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Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, August 31, 2013

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity: Aug 30 – 31



Significant Events: No significant new activity

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic – Area 1 (Medium 40%); Area 2 (Low 0%)
- Eastern Pacific – Tropical Depression Eleven-E
- Central Pacific – Area 1 (Low 0%)
- Western Pacific – No tropical activity affecting U.S. territories

Significant Weather:

- Rain and thunderstorms – Southwest to Inter-Mountain West; Central & Northern Plains; Great Lakes to Southeast & New England
- Slight risk of severe thunderstorms – Central/Northern Plains; Middle/Upper Mississippi Valleys
- Critical Fire Weather Areas: None
- Red Flag Warnings: None
- Space Weather: Minor/G1 geomagnetic storms possible next 24 hours

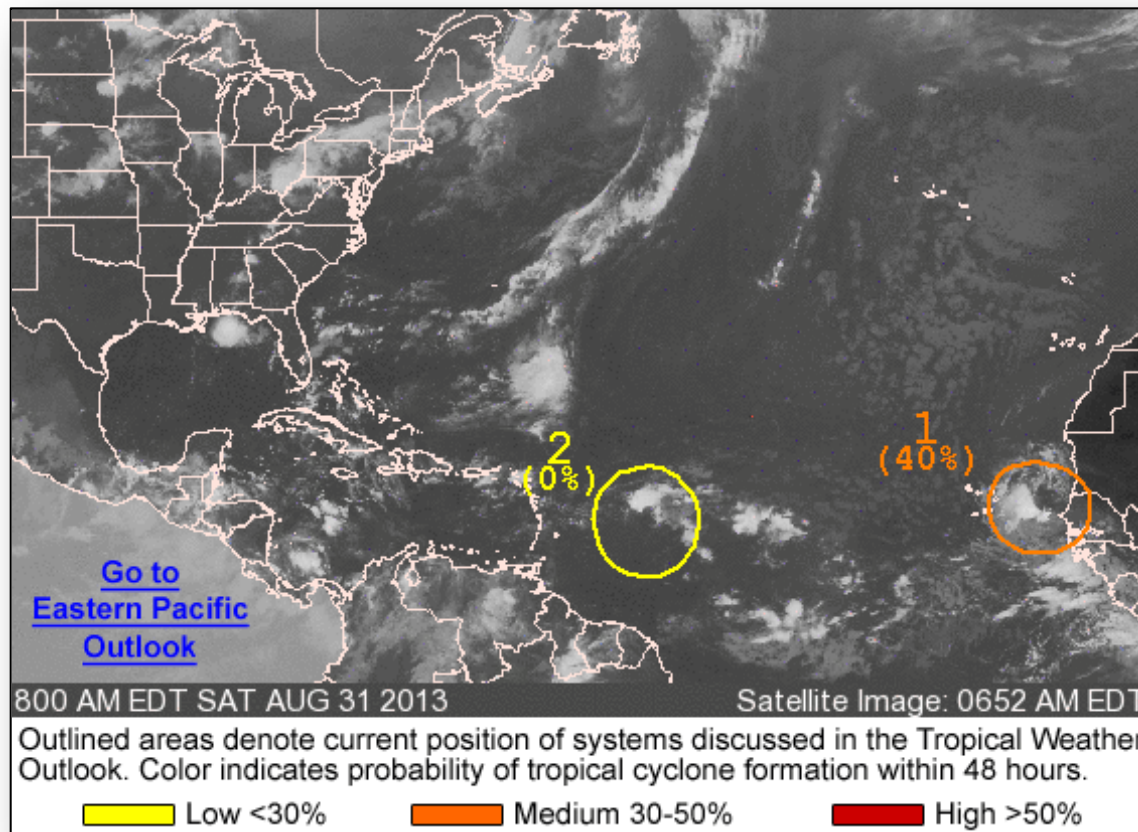
Earthquake Activity: M7.0 – offshore Adak, Alaska

Declaration Activity: None

Atlantic – Tropical Outlook



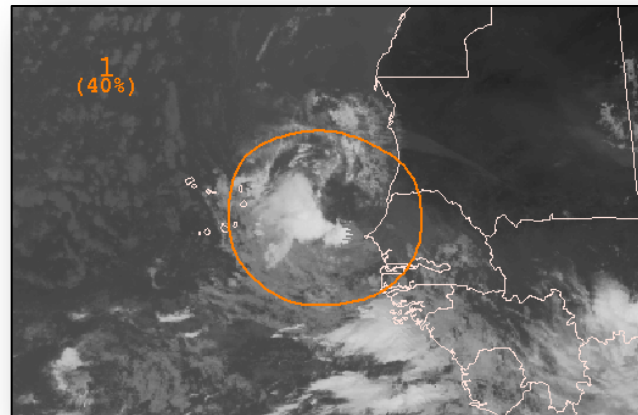
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Atlantic – Area 1

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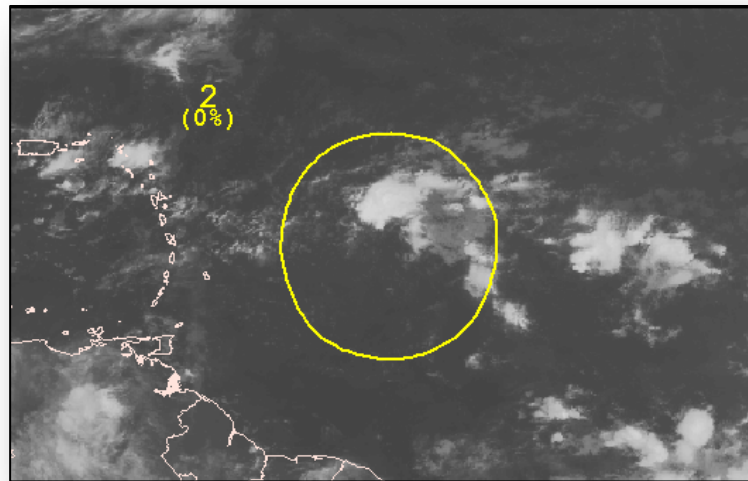
- Broad area of low pressure located near the west coast of Africa
- Moving WNW into eastern Atlantic
- Environmental conditions appear less conducive for development than previously anticipated
- System has some potential to become a TD during the next day or two before it moves further into the eastern Atlantic where conditions appear to be hostile for development
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hours: Medium (40%)
 - Next 5 days: Medium (40%)



