



# FEMA

## Daily Operations Briefing

Sunday, September 27, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

# National Current Operations and Monitoring



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## Significant Incidents or Threats:

- Heavy showers and storms possible – Middle Mississippi Valley
- Critical Fire Weather – California
- Wildfires – Western U.S.
- COVID-19

## Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic:
  - Disturbance 1: Low (near 0%)
- Eastern Pacific:
  - Disturbance 1: High (70%)
- Central Pacific: No new tropical cyclones expected during the next five days
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

## Declaration Activity:

- FMAG Approved: Mullen Fire, WY

# Mullen Fire – WY



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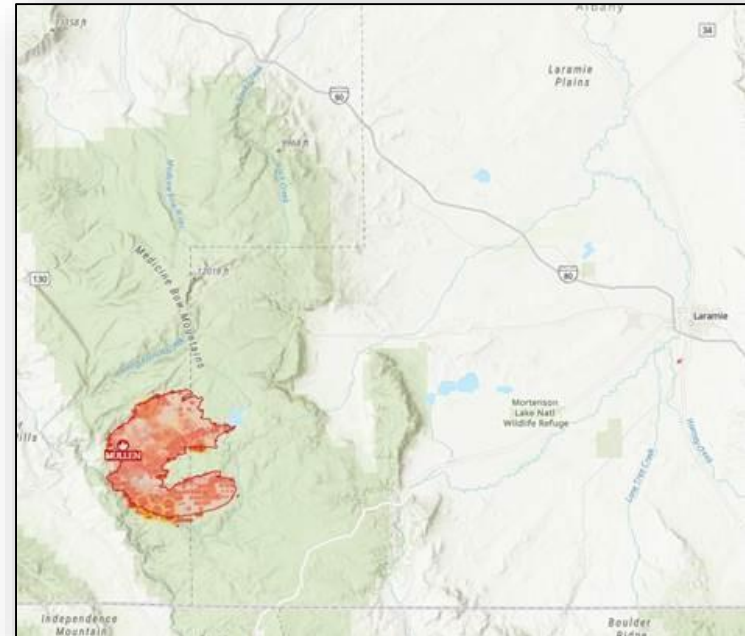
Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Mullen Fire (Albany and Carbon, WY)	XXXX-FM-WY	36,000	2%	M: 180 V: Unknown	H: 300 O: 0	H: 0 O: 0	H: 0 O: 0	0 / 0

## Current Situation:

- The fire began on Sep 17 and is burning on Federal and private land in and around the subdivisions of Albany, Jelm, Keystone, Rambler, Woods Landing, and Double Creek, WY (pop. 249)
- Threatening 300 homes, utilities, and a watershed

## Response:

- WY EOC at Partial Activation (Wildfires & COVID-19)
- Region VIII and NWC continue to monitor
- FMAG approved Sep 26



# COVID-19 Update



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**Situation:** Upward trajectory in COVID-19 case count continues across 24 states/territories, with 15 states/territories in a plateau status, and 17 states/territories on a downward trajectory. 19,685 Federal employees deployed / activated; 1,465 FEMA employees deployed. (COVID-19 SLB, as of Sep 25)

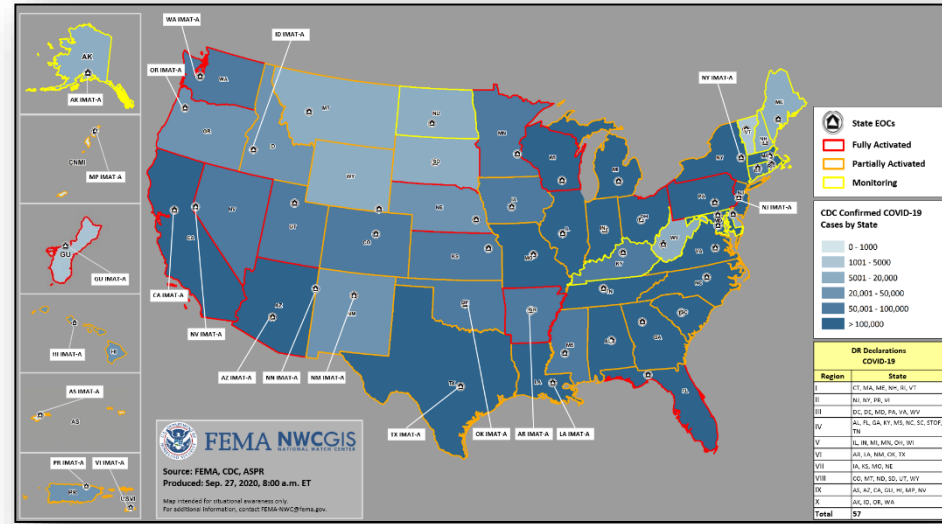
Nationwide Testing: 108,609,659 cumulative (as of Sep 25)

COVID-19 positive cases continue to increase globally (CDC COVID-19 update as of Sep 24)

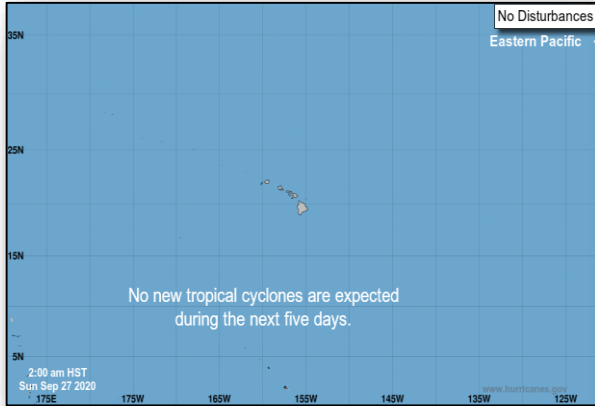
- Confirmed Cases of COVID-19
  - United States: 7,009,216 (+50,584)
  - Worldwide: 32,429,965 (+316,884)
- Deaths caused by COVID-19
  - United States: 203,180 (+851)
  - Worldwide: 985,823 (+5,786)

