



# FEMA

## Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, August 14, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

# National Current Operation



## Significant Incidents or Threats:

- Derecho – Midwest - [FINAL](#)
- Severe Thunderstorms possible – [Upper/Middle Mississippi Valleys, Northern/Central Plains](#)
- Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding possible – [Northern Plains, Upper Mississippi/Ohio Valleys, Mid-Atlantic](#)
- Elevated Fire Weather – [Northern Intermountain/Great Basin, Central Rockies, Central Plains](#)
- COVID-19

## Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic:
  - [Tropical Storm Josephine](#)
  - [Disturbance 1: Medium \(50%\)](#)
- Eastern Pacific:
  - Tropical Depression Ten-E
  - Disturbance 1: High (80%)
  - Disturbance 2: High ([60%](#))
  - Disturbance 3: High ([80%](#))
- Central Pacific: Disturbance 1: [Low \(30%\)](#)
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

**Declaration Activity:** [None](#)

# Derecho – Midwest - FINAL



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**Situation:** On Aug 10, severe thunderstorms with long track damaging winds (derecho) impacted the Midwest, causing widespread power outages across Regions V and VII. Power restoration and damage assessments continue. No requests for FEMA assistance

## Lifeline Impacts:

### Safety and Security

- Fatalities: IA - 2, MO -1 (as of Aug 12, Region VII Incident Report)
- Injuries: IA - 50; IL - 5 unconfirmed

### Food, Water, Shelter: (as of 7:25 a.m. ET, ESF 6 Report)

- IA: **119 (+42)** total occupants; **62 (-15)** in non-congregate (hotels); **0 (-6)** in congregate
- IA: 150 members of Meskwaki Nation sheltered in tribal casino

### Energy

- Customers without power (as of 4:30 a.m. ET, DOE Eagle-I)
  - Region V: IL: **65k (1%)** (peak 757k)
  - Region VII: IA: **181k (13%)** (peak 491k)

### Communications:

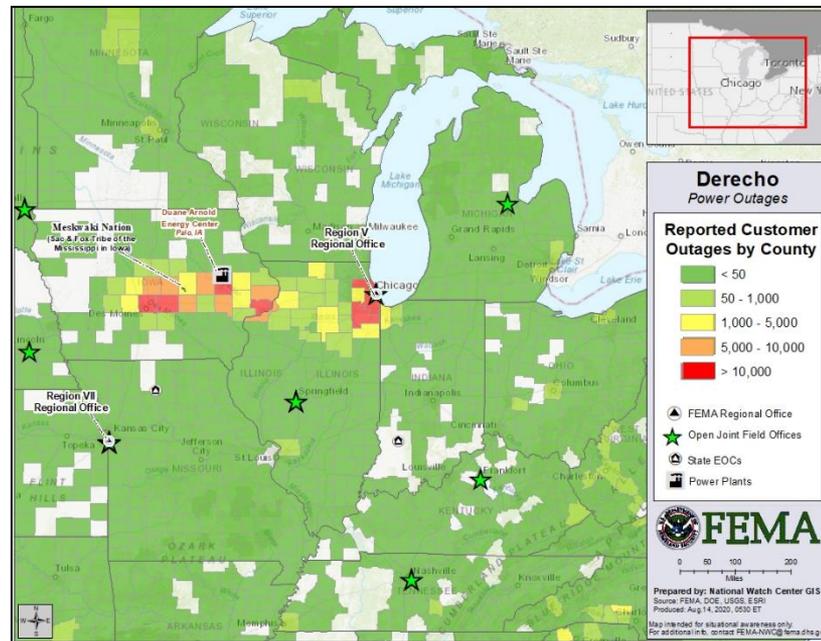
- IA: **Widespread damage to communications systems (911 still working)**
- **332 (15%) of 2,172 cell towers in the affected areas are out of service**

### State / Local Response:

- IL EOC: Normal Operations
- IA EOC: Partial Activation (COVID-19); State of emergency declared

### Federal Response:

- Region V RRCC Level III (COVID-19); RWC monitoring
- Region VII RWC at Enhanced Watch (day shift) w/ ESFs 2, 12 & 15
- Region VII State and Tribal LNOs deployed (virtually) to IA
- NWC is monitoring



# Tropical Outlook – Atlantic

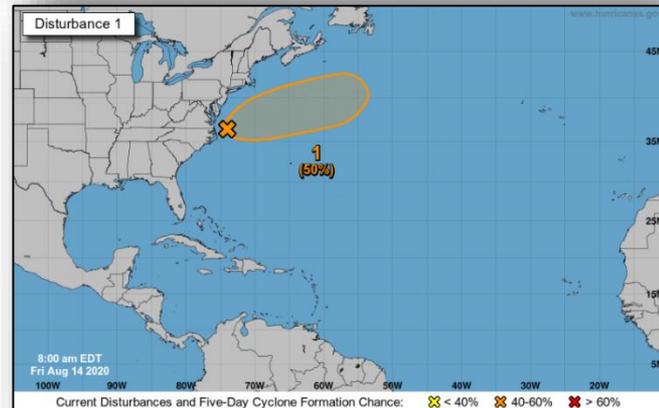


## [Tropical Storm Josephine](#) (Advisory #11 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- 680 miles ESE of the northern Leeward Islands
- Moving WNW at 17 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 40 mph
- Some strengthening is expected during the next day or so
- Tropical storm force winds extend outward 80 miles

## [Disturbance 1](#) (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- 100 miles NE Cape Hatteras, North Carolina
- Moving ENE, well SE of New England and S of Canadian Maritime provinces
- Possible formation into tropical or subtropical depression in next few days
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (40%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Medium (50%)



# Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



## Tropical Depression Ten-E (Advisory #5 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- 1,535 miles WSW of the southern tip of Baja California, Mexico
- Moving W at 7 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 35 mph
- Little change in strength is forecast during the next few days

## Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

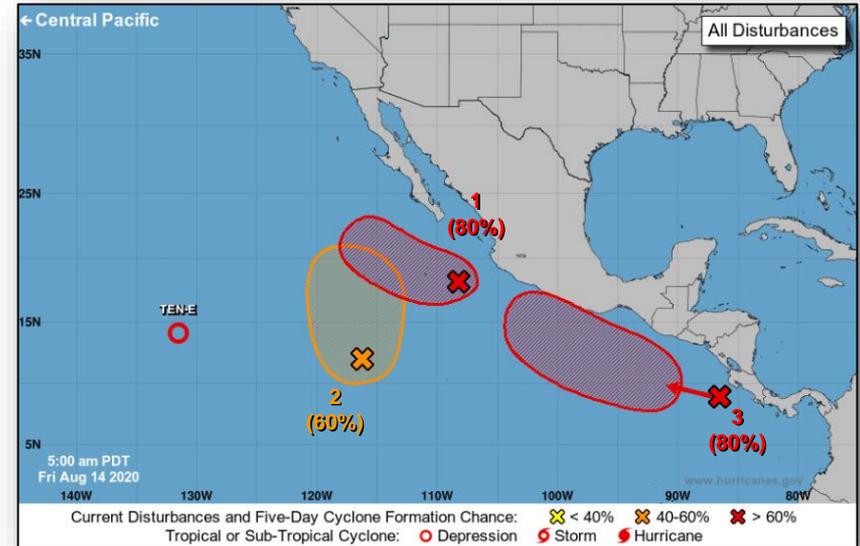
- A few hundred miles S of Baja California peninsula, Mexico
- Moving WNW at 10-15 mph
- A tropical depression is likely to form within the next day or two
- Formation chance through 48 hours: High (80%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: High (80%)

## Disturbance 2 (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- 1,000 SW of S Baja California peninsula, Mexico
- Moving N
- Tropical depression is likely to form next few days
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (50%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: High (60%)

## Disturbance 3 (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Located just offshore of the Pacific coast of Central America
- Moving WNW
- Tropical depression is likely to form this weekend or early next week
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (40%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: High (80%)

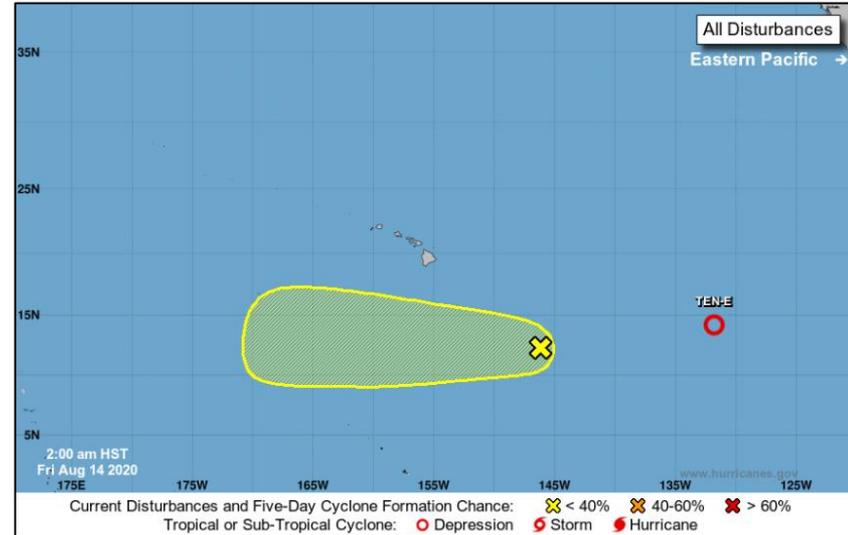


# Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific



## **Disturbance 1** *(as of 8:00 a.m. ET)*

- 800 miles SE of Hilo, HI
- Moving west at 10 mph
- Some gradual development is possible through early next week
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (30%)



# COVID-19 Update



**Situation:** Upward trajectory in COVID-19 case count continues across 4 (-1) states, with 7 (+3) states in a plateau status, and 45 (-2) states on a downward trajectory. 24,008 (-441) Federal employees deployed / activated; 2,040 (-13) FEMA employees deployed.