Atlantic – Area 2

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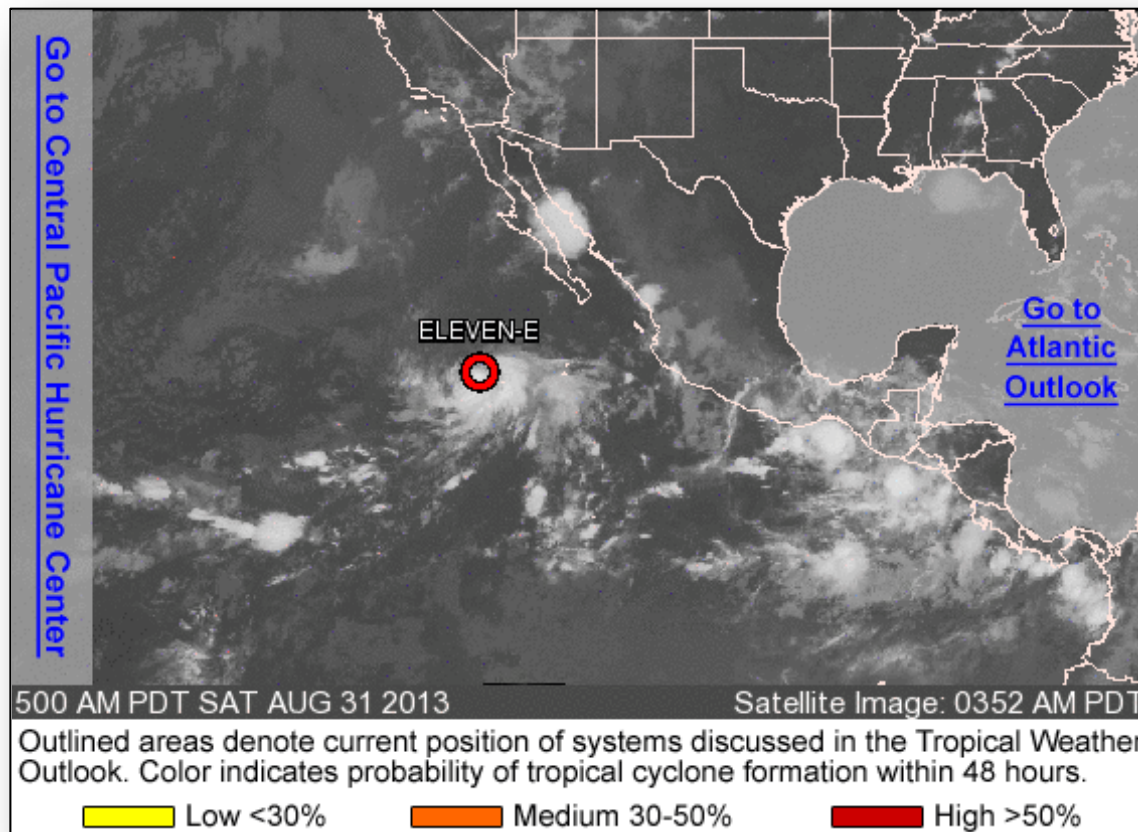
- A tropical wave located 450 miles E of Lesser Antilles
- Moving W at 15 mph
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hours: Low (near 0%)
 - Next 5 days: Low (10%)



Eastern Pacific – Tropical Outlook



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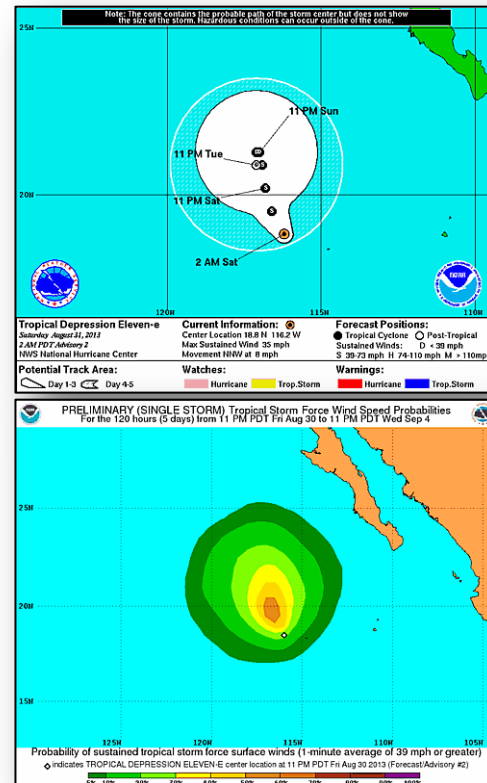
Eastern Pacific – Tropical Depression 11-E



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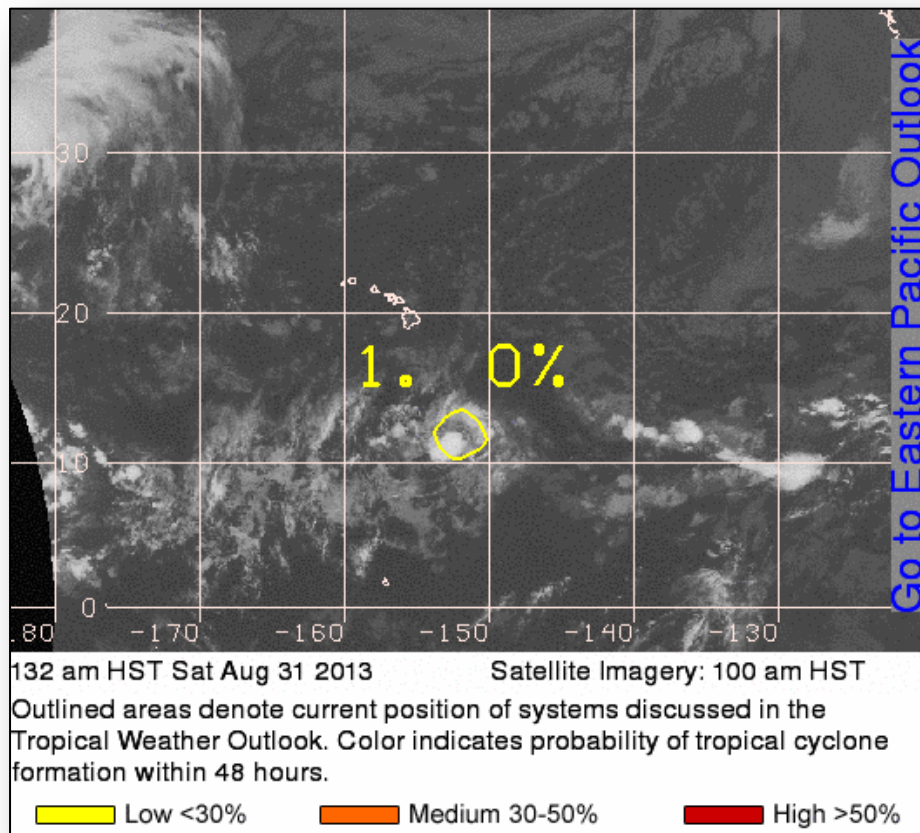
- Located 495 miles SW of southern tip of Baja California, MX
- Moving NNW at 8 mph
- Max sustained winds of 35 mph, with higher gusts
- A turn toward the north and a decrease in forward speed are forecast during the next 48 hours
- Strengthening is forecast during the next day or so
- Forecast to become a tropical storm later today
- Weakening is forecast to begin on Sunday
- There are no coastal watches/warnings in effect



