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# HIGHLIGHTS OF 3<sup>rd</sup> DEKAD OF NOVEMBER 2022

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*During the second dekad of November 2022, rainfall activities were observed over some parts of subequatorial and tropical bands of the Continent, with above-average to well above-average rainfall conditions observed over parts of Central Africa, Southern Africa and East Africa regions. Below-average to well below-average rainfall was recorded over Central Africa and Southern Africa countries.*

*The dekad was characterized by neutral to cold SSTs conditions in the eastern parts of the Atlantic Ocean closer to the western coastline of the Continent. In addition, in the equatorial pacific region, La Nina conditions persisted during most of the last four weeks. Over the Indian Ocean, the SSTs were mostly dominated by neutral to cold conditions over western parts that led to suppress rainfall over parts of the eastern side of East African countries.*

*The outlook for 22 – 28 November 2022 depicts a general bias for below to normal precipitation Cameroon, southern parts of DRC, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Mozambique and southern parts of Tanzania. Above average precipitation is expected over Angola, eastern DRC, Gabon, Congo, Lesotho, Swaziland, east of South Africa, Uganda, Rwanda, Burundi and northern tips of Tanzania in the first week. Whereas during the second week normal to above precipitation can be expected in Gabon, Congo, northern DRC, Botswana, Zimbabwe and South Africa..*