Nationwide Testing: 70,212,154 cumulative as of Aug 13

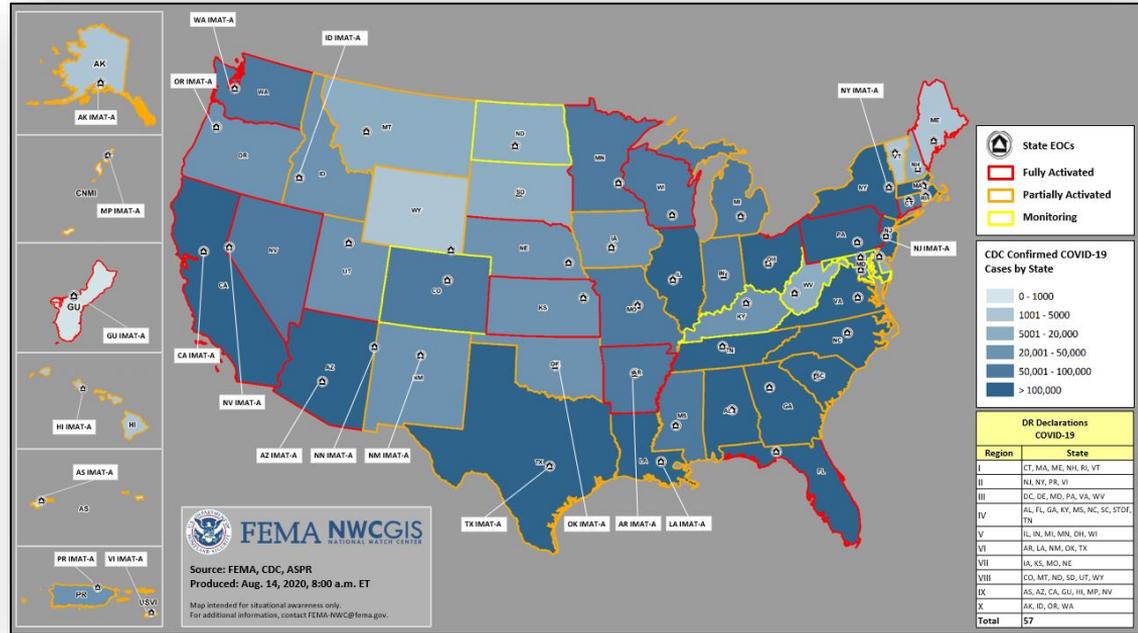
COVID-19 positive cases continue to increase globally (CDC COVID-19 update as of Aug 13)

Confirmed Cases of COVID-19

- United States: 5,176,018 (+56,307)
- Worldwide: 20,439,814 (+276,393)
- Deaths caused by COVID-19
  - United States: 165,148 (+1,497)
  - Worldwide: 744,385 (+6,933)

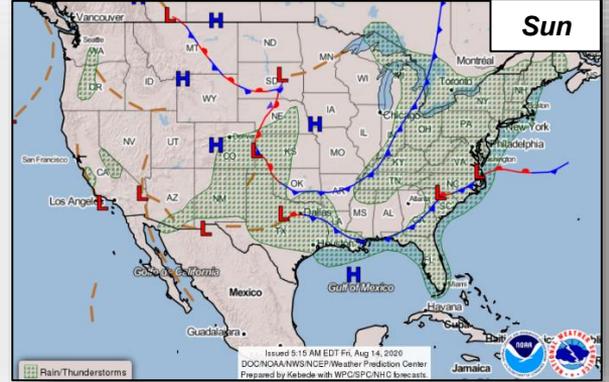
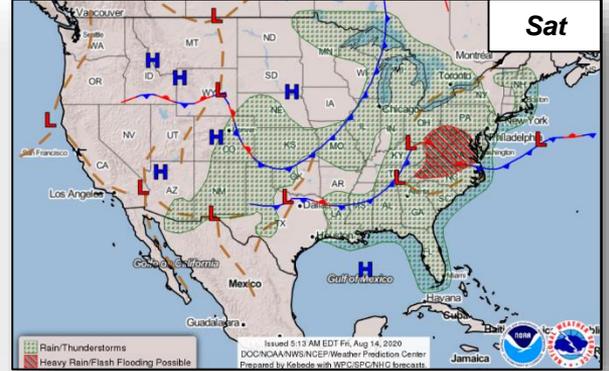
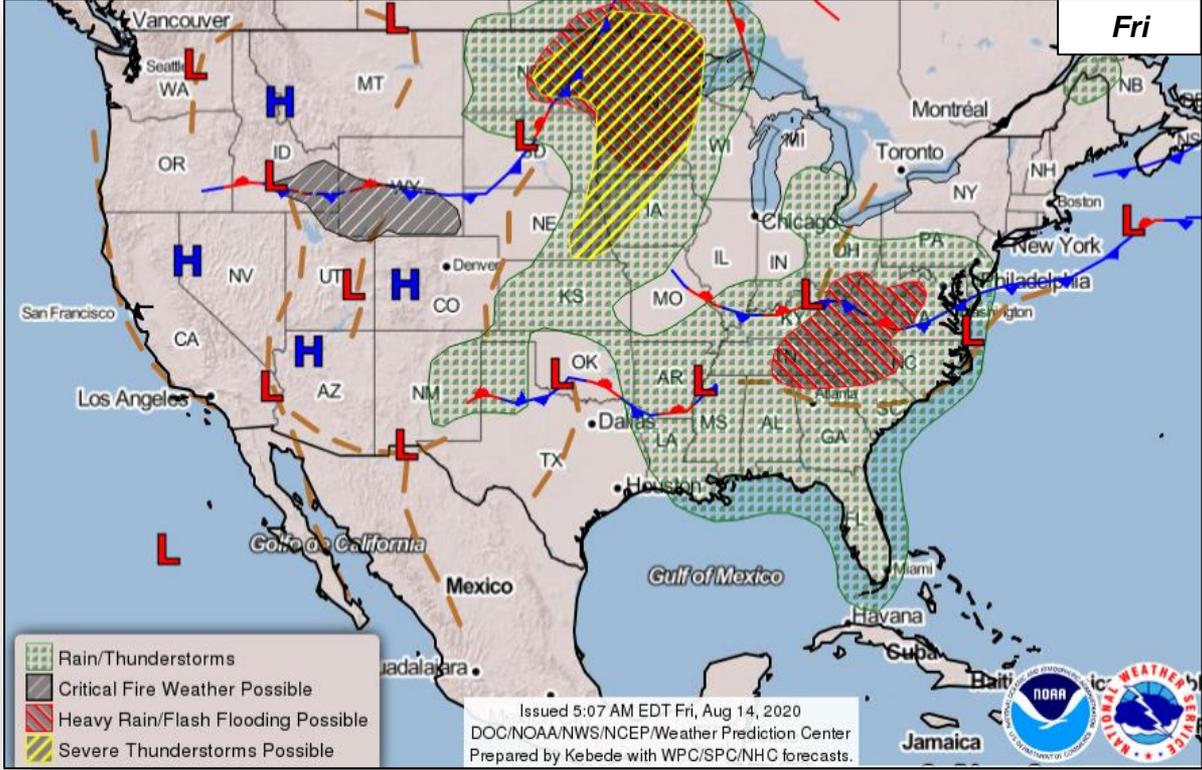
## Response:

