



Weekly Weather Update

2:30 PM CDT
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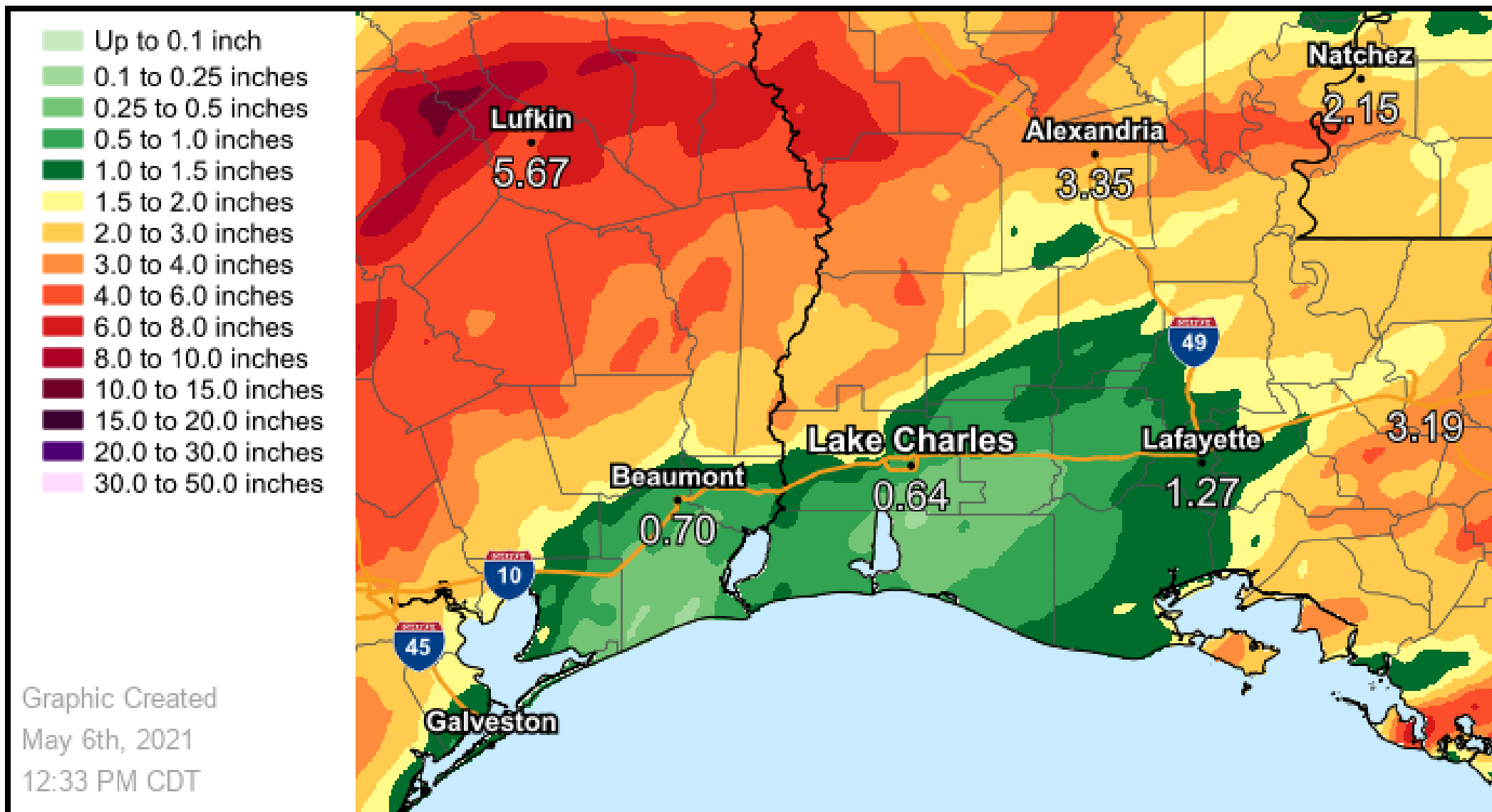
Friday and Saturday will be dry. Rain returns to the forecast on Sunday and continues through much of next week.

