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Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, August 29, 2013

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity: Aug 28 – 29

Significant Events: Rim Fire, CA

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic – Area 1 (Low 10%)
- Eastern Pacific – Tropical Storm Juliette; Area 1 (Low 10%); Area 2 (Low 20%)
- Central Pacific – No tropical cyclones expected through Friday evening
- Western Pacific – Tropical Storm - 14W / Kong-Rey

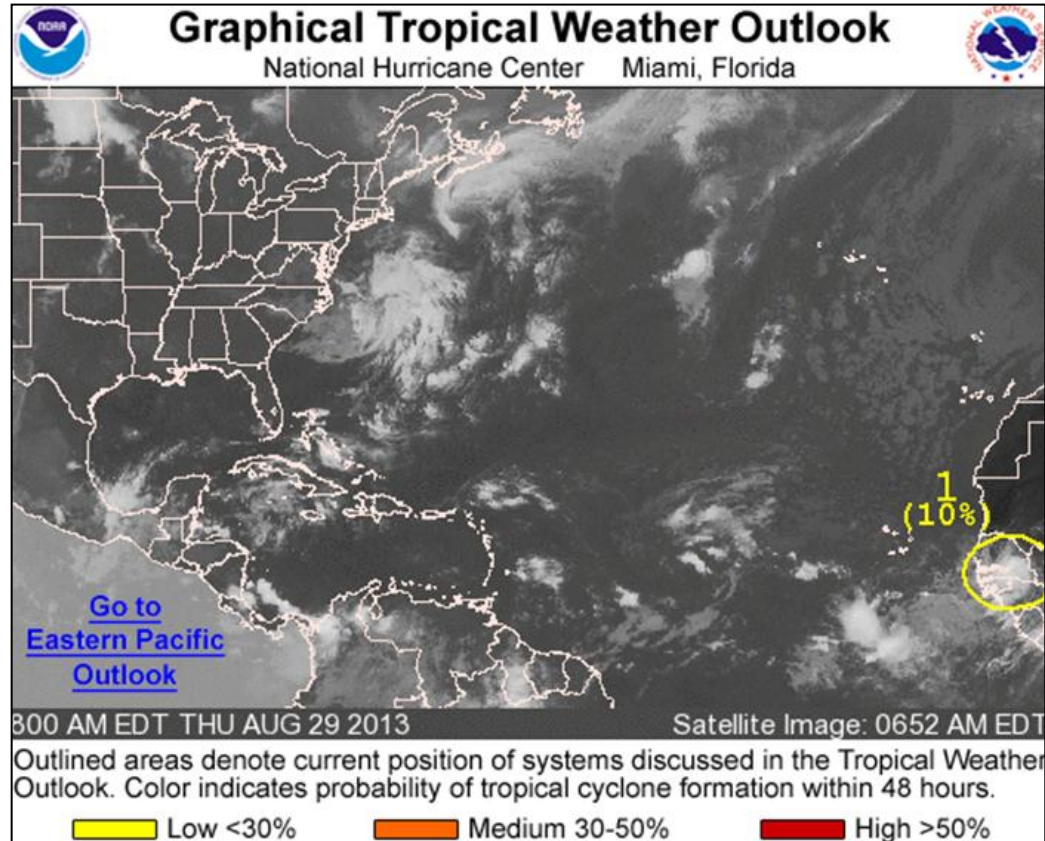
Significant Weather:

- Rain and thunderstorms – Pacific Northwest; Southwest into Central Great Basin and Southern/Central Rockies; New England to Mid-Atlantic and Southeast
- Severe thunderstorms – Upper Mississippi Valley to Great Lakes
- Critical Fire Weather Areas: None
- Red Flag Warnings: None
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours – none; next 24 hours – none

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity: Arkansas Request for Major Disaster Declaration

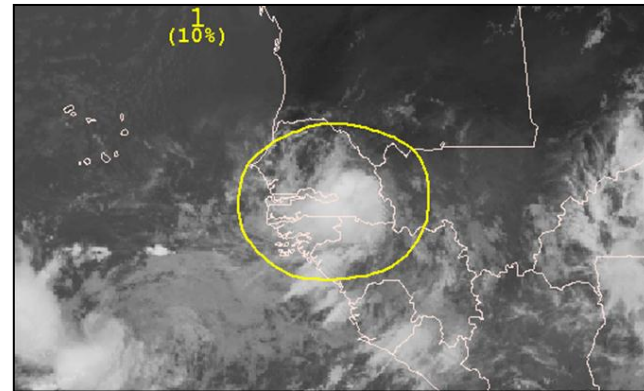
Atlantic – Tropical Outlook



Atlantic – Area 1

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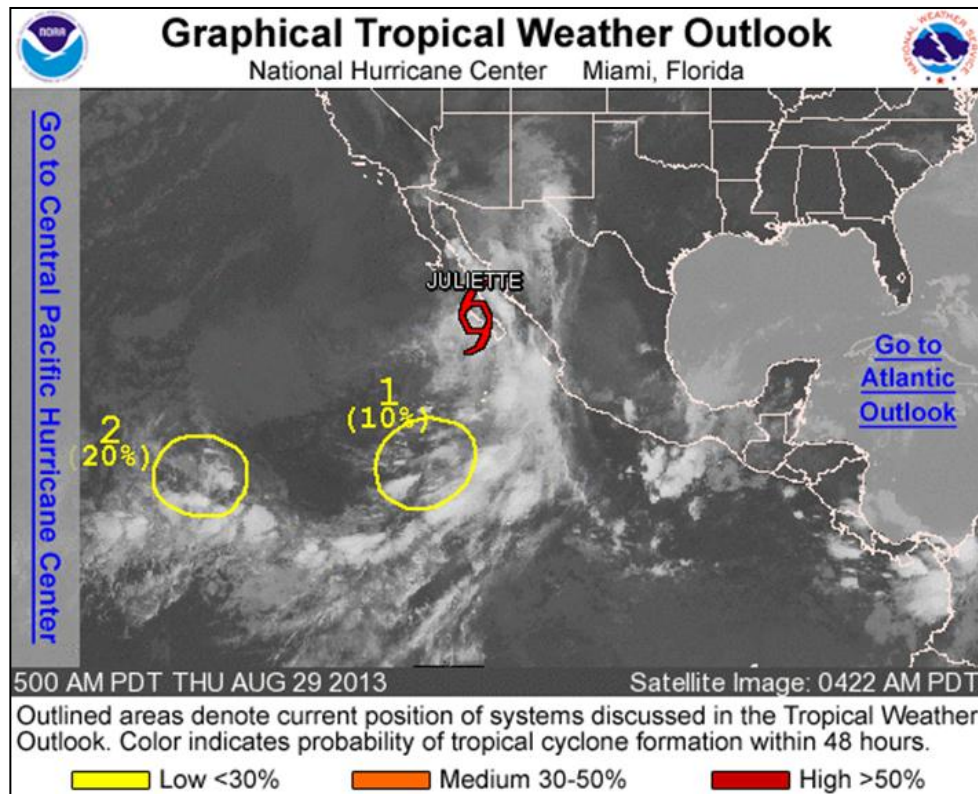
- Tropical wave located over western Africa
- Moving W at 10-15 mph near Cape Verde Islands
- Some development is possible before environment becomes unfavorable by early next week
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hour: Low (10%)
 - Next 5 days: Medium (30%)



Eastern Pacific – Tropical Outlook



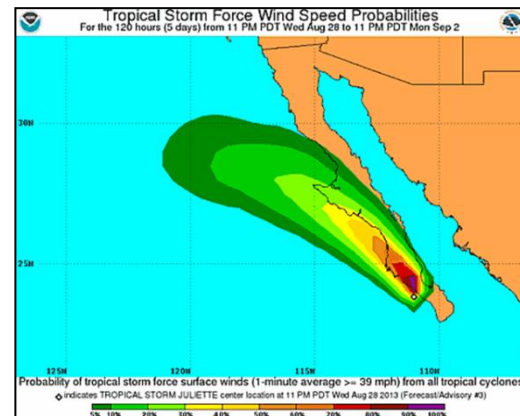
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Eastern Pacific – Tropical Storm Juliette