Central Pacific – Tropical Outlook



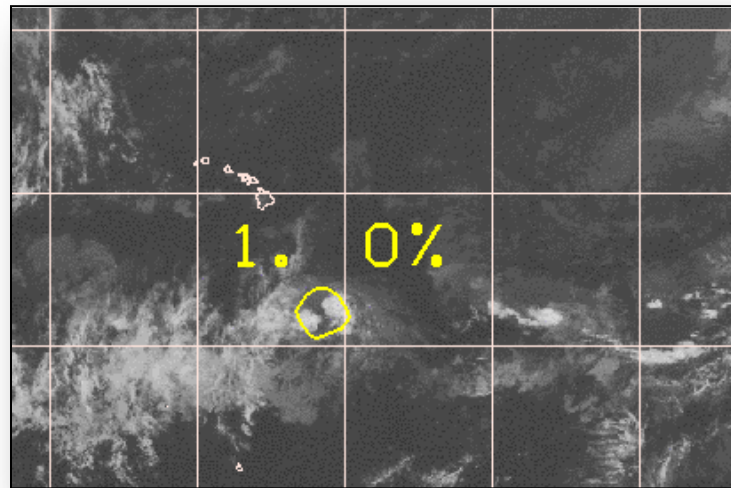
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Central Pacific – Tropical Outlook

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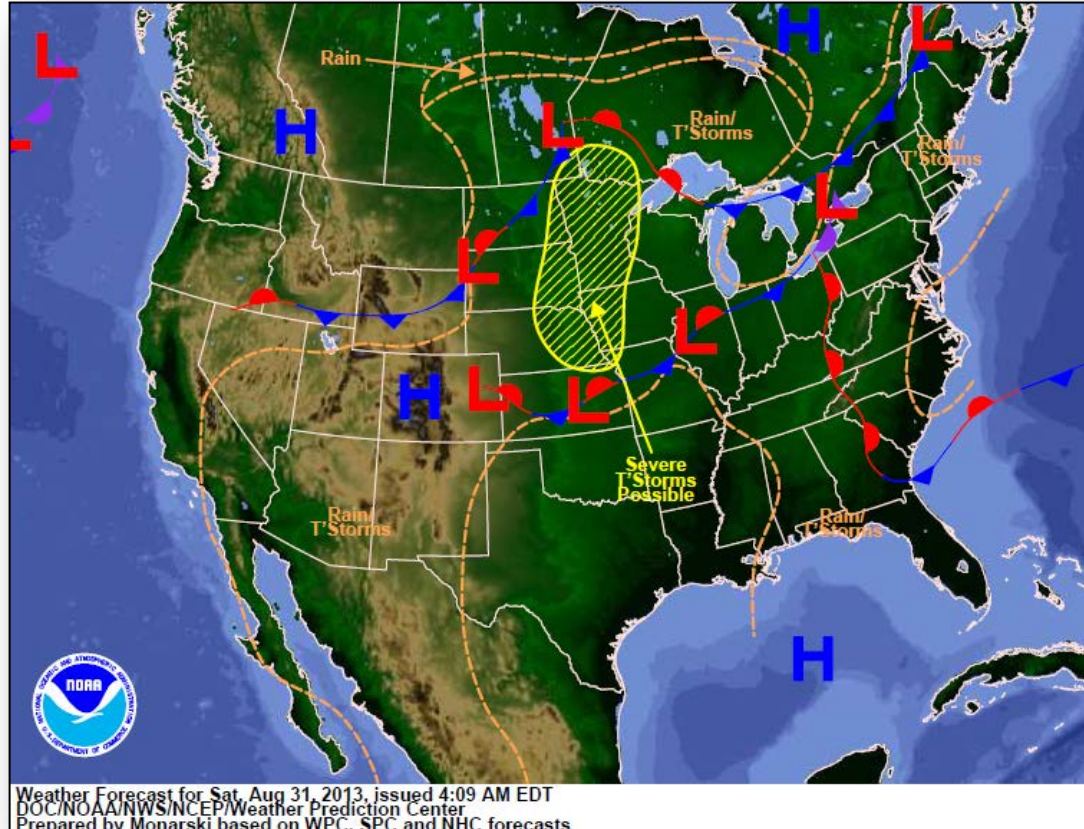
- Small and poorly organized low pressure area producing isolated showers and thunderstorms
- Located 580 miles SSE of the Big Island of Hawaii
- Drifting NW
- Not conducive for further development
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hours: Low (0%)