- NRCC at Level I
- Regions I, II, III, V, VI, & X RRCCs at Level III
- Regions IV, VII, VIII, & IX RRCCs are rostered
- Regions VII, VIII & IX COVID-19 response being worked from the Virtual JFO
- NWC, all RWCs, and MOCs are monitoring

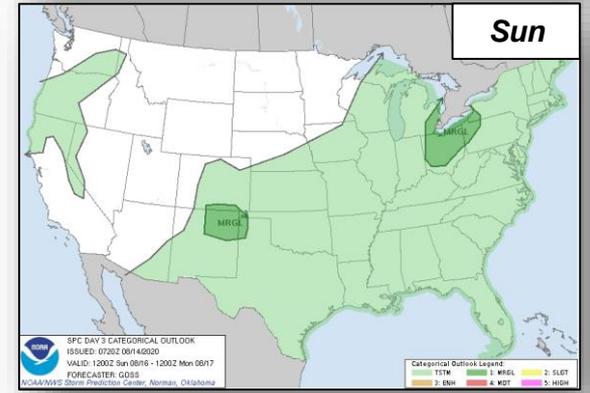
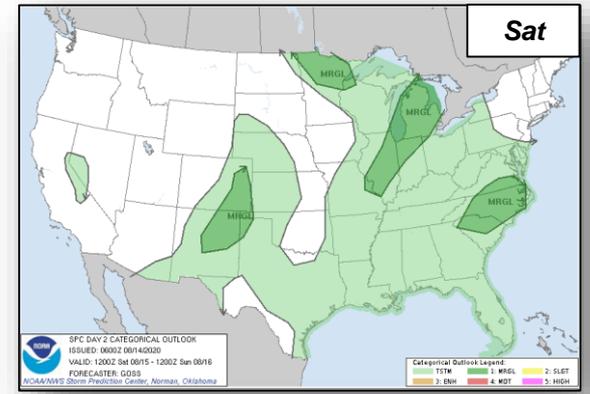
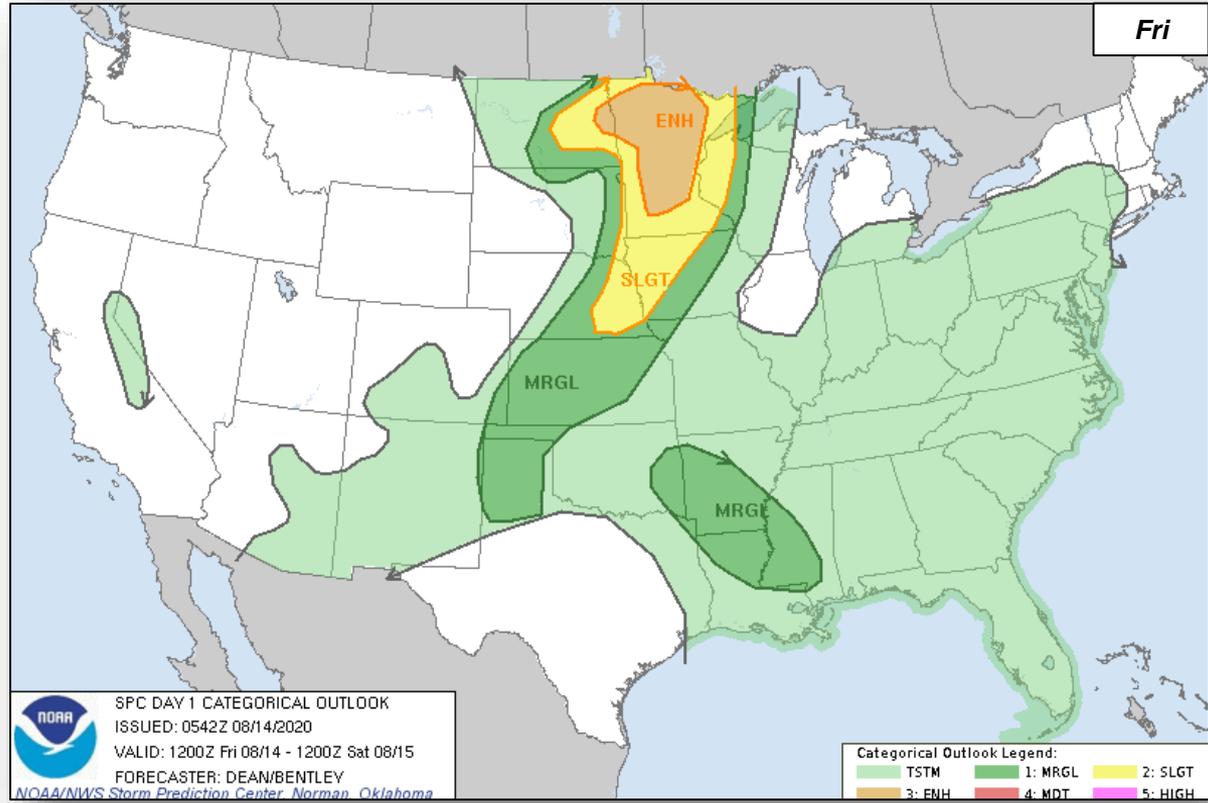


