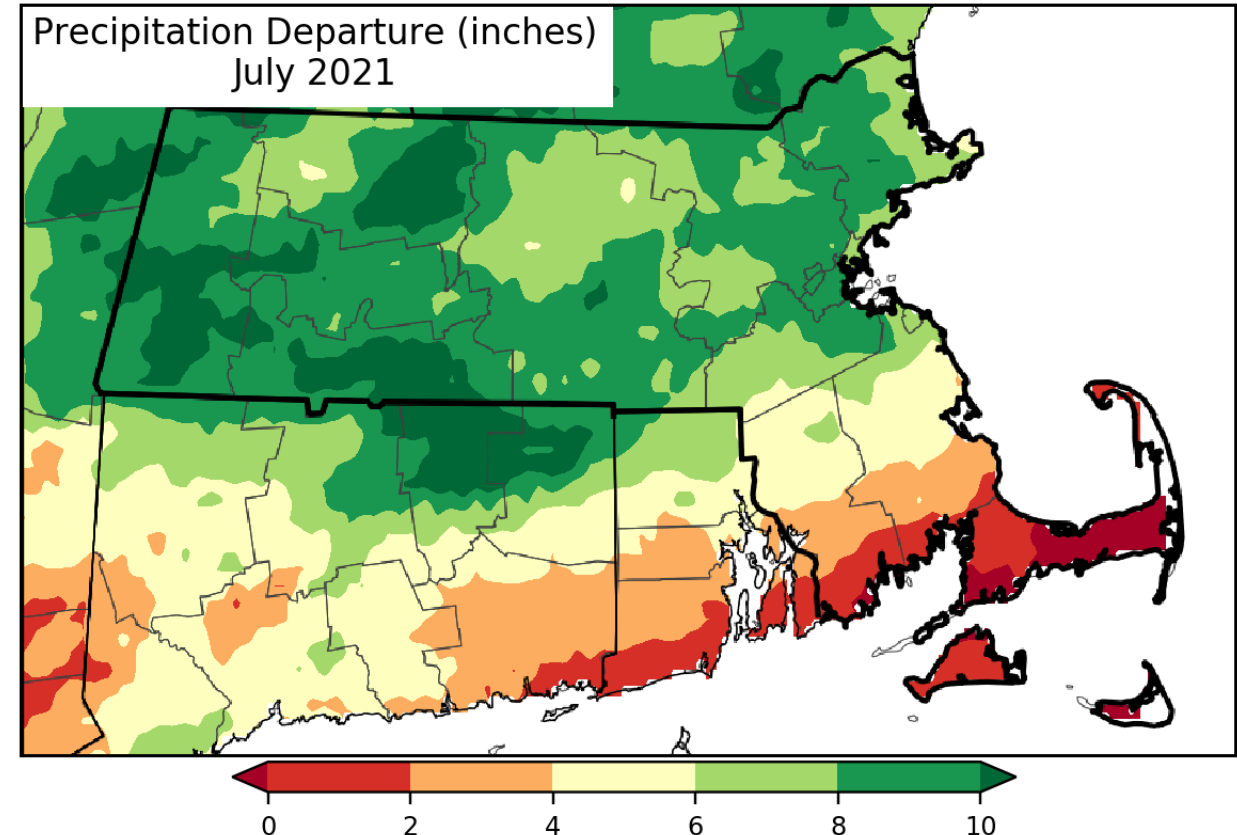
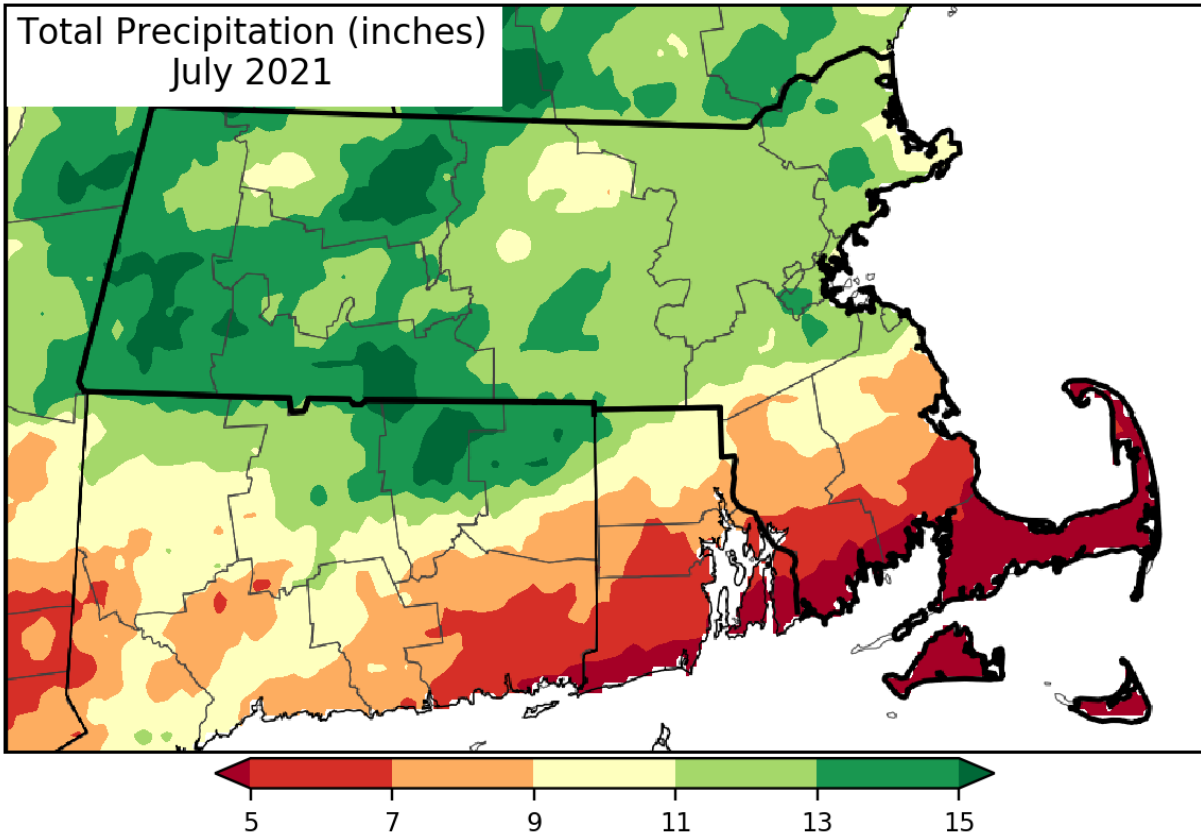


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