

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, August 8, 2025

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- No new significant incidents / operations

Hazard Monitoring

- Severe Thunderstorms / Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding – Northern Plains
- Critical Fire Weather – Central Great Basin and the Rockies
- Excessive Heat – California, Southwest, and the Plains
- Tropical Activity:
 - Atlantic:
 - Disturbance 1: Low: (10%);
 - Disturbance 2: Med: (50%)
 - Eastern and Central Pacific:
 - Tropical Storm Henriette
 - Tropical Storm Ivo
 - Western Pacific
 - Tropical Storm Podul

Disaster Declaration Activity

- FMAG Approval – Canyon Fire, CA

Event Monitoring

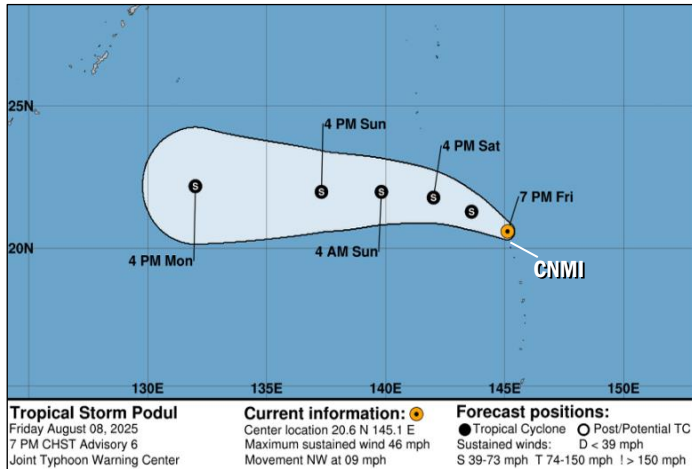
- No new significant events



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Tropical Outlook

Western Pacific

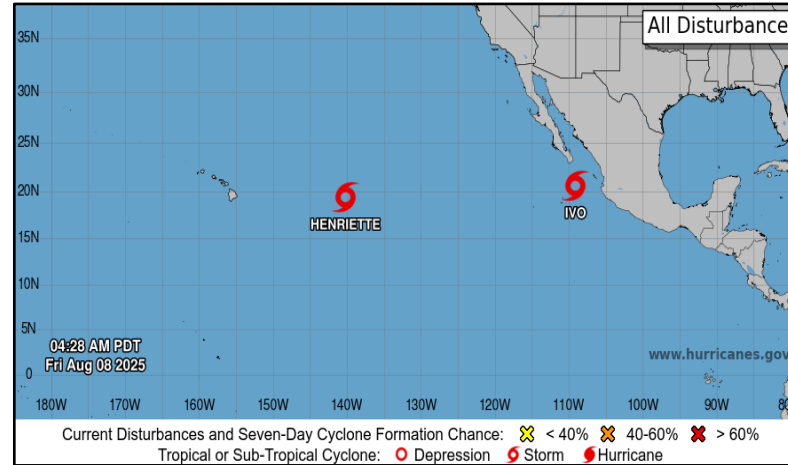


Tropical Storm Podul: (Advisory #6 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- Located **480** miles NNE of the Andersen USAFB, Guam
- Maximum sustained winds **46** mph with higher gusts
- Moving **NW** around **9** mph
- The next **12 to 24** hours will see surges of heavy showers and gusty winds within the west winds feeding Podul

This will be the last local statement by the National Weather service in Tiyan for TS Podul, unless conditions change

Central and Eastern Pacific



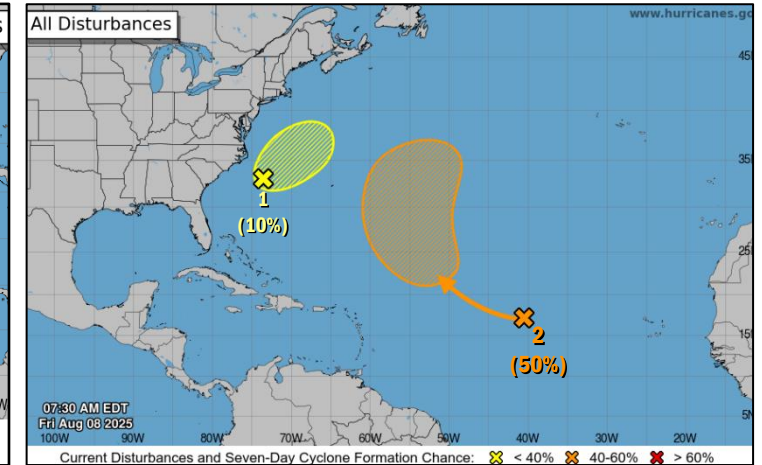
Tropical Storm Henriette: (Advisory #17, as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- Located **975** miles E of Hilo, Hawaii
- Maximum sustained winds near **40** mph with higher gusts
- Moving **W** near **17** mph
- Tropical-storm-force winds extend outward up to **60** miles from center
- Little change in strength is forecast during the next **48** hours followed by gradual strengthening over the weekend

