

- CCM3v6 Open Directory
- ECHAM4p5_CA_SST Open Directory
- ECHAM4p5_CFS_SST Open Directory
- CFSv2 Open Directory
- COLA Open Directory
- GFDL Open Directory
- ECMWF Open Directory

Select Models

- CCM3v6
- ECHAM4p5_CA_SST
- ECHAM4p5_CFS_SST
- CFSv2
- COLA
- GFDL
- ECMWF

Combine Data

Read Data

Read Obs Data

Interpolate

Run Model

Forecasts

- Monthly Forecast
- Seasonal Forecast

MME1 MME2 PCR

Combined Models

- MME1, MME2
- MME1, PCR
- MME2, PCR

Open Results Directory

Generate Document

Set Year and Month

Start Year: 1982

End Year: 2017

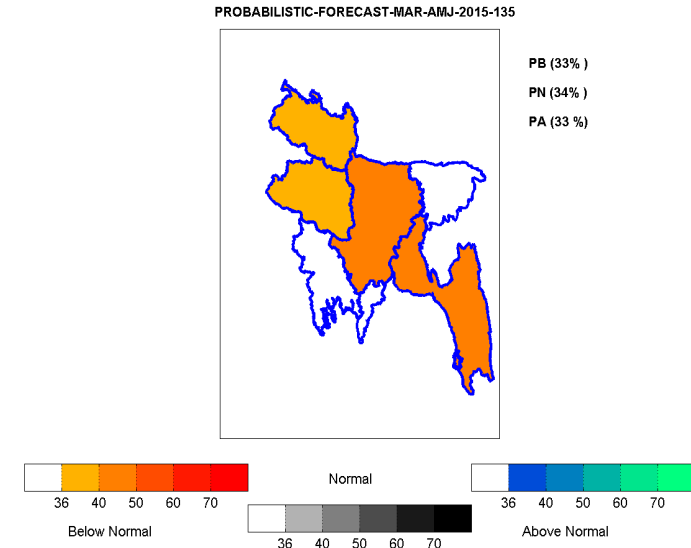
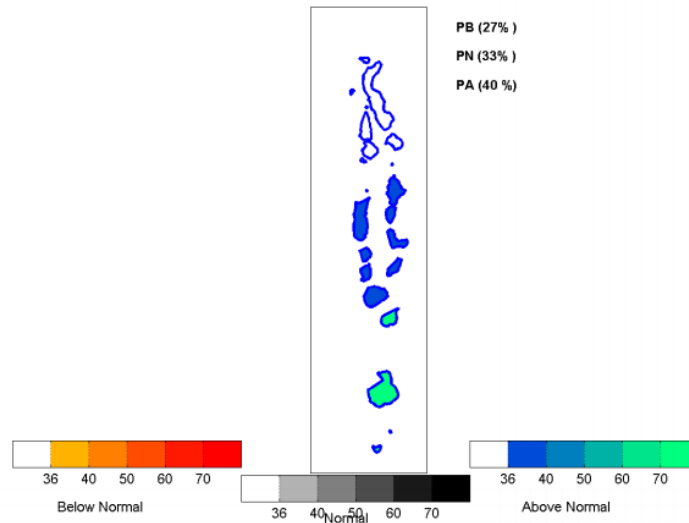
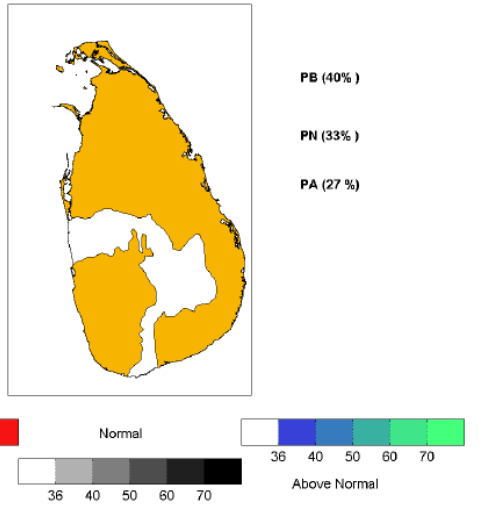
Month: May