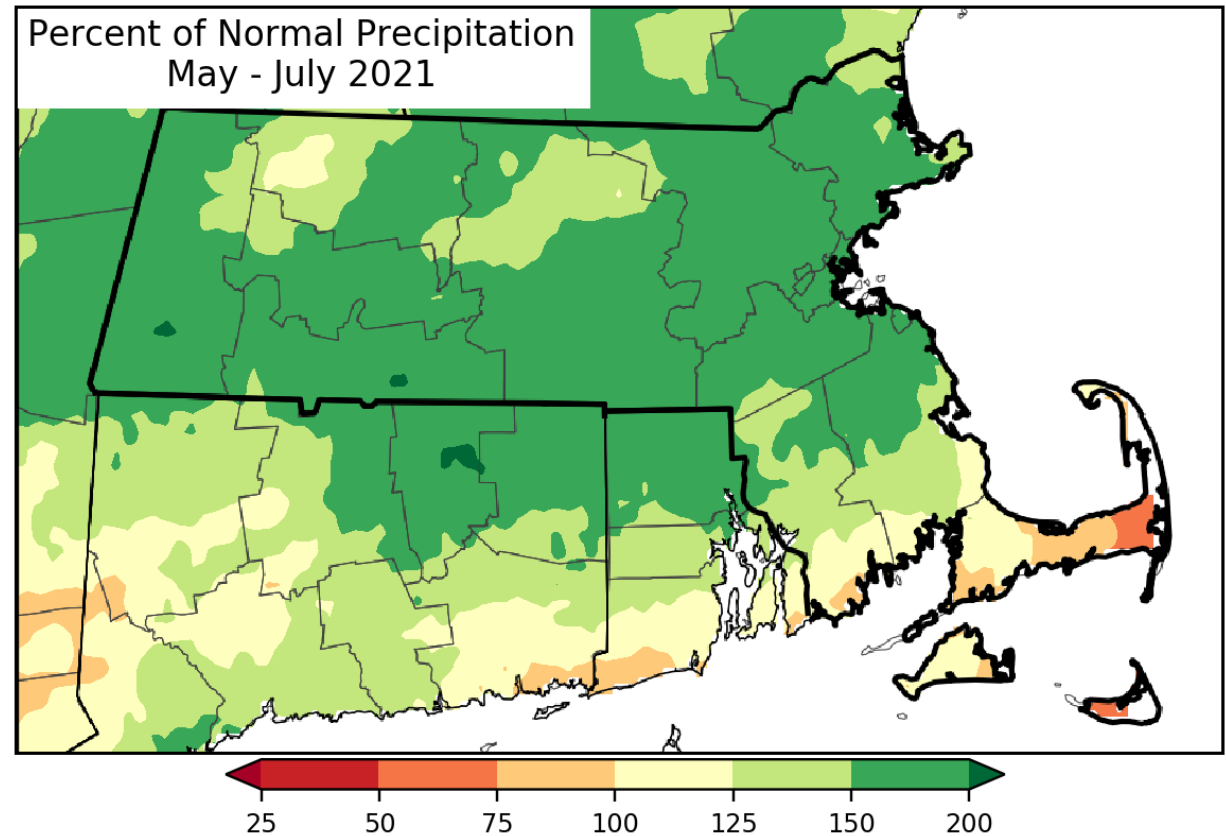
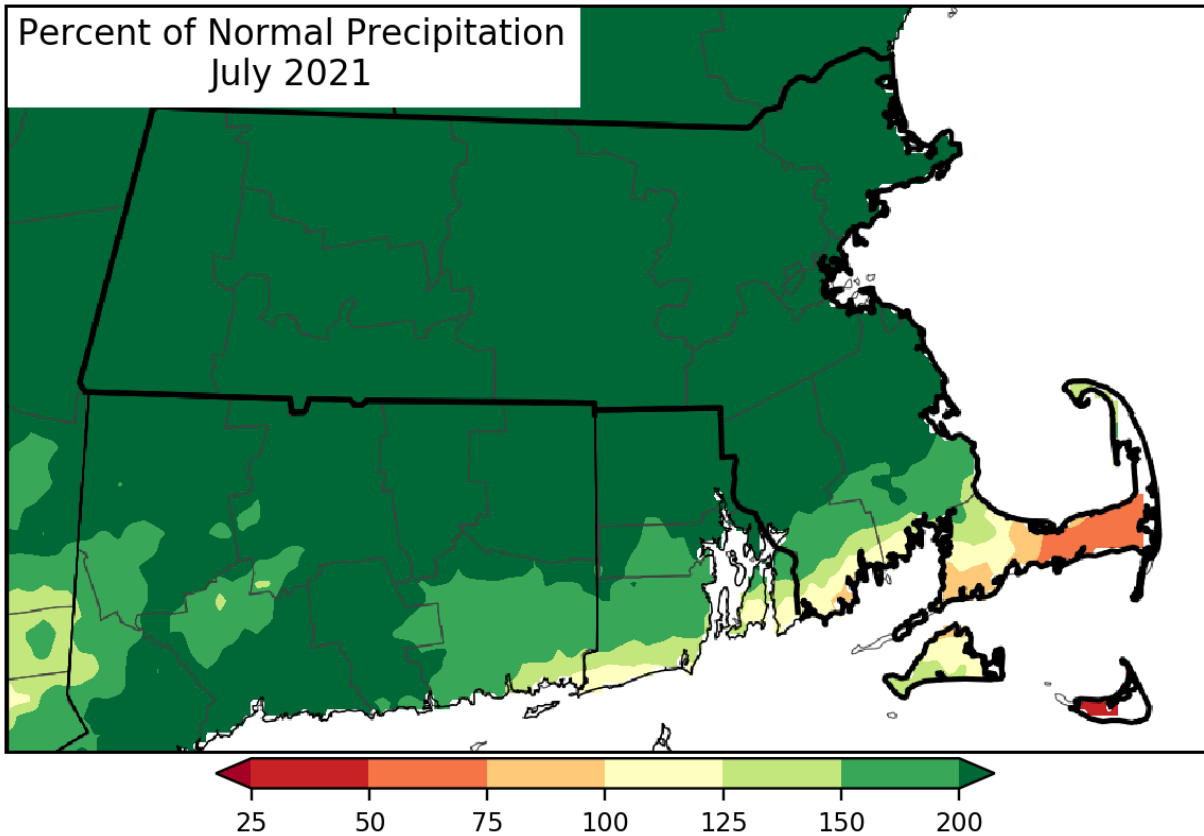
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August 5th 2021