Tropical Storm Ivo: (Advisory #7 as of 5:00 a.m. ET)

- Located **180** miles SSE of the southern tip of Baja, California
- Maximum sustained winds near **60** mph
- Moving **WNW** near **21** mph
- Tropical-storm-force winds extend outward up to **45** miles from center
- Strengthening is forecast, and Ivo is expected to become a hurricane later today or tonight

Atlantic



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

- Located a **couple hundred** miles offshore of North Carolina
- Moving **NE** at **10-15** mph
- Slow tropical development possible over the next day or two
- Formation chance – 48-hour: Low (**10%**); 7-day: **Low (10%)**

Disturbance 2 (AL96): (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

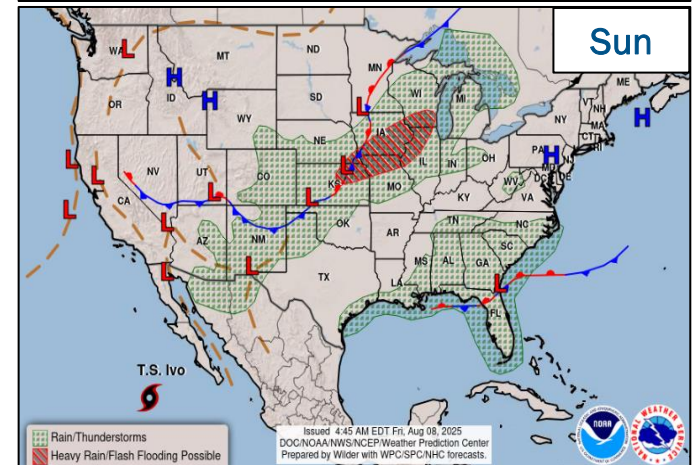
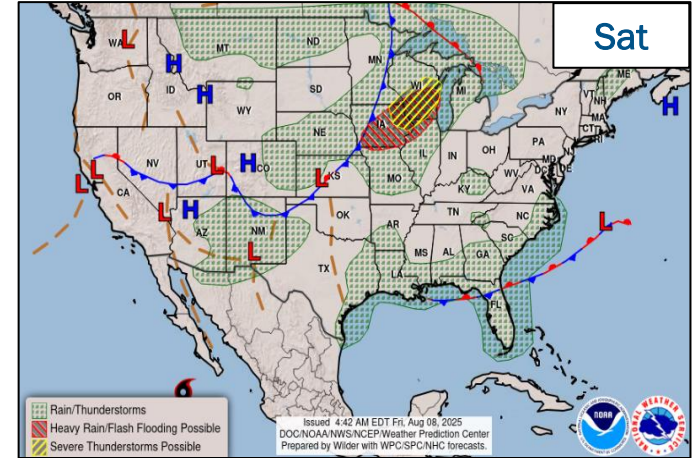
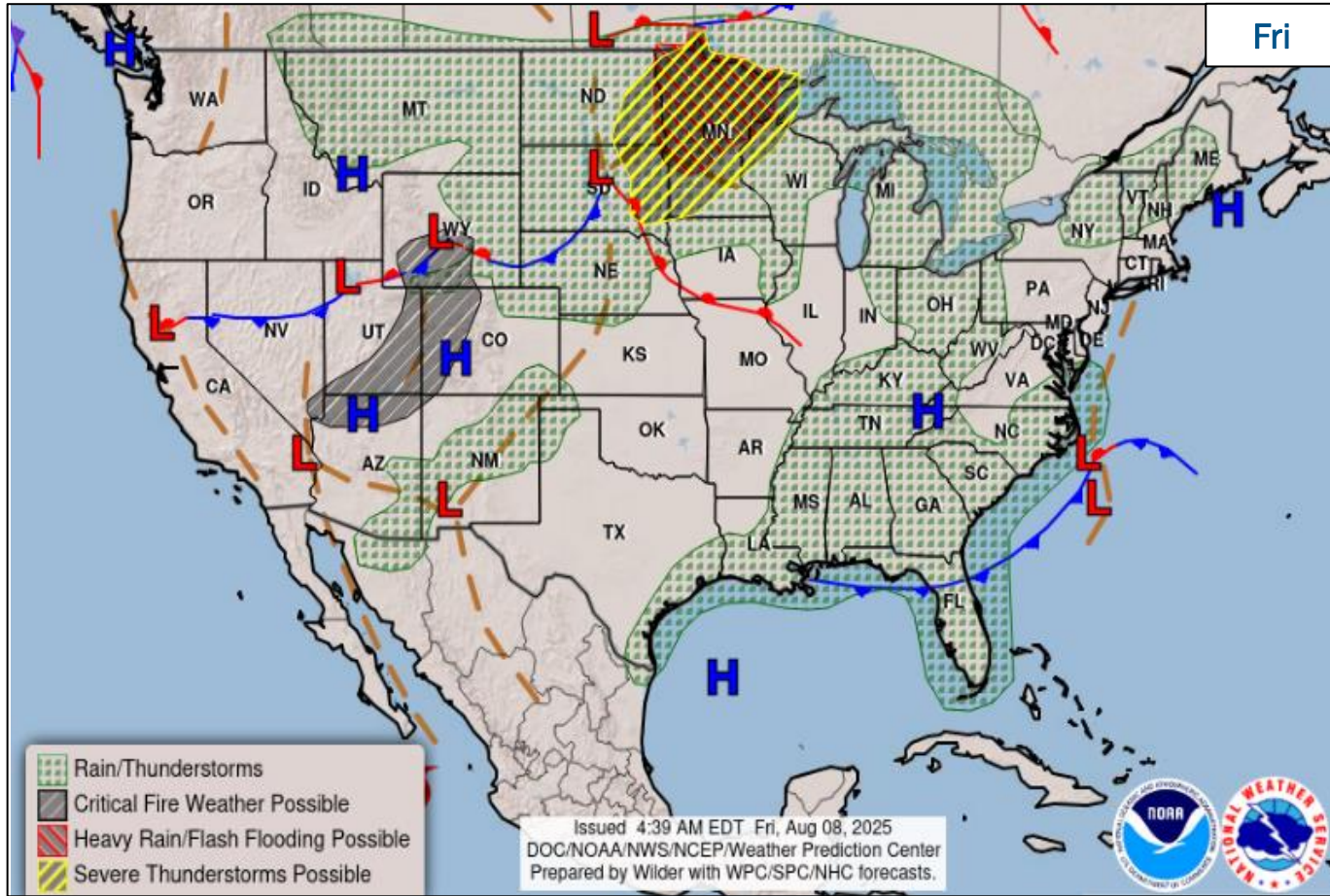
- A tropical wave over the eastern tropical Atlantic
- A tropical depression could form late this weekend or early next week as it moves **WNW** to **NW** across the central tropical and subtropical Atlantic
- Formation chance – 48-hour: **Low (near 0%)**; 7-day: **Med (50%)**