## Response:

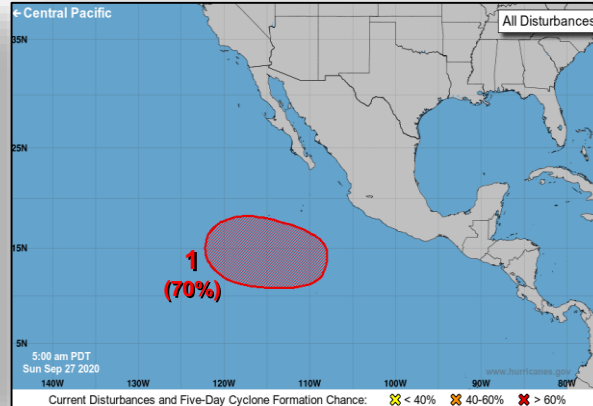
- NRCC conducting COVID response operations
- Regions I, II, III, V, VI, & X RRCCs at Level III
- Regions IV, VII, VIII, & IX RRCCs are rostered
- Regions VII, VIII, & IX COVID-19 working from the Virtual JFO
- NWC, all RWCs, and MOCs are monitoring



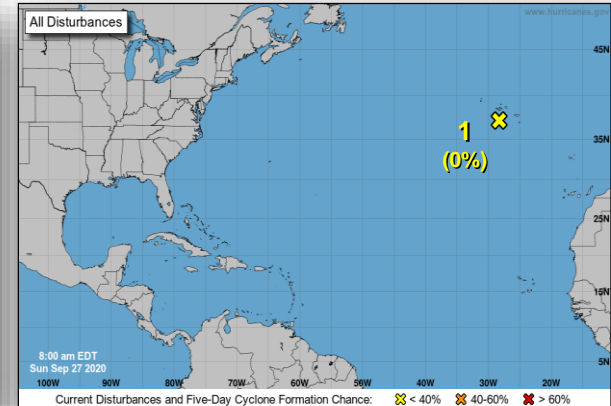
# Tropical Outlook – Five Day



**Central Pacific**



**Eastern Pacific**



**Atlantic**

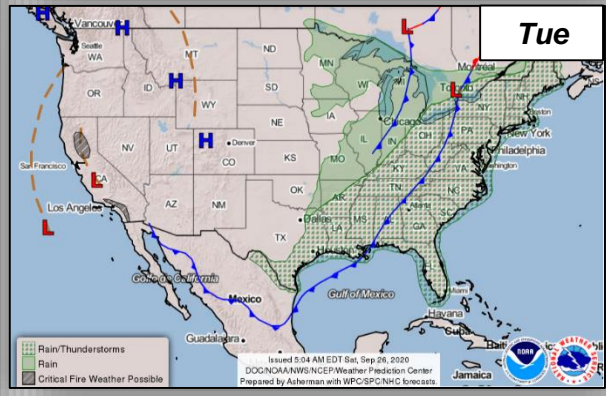
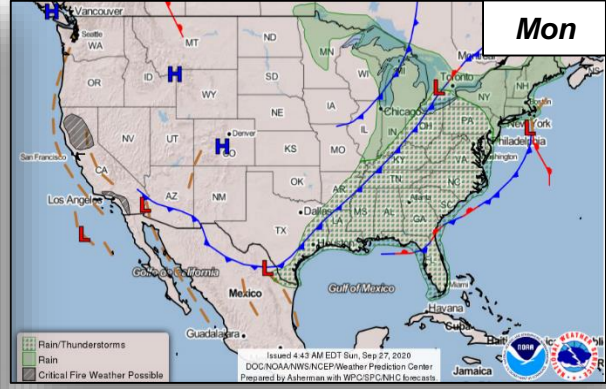
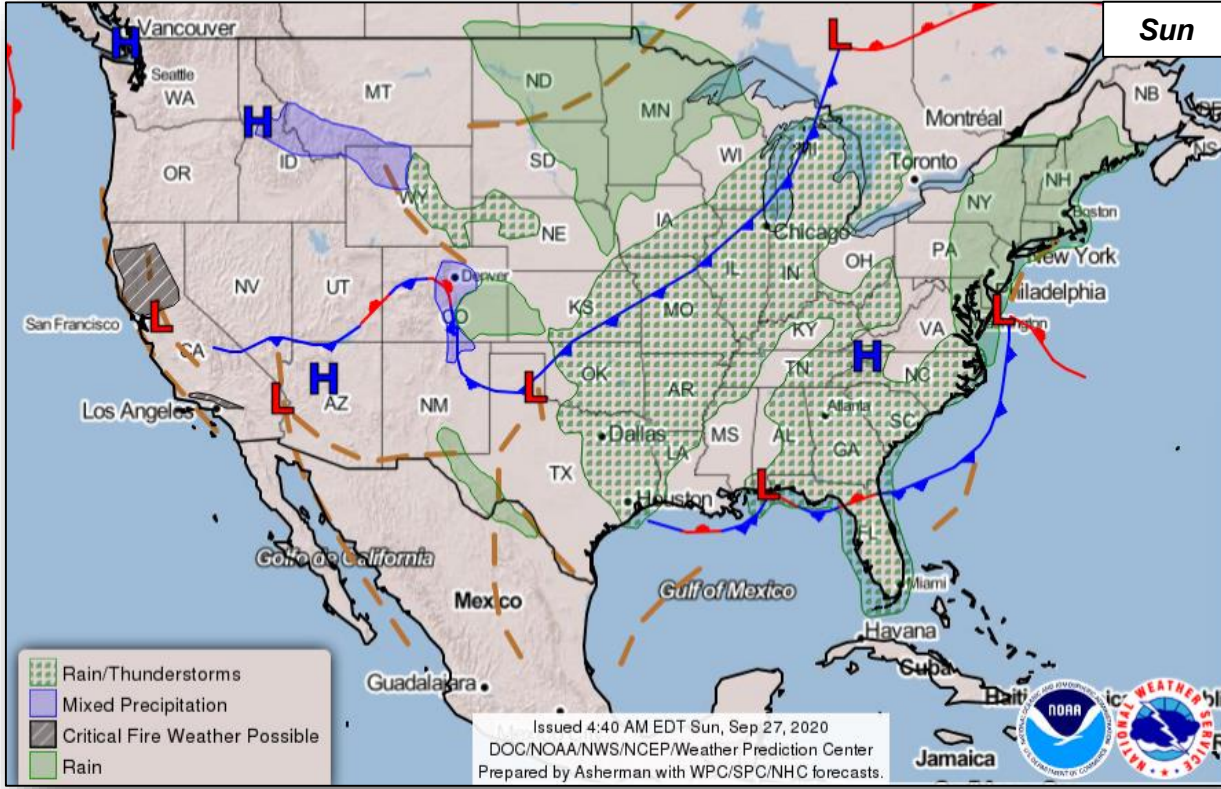
## Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Expected to form south or southwest of the southwest coast of Mexico **in a day or two**
- Tropical depression could form late next week
- 48-hour Formation Chance: Low (near 0%)
- 5-day Formation Chance: **High (70%)**