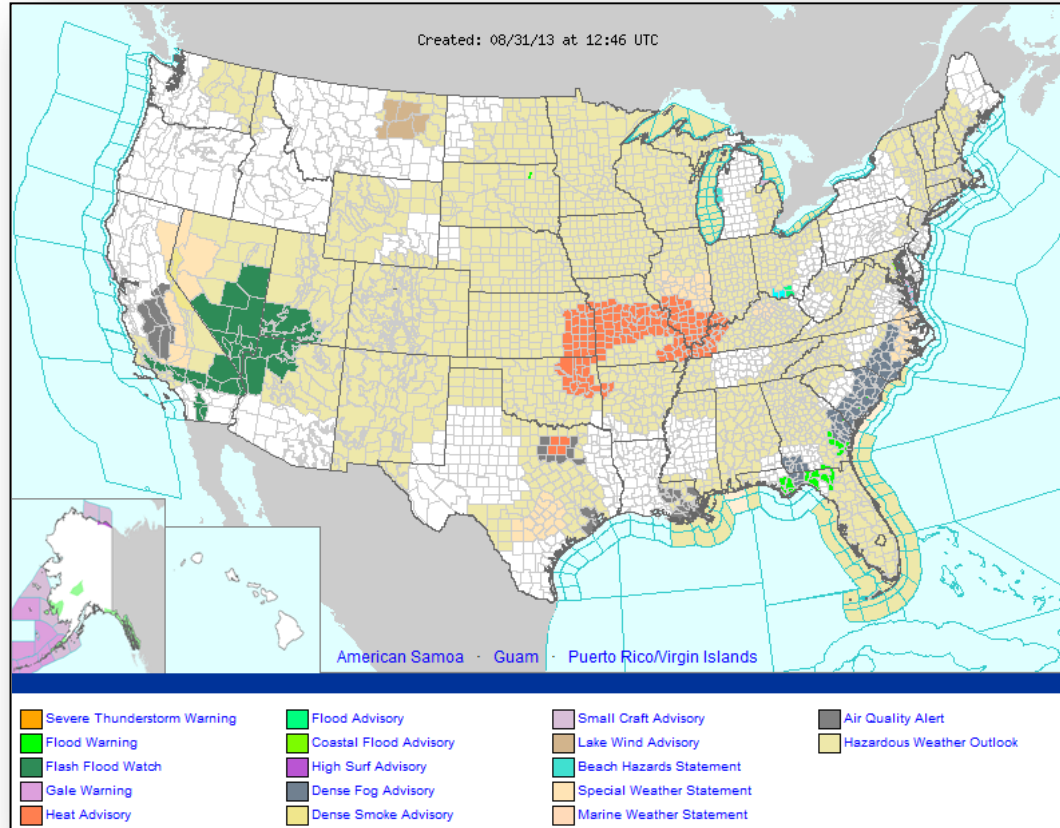
National Weather Forecast



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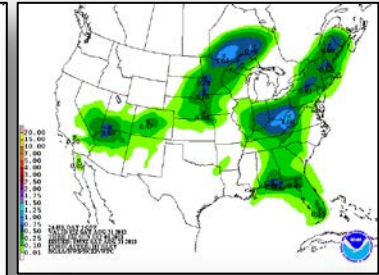
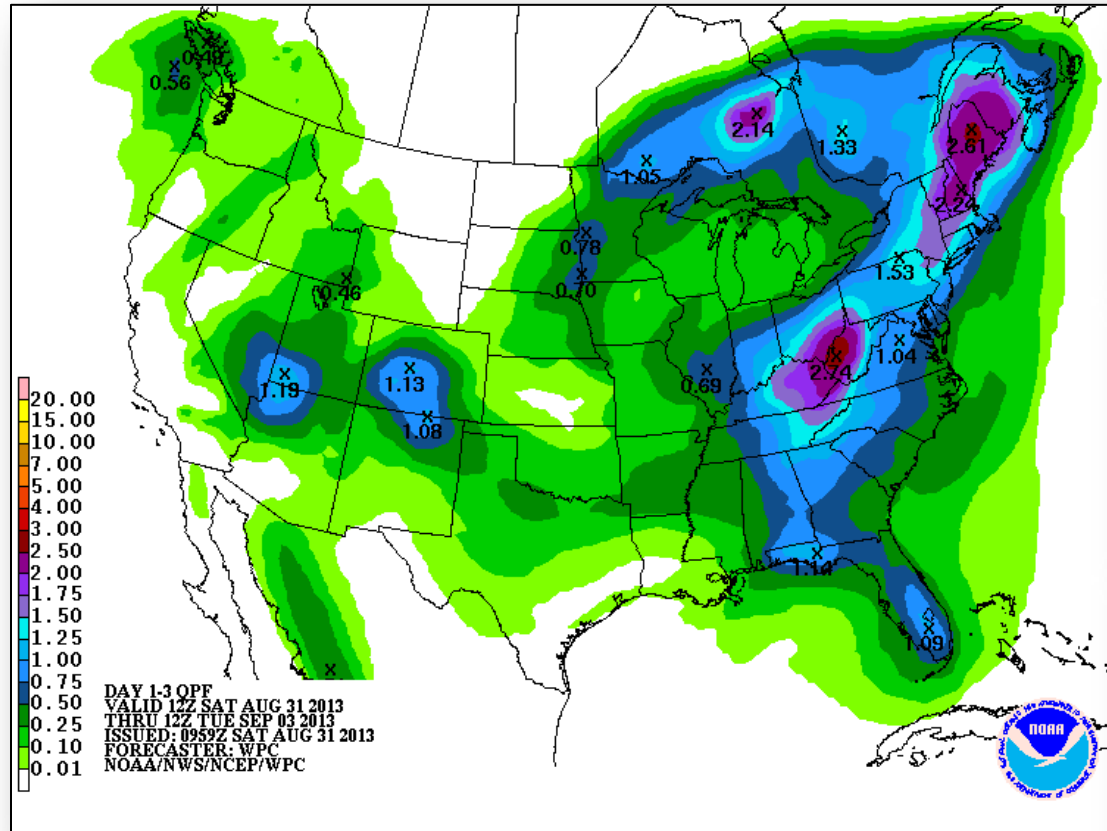
Active Watches/Warnings



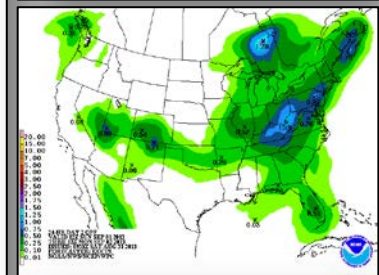
Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



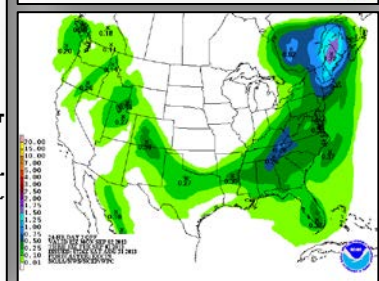
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Day 1