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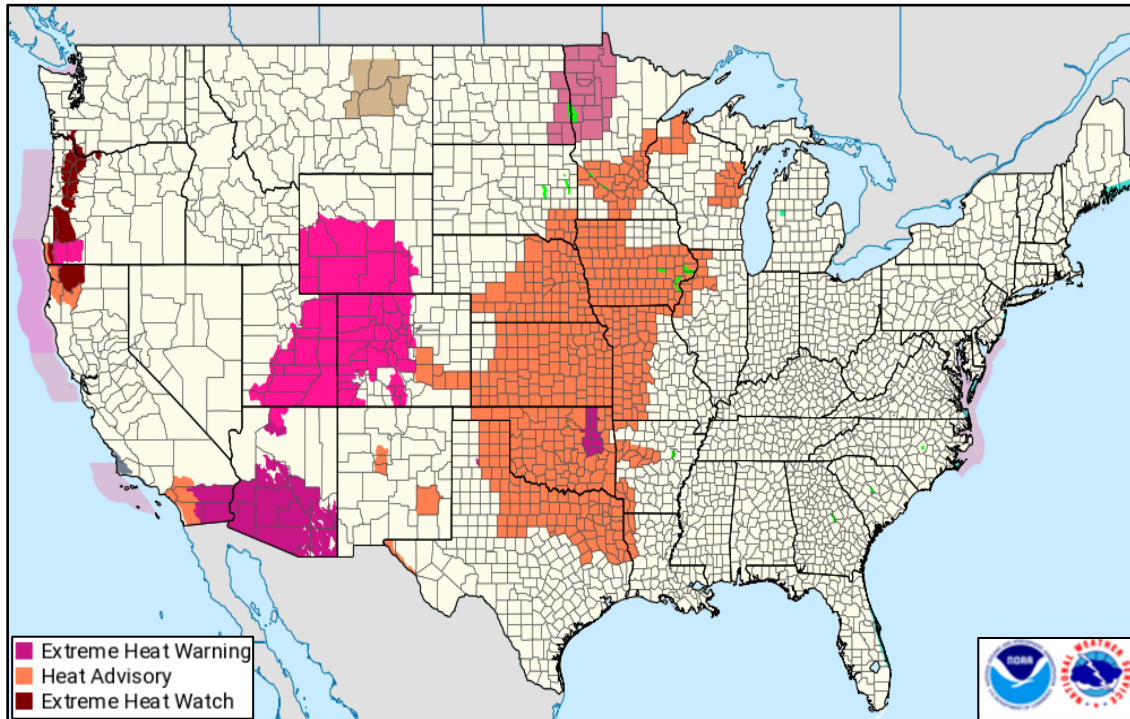
National Weather Forecast



