

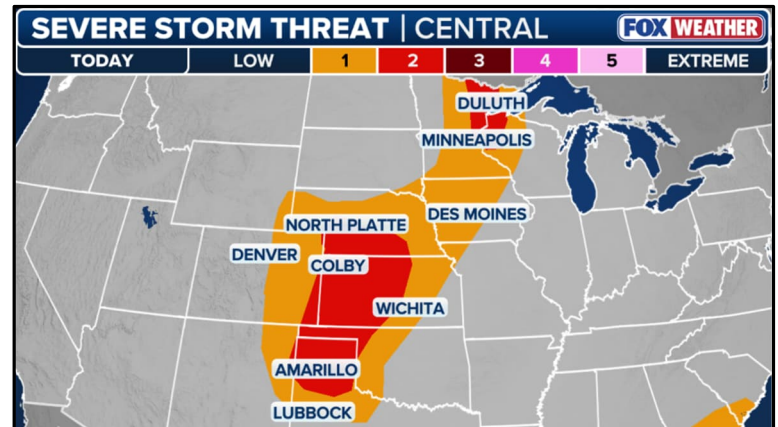
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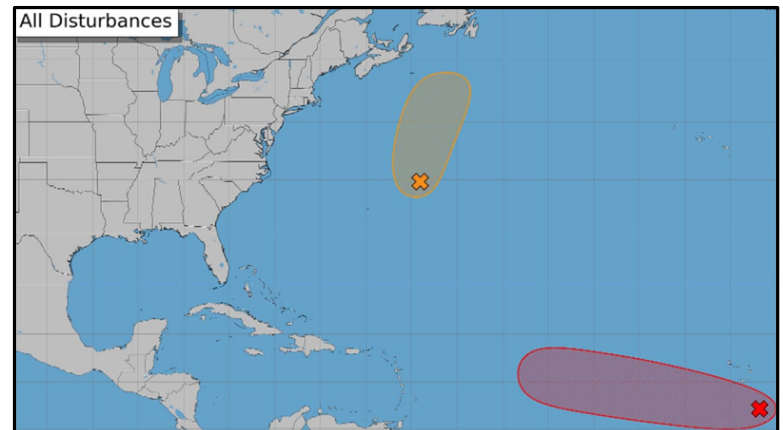
Severe Weather Threat Central U.S.

- Severe weather and heavy rain are expected to develop across the Plains this week, bringing the threat of damaging winds, large hail and flooding.
- The threat begins Tuesday across the Northern Plains, where afternoon thunderstorms are expected to develop from the Dakotas through Nebraska and into parts of the Rockies.
- Organized storms capable of producing damaging wind gusts and large hail are expected.
- This prompted the NOAA Storm Prediction Center to issue a Level 2 out of 5 severe storm threat, with the main focus in western Nebraska.
- By midweek, storms will shift south into the central Plains and Rockies, with thunderstorms reforming across Kansas, eastern Oklahoma and eastern Colorado.
- Most of the activity is expected to remain scattered, but stronger storms could produce damaging winds and large hail.



Tropical Activity – Atlantic Disturbance 1

- Located a few hundred miles ENE of Bermuda.
- Moving northward to north northeastward at 15 to 20 mph.
- This system could become a short-lived tropical depression or storm later today before ending its changes for development.
- Formation chance – 48-hour: Medium (40%); 7-day: Medium (40%)



Disturbance 2

- An area of low pressure centered a few hundred miles south-southeast of the Cabo Verde Islands.
- This system is likely to become a tropical depression during the next day or two.
- Moving westward to WNW across the eastern and central tropical Atlantic.
- Formation chance – 48-hour: High (70%); 7-day: High (70%)