Day 2

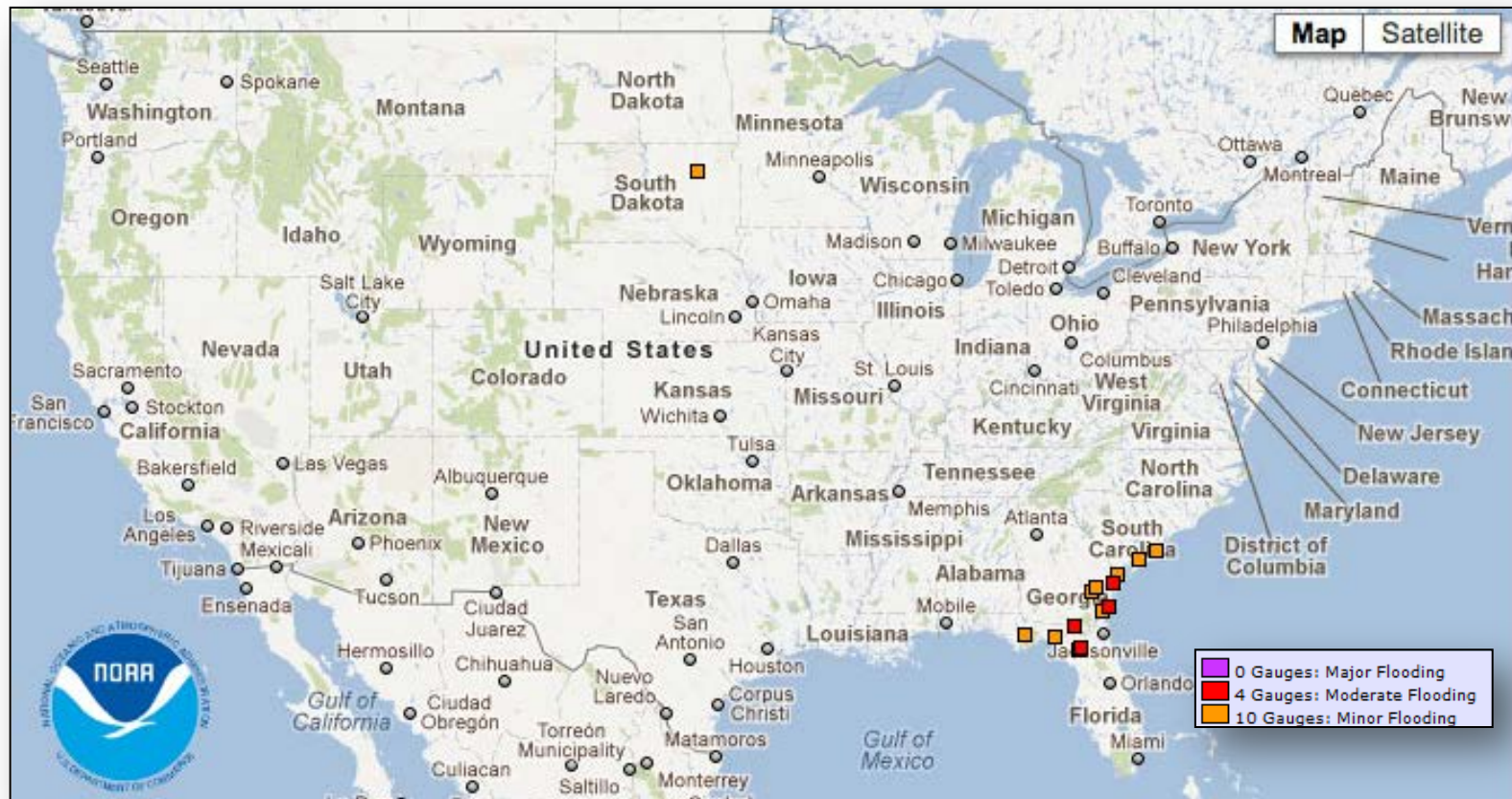


Day 3

River Forecast – 7 Day



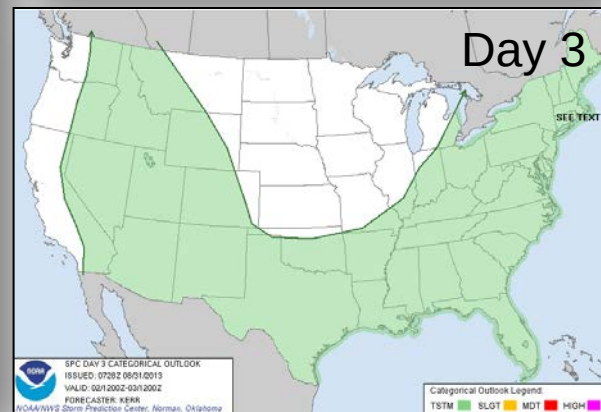
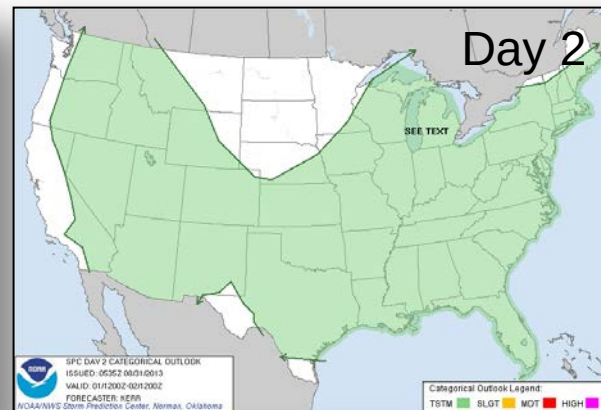
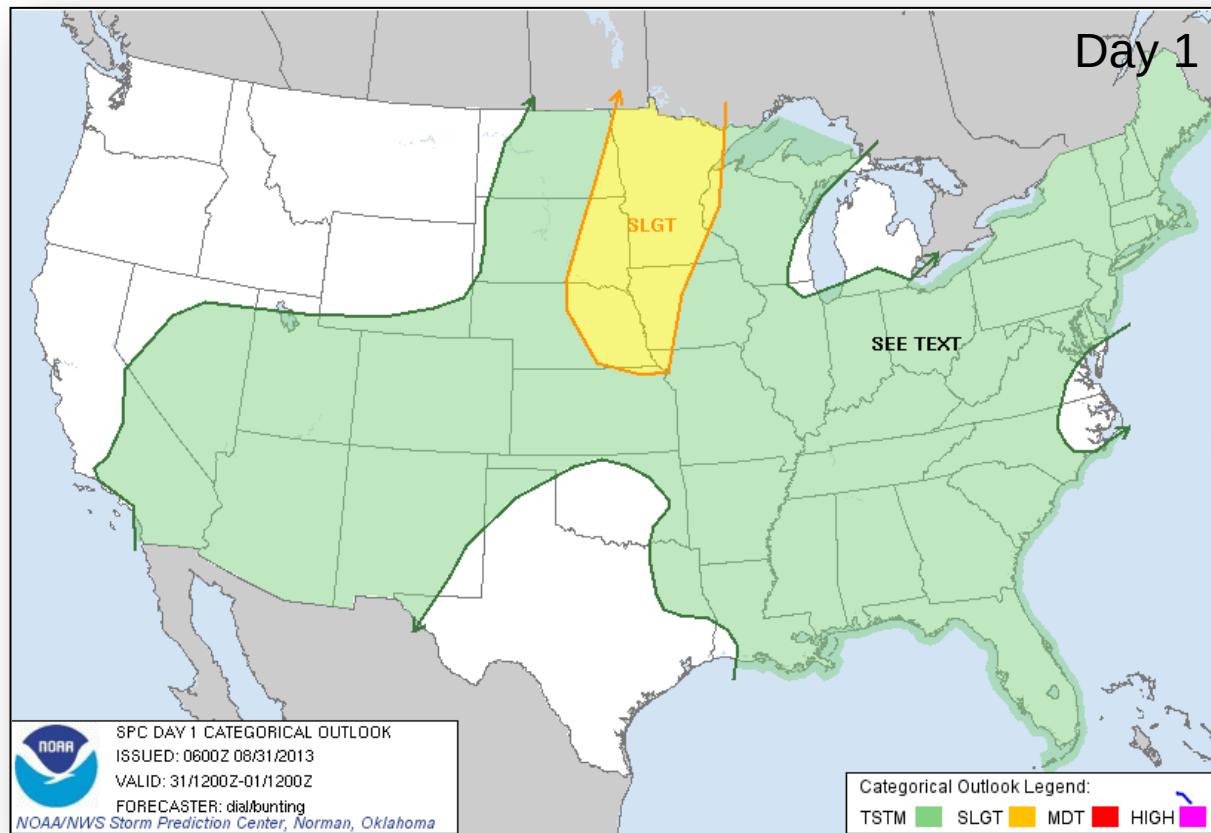
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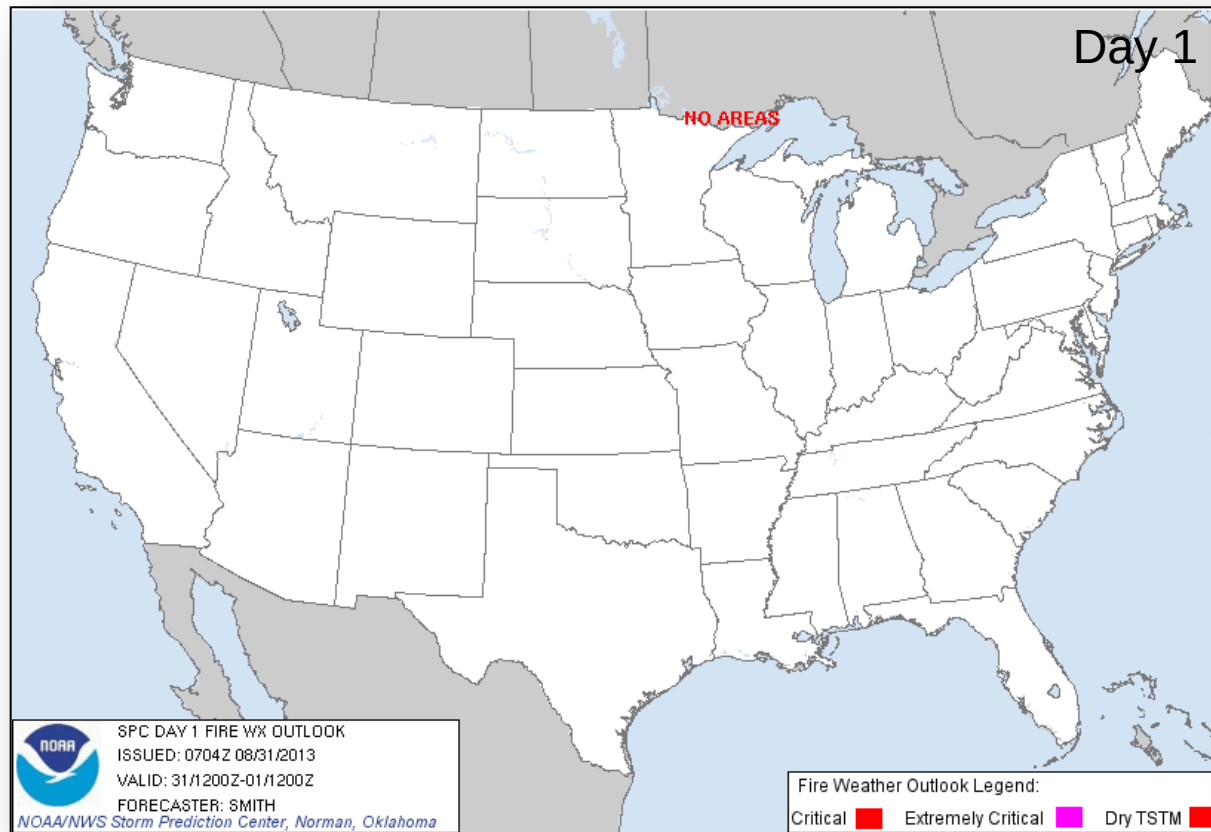
Convective Outlooks Days 1 – 3