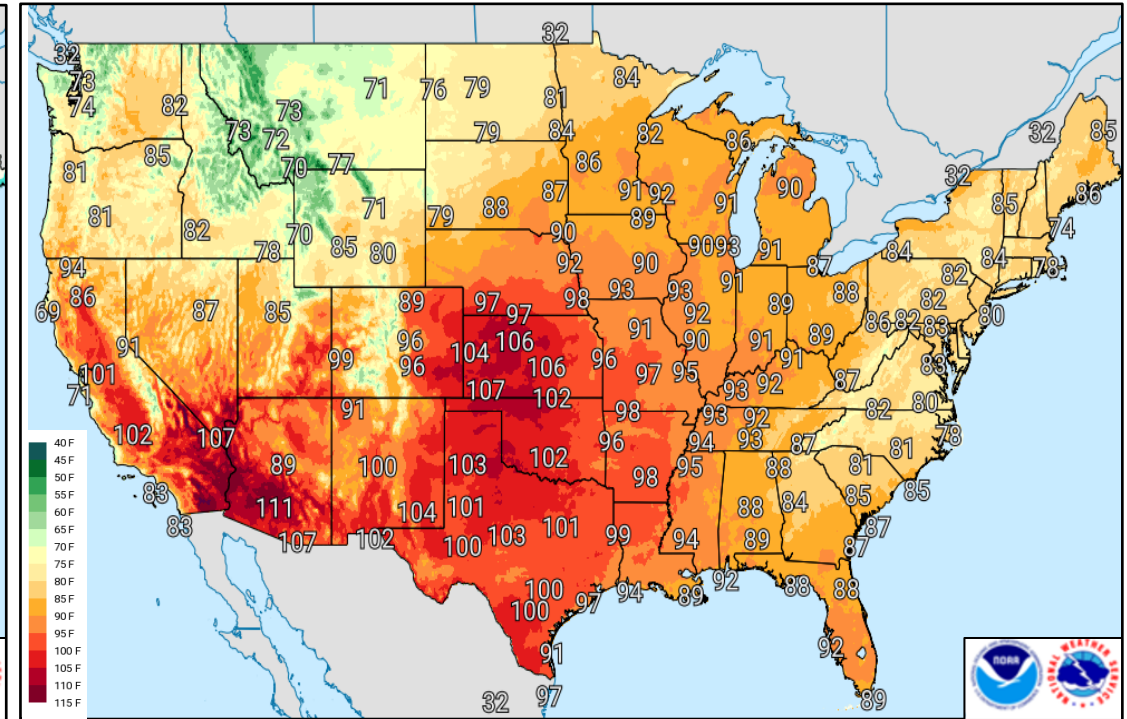
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Excessive Heat – Aug 8