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Sri Lanka

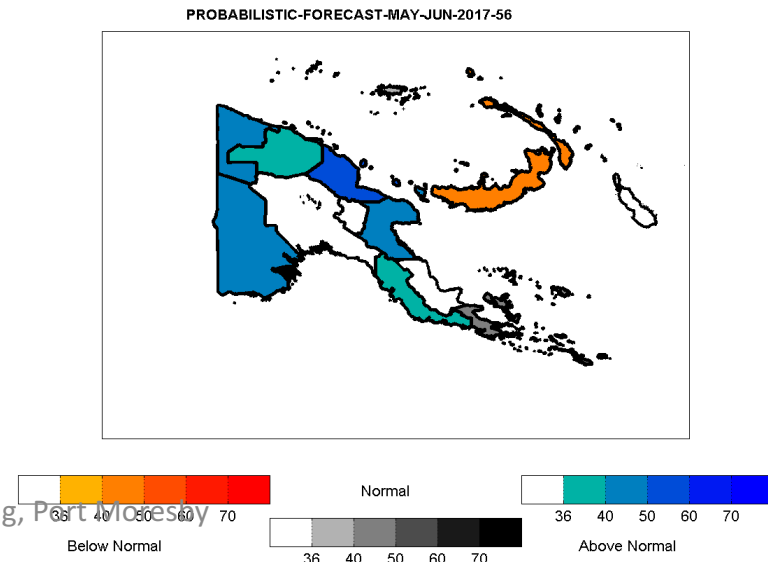
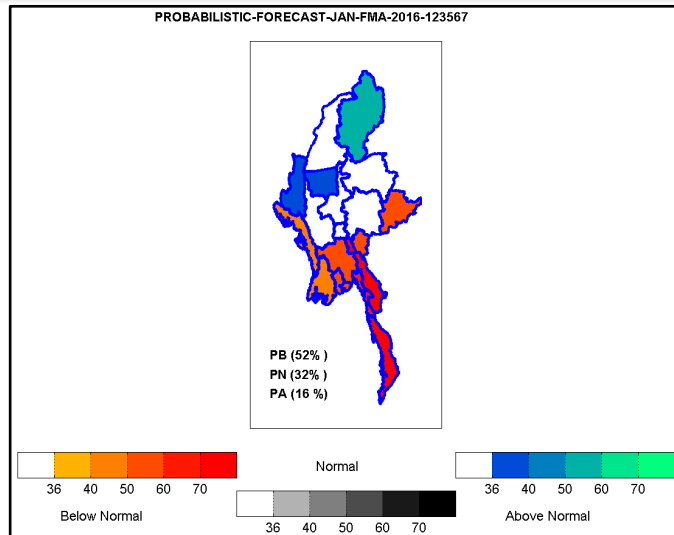
Maldives