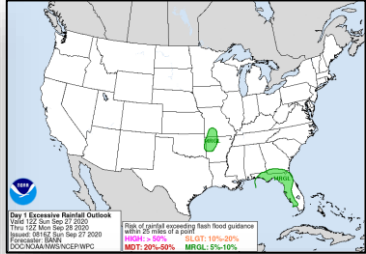
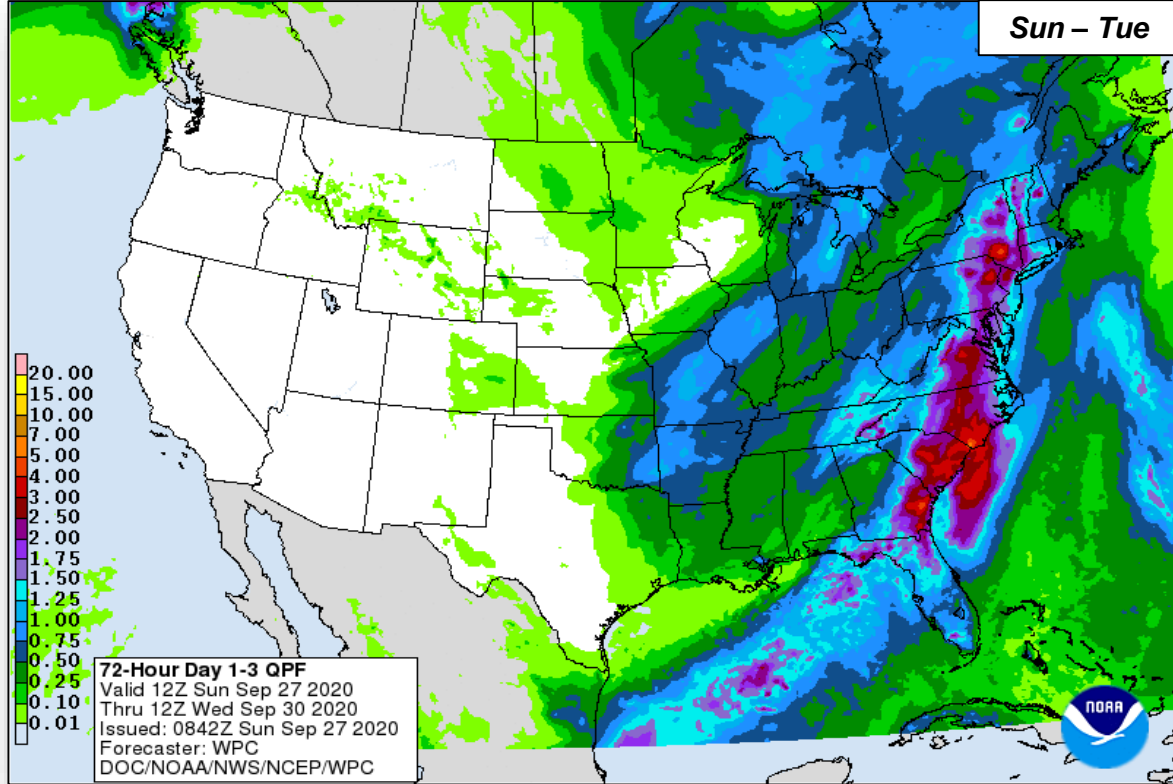
## Disturbance 1 (Remnants of Pauline) (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Located about 100 miles S of the Azores
- No further development is anticipated
- 48-hour Formation Chance: Low (near 0%)
- 5-day Formation Chance: Low (near 0%)