Watches & Warnings



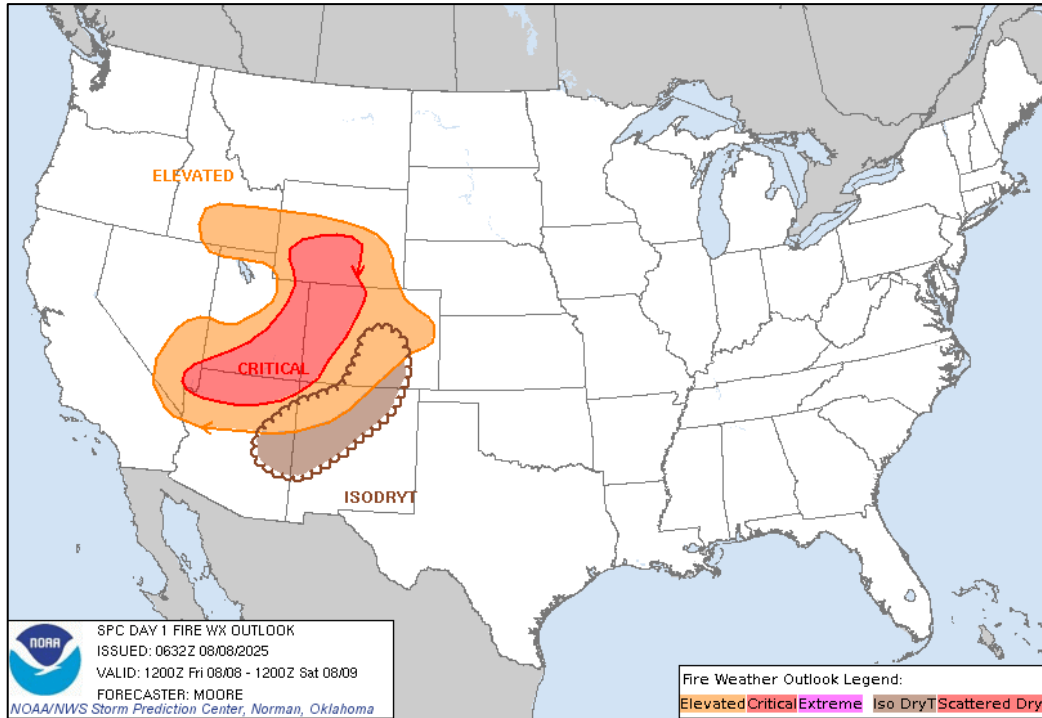
High Temperature Forecast



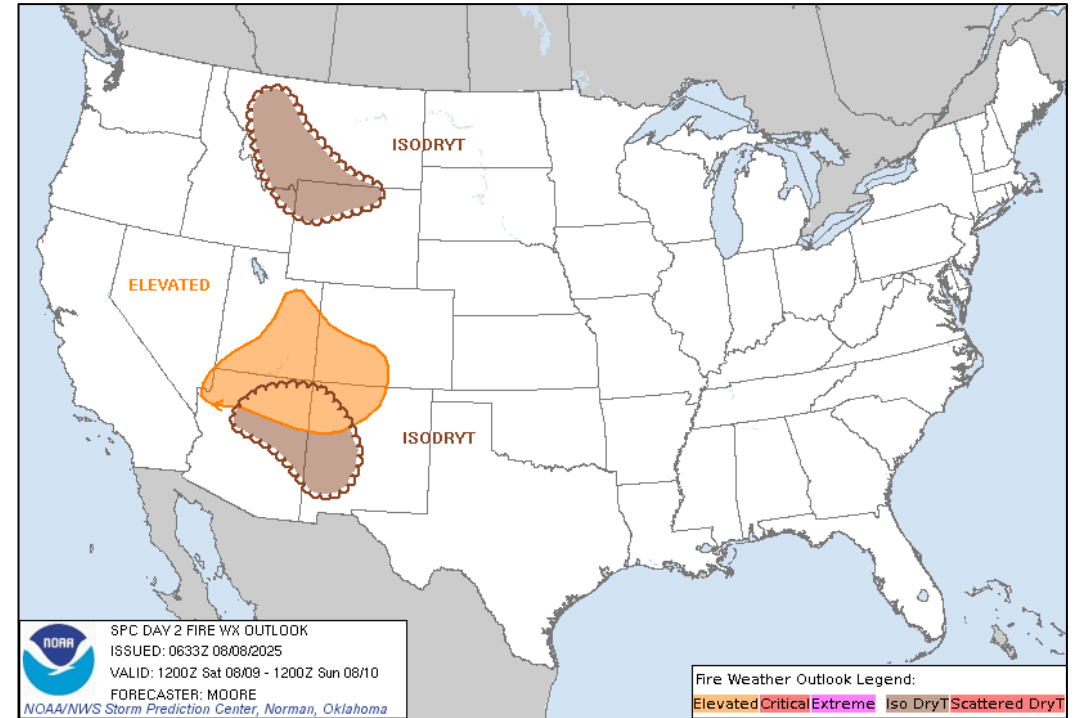
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Fire Weather Outlook



Today



Tomorrow



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Canyon Fire – California

Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Canyon (Ventura and Los Angeles, CA)	XXXX-FM-CA	4,856	0%	M: 5,000	H: 5,118	H: 0	H: 0	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 306	O: 0	O: 1	

