



Severe Weather & **Heavy Rain Today & Tonight**

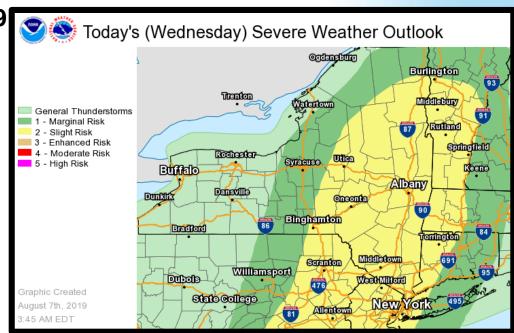
Decision Support Briefing #1

As of: Wednesday, August 7, 2019



What Has Changed?

- ✓ SPC has placed the entire area in a Slight Risk for severe thunderstorms
- ✓ WPC has placed eastern NY and western New England in a Marginal to Slight Risk in the Excessive Rainfall graphic













Main Points

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	Hazard	Impacts	Location	Timing
	Wind	Downed trees and powerlines, and isolated structural damage associated with the strongest storms	All of eastern New York and western New England	This afternoon and early this evening
	Lightning	Deadly cloud-to-ground lighting is expected	All of eastern New York and western New England	This afternoon and early this evening
	Flooding	Isolated Flash Flooding will be possible, especially where storms repeatedly move across a given area	All of eastern New York and western New England	This afternoon into tonight
	Hail	1" diameter or greater hail may result in damage to agriculture, windows. and roofs	All of eastern NY and western New England	This afternoon into tonight
	Tornado	Destruction or damage to homes, trees and vehicles	All of eastern NY and western New England	This afternoon into early tonight





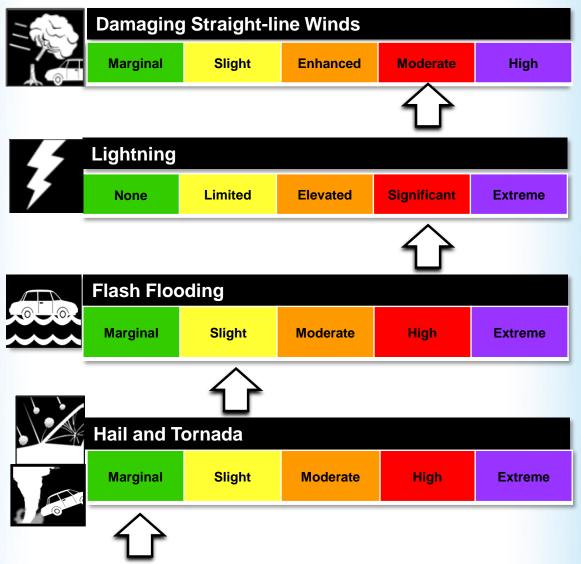








Local Summary of Greatest Impacts













Impacts:

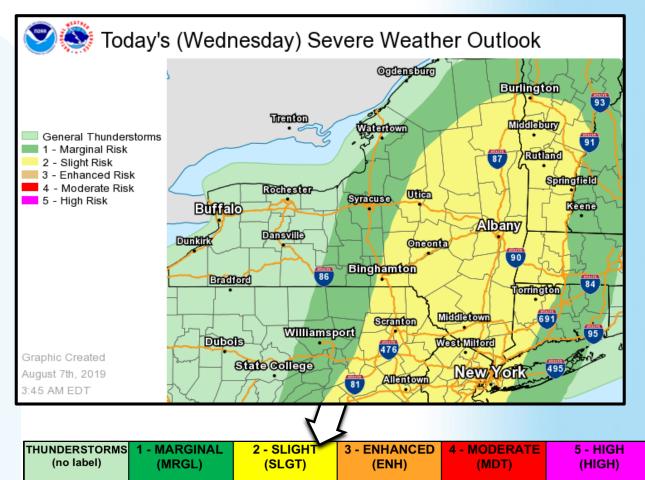
Main threat: Damaging straightline winds

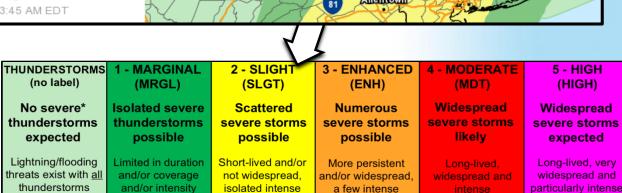
Timing:

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Locations:

Eastern NY and western New England





storms possible













Today's Excessive Rainfall Outlook

Impacts:

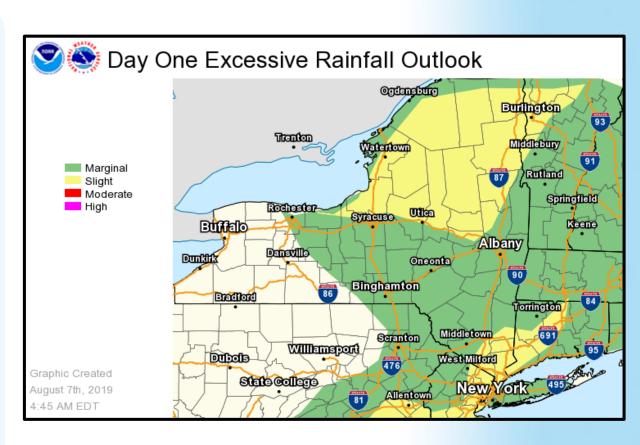
Locally heavy rainfall leading to isolated flash flooding

Timing:

This afternoon into tonight

Location:

All of eastern New York and adjacent western New England







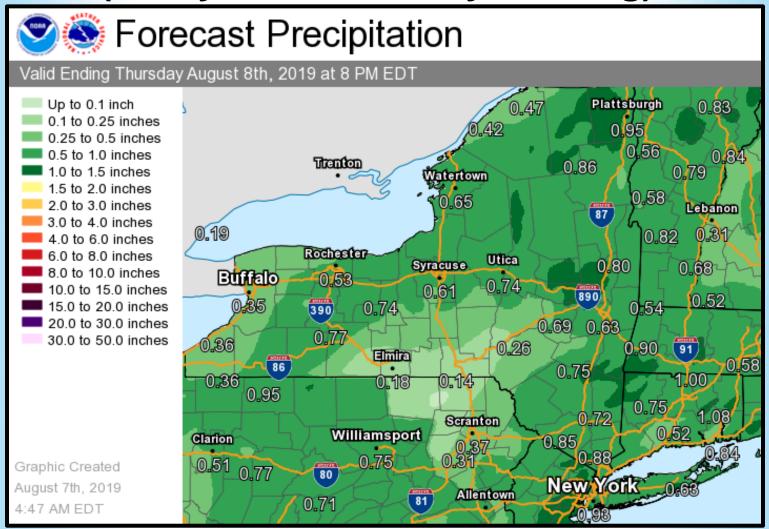








Storm Total Precipitation (Today until Thursday Evening)













Event Summary

Severe Thunderstorms and Heavy Rain possible This afternoon into tonight

Confidence is moderate in terms of timing, location, and severity



There is a slight risk of severe weather across eastern New York and western New England for this afternoon and evening. The main threat is damaging winds. Frequent cloud to ground lightning is also possible.



Hail and even an isolated tornado are also possible.



Thunderstorms may contain locally heavy rainfall, which may produce isolated flash flooding, especially where multiple thunderstorms occur and repeatedly move over the same areas.











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