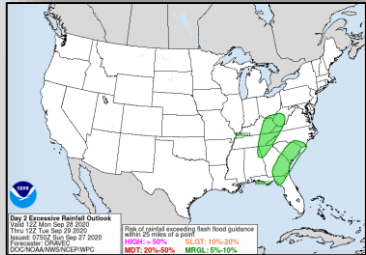
# National Weather Forecast



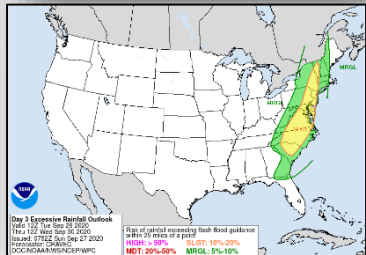
# Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



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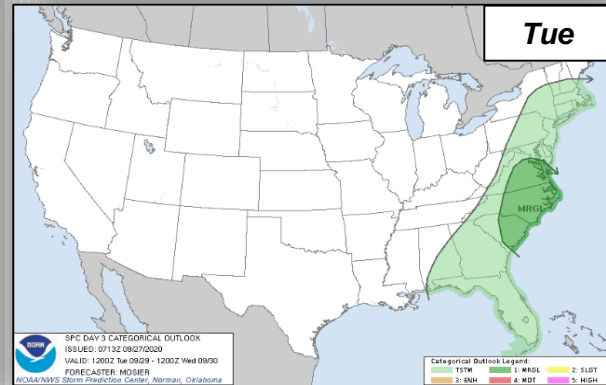
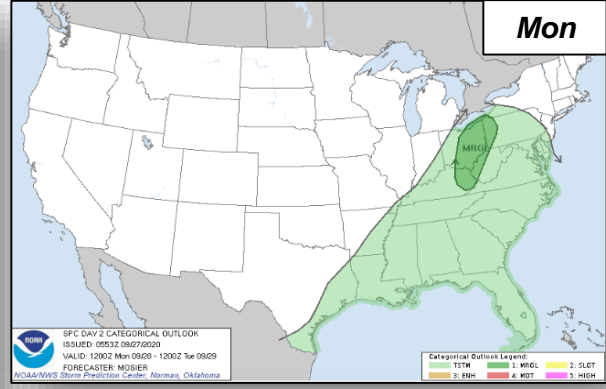
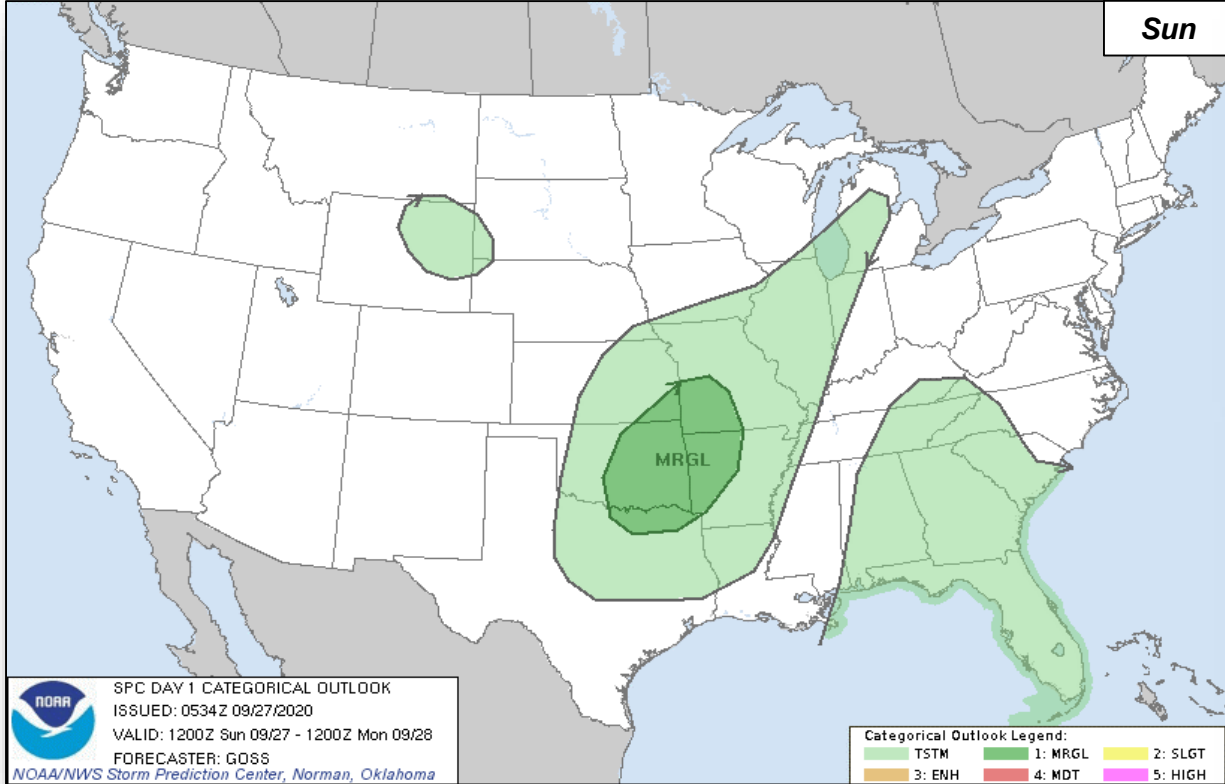