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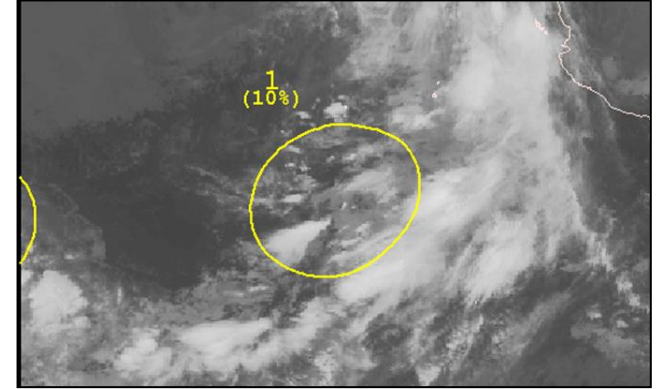
- Located 15 miles NNW of Cabo San Lazaro, Mexico
- Moving NW at 22 mph
- Expected to slow down in next day or so
- Turn WNW with additional decrease in forward speed expected Friday
- Center will move near or along west coast of Baja California Peninsula through this evening
- Maximum sustained winds 45 mph
- Should weaken below tropical storm strength by tonight or early Fri and become a remnant low later on Fri
- Tropical storm force winds extend 60 miles



Eastern Pacific – Area 1

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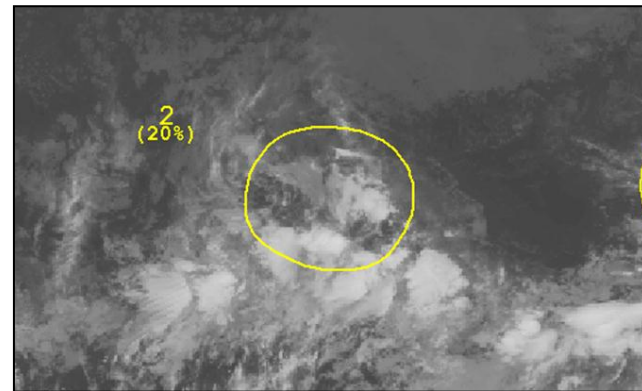
- Located 800 miles SSW of southern tip of Baja California Peninsula, MX
- Moving NE or NNE at 10 mph
- Development will be slow to occur next couple of days
- Significant development not anticipated after low reaches cooler waters in couple of days
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hour: Low (10%)
 - Next 5 days: Low (20%)



Eastern Pacific – Area 2

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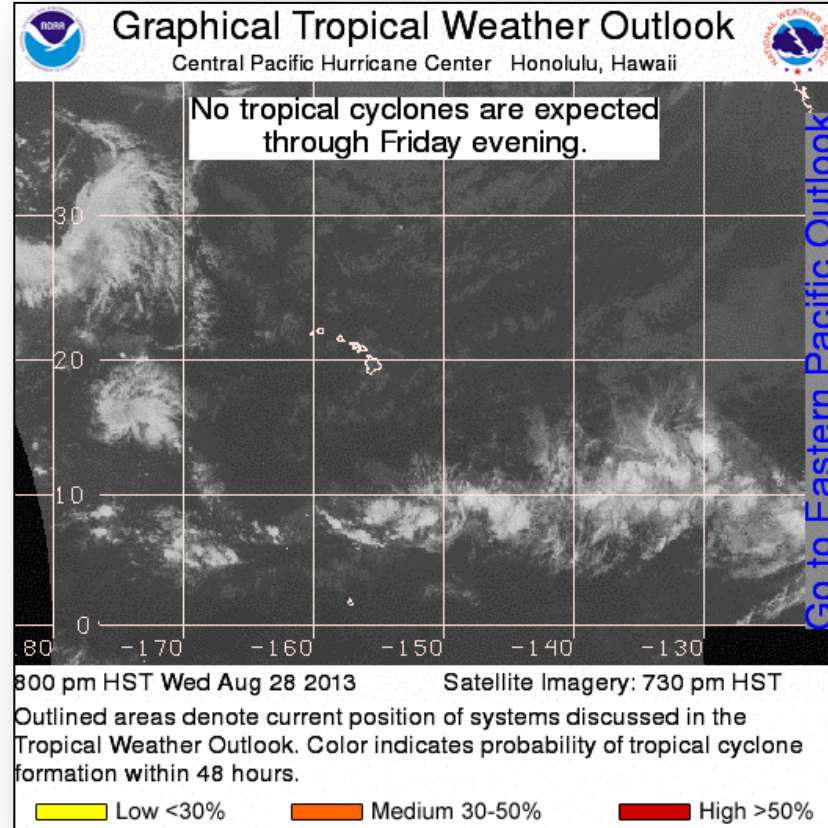
- Located 1,500 miles WSW of southern tip of Baja California Peninsula, MX
- Moving slowly north
- Conditions marginally favorable for development next few days
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hour: Low (20%)
 - Next 5 days: Medium (30%)



Central Pacific – Tropical Outlook



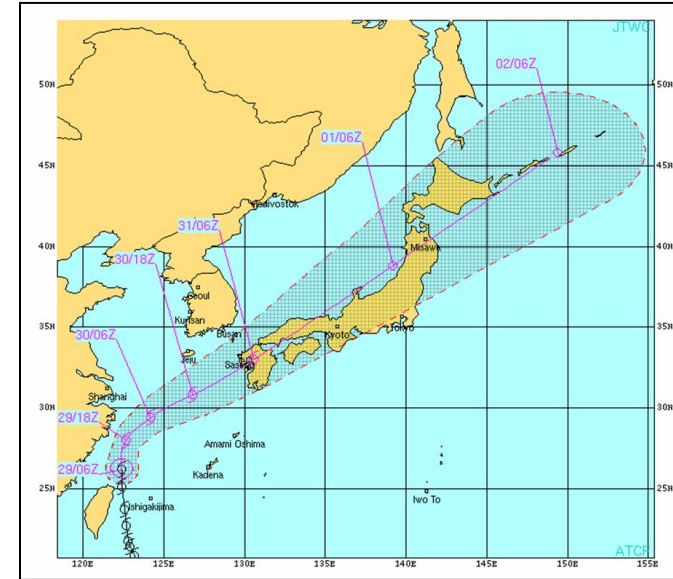
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Western Pacific – Tropical Storm 14W (Kong–Rey)

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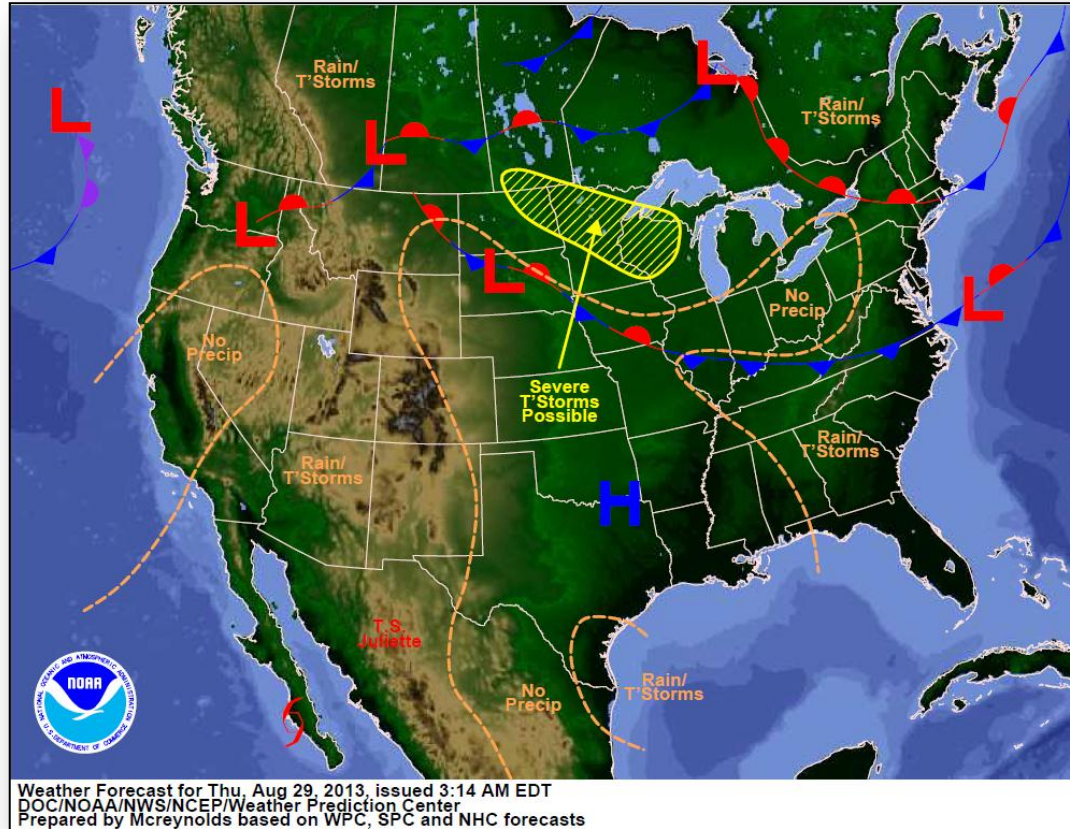
- Located 94 miles NE of Taipei, Taiwan
- Moving N at 13 mph
- Maximum sustained winds 46 mph with gusts to 58 mph
- Closest approach to:
 - Kadena Air Base – 286 miles to the west at Friday, August 30, 9:00 a.m. EDT
 - Sasebo (USN) – 38 miles south at Friday, August 31, 2:00 a.m. EDT
 - Marine Corps Air Station Iwakuni – 17 miles on Saturday, August 31, 7:00 a.m. EDT