(COVID-19 SLB, Aug 13)

# National Weather Forecast



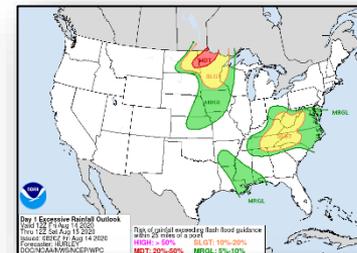
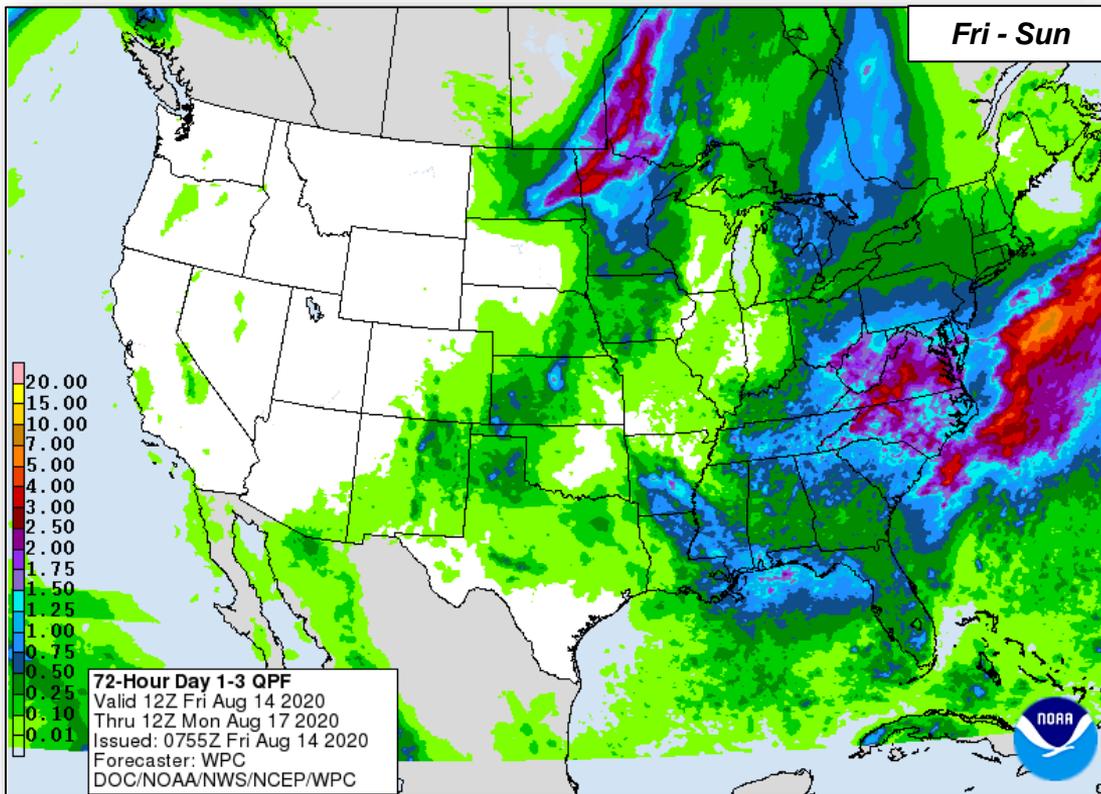
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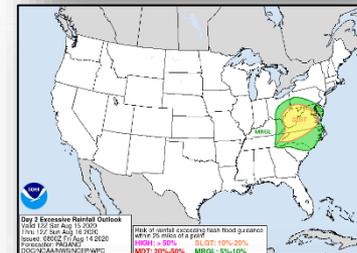
# Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



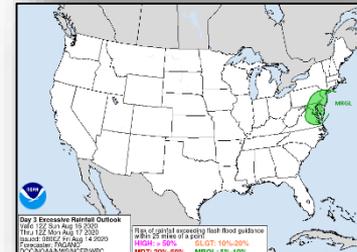
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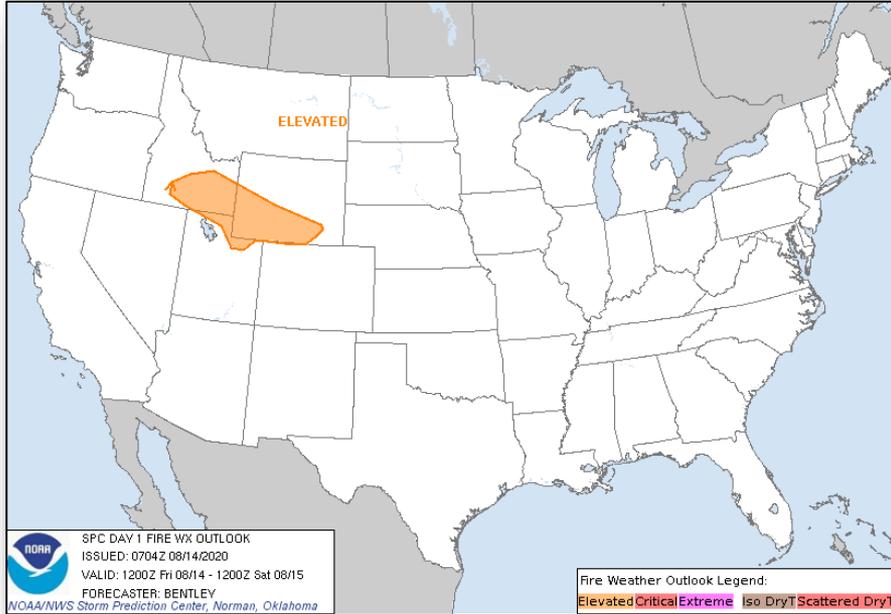


