MA Drought Management Task Force NWS Update

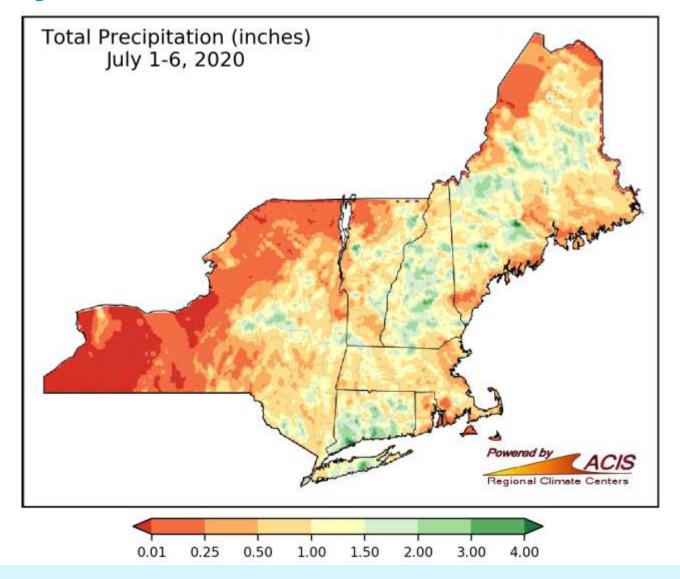
Nicole Belk

National Weather Service Boston/Norton MA
July 8th 2020





July 1-6 Month-to-Date Rainfall







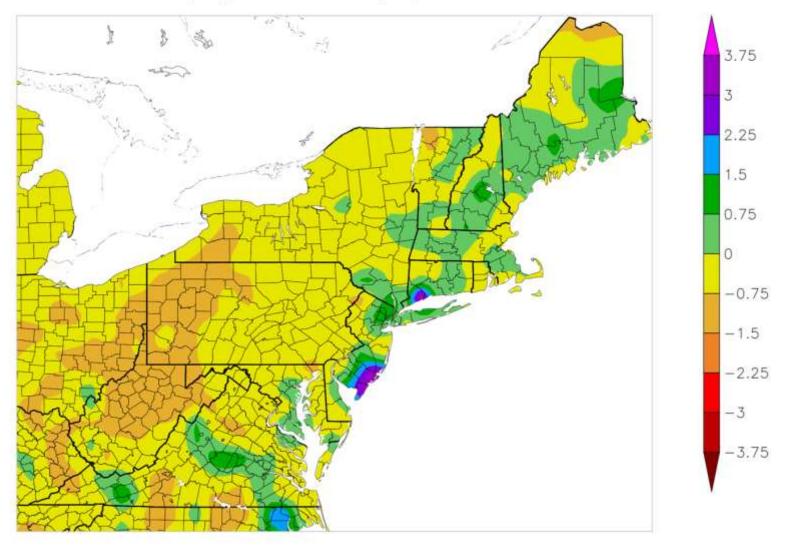
Some July MTD Specifics:

Location	July 1-6 Rainfall (inches)	Departure from Normal (in.)	July 1-6 Normal (in.)
Boston	0.18	-0.36	0.54
Lawrence	0.47	-0.22	0.69
Middleboro	2.15	+1.47	0.68
Chatham	0.49	+0.02	0.67
Worcester	0.53	-0.20	0.73
Amherst	1.31	+0.49	0.82
Greenfield	0.29	-0.55	0.84
Pittsfield	0.39	-0.29	0.68