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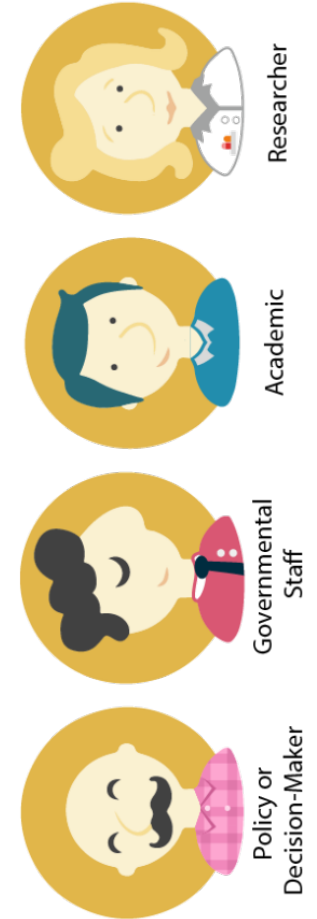
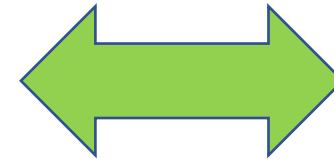
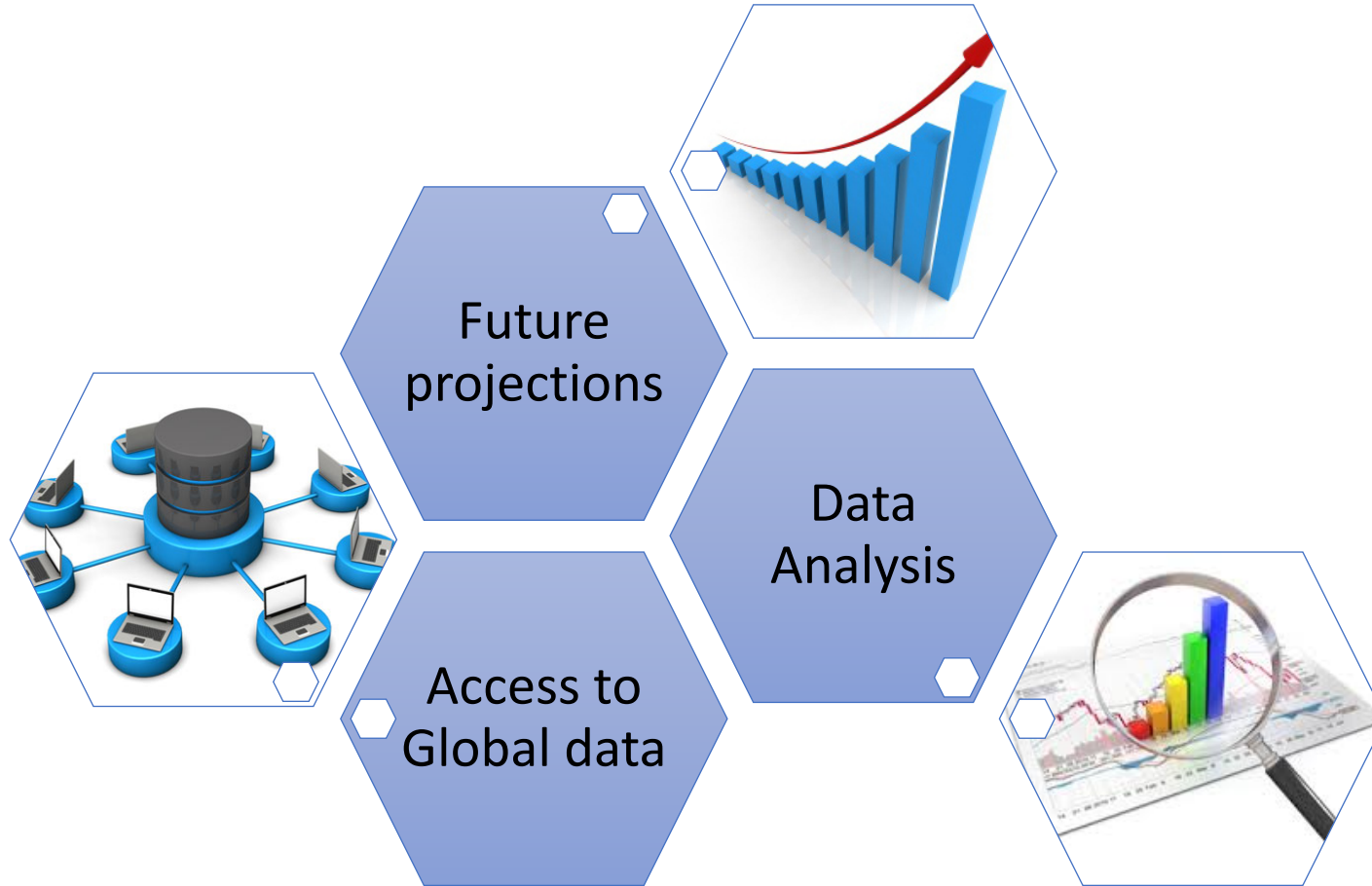
Myanmar

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CDAAS – Climate Data Access and Analysis System