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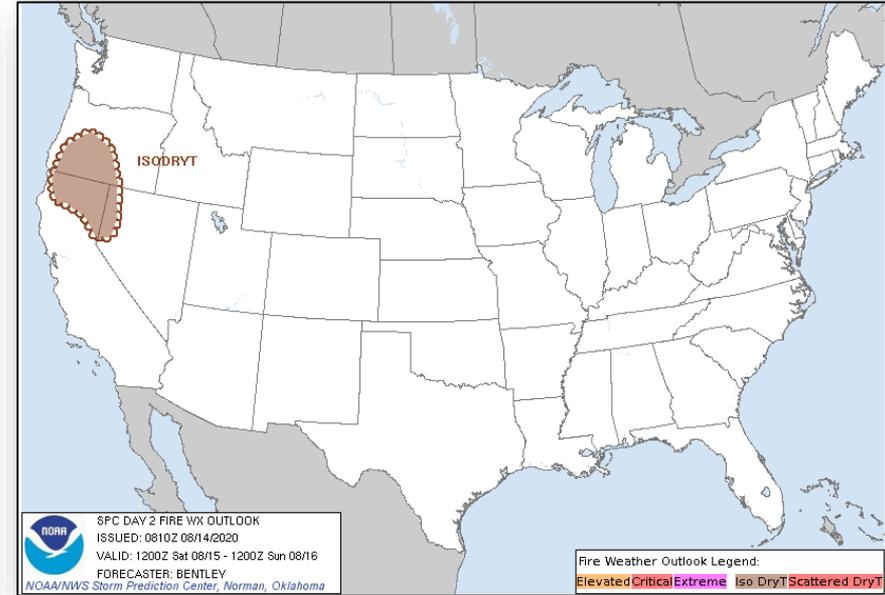