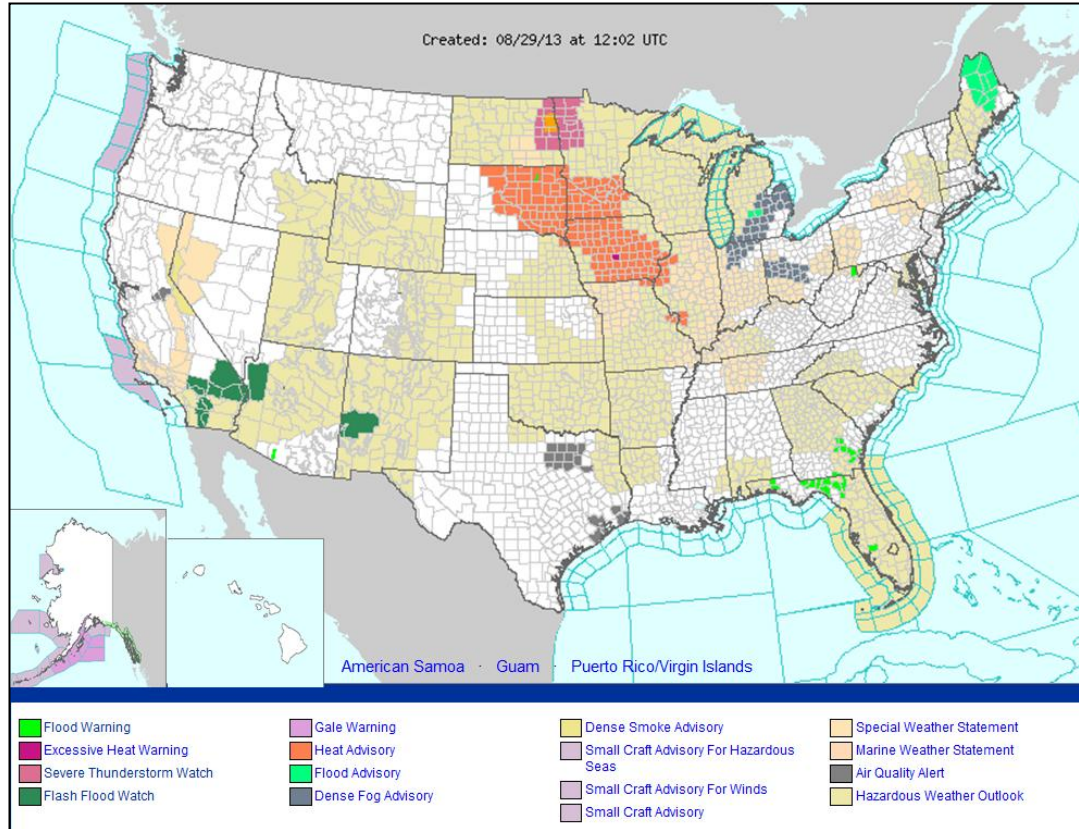
National Weather Forecast



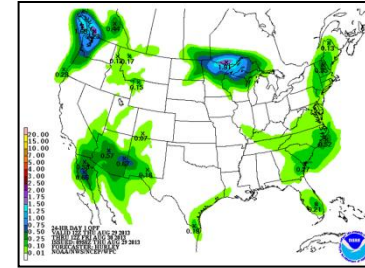
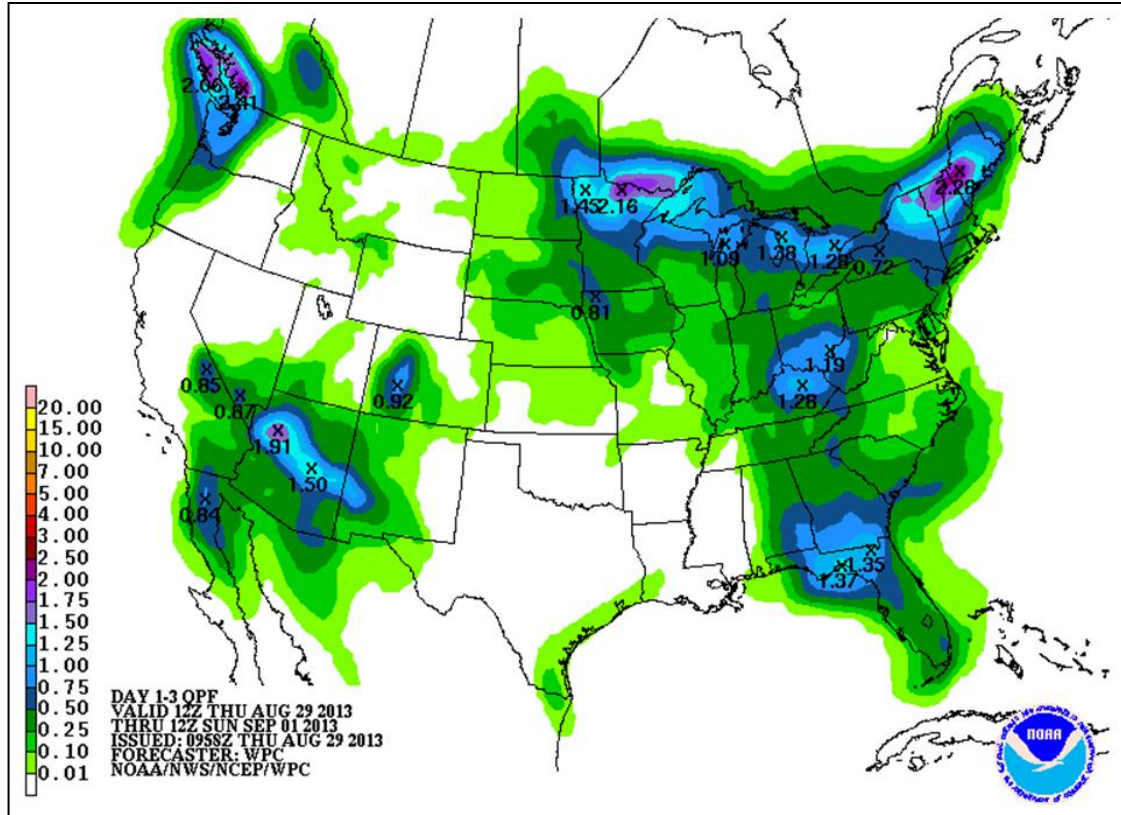
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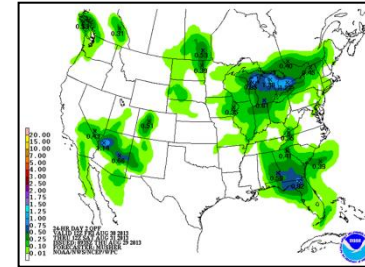
Active Watches/Warnings



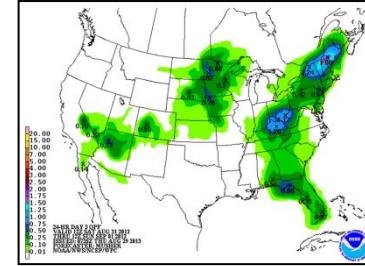
Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