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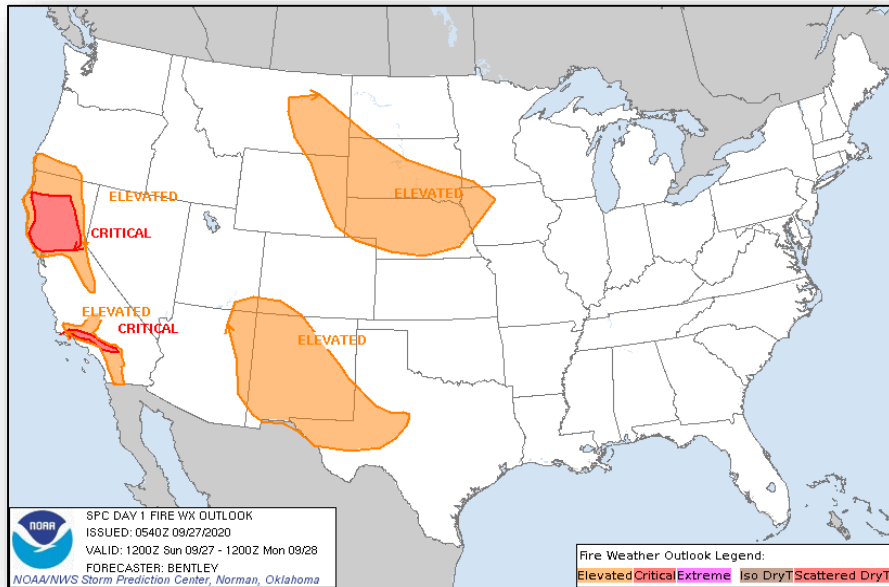
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# Severe Weather Outlook