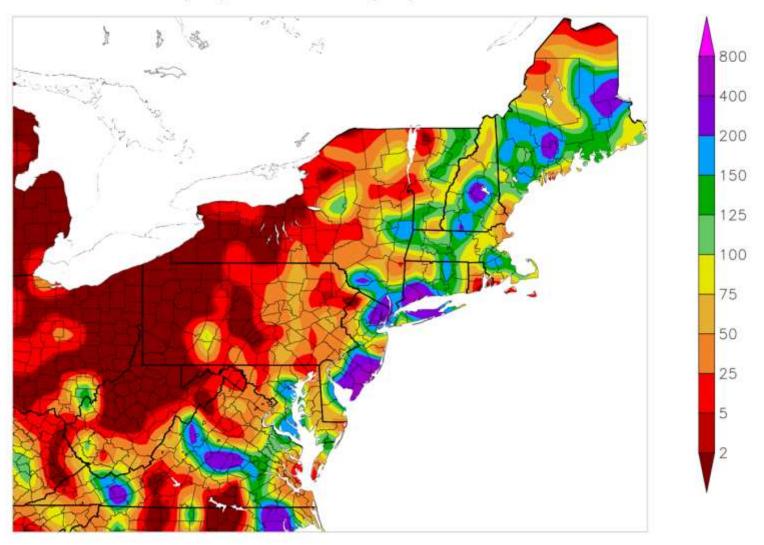


Departure from Normal Precipitation (in) 7/1/2020 - 7/6/2020



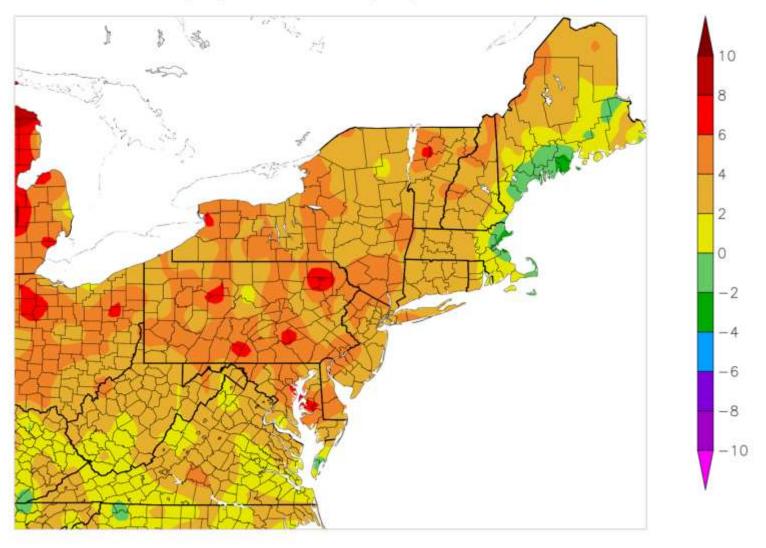


Percent of Normal Precipitation (%) 7/1/2020 - 7/6/2020





Departure from Normal Temperature (F) 7/1/2020 - 7/6/2020



Generated 7/7/2020 at HPRCC using provisional data.

NOAA Regional Climate Centers





Forecast for Boston

Wednesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Friday Saturday Thursday Night Night Night 30% 40% 60% 20% 30% 60% Slight Chance Heavy Rain Partly Cloudy Showers Showers Chance Chance T-storms then Mostly Showers Showers Likely Likely Cloudy High: 84 °F High: 86 °F Low: 70 °F High: 81 °F High: 81 °F Low: 70 °F Low: 69 °F

Normals: High temp: 81

Low temp: 65

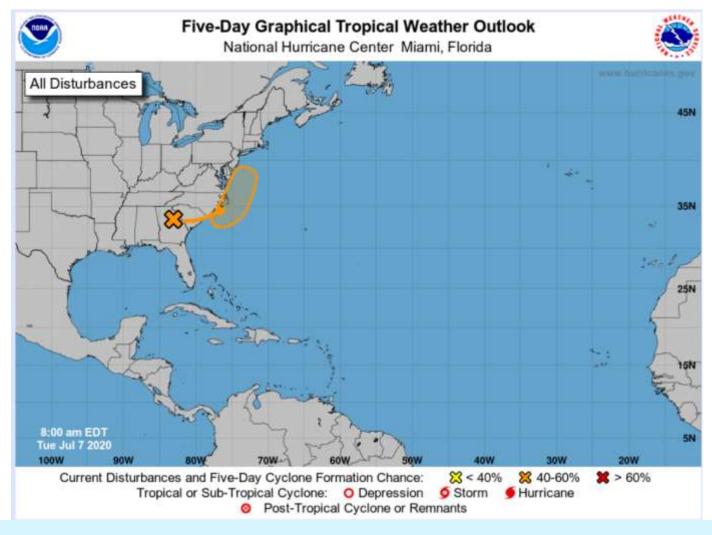
Forecast for Springfield







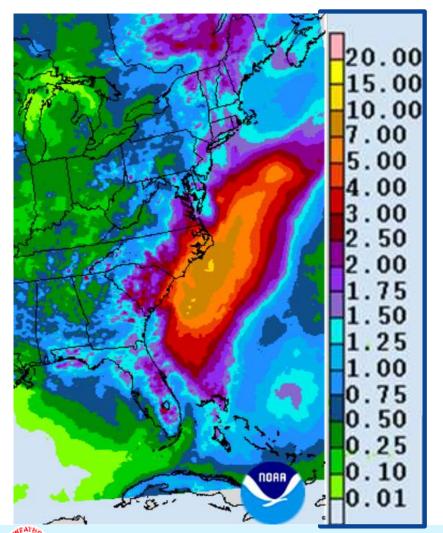
Something to Watch During the Next Few Days...

