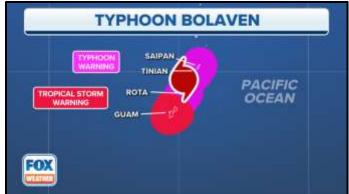
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Tropical Activity Typhoon Bolaven

- Typhoon Bolaven pummeled the U.S. territories of Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands Tuesday evening local time, lashing the islands with up to 65-80 mph winds, torrential rains and pounding surf.
- But the islands dodged a bullet as the Bolaven's eyewall managed to miss making any direct hits.



- The storm passed about 50 miles north of Guam Tuesday afternoon, where Tropical Storm Warnings remain in effect, with its center scraping just 20 miles north of the island of Rota.
- Typhoon Warnings remain posted for Rota, Tinian and Saipan in the Northern Mariana Islands as the storm slowly pulls away from the islands Tuesday night.
- At 7 pm, Bolaven was located 35 miles north of Rota and 35 miles south of Tinian with maximum sustained winds at 80 mph.
- Bolaven is forecast to intensify, possibly rapidly, to a category 3 or 4 typhoon sometime Wednesday night or Thursday morning.

Eastern Atlantic – AL92

- A broad area of low pressure located several hundred miles southwest of the Cabo Verde Islands continues to produce a large area of showers and thunderstorms. Environmental conditions appear conducive for gradual development, and a tropical depression is likely to form during the next couple of days while the system moves west-northwestward or northwestward across the eastern tropical Atlantic.
- Formation chance through 48 hours...high...70 percent.
- NUMBER OF STATE
- Formation chance through 7 days...high...80 percent.

Southwest Gulf of Mexico – AL93

- Showers and thunderstorms have increased some, but remain disorganized, in association with an area of low pressure over the southwestern Gulf of Mexico.
- While environmental conditions appear only marginally favorable, surface pressures have been falling near the system, and it has a short window to develop further over the next day or so.

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- However, by Wednesday morning the system is forecast to merge with a developing frontal system over the western Gulf of Mexico.
- An Air Force Reserve Reconnaissance aircraft is scheduled to investigate the system later today, if necessary.
- Regardless of tropical cyclone development, the system is forecast to produce gale-force winds over portions of the northern Gulf of Mexico by Wednesday, and potentially heavy rainfall along the Gulf Coast by the latter portion of this week.
- Formation chance through 48 hours...low...30 percent.
- Formation chance through 7 days...low...30 percent.

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments								
	Event	Number of Counties for IA						
State		Requested	Completed	Start-End				
PA	Flooding Sep 9-10	1	1	10/2-10/4				
MA	Flooding Sep 11-13	2	0	TBD				
IL	Flooding Aug 17	1	0	10/11-TBD				

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request							
State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties			
ОН	Train Derailment Feb 3-8, 2023	7/3/2023	Pending	1 County			
AR*	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds & Tornadoes June 25, 2023	8/23/2023	Pending	7 Counties			
WA	Wildfires	10/4/2023	Pending	1 County			

*Award of task order to contractor pending

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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			
4724 HI	Wildfires	1 County	57	11/9/2023			
4734 FL	Hurricane Idalia	16 Counties	39	10/30/2023			
4738 GA	Hurricane Idalia	5 Counties	30	11/6/2023			

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