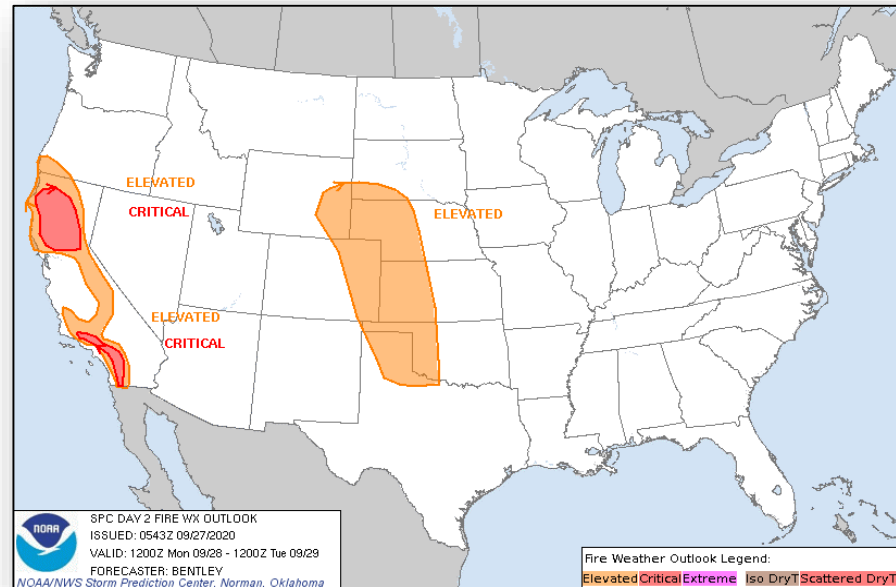




# Fire Weather Outlook

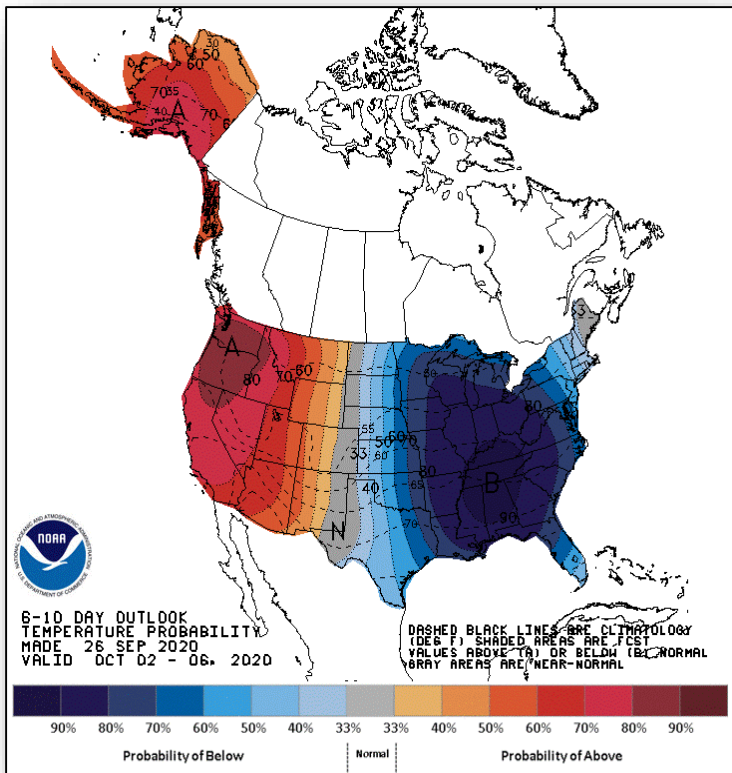


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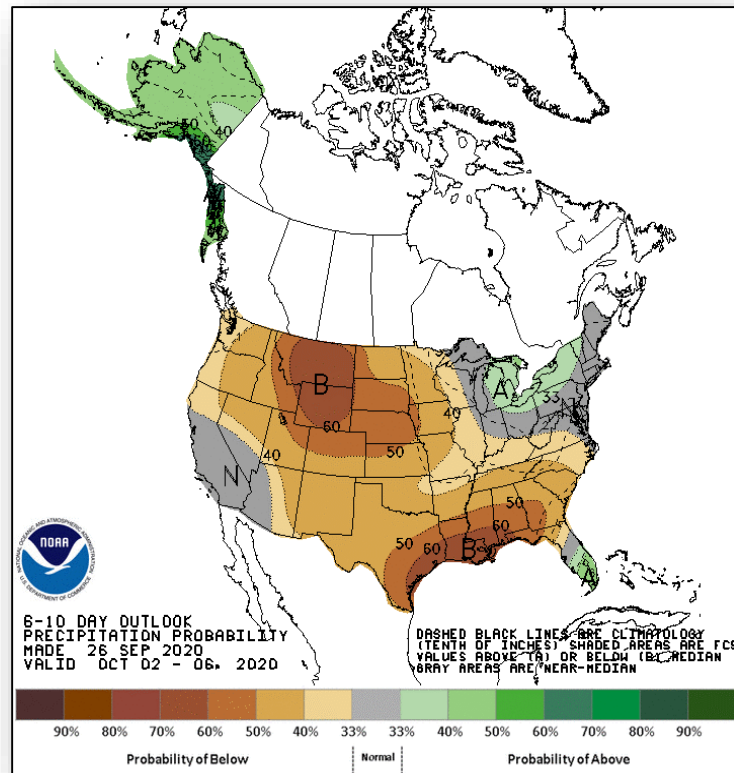


**Tomorrow**

# Long Range Outlooks – Oct 2-6



**6-10 Day Temperature Probability**



**6-10 Day Precipitation Probability**

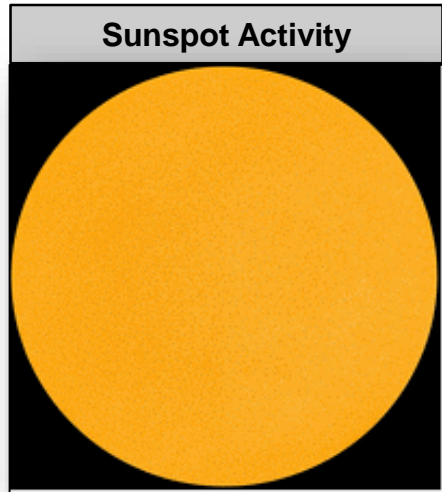
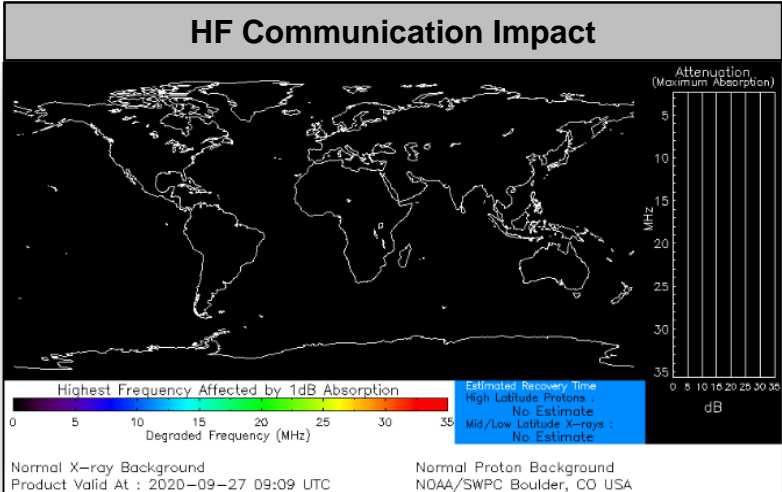
# Space Weather



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	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	None	G-1 Minor	None	None
Next 24 Hours	None	G-1 Minor	None	None

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>



# Wildfires – Western US



**Situation:** Of the over 7 million acres burned, the National Watch Center continues to track 12 active fires that have burned over 2 million acres from the West Coast to the Rocky Mountains. Mandatory evacuations continue throughout the impacted regions. Current U.S. Air Quality Index ranges from "Moderate" to Very Unhealthy" for Central California to northern Washington state. No reported unmet needs.

## FEMA Region VIII: FMAGs (1 - CO, 1 - WY)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 189,389 (+83,544)
- Homes / structures threatened: 3,881 (+300) / 0
- Homes / structures damaged: 0 / 0
- Homes / structures destroyed: 28 / 29
- Fatalities / Injuries: 0 / 18

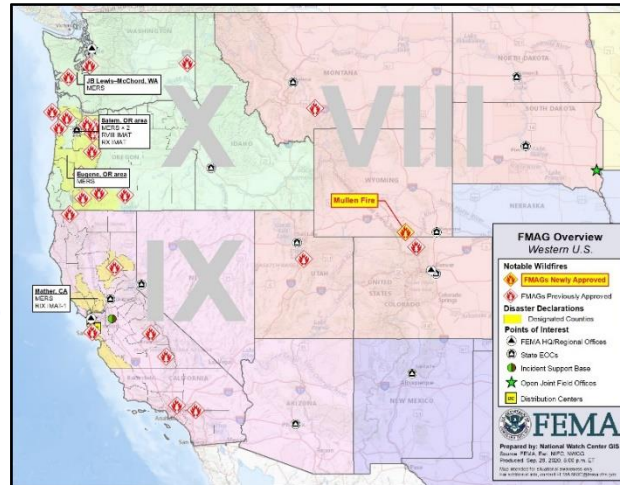
Evacuations: 7,574 (+1,300)

## FEMA Region IX: 6 FMAGs (CA)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 1,038,197 (+ 6,850)
- Homes / structures threatened: 22,572 (-1,487) / 186
- Homes / structures damaged: 146 / 165 (+58)
- Homes / structures destroyed: 2,526 (+79) / 1,496 (+79)
- Fatalities / Injuries: 18 / 69 (+1)
- Evacuations: 10,859 (-6,640)