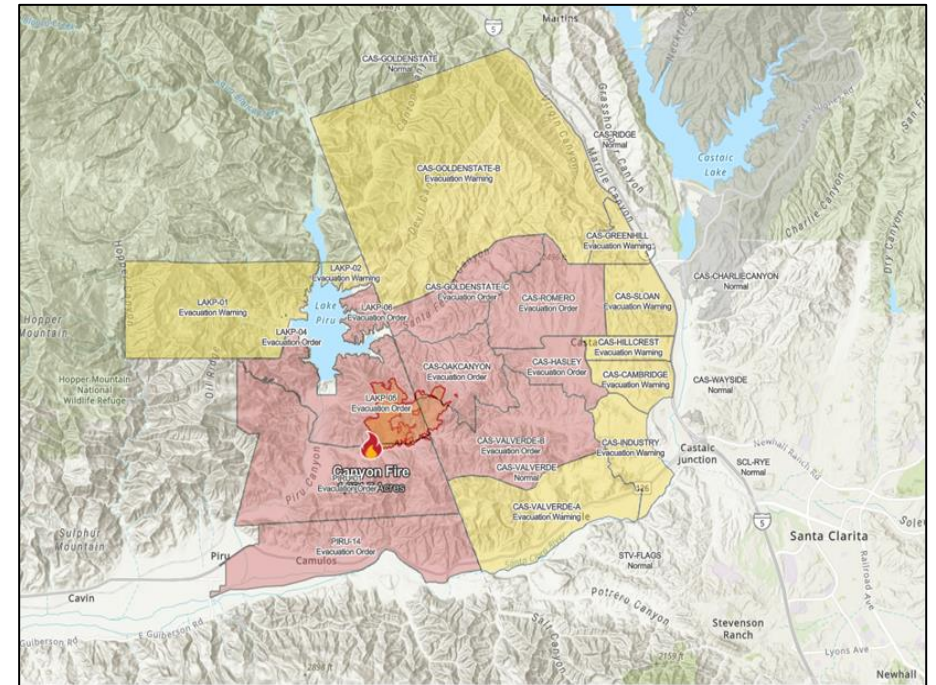
Situation: FEMA Region IX Regional Administrator approved a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) for the Canyon Fire, which has burned 4,856 acres with 0% containment. The fire is burning on state and private land in and around Hasley Canyon and Val Verde, CA (combined pop. 16k).

State / Local Response:

- CA SEOC at Partial Activation (Wildfire)

FEMA / Federal Response:

- FEMA Region IX is Monitoring; RRCC is Rostered; R-IMAT is deployed (DR-4846)
- FEMA NWC is Monitoring; NRCC is at Steady State (Blue Team Rostered)



Source: CAL Fire



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Wildfire Summary

Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Monroe Canyon (Sevier/Piute, UT)	5600-FM-UT	66,275 (+1,318)	18% (+2)	M: 220	H: 110	H: 0	H: 10	0 / 8 (+1)
				V: 0	O: 102	O: 0	O: 4	
Lee (Rio Blanco, CO)	5603-FM-CO	58,714 (+20,961)	0%	M: 450 (+350)	H: 229 (-771)	H: 0	H: 1 (+1)	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 16 (+16)	O: 0	O: 8 (+8)	
Elk (Rio Blanco, CO)	5604-FM-CO	14,518 (+268)	0%	M: 145 (+45)	H: 82 (-918)	H: 0	H: 1 (+1)	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 5 (+5)	O: 0	O: 5 (+5)	

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



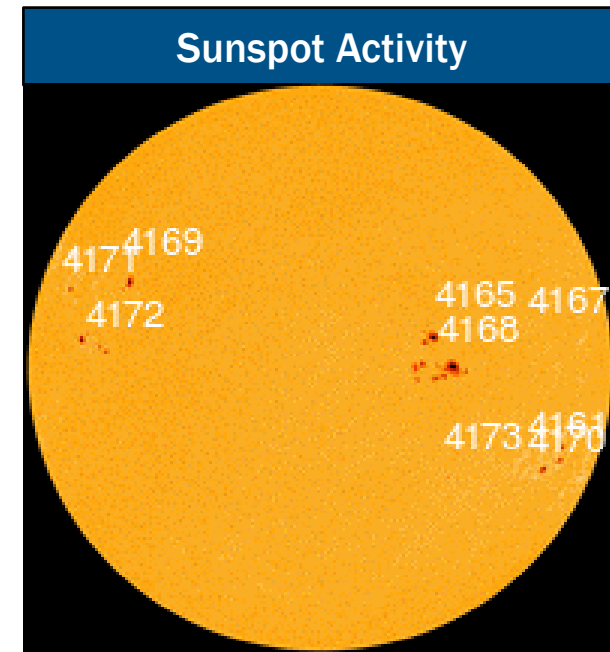
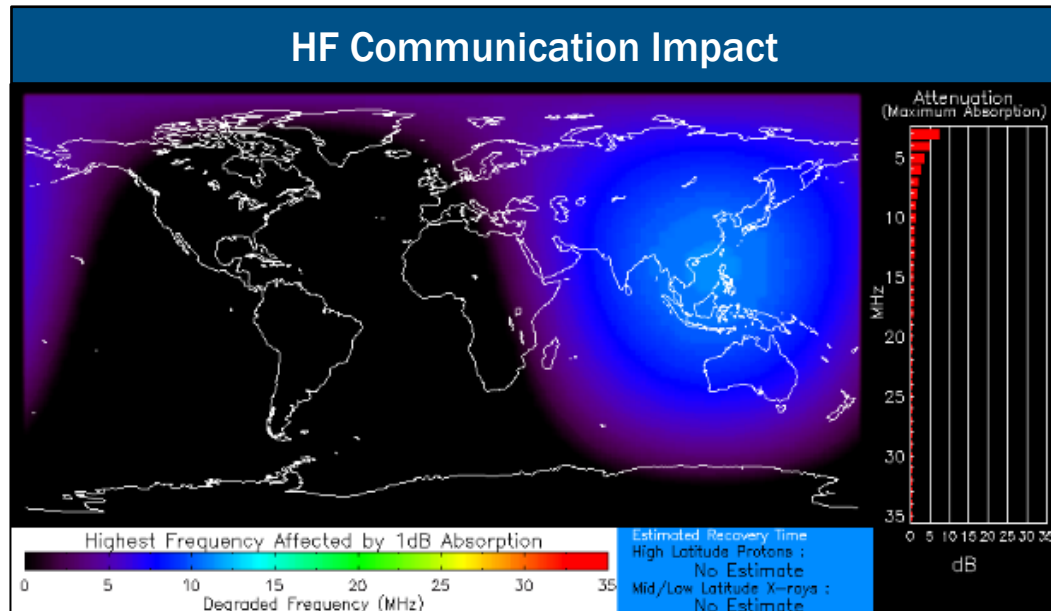
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Space Weather Outlook