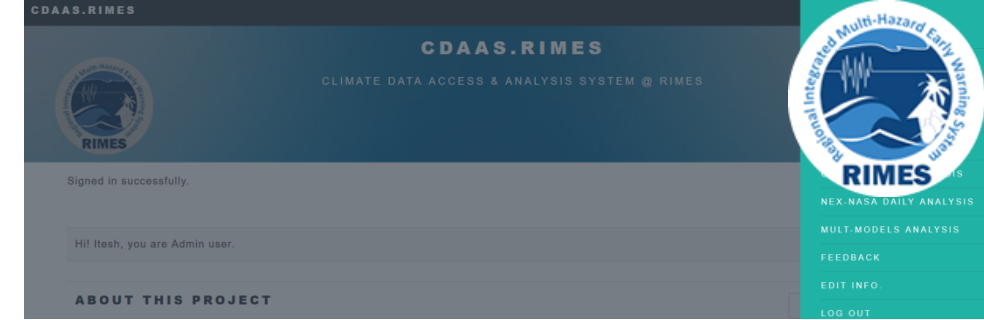




CDAAS – Climate Data Access and Analysis System

- Once stop Portal for accessing different global climate model outputs
- Simple and easy-to-use interface
- Lists out a number of CMIP5, CORDEX and NEX-NASA models
- Different access levels, with expert users are allowed to perform analysis on the datasets
- Background operations are handled with Climate Data Operator(CDO) and graphics with GrADS
- Perform multi model analysis on selected location or region

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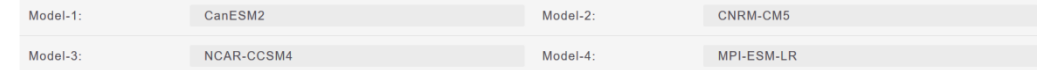
CMIP5 DATA ANALYSIS - MULTI-MODELS

STEP 1. SELECT REGION



STEP 2. SELECT DATASET

1. Select Models



2. Select MIP

CMIP5 Daily

3. Select Variable Name

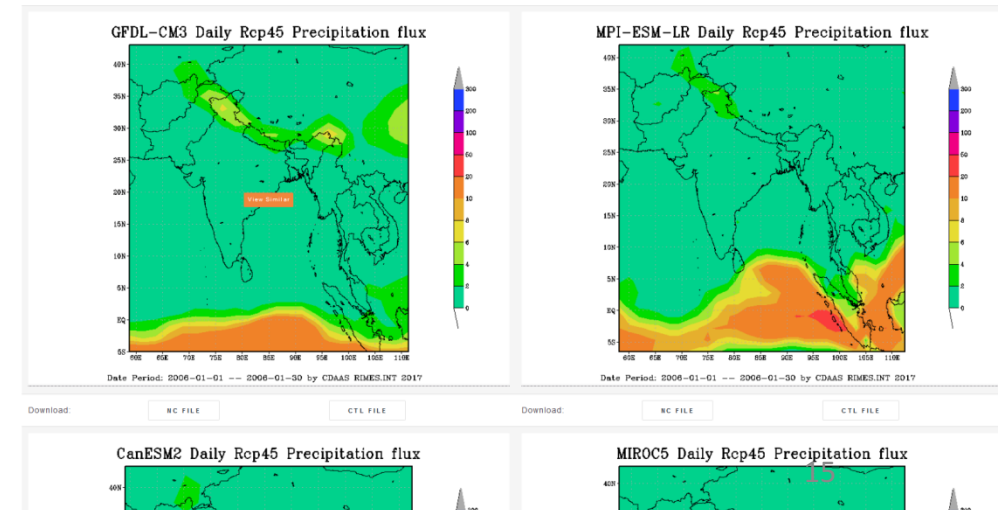
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4. Select Experiment

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CMIP5 DATA ANALYSIS - MULT-MODELS



System Integration



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Decision Support Systems and interventions specific to operational needs of sectoral agencies

01



Agriculture

- SESAME

02



Public Health

- CRISH

03



Disaster Management

- SMART

04



Ocean Services

OSFAS

05



Water Resources

- Flood, reservoir System

System Scalability and Sustenance



- Scalable

- Easily scaled to larger domains and better forecast products in Member countries

- Sustenance

- Built with open source software packages and free tools for customization as required
- Low development and operational cost

- Capacity building on-demand

- Operational users can be trained to maintain and update/upgrade systems





Thank you