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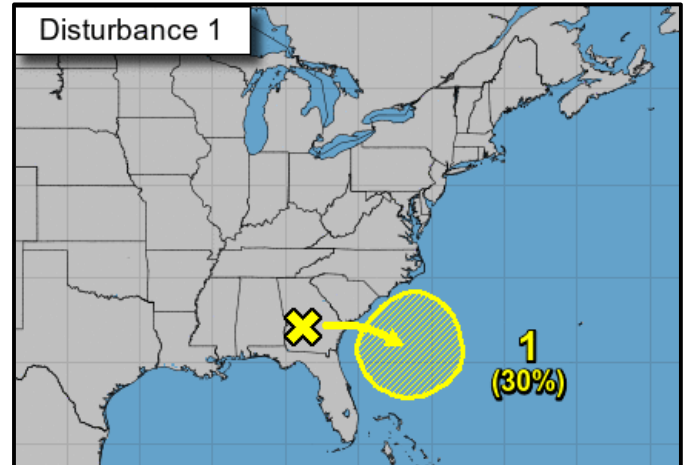
WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

July 22, 2021

Tropical Activity

Atlantic – Disturbance 1

- A broad trough of low pressure located over southern Georgia is expected to move off of the southeastern United States coastline by Friday.
- Environmental conditions are expected to be marginally conducive for some gradual development over the weekend and into early next week while the system drifts slowly offshore of coastal North and South Carolina.
- 48-hour formation chance: Low (10%)
- 5-day formation chance: Low (30%)



Wildfire Activity

Oregon – Bootleg Fire

- Oregon's Bootleg wildfire, currently the largest active blaze in the US, has scorched over 390,000 acres in the US state's Lake and Klamath counties with 32 percent containment, officials said.
- The blaze, which erupted on July 6 due to lightning, has burnt a total of 394,407 acres after merging with the nearby Log Fire.
- "It's shaping up to be another difficult wildfire season. And unfortunately, we're responding to new fires as we continue to recover from last year's devastating fire season," Oregon Governor Kate Brown said in a briefing.
- Brown, along with the state fire marshal and director of emergency management, briefed the public on Oregon's response to a "historic" start to wildfire season, citing drought emergencies in 19 counties so far with more expected.
- "It's mid-July and already nearly 450,000 acres (about 1,821 square km) have burned across the state," Brown said.
- Bootleg is one of more than 80 major fires raging across 13 US states, spurred by heatwaves and high winds, the BBC reported.
- Wildfires have already scorched more than 1.2 million acres of the country this year, mainly in western states, according to the National Interagency Fire Center.
- More than 4,000 blazes have been recorded by the organization so far in 2021, which is almost double last year's total.
- In California, five times as many acres have burned compared with the same period last year.

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WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4586 TX	Severe Ice Storm	129 Counties	150	5/20/2021
4595 KY	Severe Storms & Flooding	31 Counties	82	7/23/2021
4607 MI	Severe Storms & Flooding	2 Counties	2	9/13/2021

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