

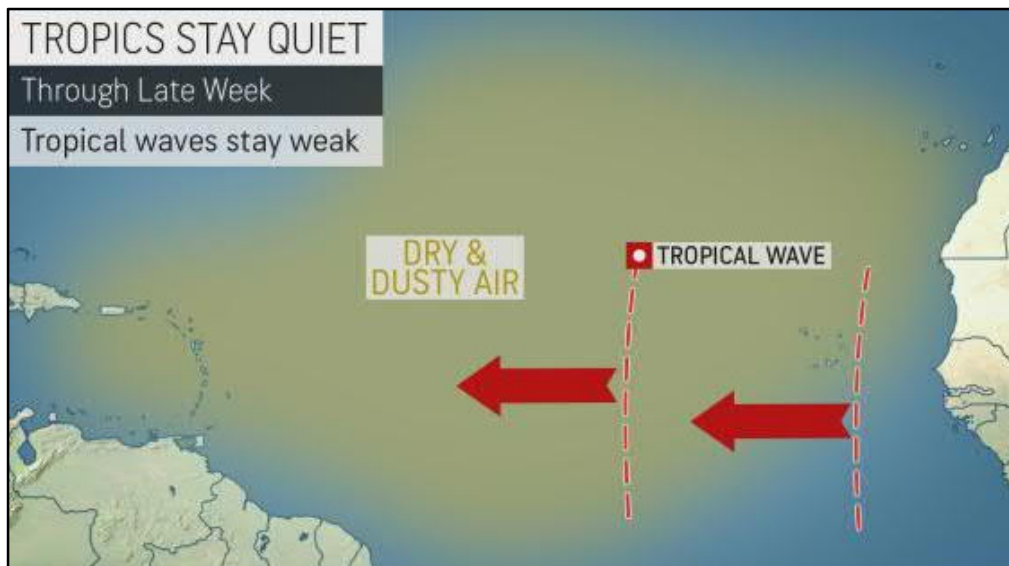
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Tracking the Tropics

- The African wave train continues through the middle of July, but most of the Atlantic is not conducive for tropical development at this time.
- Saharan dust, no doubt, has been our friend so far with the higher-than-normal activity moving off Africa. Dust doesn't completely stop tropical development, but it does help keep it at bay.
- The Caribbean not only has a high concentration of dust, but it is also being dominated by sinking air, which also helps to limit development.
- The sinking air expands into the Gulf of Mexico as well. This means we should keep things quiet in these areas a little while longer. Storms need air to rise to develop.
- During the last week of July, the Atlantic could become more conducive for development of these tropical waves off of Africa.
- Computer forecasts are hinting the Cabo Verde season starting about a week early.



WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4473 PR	Earthquake	33 Municipalities	175	7/2/2020
4547 MI	Severe Storms & Flooding	5 Counties	5	9/8/2020

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