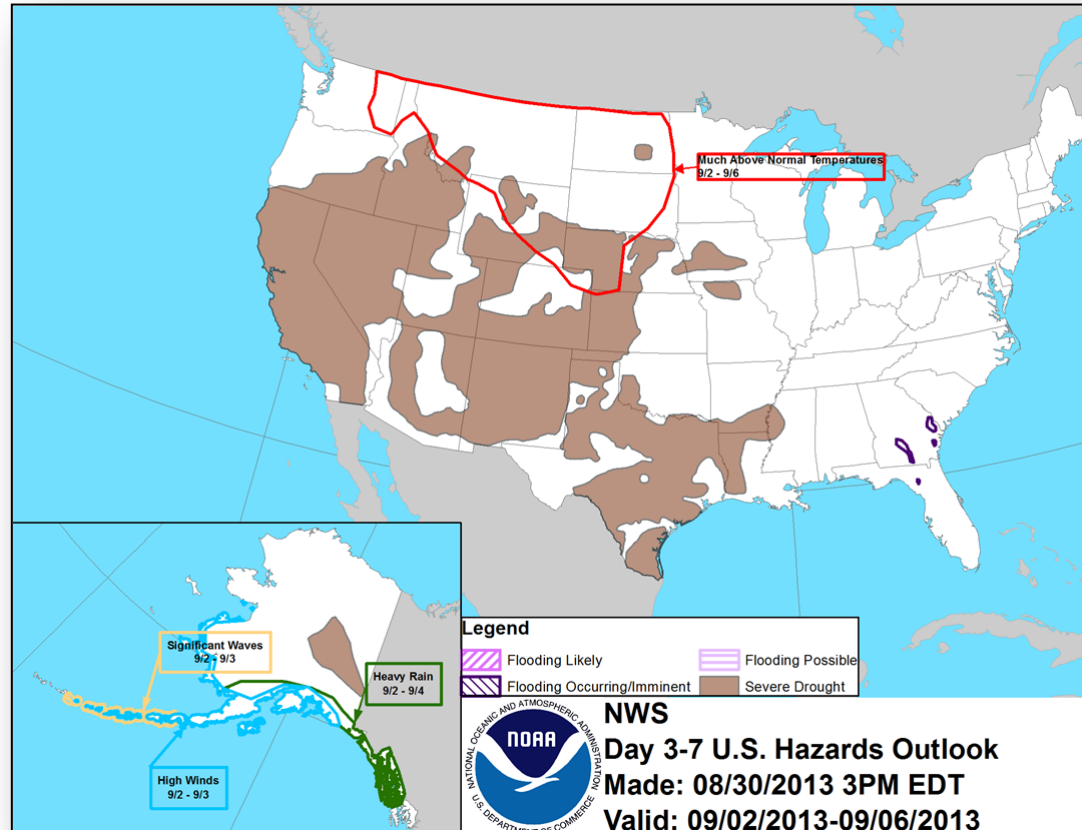
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Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 – 8



Hazard Outlook: September 2 – 6



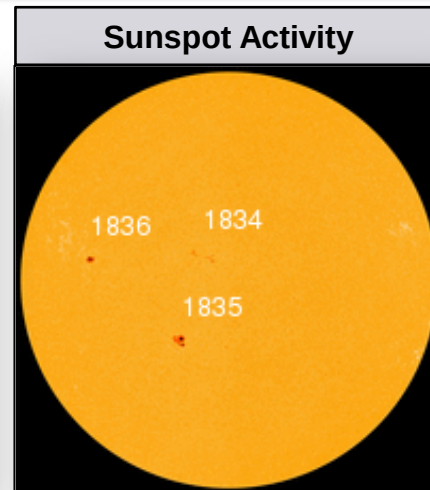
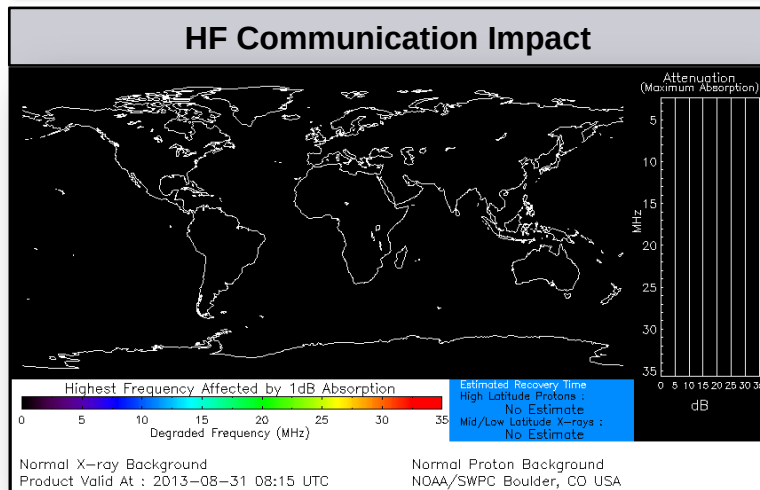