Day 1



Day 2

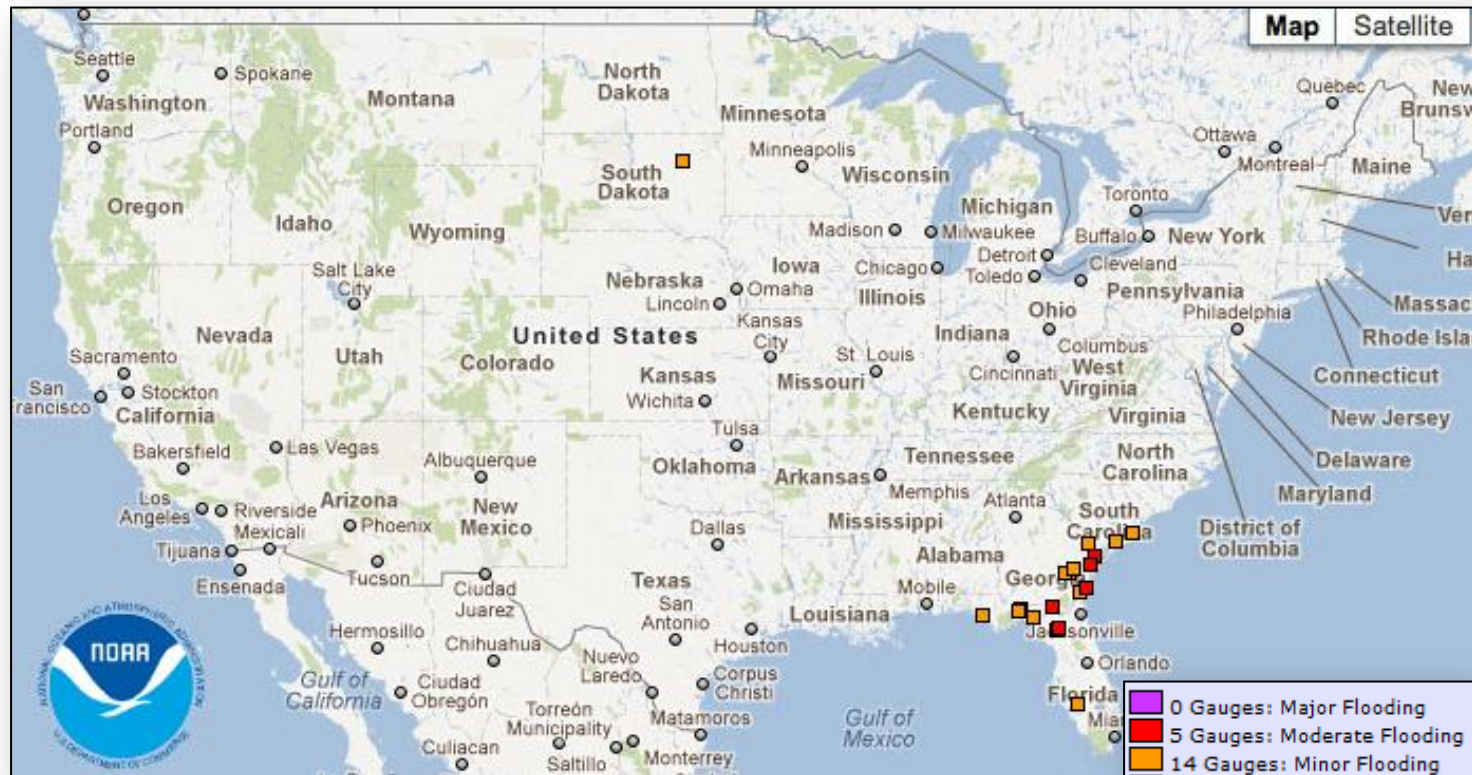


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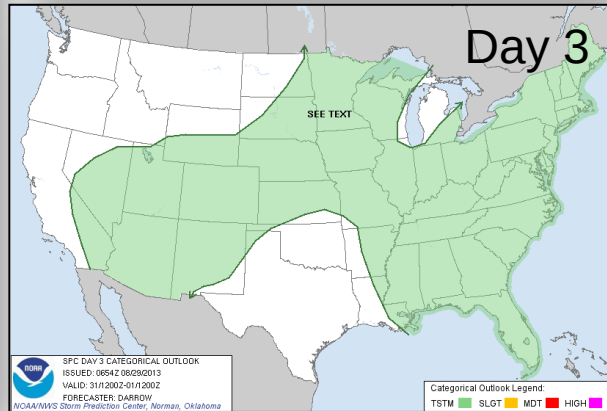
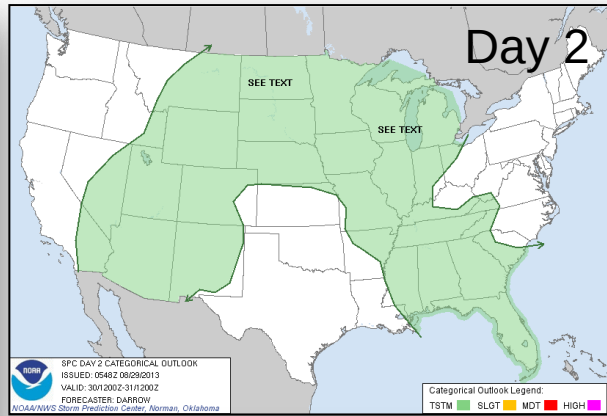
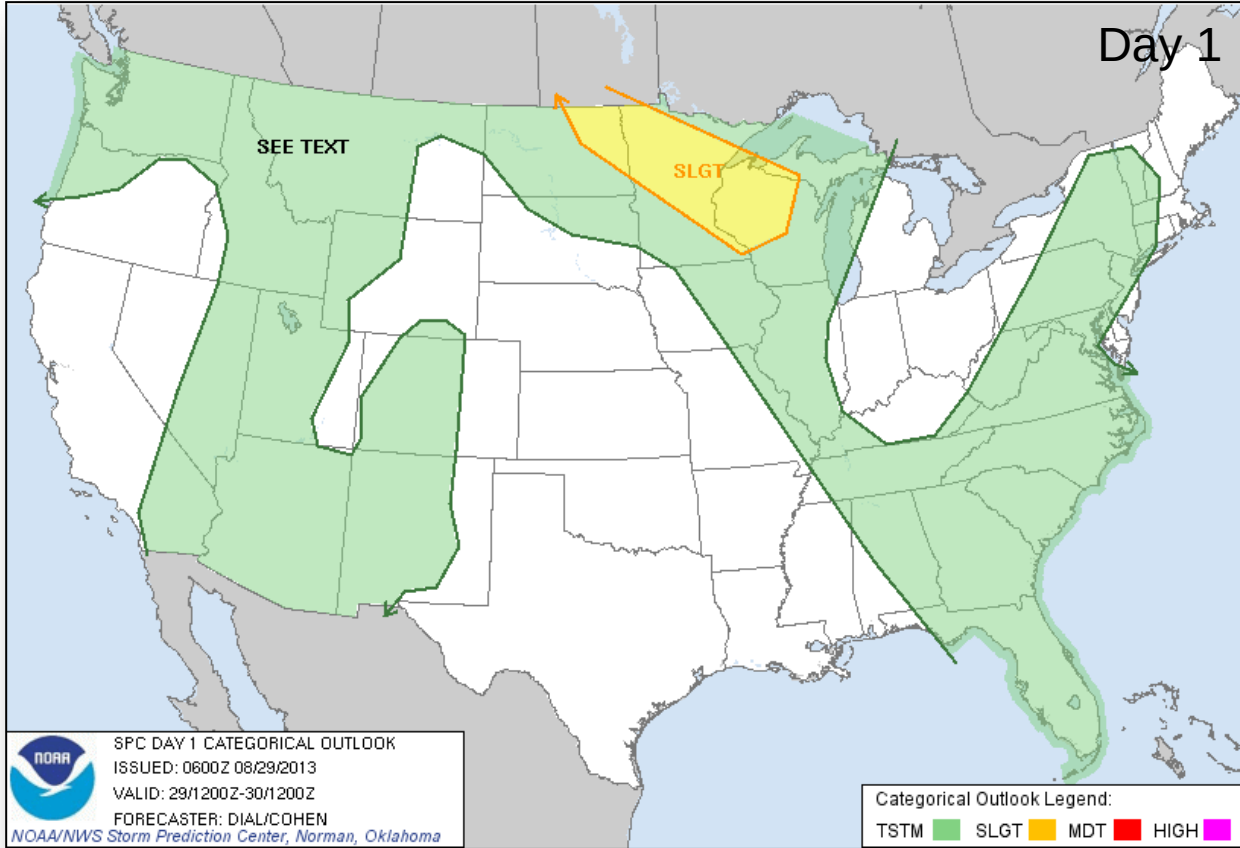
River Forecast – 7 Day