## FEMA Region X: 6 FMAGs (OR)

- Acreage burned (FMAGs only): 839,843 (-100)
- Homes / structures threatened: 12,835 (-1,332) / 109 (332)
- Home / structures damaged: 155 / 166 (+1)
- Homes / structures destroyed: 1,348 / 1,275
- Fatalities / Injuries: 7 / 30 (+2)
- Evacuations: 4,098 (-1,077)



## State Response

- CA, OR, & WA EOCs at Full Activation (COVID-19 & Wildfires)

## Federal Response

- Declarations approved – 2 DRs
- Declarations requested – 1 DR
- Region IX RWC monitoring
  - IMAT deployed to CA EOC (Wildfires)
- Region X RRCC at Level III (Wildfires & COVID-19)
  - IMAT deployed to OR EOC
  - ESF-13 activated; 1 IMT (Eugene) and 2 QRTs deployed to OR (Medford & Eugene)
- Public Health Emergency declared in OR
- EPA conducting Rapid Needs Assessments for 2 counties in CA
- MERS: Mather, CA; Salem, OR (x 2); McKenzie River Outreach Site, OR; Joint Base Lewis–McChord, WA

# Wildfire Summary – CA



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Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
<b>California (6)</b>								
Creek (Fresno and Madera, CA)	5348-FM-CA	292,830 (+1,404)	39%	M: 3,437 (-644)	H: 4,576	H: 44	H: 566	0 / 21
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 27	O: 289	
El Dorado (San Bernardino, CA) - FINAL	5350-FM-CA	22,666 (+50)	92% (+9)	M: 0 (-3,467)	H: 225	H: 4	H: 5	1 / 13
				V: 0	O: 27	O: 0	O: 15	
Slater (Siskiyou, CA)	5361-FM-CA	153,850	32% (+5)	M: 200	H: 1,698 (-512)	H: 10	H: 202	2 / 3
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 1	O: 238	
North Complex (Includes Bear Fire) (Butte, Plumas, and Yuba, CA)	5363-FM-CA (Bear Fire)	304,881 (+262)	78%	M: 2,260	H: 10,000	H: 50 (-2)	H: 1,508 (+51)	15 / 11 (+1)
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 68 (+8)	O: 814 (+63)	
SQF Complex (Tulare, CA)	5373-FM-CA	149,888 (+5,038)	44% (+5)	M: 962 (-2,529)	H: 0 (-1,075)	H: 10	H: 173 (+12)	0 / 15
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 2	O: 59 (+6)	
Bobcat (Los Angeles, CA)	5374-FM-CA	114,082 (+96)	63% (+8)	M: 4,000	H: 6,076	H: 28 (+2)	H: 72 (+16)	0 / 6
				V: 0	O: 159	O: 19 (+2)	O: 81 (+10)	

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

# Wildfire Summary – OR



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Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
<b>Oregon (5)</b>								
*Beachie Creek/Lionshead Complex (Marion, Clackamas, Linn, and Jefferson, OR)	5356-FM-OR	397,178 (+90)	55% (+3) / 28%	M: 2,942	H: 9,437	H: 120	H: 750	5 / 16 (+1)
				V: 0	O: 109	O: 110 (+1)	O: 853	
Holiday Farm (Lane, OR) - FINAL	5357-FM-OR	173,094	50% (+15)	M: 0	H: 0 (-1,332)	H: 25	H: 431	1 / 6
				V: 0	O: 0 (-332)	O: 40	O: 337	
Archie Creek (Douglas, OR) - FINAL	5365-FM-OR	131,542 (-100)	67% (+8)	M: 0 (-1,077)	H: 471	H: 0	H: 111	1 / 5 (+1)
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 7	O: 2	
Riverside (Clackamas, OR)	5366-FM-OR	138,029	34%	M: 1,156	H: 2,927	H: 10	H: 56	0 / 3
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 9	O: 83	
*Slater (Josephine, OR)	5369-FM-OR	Unknown	0%	*Note: Burning along the border of OR & CA – See under CA for fire details				

\* All numbers combined for this complex fire except for the containment percentage

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# Wildfire Summary – Region VIII



Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
<b>Colorado (1)</b>								
Cameron Peak (Larimer, CO)	5349-FM-CO	120,251 (+14,406)	25% (-2)	M: 3,772	H: 3,581	H: 0	H: 28	0 / 18
				V: 2,502	O: 0	O: 0	O: 29	
<b>Wyoming (1)</b>								
Mullen (Carbon/Albany, WY)	XXXX-FM-WY	69,138	2%	M: 1,300	H: 300	H: 0	H: 0	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 0	O: 0	O: 0	

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# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA	Number of Counties		Start – End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	CT	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4	IA	8	8	8/27 – 9/16
			PA	8	7 (+2)	8/27 – TBD
II	NY	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	8	3	8/25 – TBD
	PR	Thunderstorms Sep 13	IA	1	0	9/28 - TBD
			PA	0	0	TBD - TBD
III	DE	Tornado Aug 7	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	1	0	8/29 – TBD
	MD	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4-5	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	3	2	8/21 – TBD
	PA	Tropical Storm Isaias Aug 4-5	IA	9	2	8/26 – TBD
			PA	11	0	8/26 – TBD
VI	TX	Hurricane Hanna Jul 25 and continuing	IA	6	6	7/29 – 8/20
			PA	6	0	7/29 – TBD
		Hurricane Laura Aug 23 and continuing	IA	8 (+7)	0	9/15 – TBD
			PA	10	0	9/2 – TBD
VIII	UT	High Winds Sep 8-9	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	4	0	9/14 – 10/2
X	WA & CTRC*	Multiple Wildfires Sep 7 and continuing	IA	1	1	9/11 – 9/15
			PA	13	0	9/28 – TBD

\* Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation



# Declaration Requests in Process – 7



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State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
Poarch Band of Creek Indians – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	X		5/15
DE – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR	X	X	X	8/31
ND – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	8/31
NY – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		X	X	9/3
MD – Tropical Storm Isaias	DR		X	X	9/3
WA – Wildfires and Straight-Line Winds	DR	X	X	X	9/16
NC – Hurricane Isaias	DR		X	X	9/23

# FEMA Common Operating Picture



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<b>NWC</b>	<b>NRCC</b>
Monitoring	Level III

FEMA REGIONS		
WATCH		RRCC
Monitoring	I	Level III
Monitoring	II	Level III
Monitoring	III	Level III
Monitoring	IV	Rostered
Monitoring	V	Level III
Monitoring	VI	Level III
Alt. Location	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Level III

**Notes:**

NRCC/RRCCs: COVID-19

All state EOCs (except IL & SD) activated for COVID-19

CA, OR, WA: Wildfires  
IA: Derecho  
FL, AL: TC Sally  
LA: TC Laura & Beta  
UT: Flooding  
KY: Civil Unrest  
PR: Earthquake

**Major Disasters (DR): 113**  
**Emergency Disasters (EM): 108**  
**JFOs: 10 / VJFOs: 18**  
**Staging Area**

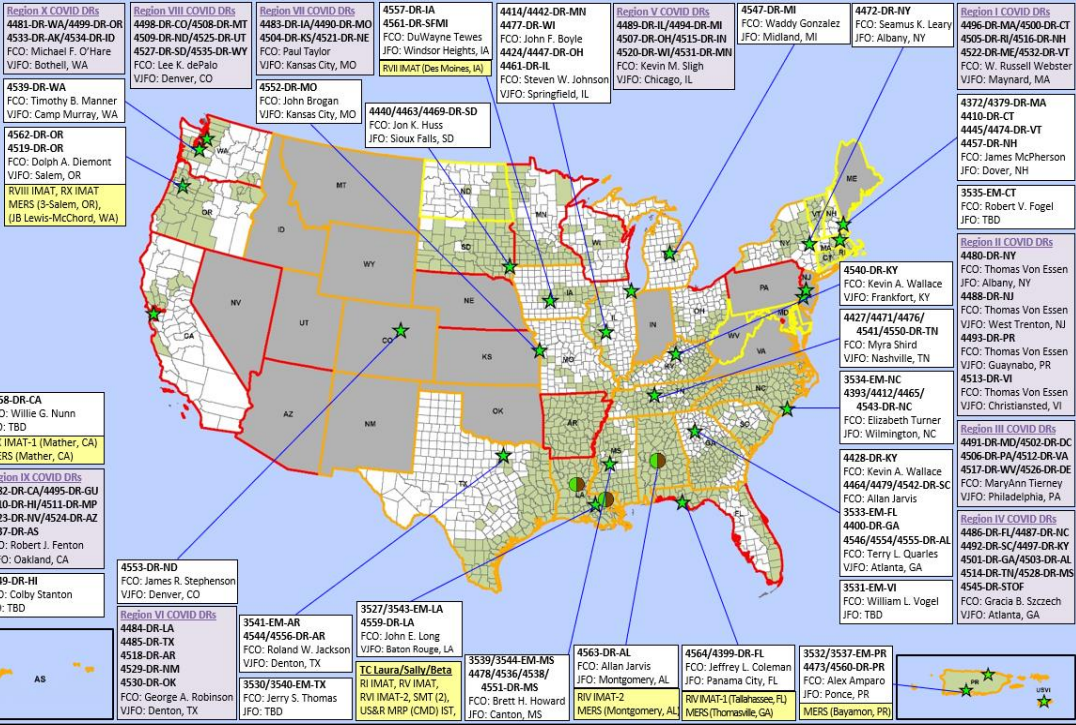
**Declared County (non-COVID-19 Declarations)**

**Fully Activated**

**Partially Activated**

**Monitoring**

As of 8:00 a.m. ET September 27, 2020  
Created by FEMA NWC



N-IMATs	
2-3 Team	
Red	Reconstituting
Blue	
Gold	

R-IMATs	
4-6 Teams	
I	LA
II	
III	
IV-1	FL
IV-2	AL
V	LA
VI-1	LA
VI-2	LA
VII	IA
VIII	OR
IX-1	CA
IX-2	
X	OR
FMC	PMC
NMC	Deployed

Team:	US&R	MERS	FCOs	FDRCs	IM WORKFORCE
Status	33-65%	> 66%	≤1 Type I	=2	
Assigned:	28	36	45	10	13,943 <span style="color:blue">Ⓝ</span>
Unavailable:	10	0	0	0	3,297 <span style="color:red">▼</span>
Deployed:	0	4	40	8	6,769 <span style="color:red">▼</span>
Available:	18	32	5	2	3,877/ 28% <span style="color:green">▲</span>

IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY	
Cadres with 25% or Less Availability	
CVR 20% (16/82); DI 25% (17/67); EA 18% (85/465); EHP 22% (143/657); FL 14% (22/156); HM 22% (277/1,242); LOG 20% (267/1,340); OPS 10% (32/326); PA 19% (594/3,129); PLAN 23% (107/456); SAF 7% (4/55); SEC 25% (31/124)	



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