Minor	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	Minor	None	None	R1
Next 24 Hours	Minor	None	None	R1

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



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FEMA Common Operating Picture

17 Joint Field Offices **Supporting** **64 + 7** Major Disasters Emergency Declarations **12** Direct Housing Missions **14** RSF-Supported Disasters **6** Joint Recovery Offices

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FEMA HQ	
NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Steady State
FEMA REGIONS	
Watch	RRCC
Monitoring I	Rostered
Monitoring II	Rostered
Monitoring III	Rostered
Monitoring IV	Rostered
Monitoring V	Rostered
Monitoring VI	Rostered
Monitoring VII	Rostered
Monitoring VIII	Rostered
Monitoring IX	Rostered
Monitoring X	Rostered
Notes:	
NRCC/RWCs/RRCCs: • RV RWC: Staffing (Dayshift 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. ET)	State EOCs: • AZ/CO/HI/OR/UT/WA: Wildfires • MD/MD: Severe Weather • FL/TN: Previous Incidents • AS/MD/NM/TX: Flooding • SD: Sturgis Motorcycle Rally
Volunteer Force	
Rostered 7,985	Deployed 3
Surge Capacity Force	
Rostered 8,068 (+3)	Deployed 0

N-IMATs	
2-5 Teams Available	
Red	
White	
Blue	
Gold	
HS	
R-IMATs	
4-6 Teams Available	
I	1
II	2
III	3
IV-1	TN (Jun 23)
IV-2	
V	MI (Jul 27)
VI-1	NM (Jul 9)
VI-2	TX (Jul 6)
VII	MO (Jun 10)
VIII	MT (Jul 6)
IX-1	CA (Jan 8)
IX-2	
X	

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN				
	JFO	DR	EM	JRO
I	1	2	0	0
II	0	0	0	2
III	2	7	1	0
IV	7	21	5	1
V	0	2	0	0
VI	4	9	1	3
VII	1	18	0	0
VIII	1	1	0	0
IX	1	3	0	0
X	0	1	0	0