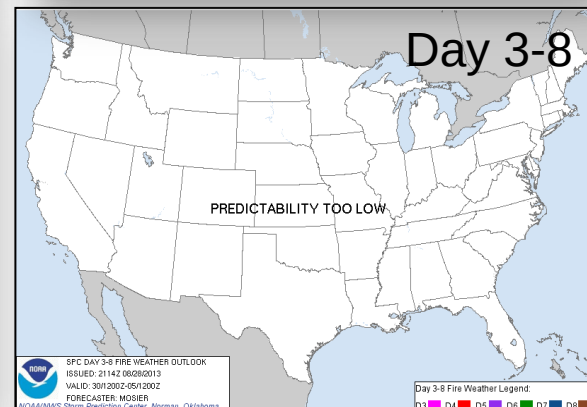
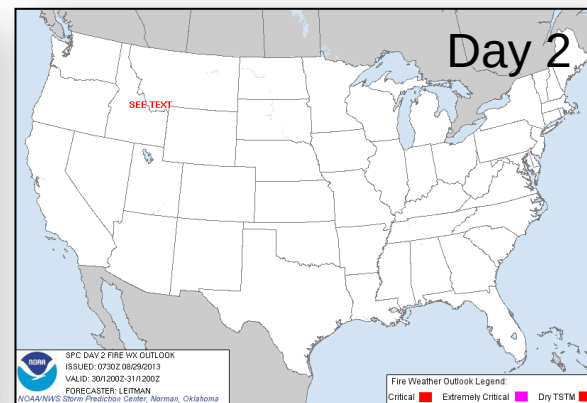
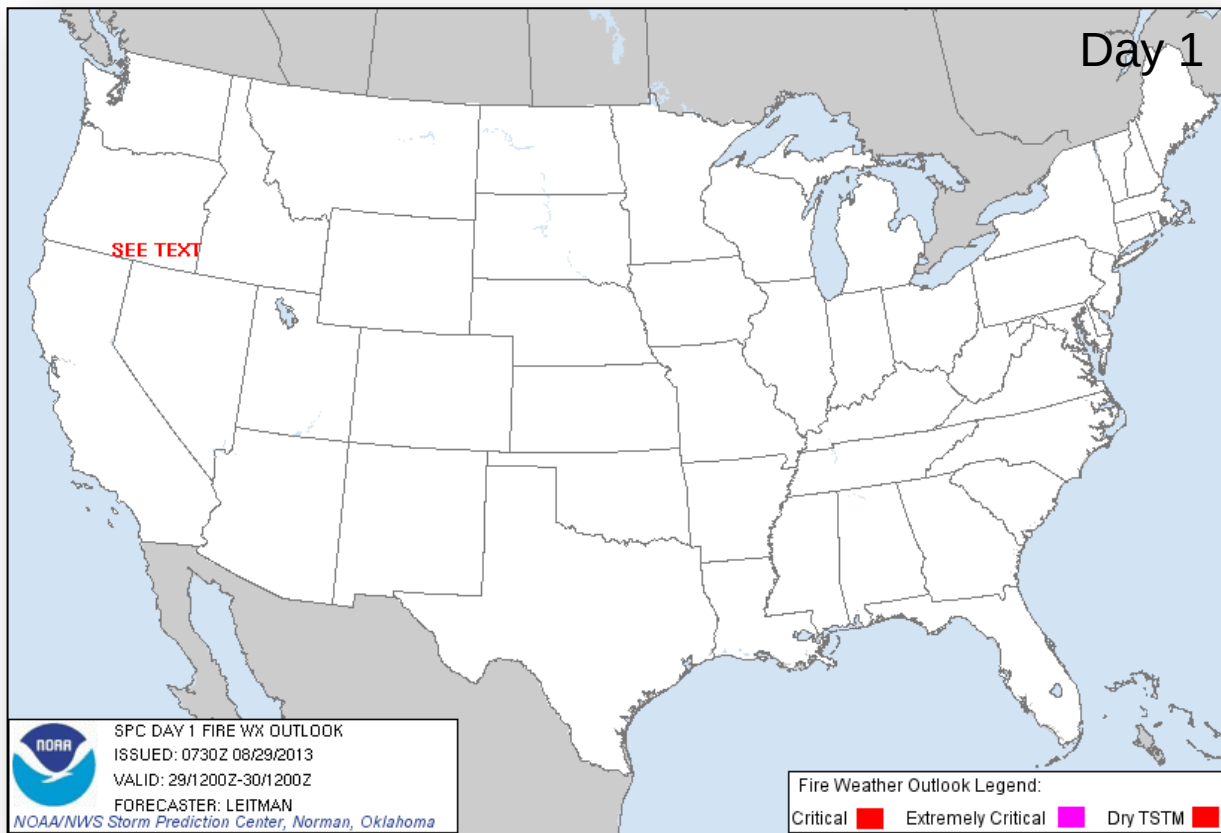
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Convective Outlooks Days 1 – 3



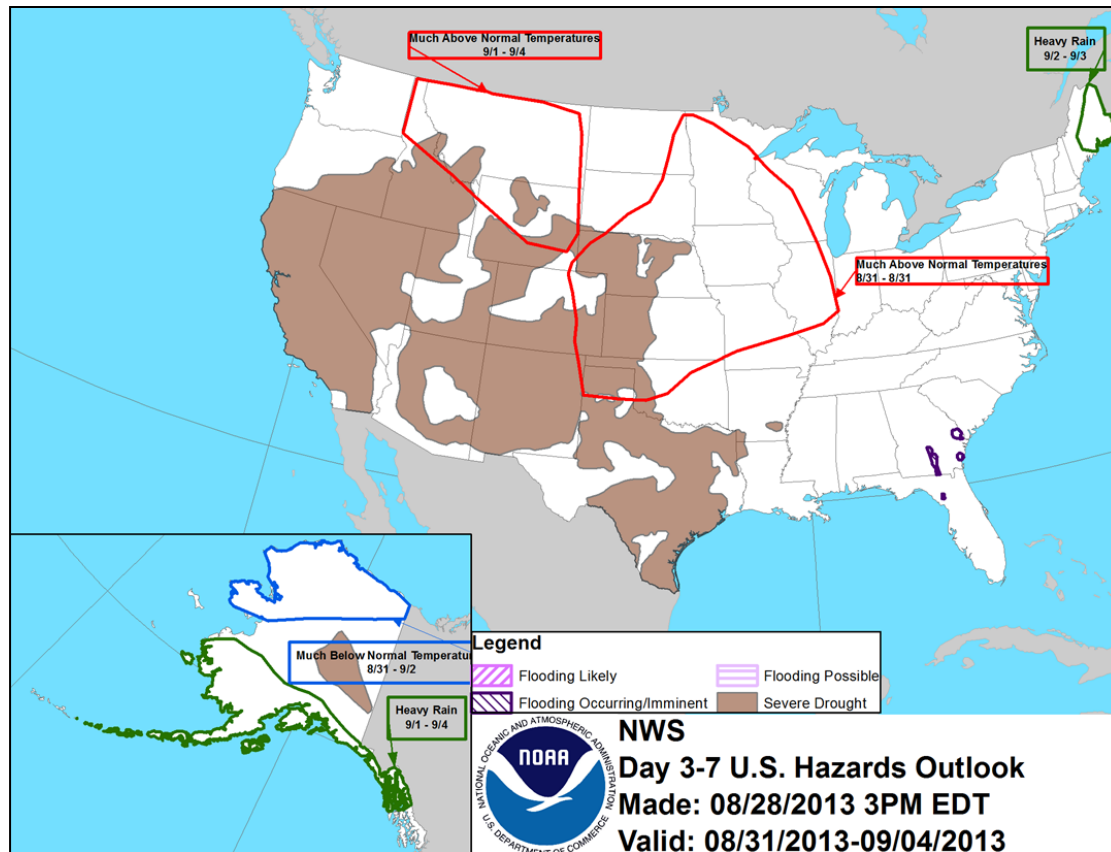
Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 – 8