July 2021 Precipitation



July 2021 and May-July Percent of Normal



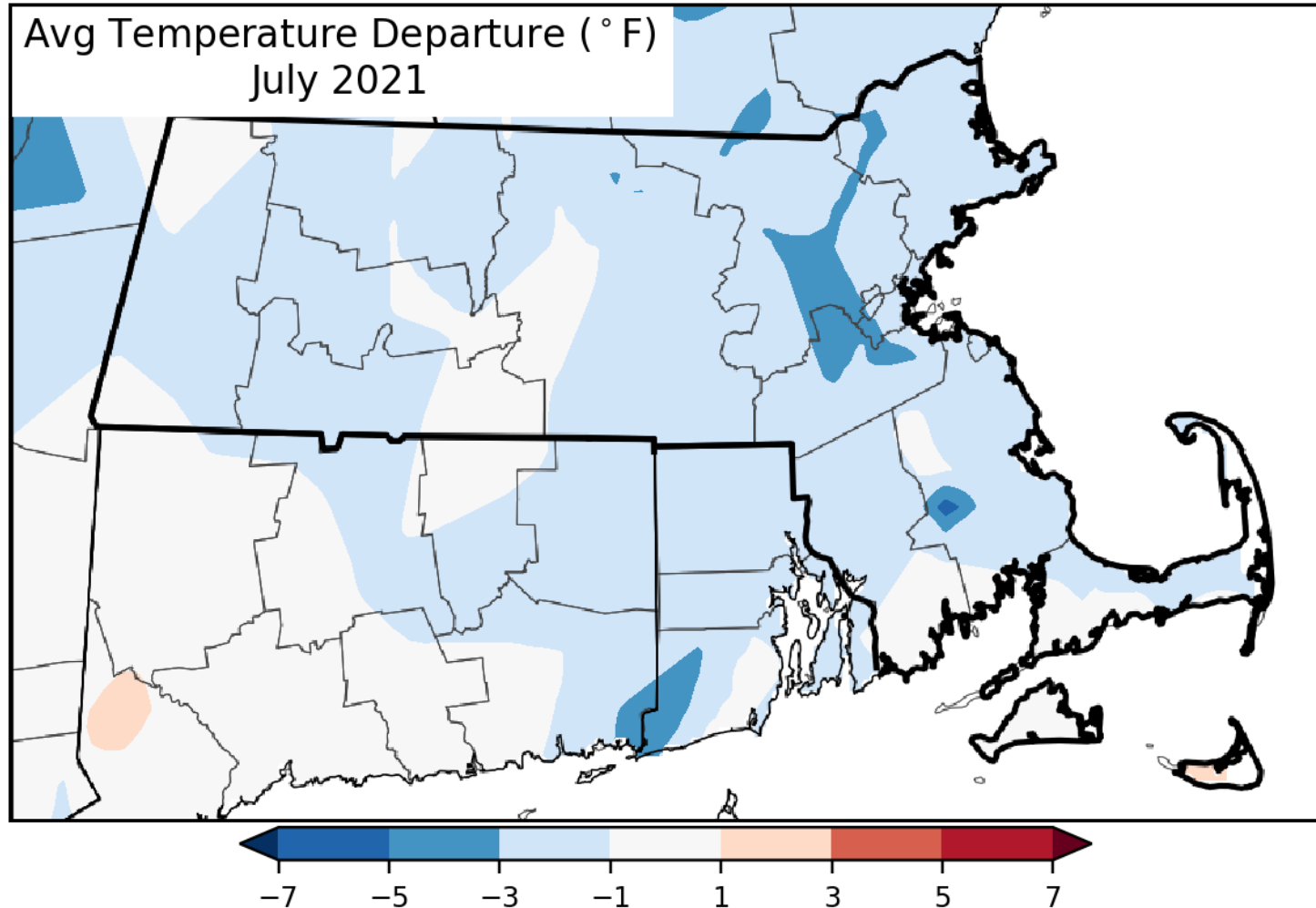
One of the Wettest Julys on Record for much of MA- Preliminary

Station	July 2021 Rainfall	Normal	July Rank (wettest)	All-time Rank (wettest month)	Records date back to...