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# Fire Weather Outlook



*Today*

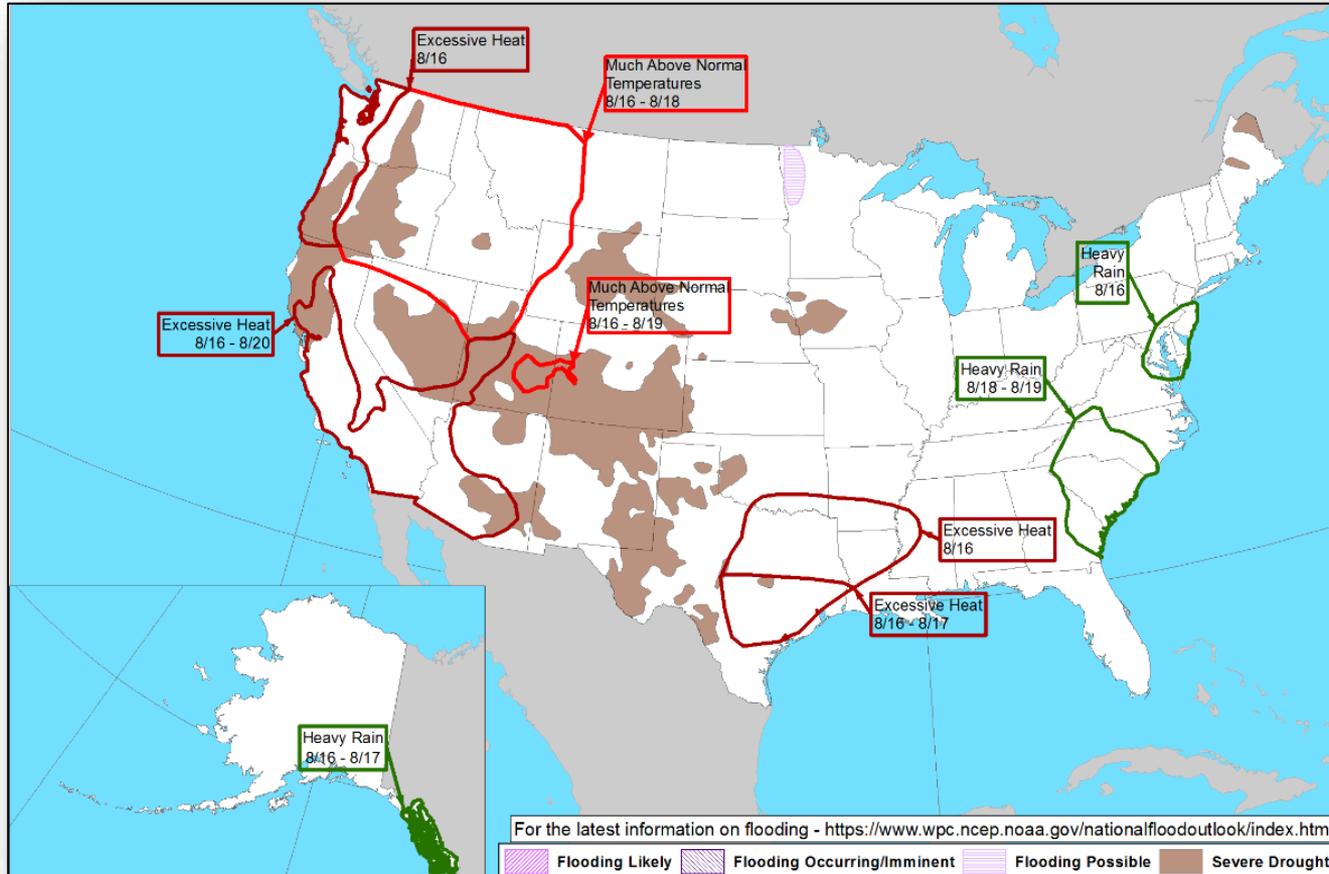


*Tomorrow*

# Hazards Outlook – Aug 16-20



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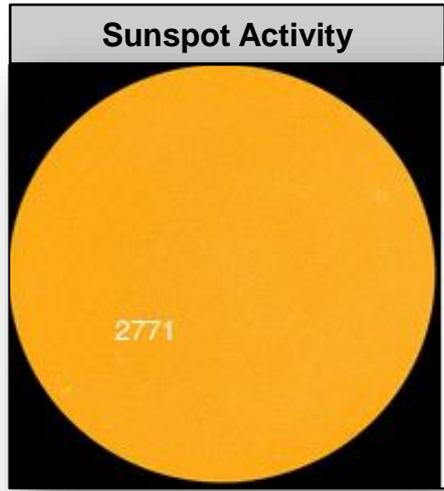
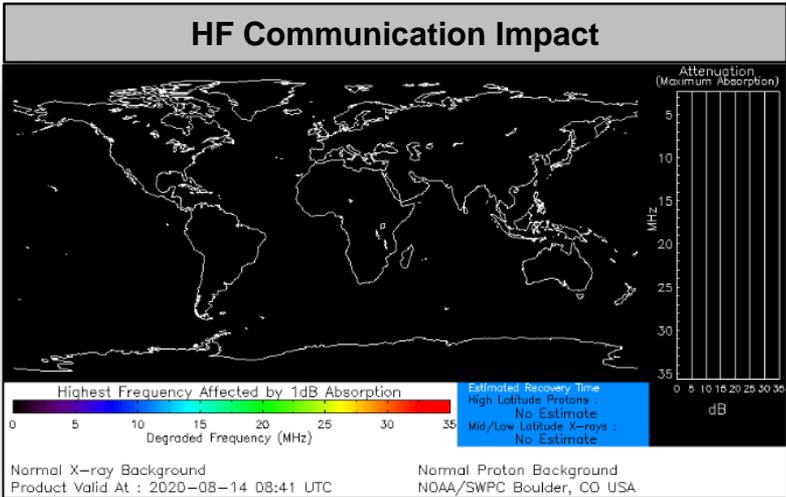
# Space Weather



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	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None
Next 24 Hours	None	None	None	None

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: <http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation>  
 For further information on Sun Spot Activity refer to: <https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle>



# Wildfire Summary



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Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Mosier Creek Fire (Wasco County, OR)	5327-FM-OR	791 (+491)	10% (+10)	M: 209 homes	H: 564 (+264)	H: 0	H: 2 (+2)	0 / 0
				V: 305 homes	O: 1 (+1)	O: 0	O: 0	

(Evacuations: M = Mandatory / V = Voluntary  
Structures: H = Homes and Mixed Commercial/Residential / O = Non-residential Commercial/Other Minor Structures)

# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
VI	TX	Hurricane Hanna July 25, 2020 and continuing	IA	6	0	7/29 – TBD
			PA	6	0	7/29 – TBD

# Declaration Requests in Process – 3



**FEMA**

<b>State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>IA</b>	<b>PA</b>	<b>HM</b>	<b>Requested</b>
<b>Poarch Band of Creek Indians</b> – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	X		May 15
<b>LA</b> – Severe Storm and Tornadoes	DR		X	X	Jul 10
<b>MN</b> – Fire due to civil unrest (Appeal)	DR		X	X	Aug 7

# FEMA Common Operating Picture



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FEMA HQ		
<b>NWC</b>	<b>NRCC</b>	
Monitoring	Level I	
FEMA REGIONS		
<b>WATCH</b>	<b>RRCC</b>	
Monitoring	I	Level III
Monitoring	II	Level III
Monitoring	III	Level III
Monitoring	IV	Rostered
Monitoring	V	Level III
Monitoring	VI	Level III
Enhanced	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Level III

Major Disasters (DR): 108  
Emergency Disasters (EM): 103  
JFOs: 10 / WFOs: 16  
Staging Area  
Distribution Center (DC)  
Declared County (non-COVID-19 Declarations)  
Fully Activated  
Partially Activated  
Monitoring

As of 8:00 a.m. ET August 14, 2020  
Created by FEMA NWC



**Region X COVID DRs**

4481-DR-WA  
4499-DR-OR  
4533-DR-AK  
4534-DR-ID  
4538-DR-MI  
FCO: Michael F. O'Hare  
VJFO: Bothell, WA

RX IMAT

4519-DR-OR  
FCO: Dolph A. Diemont  
VJFO: Salem, OR

**Region VIII COVID DRs**

4498-DR-CO  
4508-DR-MT  
4509-DR-ND  
4525-DR-UT  
4527-DR-SD  
4535-DR-WY  
FCO: Lee K. dePaló  
VJFO: Denver, CO

4548-DR-UT  
FCO: Kenneth G. Clark  
4553-DR-ND  
FCO: Nancy Casper  
VJFO: Denver, CO

RVIII IMAT

**Region IX COVID DRs**

4482-DR-CA  
4495-DR-GU  
4510-DR-HI  
4511-DR-MP  
4523-DR-NV  
4524-DR-AZ  
4537-DR-OR  
FCO: Robert J. Fenton  
VJFO: Oakland, CA