Hazard Outlook: August 31 – September 4



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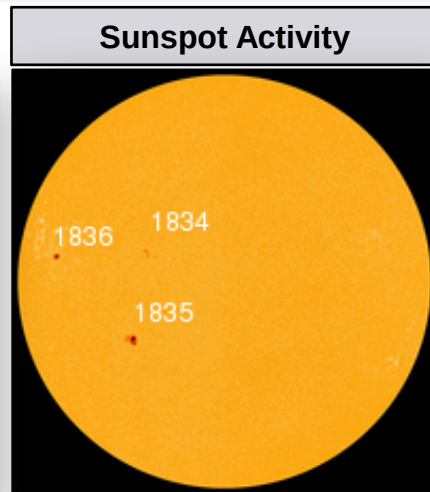
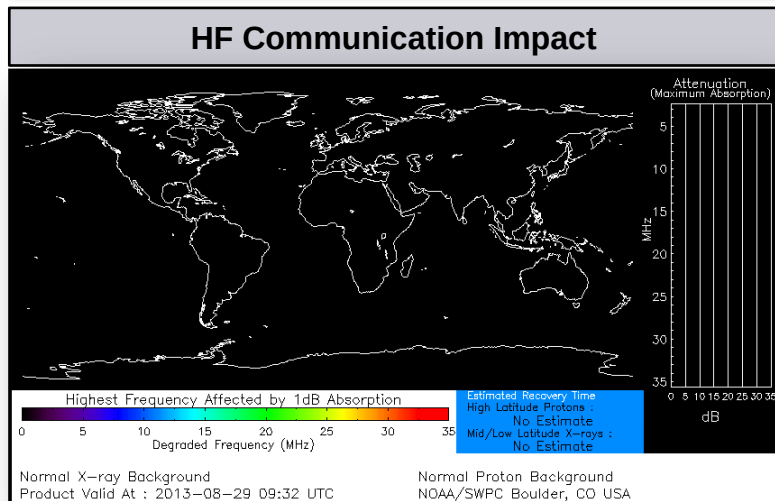


Space Weather



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NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	None	None	None
• Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	None
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	None	None	None

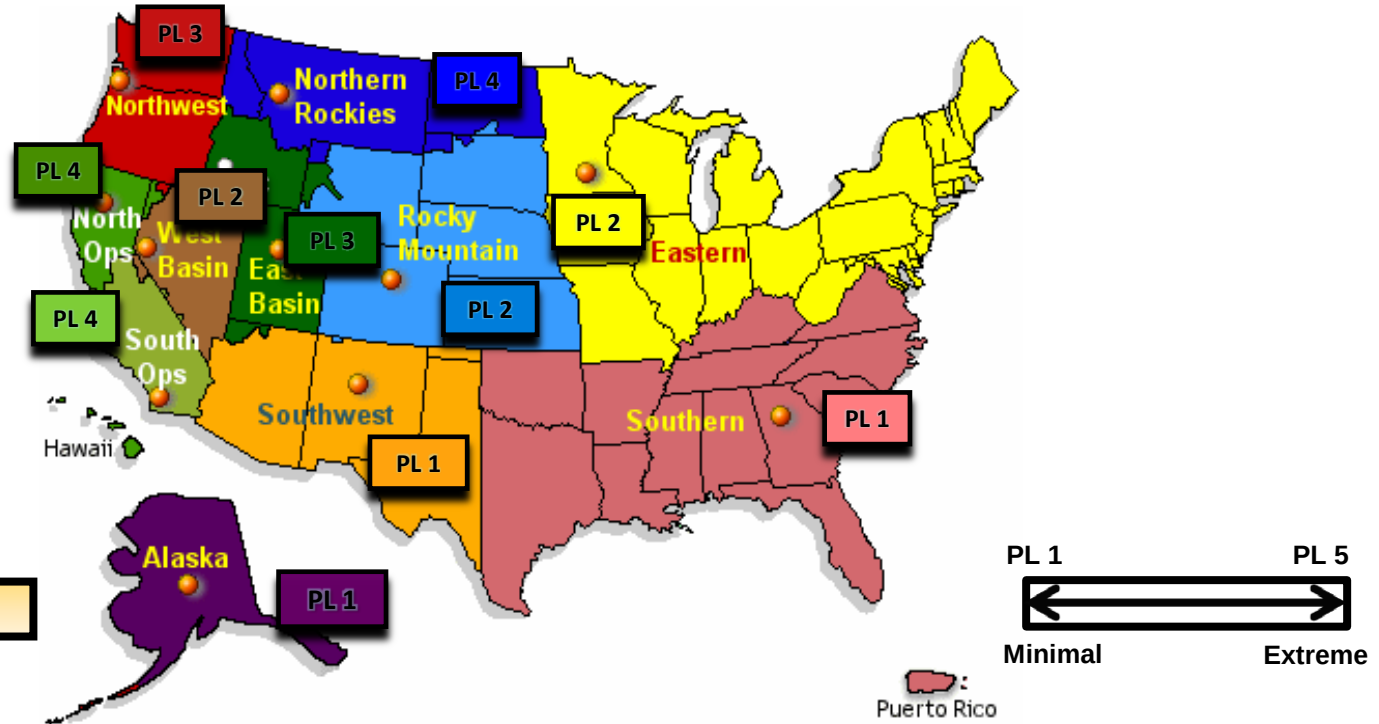


U.S. Wildland Fire Preparedness Levels



National Preparedness Level: 4

Three or more Geographic Areas are experiencing incidents requiring Type 1 and 2 IMTs. Competition exists between Geographic Areas. Nationally, 60 percent of Type 1 and 2 IMTs and crews are committed.



As of August 29, 2013

National Fire Activity

August 29, 2013

- National Preparedness Level: 4
- Initial Attack Activity: Light (119 new fires)
- New Large Fires: 1
- Large Fires Contained: 2
- Uncontained Large Fires: 32
- *NIMOs Committed: 1 of 4
- National Teams Committed:
 - Area Command Teams: 0 of 2
 - Type-1 **IMT(s): 7 of 16
 - Type-2 IMT(s): 12 of 36
- Affected States: CA, MT, ID, WY, UT, WA & OR

* National Incident Management Organization

**Incident Management Team



Wildfire Summary

Fire Name (County)	FMAG #	Acres burned	% Contained Est. Containment date	Evacuations	Structures Threatened	Structures Damaged/ Destroyed	Fatalities / Injuries
California (1)							
Rim Fire (Tuolumne/Mariposa counties)	FEMA-5049-FM-CA August 23, 2013	192,466 (+7,985)	30% (+10) September 10, 2013	Mandatory/ Voluntary	5,500 (+1,000 outbuildings)	7/111	0/4 (+2)

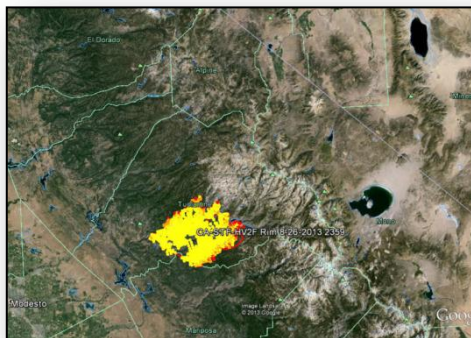


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FMAG Requests and Declarations



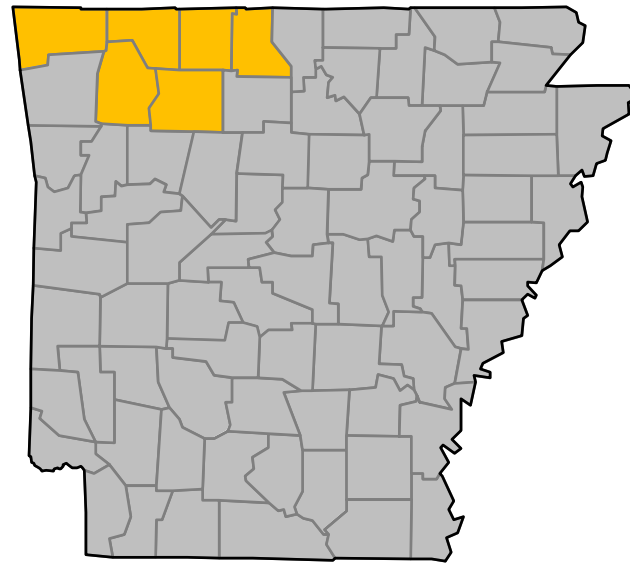
Action (since last report)			Total	FMAG No. and State	
Requests DENIED			0		
Requests APPROVED			0		
Approved FMAG Data					
Year	Current YTD	MTD	*Monthly Average	Cumulative Acres Burned YTD	Cumulative Denied FMAGs YTD
2013	28	11	8	367,667	8
Year	Total Previous FY	** Yearly Average		Total Acres Burned Previous Year	Total Denied FMAGs Previous Year
2012	36	61		580,716	17
* Reflects the 3-year average for current month/ ** Reflects 3-year total average					

Major Disaster Declaration Request - Arkansas



August 27, 2013

- Request for Major Disaster Declaration for State of Arkansas
- For severe storms and flooding that occurred August 8-14, 2013
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for 6 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide



 Requested PA counties

Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
3	Date Requested	0	0
Karuk Tribe – DR Wildfire	August 16, 2013		
Missouri – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding & Flash Flooding	August 27, 2013		
Arkansas – DR Severe Storms & Flooding	August 27, 2013		