Boston	10.07	3.27	2	17	1872
Worcester	13.85	3.93	1	3	1892
Amherst	11.92	4.12	2	8	1893
Lowell	11.14	3.86	3	11	1892
Middleboro	7.66	3.33	4	Not in top 20	1893

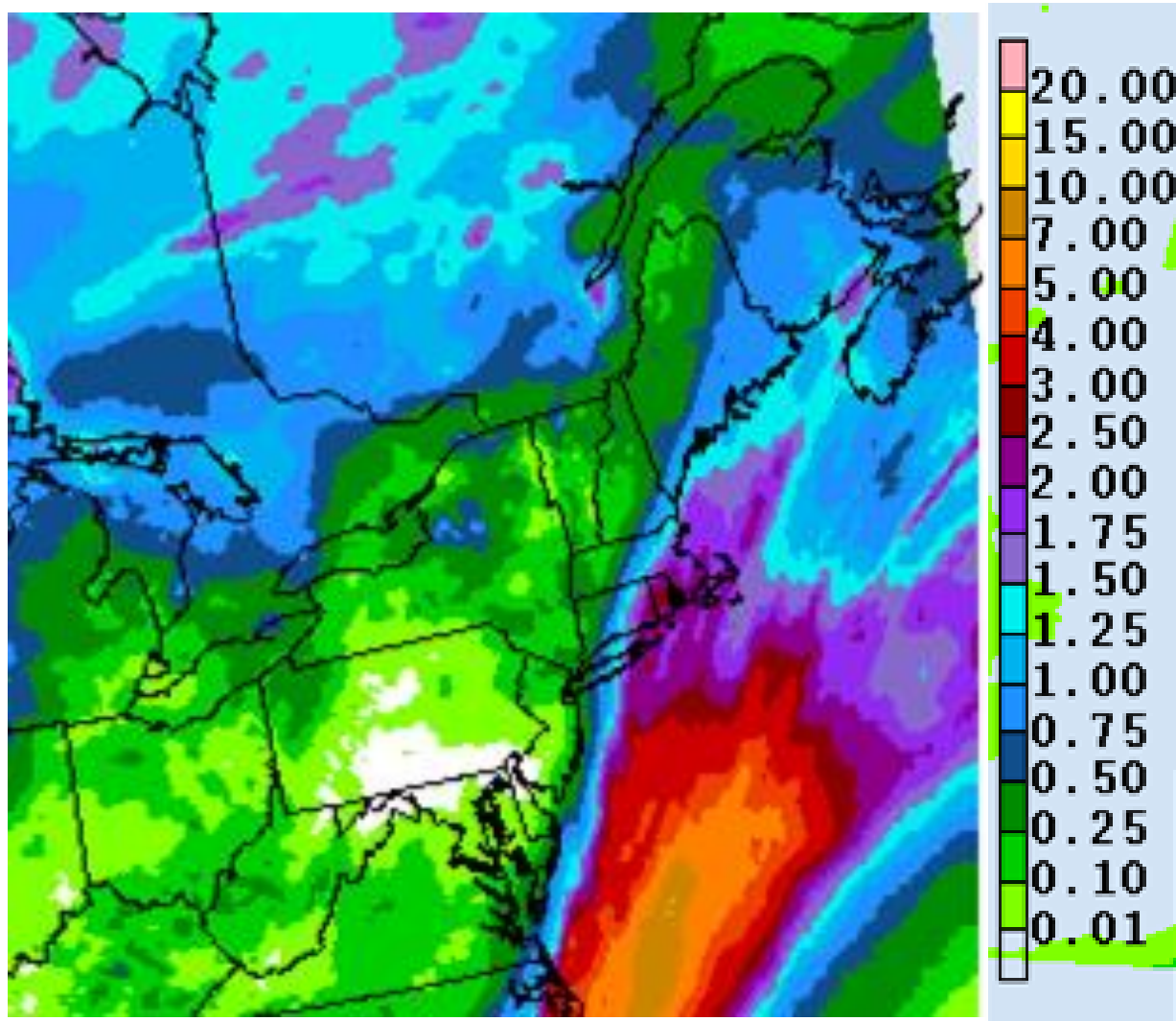
*NCEI: Wettest July on record for MA, 8.96” from July 1938. Information