4549-DR-HI  
FCO: Colby Stanton  
VJFO: TBD

**Region VI COVID DRs**

4484-DR-LA  
4485-DR-TX  
4518-DR-AR  
4529-DR-NM  
4530-DR-OK  
FCO: George A. Robinson  
VJFO: Denton, TX

4440/4463/4469-DR-SD  
FCO: Jon K. Huss  
VJFO: Sioux Falls, SD

4414/4442-DR-MN  
4477-DR-WI  
FCO: John F. Boyle  
4424/4447-DR-OH  
4461-DR-IL  
FCO: Steven W. Johnson  
VJFO: Springfield, IL

**Region VII COVID DRs**

4483-DR-IA  
4490-DR-MO  
4504-DR-KS  
4521-DR-NE  
FCO: Paul Taylor  
VJFO: Kansas City, MO

**Region V COVID DRs**

4489-DR-IL  
4494-DR-MI  
4507-DR-OH  
4515-DR-IN  
4520-DR-WI  
4531-DR-MN  
FCO: Kevin M. Sligh  
VJFO: Chicago, IL

3525-EM-MI  
FCO: Kevin M. Sligh  
4547-DR-MI  
FCO: Waddy Gonzalez  
VJFO: Midland, MI

3535-EM-CT  
FCO: Robert V. Fogel  
VJFO: TBD

4472-DR-NY  
FCO: Seamus K. Leary  
VJFO: Albany, NY

**Region I COVID DRs**

4496-DR-MA  
4500-DR-RI  
4505-DR-BI  
4516-DR-NH  
4522-DR-ME  
4532-DR-VT  
FCO: W. Russell Webster  
VJFO: Maynard, MA

4372/4379-DR-MA  
4410-DR-CT  
4445/4474-DR-VT  
4457-DR-NH  
FCO: James McPherson  
VJFO: Dover, NH

**Region II COVID DRs**

4480-DR-NY  
FCO: Thomas Von Essen  
VJFO: Albany, NY  
4488-DR-NJ  
FCO: Thomas Von Essen  
VJFO: West Trenton, NJ  
4493-DR-PA  
FCO: Thomas Von Essen  
VJFO: Guynabon, PA  
4513-DR-VI  
FCO: Thomas Von Essen  
VJFO: Christiansted, VI

**Region III COVID DRs**

4491-DR-MD  
4502-DR-DC  
4506-DR-PA  
4512-DR-VA  
4517-DR-WV  
4526-DR-DE  
FCO: MaryAnn Tierney  
VJFO: Philadelphia, PA

3531-EM-VI  
FCO: William L. Vogel  
VJFO: TBD

**Tropical Cyclone Isaias**  
R: IMAT (CT)  
MERS (Bayside, PR)

4540-DR-KY  
FCO: Kevin A. Wallace  
VJFO: Frankfort, KY

3534-EM-NC  
4399/4412/4465/  
4543-DR-NC  
FCO: Elizabeth Turner  
VJFO: Wilmington, NC

4427/4471/4476/  
4541/4550-DR-TN  
FCO: Myra M. Shird  
VJFO: Nashville, TN

**Region IV COVID DRs**

4486-DR-FL  
4487-DR-NC  
4492-DR-SC  
4497-DR-KY  
4501-DR-GA  
4503-DR-AL  
4514-DR-TN  
4528-DR-MS  
4545-DR-STOF  
FCO: Gracia B. Stoeck  
VJFO: Atlanta, GA

4428-DR-KY  
FCO: Kevin A. Wallace  
4464/4479/4542-DR-SC  
FCO: Allan Jarvis  
3533-EM-FL  
4400-DR-GA  
4546/4544/4555-DR-AL  
FCO: Terry L. Quarles  
VJFO: Atlanta, GA

4399-DR-FL  
FCO: Brett Howard  
VJFO: Panama City, FL

3532-EM-PR  
4473-DR-PR  
FCO: Alex Amparo  
VJFO: Ponce, PR

4544/4556-DR-AR  
FCO: Roland Jackson  
VJFO: Denton, TX

3530-EM-TX  
FCO: Jerry S. Thomas  
VJFO: TBD

4478/4536/4538/  
4551-DR-MS  
FCO: Jose M. Girod  
VJFO: Canton, MS

3527-EM-LA  
FCO: John E. Long  
VJFO: TBD

4420-DR-NE  
FCO: Thomas J. Dargan  
VJFO: Lincoln, NE

4451/4552-DR-MO  
FCO: John Brogan  
VJFO: Kansas City, MO

N-IMATs	
3 Teams	
Red	
Blue	
Gold	

R-IMATs	
≥ 7 Teams	
I	CT
II	
III	
IV-1	
IV-2	
V	
VI-1	
VI-2	
VII	VJFO
VIII	
IX-1	
IX-2	
X	RRCC

**Notes:**

NRCC / RRCs activated for COVID-19

MS: Flooding  
Isaias:USVI, PR, NY, CT

RVII for Derecho (day shift)

All EOCs activated for COVID-19

Team:	US&R	MERS	FCOs	FDRCS	IM WORKFORCE
Status	>65%	>66%	≤1 Type I	= 2	
Assigned:	28	36	47	11	13,833 ▲
Unavailable	3	0	2	0	2,828 ▼
Deployed:	0	0	40 (+1)	9	5,369 ▼
Available:	25	36	5 (-1)	2	5,636 / 41%▲

IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY	
Cadres with 25% or Less Availability	
EHP	22% (146/659);
FL	20% (31/157);
FM	22% (54/245);
HM	25% (314/1,240);
OPS	20% (63/316);
PA	22% (690/3,124)

FMC	PMC
NMC	Deployed



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