Space Weather



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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	Minor
• Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	G1
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	None	None	None



Earthquake – Adak, Alaska



M 7.0 – Alaska

- Occurred August 30, 2013, at 12:25 p.m. EDT
 - 58 miles ESE of Adak, Alaska
 - Depth of 21 miles
- No tsunami generated
- USGS issued a green PAGER alert indicating:
 - Low likelihood of casualties and damage
 - No population exposed to shaking
- No injuries or damage reported
- No requests for FEMA assistance

Estimated Population Exposure to Earthquake Shaking		I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X
Estimated Modified Mercalli Intensity		--*	--*	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k
Est. Population Exposure		--*	--*	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k
Perceived Shaking		Not Felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
Potential Structure Damage	Resistant	none	none	none	V.Light	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V.Heavy
	Vulnerable	none	none	none	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V.Heavy	V.Heavy

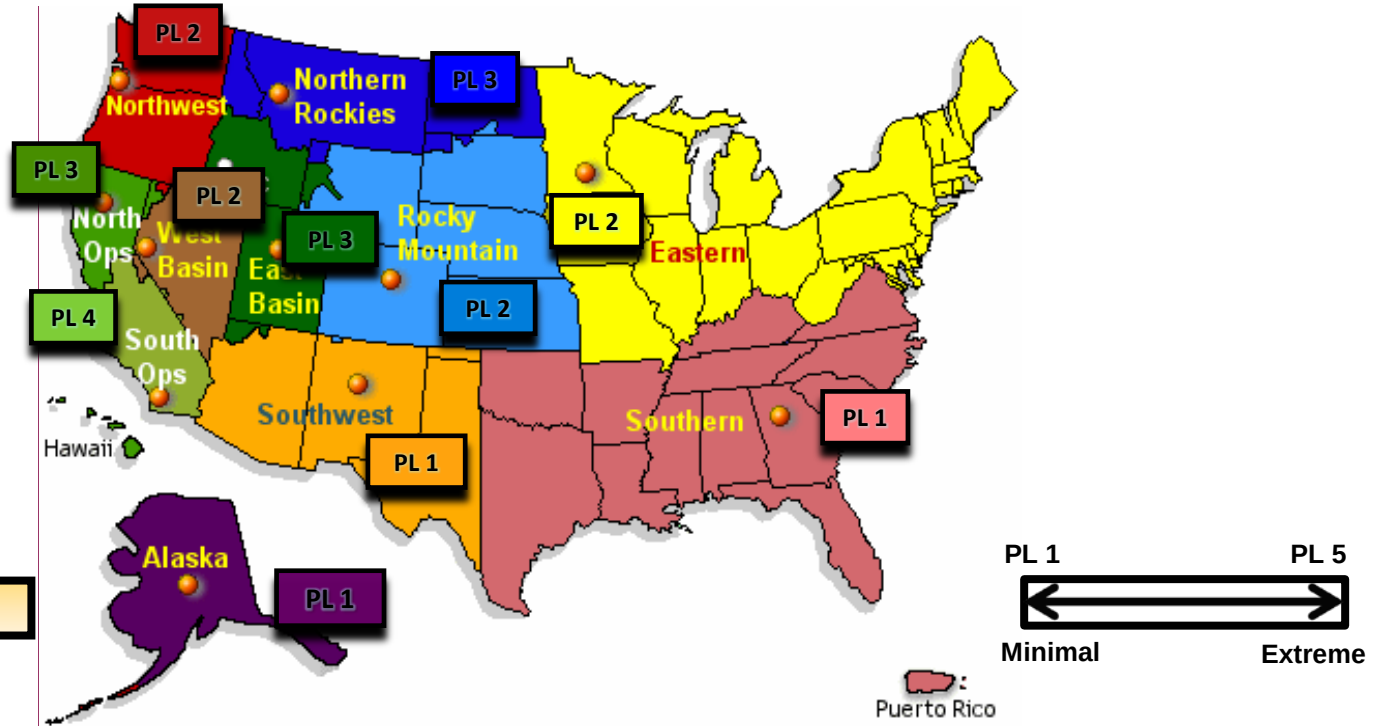
*Estimated exposure only includes population within calculated shake map area. (k = x1,000)

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 31, 2013

National Fire Activity



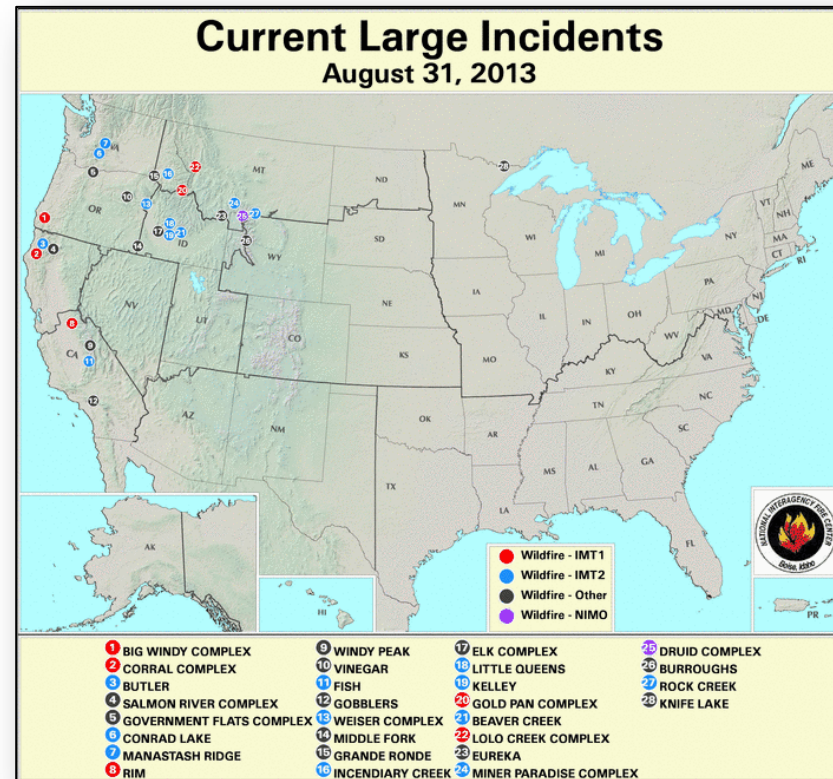
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August 31, 2013

- National Preparedness Level: 4
- Initial Attack Activity: Light (103 new fires)
- New Large Fires: 3
- Large Fires Contained: 1
- Uncontained Large Fires: 28
- *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): 11 of 36
- Affected States: CA, MT, ID, WY, WA, OR & MN

* 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	213,414 (+14,177)	35% (+3) September 20, 2013	Mandatory/ Voluntary	5,500 (1,000 outbuildings)	7/111	0/4

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					

Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
2	Date Requested	0	0
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