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

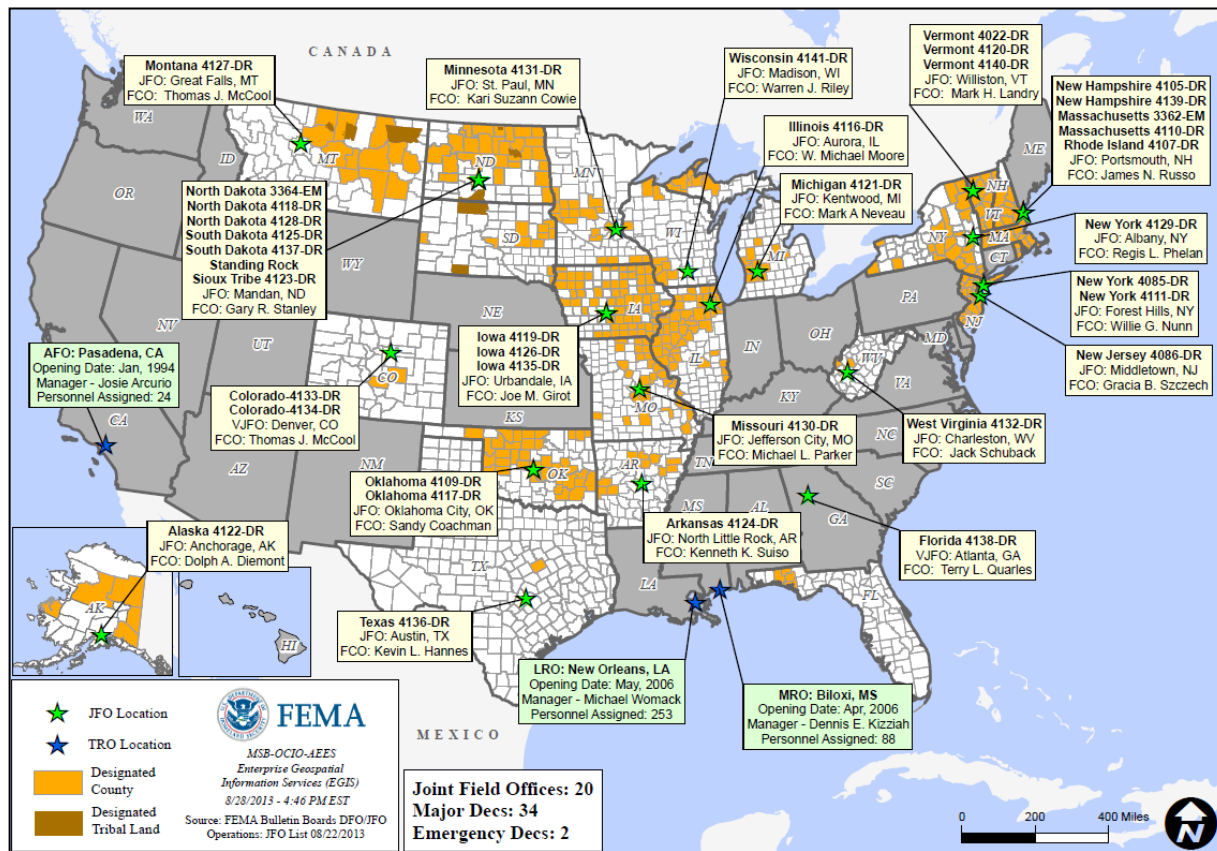


Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
IV	NC	Flooding July 2013	PA	14 (+1)	0	8/26-TBD
VII	KS	Severe Storms July 22 - Aug 16, 2013 & continuing	PA	62	18	8/21 - TBD

Open Field Offices as of August 29, 2013



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OFDC Cadre Member Status



Federal Coordinating Officer

Deployed	Detailed	Available	Not Available	Total
24	3	10	2	39
Total Available	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4
11*	2	5	2	2

* All Type 1 FCOs are available unless deployed to a Level 1 event

Federal Disaster Recovery Coordinator

Deployed	Available	Pending Hire	On Board	Positions
7	2	1	9	10

As of: 08/27/2013

MCOV Fleet / Deployment Status



MCOV FLEET STATUS						MCOV DISASTER SUPPORT DEPLOYMENTS					
Location	Units Assigned	Available FMC	Deployed Committed	PMC	Unavailable	DR-State	OPCON	En Route	Unit Prep	Open Request	Notes:
MERS Maynard	3	2			1						
MERS Frederick	8	8									
MERS Thomasville	14	13			1						
DC Ft Worth	20	18			2						
MERS Denver	2	2									
MERS Bothell	4	4									
Sacramento	4	4									
TOTAL	55	51	0	0	4	TOTAL	0	0	0	0	
Included in above totals, units in route for turn-in.											

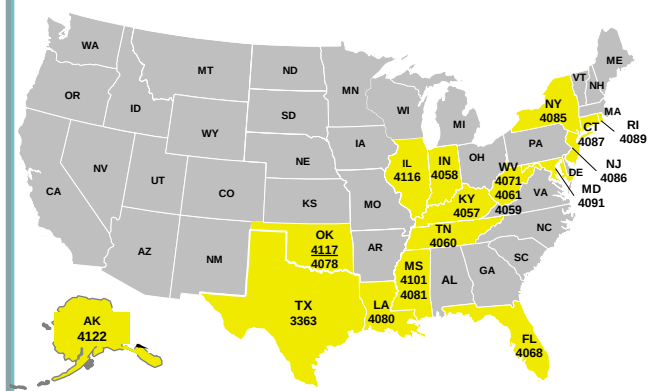
Fully Mission Capable	51
Partially Mission Capable	0
Non-Mission Capable	4
Total Not Deployed	55

Data as of: 08/28/13 @ 1500

Active IA Disasters - Referral Status & Awards



Active IA Disasters



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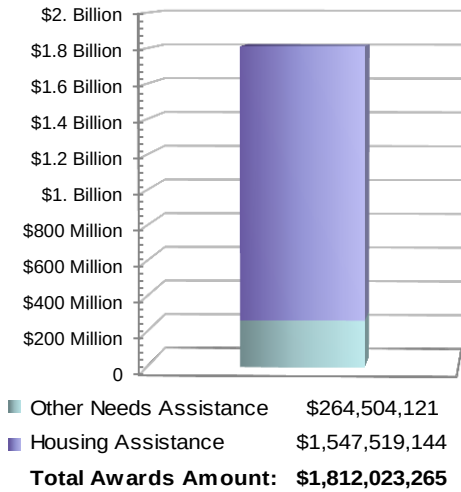
of DRs

- 0** Open Registration Period (60 days from Declaration, unless extended)
- 20** IHP Active – IHP Assistance period remains open (18 Months from Declaration)

Total IHP Awards

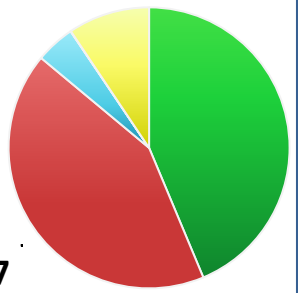
Total Awards:
313,273

Total Max Grants:
7,621



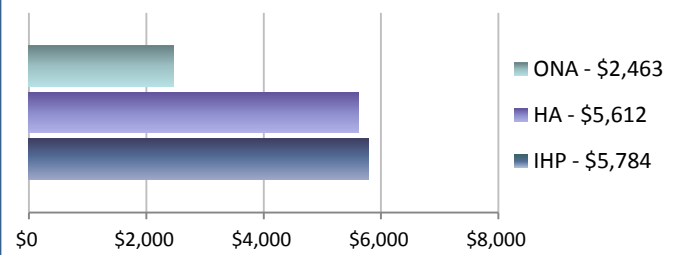
IHP Referral Status

- Approved - 313,273
- Ineligible - 303,718
- Withdrawn - 32,367
- Pending (FEMA) - 285
- Pending (Applicant) - 67,384



