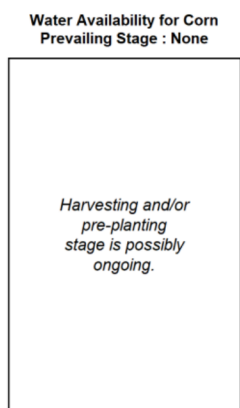
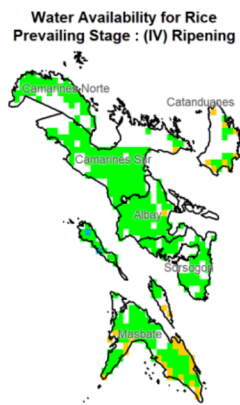


Region V (Bicol Region)



Provincial Values

	Mon. Ave. Rainfall (mm)	Rice				Corn			
		CS	CCI (%)	CS	CCI (%)	CS	CCI (%)	CS	CCI (%)
Albay	356.6	I	128.4	I	238.6	I	128.4	I	238.6
		II	119.2	II	174.5	II	119.2	II	174.5
		III	115.0	III	140.7	III	115.0	III	140.7
		IV	115.0	IV	172.7	IV	115.0	IV	172.7
Camarines Norte	436.6	I	154.1	I	304.4	I	154.1	I	304.4
		II	141.3	II	207.8	II	141.3	II	207.8
		III	135.6	III	160.9	III	135.6	III	160.9
		IV	135.6	IV	205.2	IV	135.6	IV	205.2
Camarines Sur	371.0	I	140.6	I	276.7	I	140.6	I	276.7
		II	129.4	II	188.9	II	129.4	II	188.9
		III	124.4	III	147.1	III	124.4	III	147.1
		IV	124.4	IV	186.6	IV	124.4	IV	186.6
Catanduanes	255.8	I	70.8	I	153.5	I	70.8	I	153.5
		II	64.3	II	103.9	II	64.3	II	103.9
		III	61.4	III	78.8	III	61.4	III	78.8
		IV	61.4	IV	102.5	IV	61.4	IV	102.5
Masbate	245.5	I	83.5	I	173.6	I	83.5	I	173.6
		II	76.5	II	120.2	II	76.5	II	120.2
		III	73.4	III	93.4	III	73.4	III	93.4
		IV	73.4	IV	118.8	IV	73.4	IV	118.8
Sorsogon	388.4	I	142.9	I	272.9	I	142.9	I	272.9
		II	131.7	II	188.0	II	131.7	II	188.0
		III	126.8	III	147.1	III	126.8	III	147.1
		IV	126.8	IV	185.8	IV	126.8	IV	185.8

Crop Stage (CS) highlighted in **bold** is the dominant stage during the month of September

Rice CS: (I) Nursery (II) Vegetative (III) Reproductive (IV) Ripening

Corn CS: (I) Establishment (II) Vegetative (III) Reproductive (IV) Maturity

CCI Category: Inadequate Sufficient Excess

Regional Summary

A sufficient amount of rainfall fell across most of the Bicol region, which was beneficial for the development of crops, particularly those at the ripening stage of rice crop and expected harvesting and/or pre-planting stage of corn crops.

According to the 3-month accumulated rainfall as shown in the SPEI3, most of the provinces in the Bicol region experienced near-normal conditions except for the observed slightly drier conditions in some portions of Albay, Camarines Norte, and some parts of Catanduanes provinces. However, significant rainfall indicated by the extreme rainfall indices may have an impact on rice and corn harvests in certain locations in the northern and southeastern parts of the region, with estimated maximum 1-day and maximum 5-day rainfall of about 50-250mm. This may be primarily due to the influence of the following atmospheric systems: severe localized thunderstorms, and Tropical Depression (TD) "Enteng" during the beginning of the week.

