

PROTOTYPE flash flood potential outlook – July to September 2023

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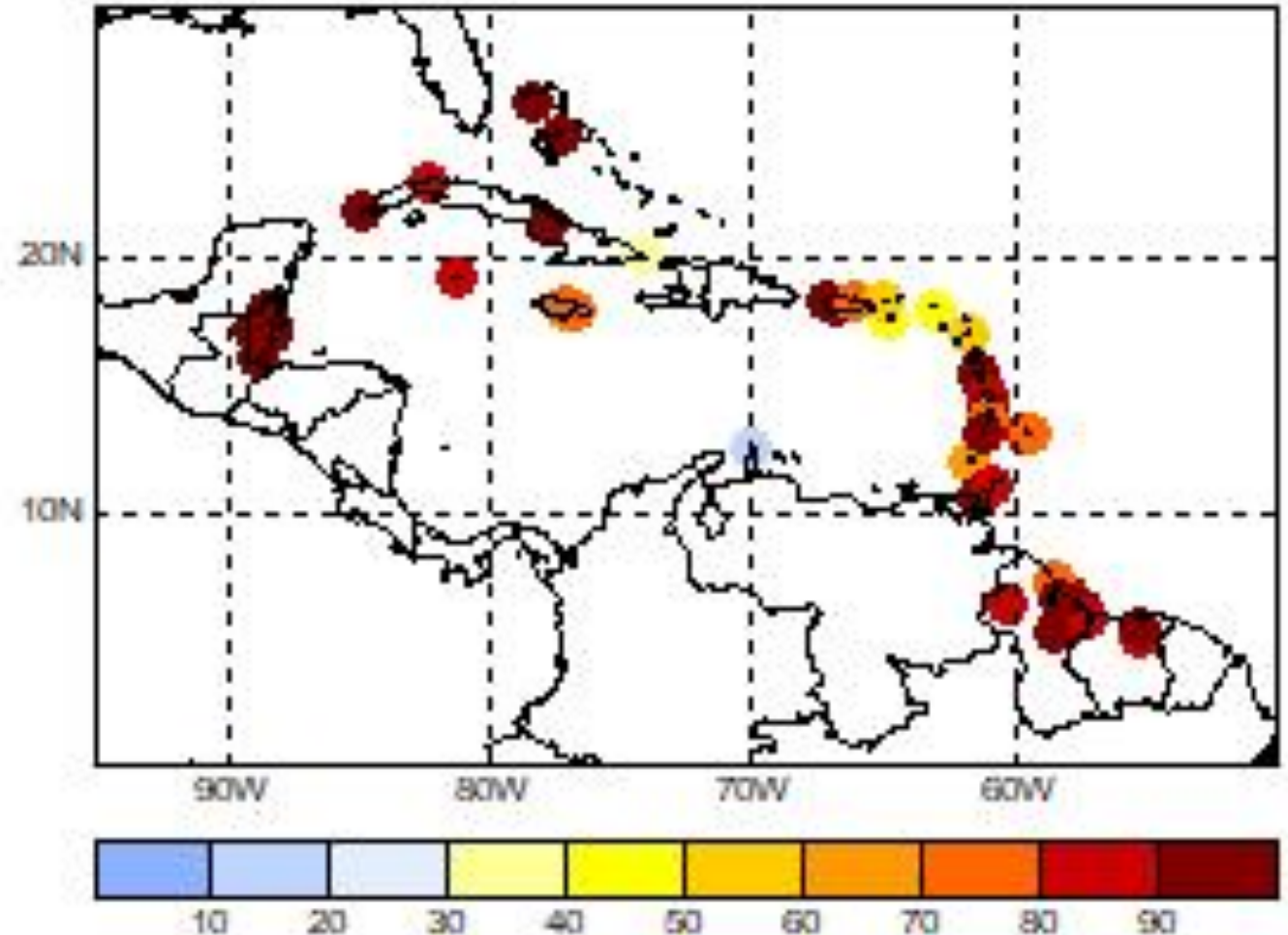


Flash flood potential associated with excessive rainfall* in Jul.-Aug.-Sep. 2023

Flash flood potential	Colour codes	Probability of excessive rainfall* event
EXTREMELY HIGH		>80%
HIGH		50-80%
MODERATE		20-50%
SLIGHT		10-20%
MARGINAL		0-10%