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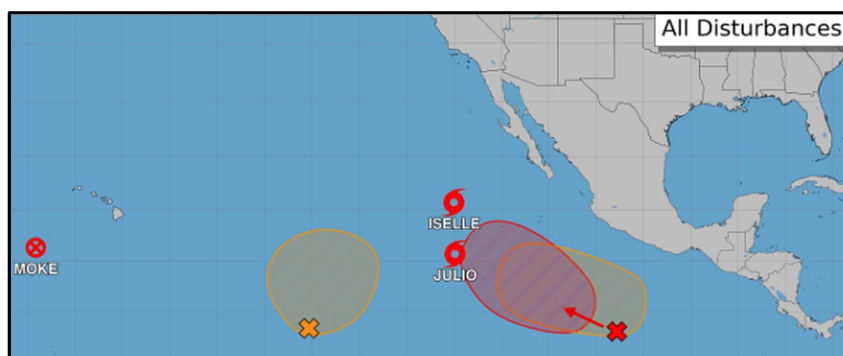
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Tropical Activity – Eastern & Central Pacific

Remnants of Moke

- Located 360 miles east of Johnston Island.
- The remnants are moving toward the west near 14 mph, and this motion is expected to continue today.
- Not expected to affect US interests.



Tropical Storm Iselle

- Located 660 mi west of the southern tip of Baja California moving NW near 15 mph.
- Gradual weakening is expected over the next few days, and Iselle is forecast to become a post-tropical remnant low by early Friday.
- Not expected to affect US interests.

Tropical Storm Julio

- Located about 815 miles SW of the southern tip of Baja California.
- Slight strengthening is forecast today before Julio becomes absorbed by Tropical Storm Iselle tonight.
- Not expected to affect US interests.

Disturbance 1

- Located well to the south of southern Mexico moving WNW at 10-15 mph.
- Conditions appear favorable for development of this system and a tropical depression is expected to form in a few days.
- Formation chance – 48-hour: Low (30%); 7-day: High (90%)

Disturbance 2

- Located well to the ESE of the Hawaiian Islands.
- A tropical depression is expected to form by the end of the week.
- Formation chance – 48 hours: Low (30%); 7 days: Med (60%)

Disturbance 3

- Located well offshore of Central America.
- A tropical depression could form late this week or early next week.
- Formation chance – 48 hours: Low (near 0%); 7 days: Med (40%)

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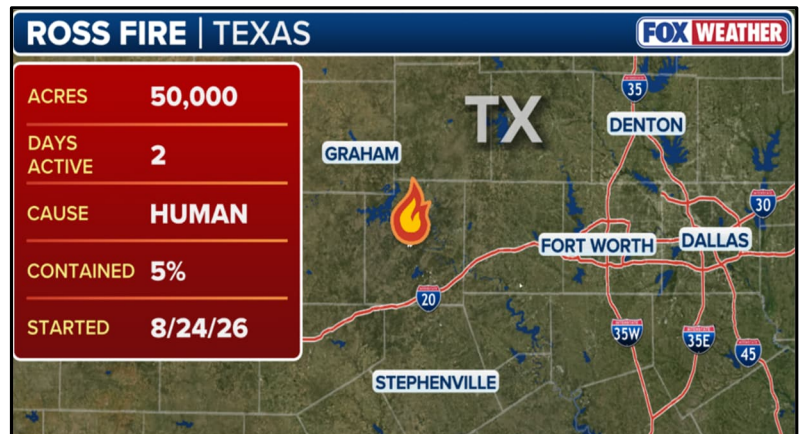
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Wildfire Activity