Alaska

Flash Flooding and Landslides Possible

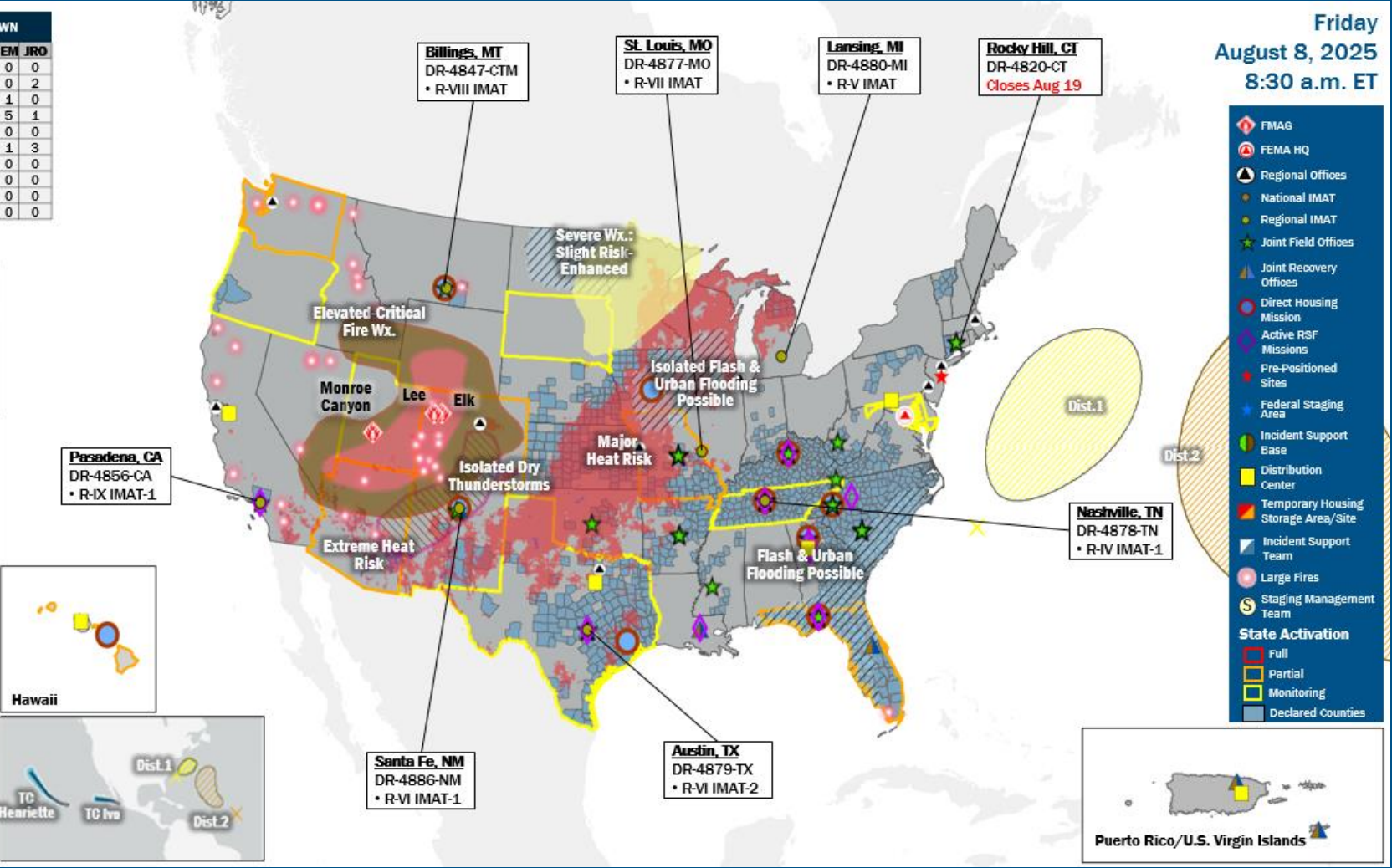
Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands

Flash Flooding and Landslides Possible

Guam

Hawaii

American Samoa



Legend

- FMAG
- FEMA HQ
- Regional Offices
- National IMAT
- Regional IMAT
- Joint Field Offices
- Joint Recovery Offices
- Direct Housing Mission
- Active RSF Missions
- Pre-Positioned Sites
- Federal Staging Area
- Incident Support Base
- Distribution Center
- Temporary Housing Storage Area/Site
- Incident Support Team
- Large Fires
- Staging Management Team
- State Activation**
- Full
- Partial
- Monitoring
- Declared Counties

IM Workforce

12,148 (+1) Assigned
 4,268 (+12) Unavailable
 5,768 (-17) Deployed

17% / 2,112 (+6) Available

IM Cadre Availability

Alternative Dispute Resolution: 0% (0/31); Civil Rights: 16% (24/149); External Affairs: 9% (31/328); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 9% (63/698); Field Leadership: 7% (9/123); Financial Management: 13% (25/189); Hazard Mitigation: 6% (48/810); Human Resources: 10% (16/167); Individual Assistance: 19% (461/2,414); Interagency Recovery Coordination: 23% (57/247); Information Technology: 18% (111/625); Logistics: 19% (292/1,549); Operations: 13% (46/367); Public Assistance: 10% (219/2,092); Planning: 4% (16/375); Safety: 10% (9/92); Security: 14% (16/112)

17 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

MERS
 ≥ 66%

33 Assigned
 3 Unavailable
 0 Deployed

30 Available

US&R
 ≥ 66%

28 Assigned
 1 (-1) Unavailable
 0 Deployed

27 (+1) Available

FCO
 ≤ 1 Type I

40 Assigned
 2 (+1) Unavailable
 34 (-1) (21(-1) FCO) Deployed

4 Available

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties		Start - End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	VT	Severe Storms & Heavy Rainfall Jul 10	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	2	0	7/29 - TBD



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Declaration Requests in Process – 6

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
CTM* – Severe Storms, Flooding, and Straight-line Winds	DR		X	X	Jul 17
ND – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes	DR		X	X	Jul 21
NE – Severe Storms and Straight-line Winds	DR		X	X	Jul 24
NC – Tropical Depression Chantal	DR		X	X	Aug 5
KS – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		X	X	Aug 5
SWO** – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Aug 5

*Crow Tribe of Montana

**Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate



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