from NCEI for July 2021 is still forthcoming



Temperature Departure from Normal

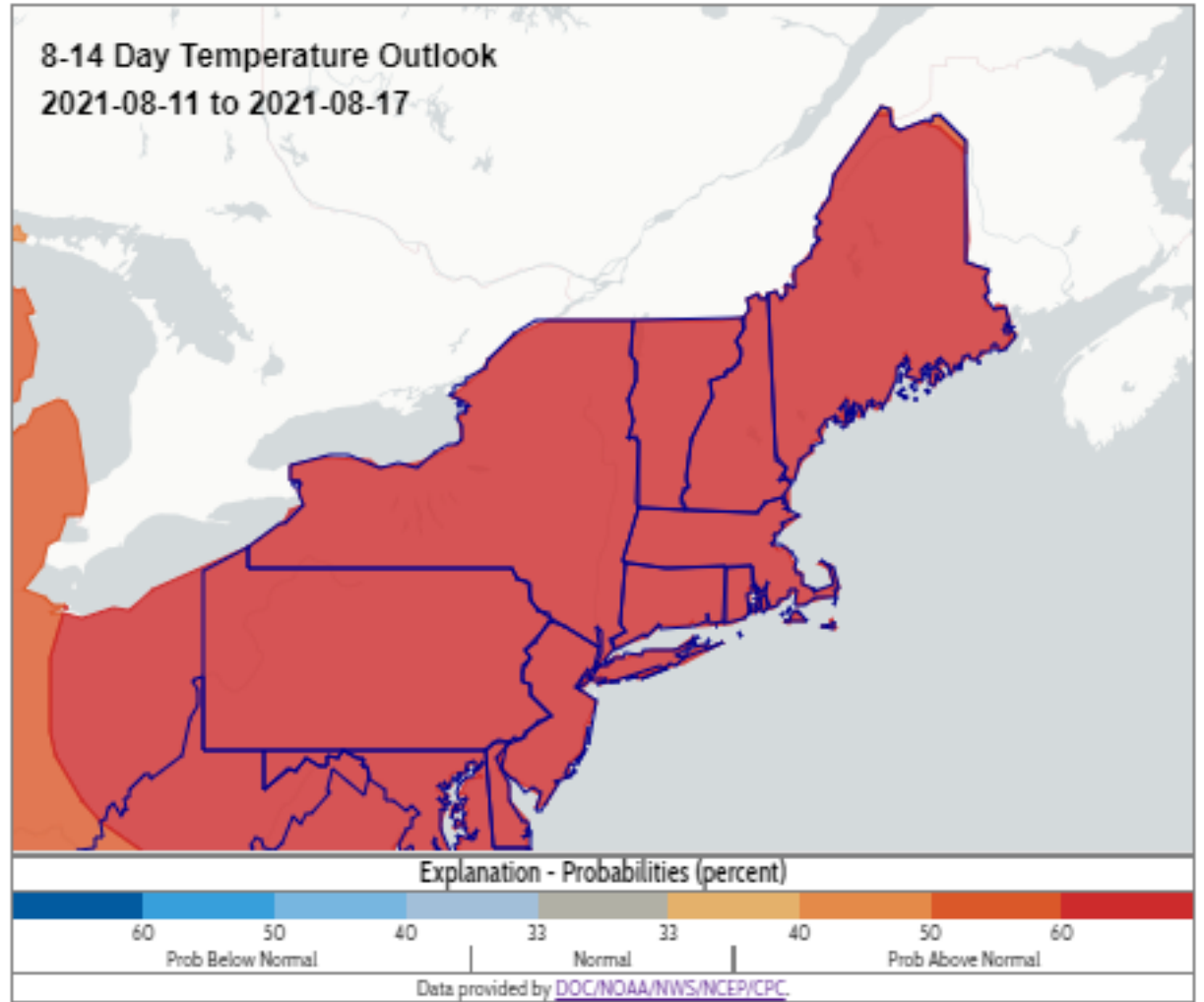
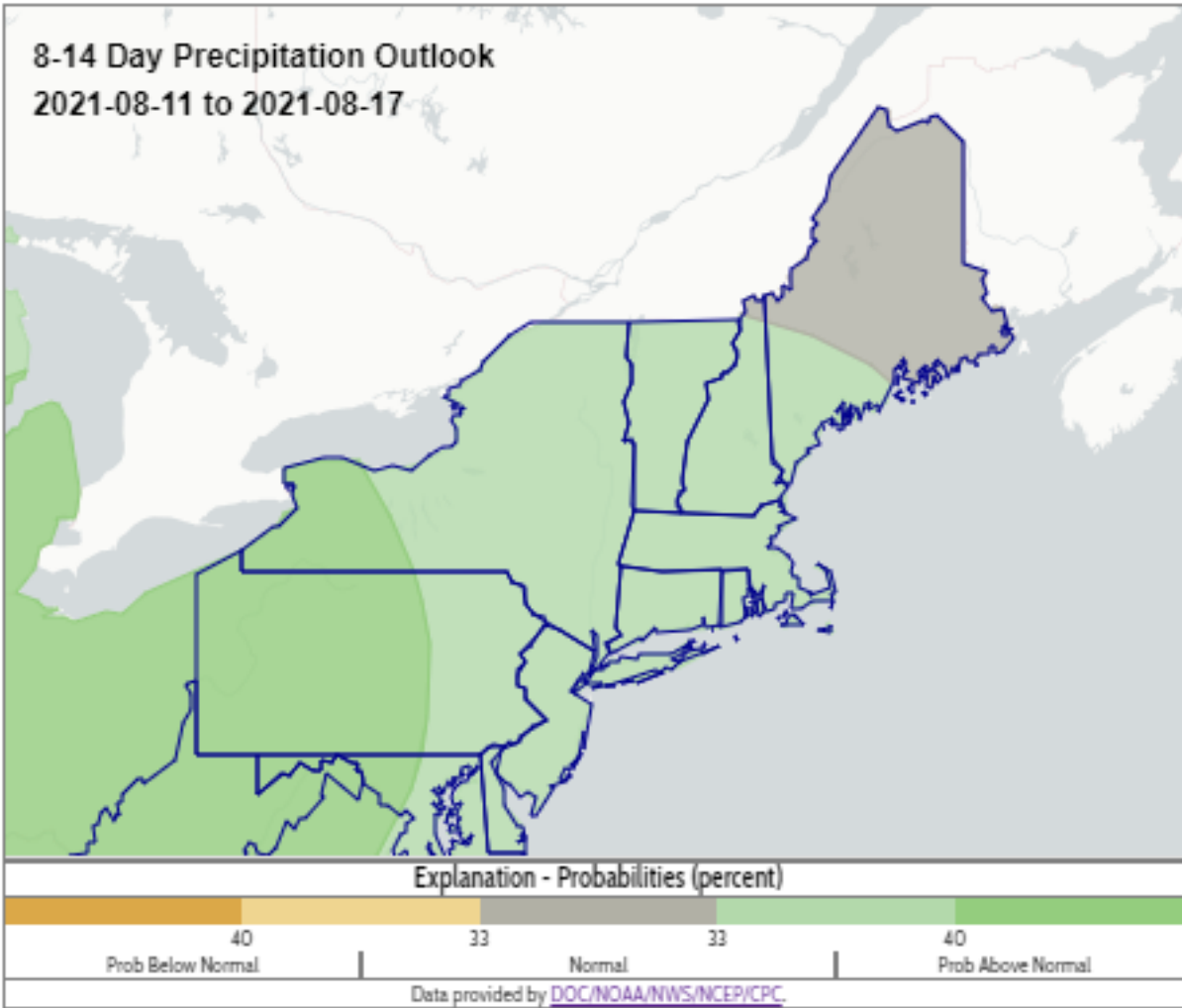


Precipitation Forecast Through 8 am Wed 8/11



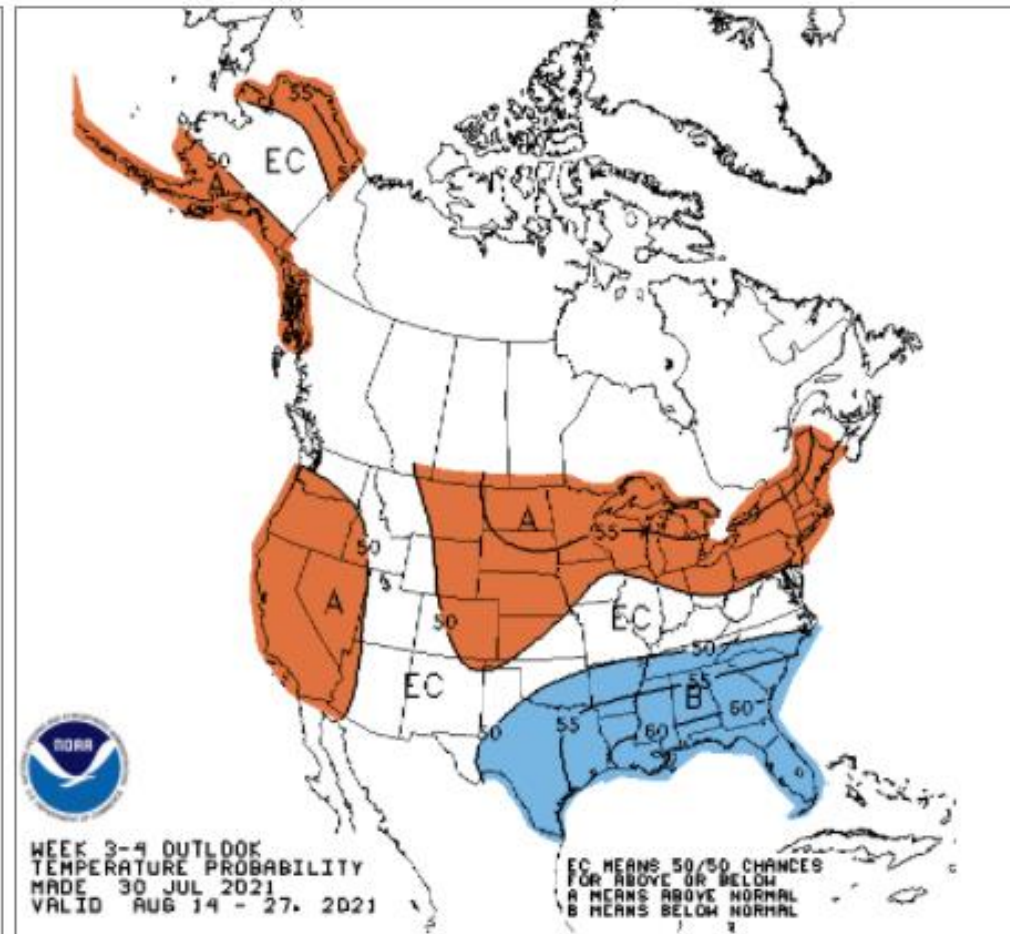