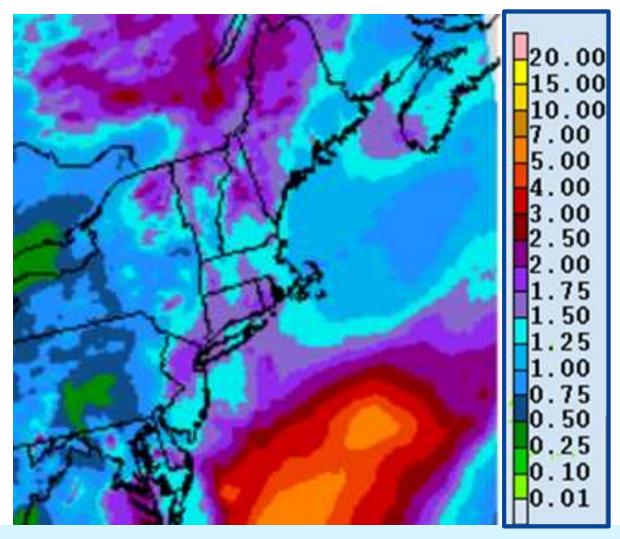






Rainfall Forecast through 8 am Tue Jul 14th Normal 1 week rainfall ~1" in July

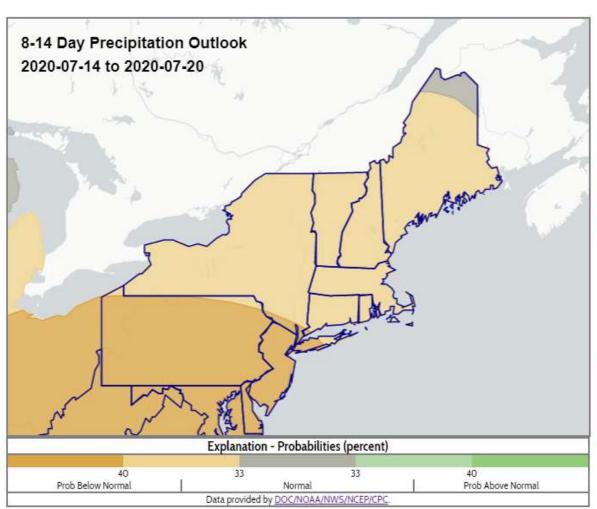


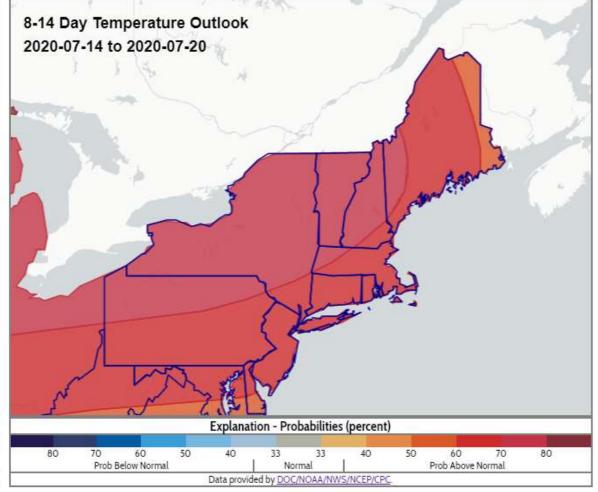






Outlook for July 14-20, 2020



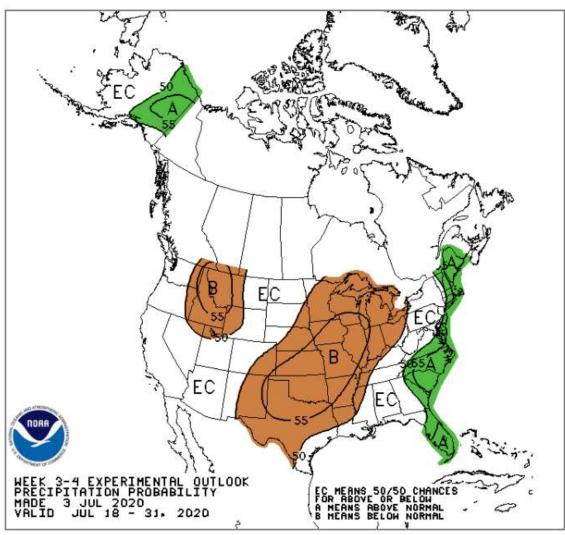


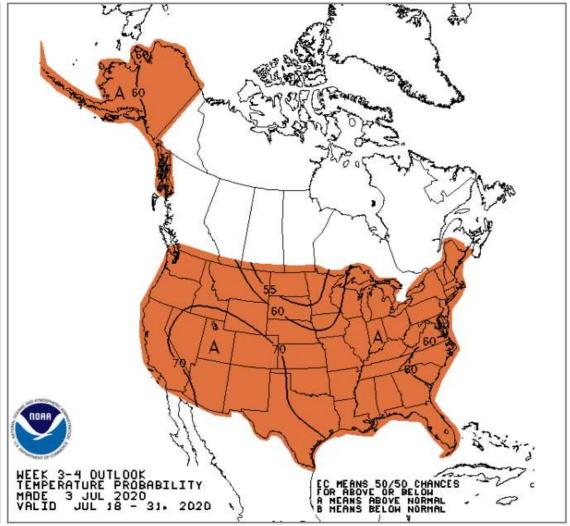




Week 3-4 Outlook*, July 18 to 31

*Outlook updated at 3 pm EDT Friday









3 Month Outlook- July/August/September