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Probability of excessive rainfall* for Jul-Aug-Sep 2023



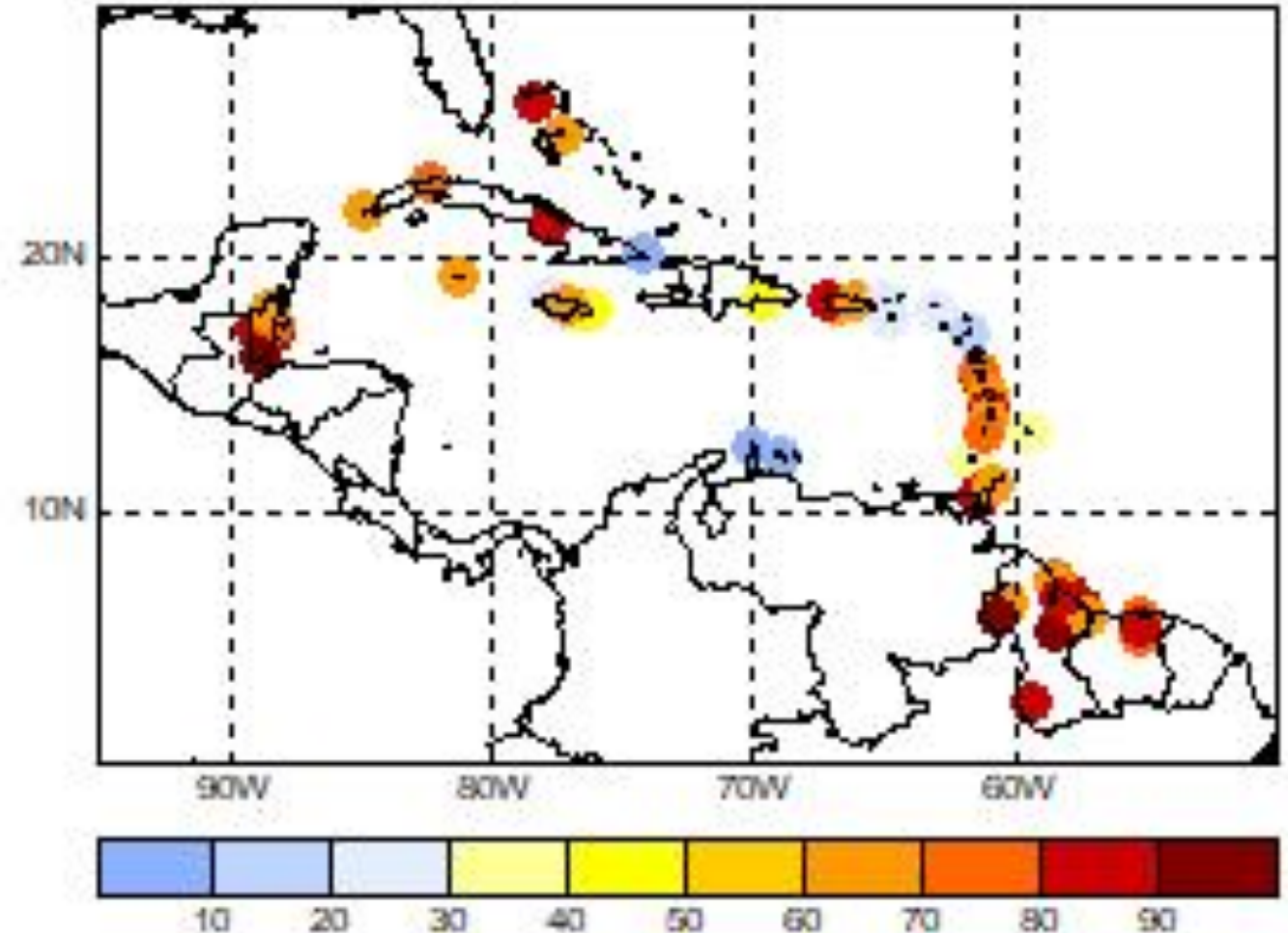
FORECAST: High to extremely high flash flood potential in The Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, most areas in the Greater Antilles, Guianas and in the Windward Islands; moderate to high potential in the Leeward Islands; slight potential in the ABC islands.

Flash flood potential associated with excessive rainfall* zooming in on **July 2023**

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Probability of excessive rainfall* for July 2023



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