Total Referrals - 717,027

Average IHP Awards

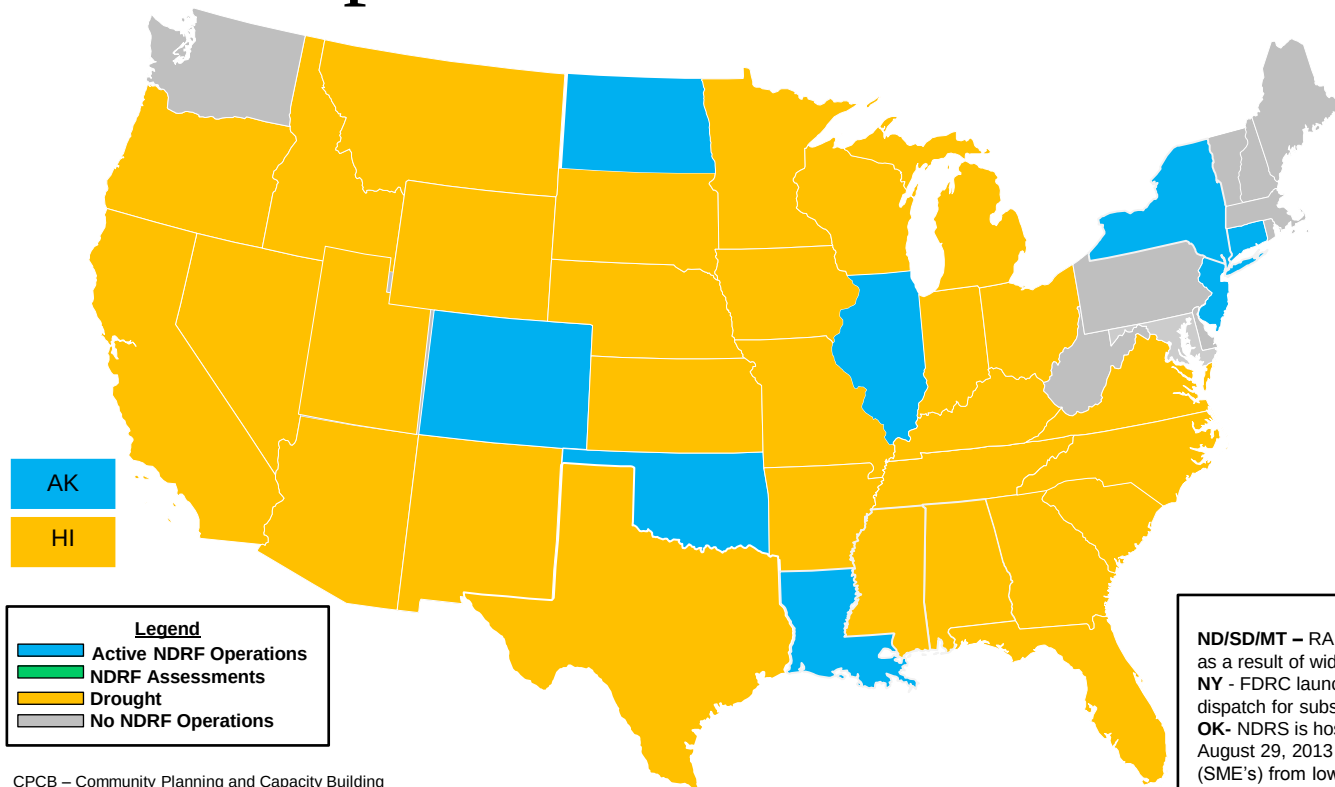


20 Total IHP Active Disasters (All information on this slide reflects data for these disasters)

Max Grants = Applicants awarded maximum IHP (\$31,900 as of FY 2013)

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NDRF Operations



Legend	
Blue	Active NDRF Operations
Green	NDRF Assessments
Yellow	Drought
Grey	No NDRF Operations

CPCB – Community Planning and Capacity Building
 FDRF – Federal Disaster Recovery Coordinator
 NDRF – National Disaster Recovery Framework
 NDRS – National Disaster Recovery Staff
 RSF – Recovery Support Function

Data as of: 08/28/13 @ 1500

DISASTER	STATE	FDRC
Sandy	CT	Nancy Casper
Sandy	NJ	Peter Martinasco
Sandy	NY	Ken Curtin
Isaac	LA	Wayne Rickard
Drought	39 States	Colleen Callahan (USDA)
Tornado	OK	Wayne Rickard
Wild Fire	CO	Dan Alexander
Flood	AK	Joan Rave
Flood	IL	Earl Zuelke
Flood	ND	Dan Alexander

HIGHLIGHTS:

ND/SD/MT – RA has requested FDRF activation for Tribal Recovery Initiative as a result of widespread and endemic flooding in Tribal regions.
NY - FDRF launched *The Disaster Recovery Bulletin*, a weekly electronic dispatch for subscribers engaged in Hurricane Sandy recovery in New York.
OK- NDRS is hosting a peer-to-peer workshop for Oklahoma leadership on August 29, 2013 designed to share best practices from subject matter experts (SME's) from Iowa, Missouri and Washington State. Their private sector programs, methodologies/benefits/impacts for effective private sector collaboration throughout the Emergency Management cycle will be highlighted.

FEMA Workforce Status Report



Workforce Type	Total	Available To Deploy	Deployed	Committed To Other Activities or Exempt from Deployment	Operational Readiness
Reservist	6,332	3,811 (60%)	1,954 (30%)	567 (10%)	Mission Capable
Cadre of On-Call Response Employees (CORE)	2,576	978 (38%)	1,597 (62%)	1 (0%)	Mission Capable
Permanent Full Time (PFT)	5,048	2,012 (40%)	488 (10%)	*2,548 (50%)	Mission Capable
FEMA Corps	307	0 (0%)	146 (48%)	161 (52%)	Mission Capable
DHS Surge Capacity Force	3,915	1,771 (40%)	0 (0%)	** 2,144 (60%)	Awaiting DHS/FEMA Activation
Workforce Totals	18,178	8,572 (47%)	4,185 (23%)	5,421 (30%)	

 = <70% Deployed/Mission Capable

 = 70% - 79% Deployed/Partially Mission Capable

 = >80% Deployed

 = >80% Committed to Other Activities-
Awaiting DHS/FEMA Activation

*This number will continue to be refined as Directorates/Regions identify and solidify the number of personnel required to support “mission critical home station”, and Emergency Relocation Group personnel

**Deployable based on FEMA’s need for DHS activation

Employees may be committed to other activities or exempt from deployment based on: leave status, training, travel related issues, or personnel status as ERG or mission critical home station employee

Data as of 8/28/13

IMAT Status



National Teams					
Team	Status	Team	Status	Team	Status
Blue/White		East		West	
Regional Teams					
Team	Status	Team	Status	Team	Status
Region I		Region V		Region VIII	ND/SD/SRST*
Region II		Region VI-1	OK	Region IX-1	
Region III		Region VI-2		Region IX-2	
Region IV-1		Region VII	KS	Region X	
Region IV-2		*SRST – Standing Rock Sioux Tribe			

= Available/Mission Capable
 = Available/Partially Mission Capable

= Assigned/Deployed
 = Not Mission Capable

Urban Search & Rescue



INCIDENT SUPPORT TEAMS (Red-White-Blue) – Monthly On Call Rotation											
JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
WEST				CENTRAL				EAST			
Team	Status			Team	Status			Team	Status		
CA-TF1	Available			AZ-TF1	Available			FL-TF1	Available		
CA-TF2	Available			CO-TF1	Available			FL-TF2	Available		
CA-TF3	Available			IN-TF1	Available			MA-TF1	Available		
CA-TF4	Available			MO-TF1	Available			MD-TF1	Available		
CA-TF5	Available			NE-TF1	Available			NY-TF1	Available		
CA-TF6	Available			NM-TF1	Non-operational			PA-TF1	Conditionally Available		
CA-TF7	Available			NV-TF1	Conditionally Available			VA-TF1	Available		
CA-TF8	Available			TN-TF1	Available			VA-TF2	Available		
WA-TF1	Available			TX-TF1	Available			OH-TF1	Available		
				UT-TF1	Available						

= Available/Mission Capable
 = Available/Partially Mission Capable

= Assigned/Deployed
 = Out-of-Service

RRCC / Regional Watch Center Status



Region	RRCC	Regional Watch Center
I	Watch/Steady State	Maynard MOC (24/7)
II	Watch/Steady State	24/7
III	Watch/Steady State	24/7
IV	Watch/Steady State	24/7
V	Watch/Steady State	24/7
VI	Watch/Steady State	Denton MOC (24/7)
VII	Watch/Steady State	24/7
VIII	Watch/Steady State	Denver MOC (24/7)
IX	Watch/Steady State	24/7
X	Watch/Steady State	Bothell MOC (24/7)

National Team Status



Team/Status	Current Location	Remarks
National Watch Center	Washington, DC	Watch/Steady State
NRCC	Washington, DC	Not Activated
HLT	Miami, FL	Activated
DEST	Washington, DC	Not Activated
Mission Capable	Partially Mission Capable	Not Mission Capable



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FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.