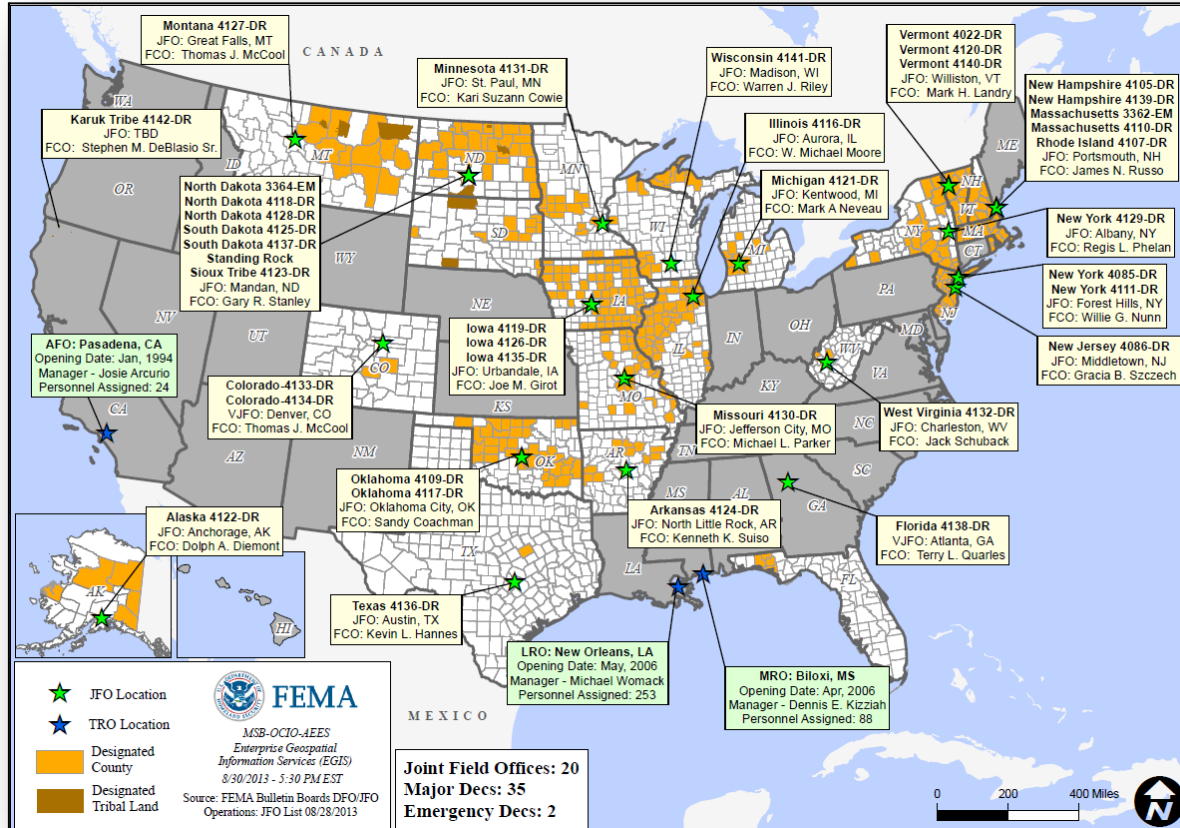


Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
IV	NC	Flooding Jul 2013	PA	14	0	8/26-TBD
VI	NM	Heavy Rains & Flooding Jul 23-28, 2013	PA	10	0	9/3-TBD
VII	KS	Severe Storms, Flooding & High Winds Jul 22 - Aug 16, 2013 & continuing	PA	62 (+10)	50	8/21 - TBD

Open Field Offices as of August 31, 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
8	1	1	9	10

As of: 08/30/2013



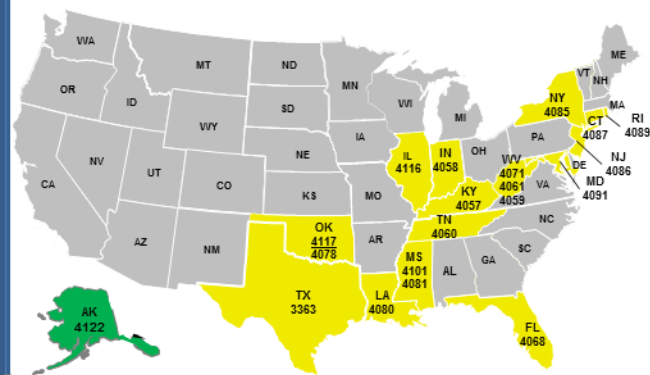
MCOV Fleet / Deployment Status



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	14									
DC Ft Worth	20	18			2						
MERS Denver	2	2									
MERS Bothell	4	4									
Sacramento	4	4									
TOTAL	55	52	0	0	3	TOTAL	0	0	0	0	
Included in above totals, units in route for turn-in.											

Fully Mission Capable	52
Partially Mission Capable	0
Non-Mission Capable	3
Total Not Deployed	55

Data as of: 08/29/13 @ 1500



19 IHP Active – IHP Assistance period remains open
(18 Months from Declaration)

DR-4122 IHP Registration was Extended on Wednesday, Aug 28 to Sep 25.

■ Other Needs Assistance	\$264,558,148
■ Housing Assistance	\$1,548,096,642
Total Awards Amount:	\$1,812,654,790

Group	Hours
ONA	\$2,463
HA	\$5,613
IHP	\$5,786

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IA Registration Statistics



IA Registrations and IHP Amounts as of August 29, 2013 @ 1500

DR/EM # - State	Registrations	Approved Applicants	Total HA Approved	Total ONA Approved	Total IHP Approved
4122 - AK	361	254	\$1,232,111	\$1,503,508	\$2,735,619
Totals	361	254	\$1,232,111	\$1,503,508	\$2,735,619
Since 08/26	+3	+6	+\$63,632	+\$20,195	+\$83,827

NPSC Call Data for August 28, 2013

Total Calls Answered (Help Line + Registration Intake)	2,321
Average time to answer call	12 seconds
Maximum / Minimum time to answer a call	17 seconds / 9 seconds

Housing Inspection Statistics



Inspection Data as of August 29, 2013 @ 1500

DR #-State	Inspectors	Inspections Assigned	Inspections Completed	Inspection % Complete	Turnaround Time (Days)
4122 – AK	1	383	373	97.39%	3.5
TOTAL	1	383	373	97.39%	3.5
Since 08/26	0	+2	+4	+0.54%	0.1

FEMA Workforce Status Report



Workforce Type	Total	Available To Deploy	Deployed	Committed To Other Activities or Exempt from Deployment	Operational Readiness
Reservist	6,331	3,824 (60%)	1,942 (30%)	565 (10%)	Mission Capable
Cadre of On-Call Response Employees (CORE)	2,576	992 (38%)	1,583 (62%)	1 (0%)	Mission Capable
Permanent Full Time (PFT)	5,050	2,033 (40%)	467 (10%)	*2,550 (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	18,179	8,620 (47%)	4,138 (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 8/29/13

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



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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.