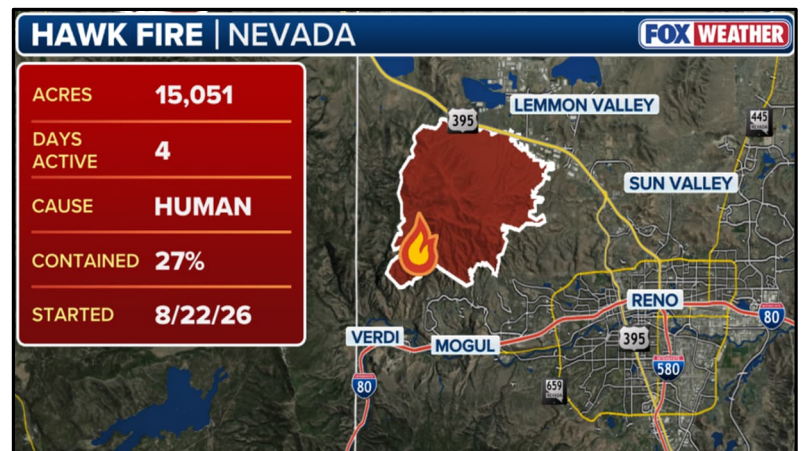
Texas – Ross Fire

- Fueled by extreme dry conditions, the rapidly spreading Ross Fire has exploded to 50,000 acres across Palo Pinto and Jack counties, forcing widespread local evacuations.
- The grass fire began Monday afternoon near Highway 180 and Ross Watson Road, with the Texas A&M Forest Service warning that the blaze has "large growth potential."
- The fast-moving fire forced the closure of a section of U.S. Highway 180 before pushing rapidly northward toward the Jack County line.
- Residents in southern Jack County, specifically those living near and east of Bartons Chapel, have been ordered to evacuate immediately.
- An evacuation center has been opened in Jacksboro at the Twin Lakes Recreation Center on HWY 59.
- The fire remains at 5% containment as of Tuesday morning, driven by extreme fire behavior.
- Approximately 77% of the Lone Star State is experiencing some level of drought conditions, marking a 20-percentage point increase from last week.



Nevada – Hawk Fire

- The rapidly growing Hawk Fire has burned more than 15,000 acres near Reno, forcing widespread evacuations and a state of emergency, with tens of thousands of residents being asked or ordered to leave their homes.
- On Monday, containment reached 27%, allowing officials to lift some evacuation orders. However, approximately 23,000 people remain under mandatory "go now" evacuation orders, while another 40,000 residents are under "get set" evacuation warnings.
- Thousands of residents are still without power, and authorities are working to determine how many structures have already been lost.
- The fire ignited Saturday off the Hawk Meadow Trail near Somerset and has been fueled by strong winds, low humidity and dry vegetation.



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- Fire officials said at least 32 homes have been destroyed, and six other homes have been damaged due to the Hawk Fire.
- Nevada Gov. Joe Lombardo declared a state of emergency in Washoe County as the blaze threatens communities.

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
CO	Aspen Acres Fire June 19-TBD	2	0	7/28 - TBD
WA	Spokane Complex of Wildfires Aug 1 and continuing	2	0	8/21 - TBD
OH	Severe Weather Aug 11 and continuing	18	0	8/24 - TBD
HI	Hurricane Lala Aug 14-16	3	0	8/27 - TBD

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Requests

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
KY*	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides June 17-30	7/23/26	Pending	14 Counties
TX*	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds, Tornadoes and Flooding July 12 and continuing	7/24/26	Pending	30 Counties
IN*	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds, Tornadoes and Flooding Jun 6-26	8/6/26	Pending	9 Counties
GU*	Super Typhoon Bavi Jul 2-12	8/11/26	Pending	Territory-wide
IN*	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding Aug 11 and continuing	8/20/26	Pending	54 Counties
MN	Severe Storms and Flooding Jul 2-8	8/20/26	Pending	3 Counties

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CO	Wildfires Jun 29 and continuing	8/23/26	Pending	2 Counties

*Award of task order to contractor pending

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4899 - MS	Severe Winter Storm	36 Counties	129	6/10/2026
4922 - MS	Severe Storm & Tornadoes	5 Counties	49	8/31/2026
4927 - LA	Tropical Storm Arthur	6 Parishes	46	10/1/2026
4930 - MS	Tropical Storm Arthur	4 Counties	19	10/3/2026

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