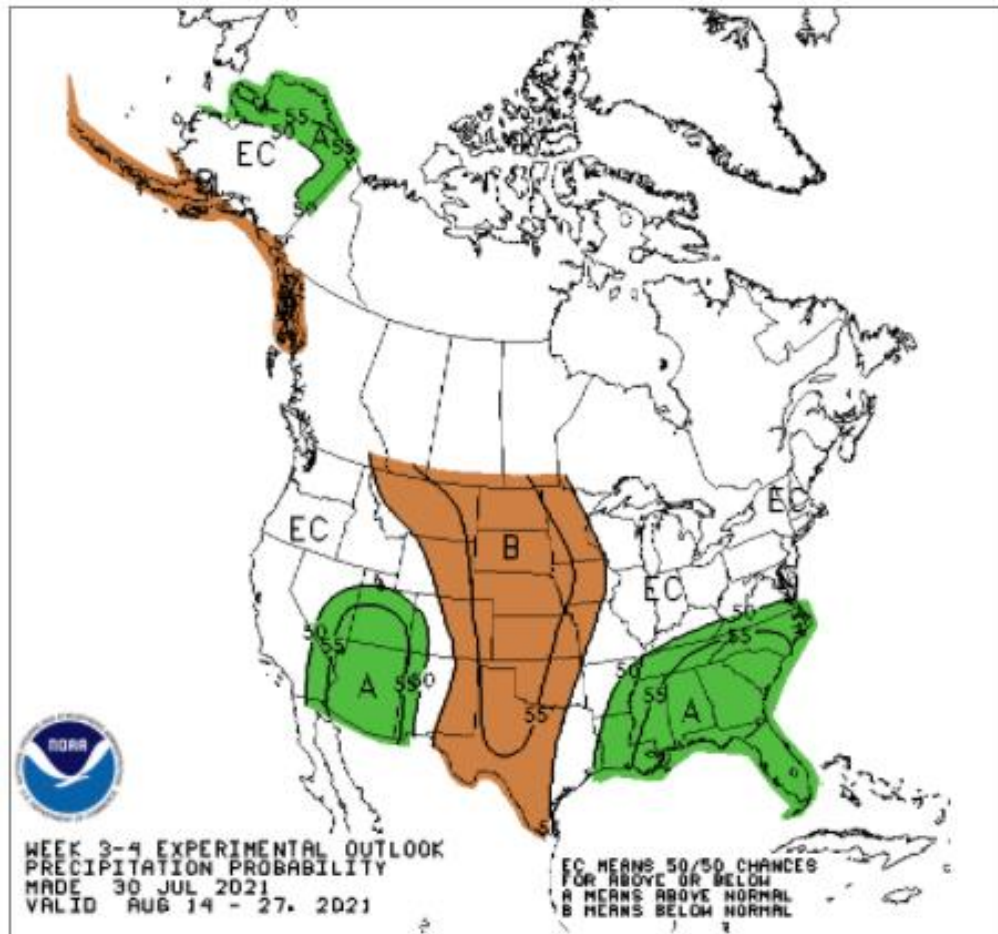
- Greatest rainfall chances would have been from last night's rain and lingering rainfall for today
- Forecast for Wed-Thu: 1 to 2+ inches of rain in eastern MA, Cape, Islands, less to the west
- Mainly dry and warm Friday and Saturday
- Scattered showers on Sunday
- Hot early next week, scattered t-storms possible Tue-Wed
- Fri & Sun highs 80-85, 85-90 Sat
- Sun highs 80-85
- Early next week, highs 80s-low 90s

Outlook for August 11-17



Outlook for August 14-27

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