	Low Temperatures	High Temperatures	Chance For Rain
Friday	56-61 F	80-84 F	<10%
Saturday	56-64 F	82-85 F	<10%
Sunday	66-71 F	83-85 F	20-50%
Monday	68-73 F	83-86 F	35-55%
Tuesday	65-71 F	81-86 F	40-55%
Wednesday	62-69 F	77-81 F	45-50%
Thursday	58-65 F	77-81 F	30-35%
Normals This Time of Year	61-65 F	82-84 F	25%-30%

Rainfall in the Past Week



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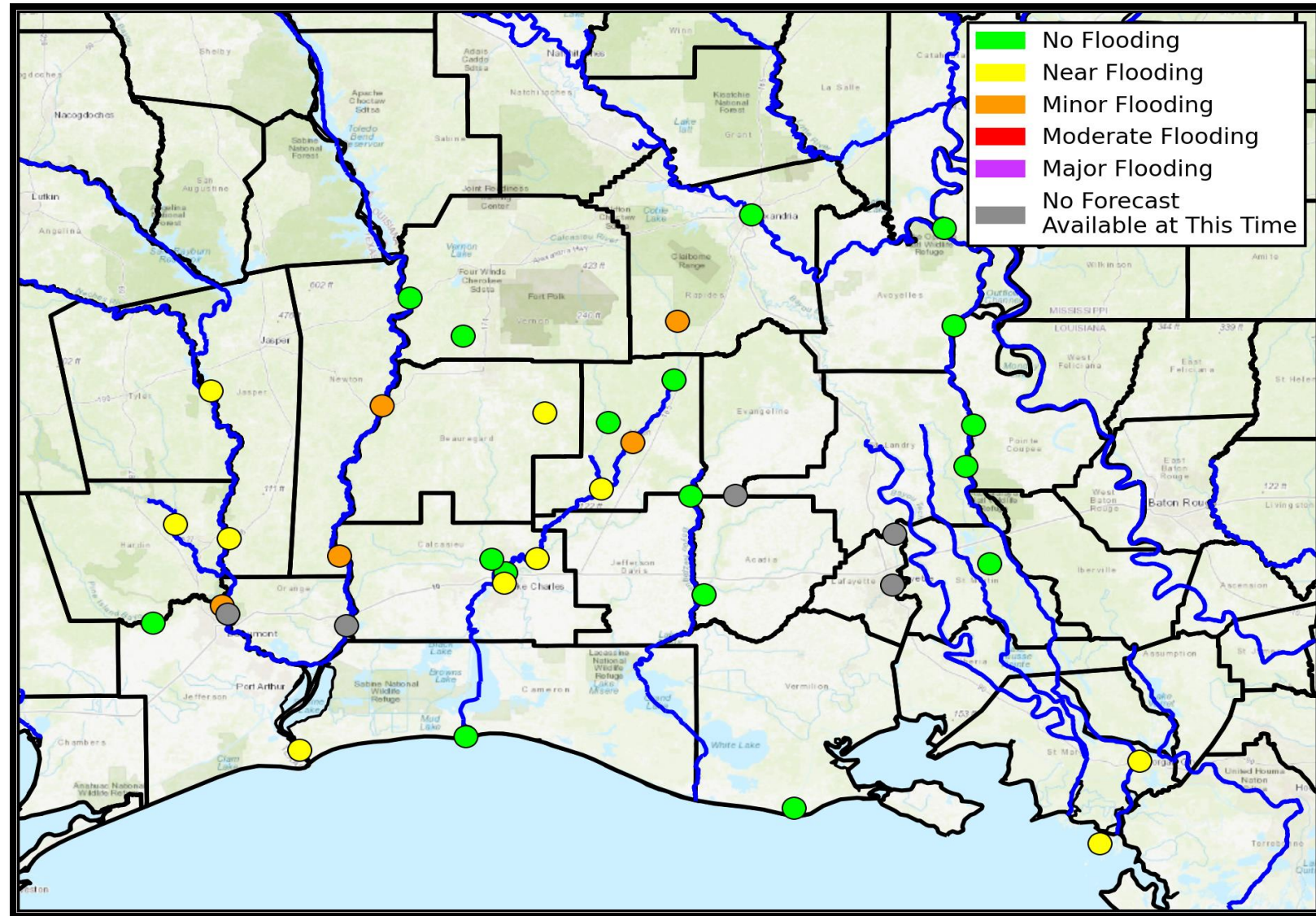


River Forecasts



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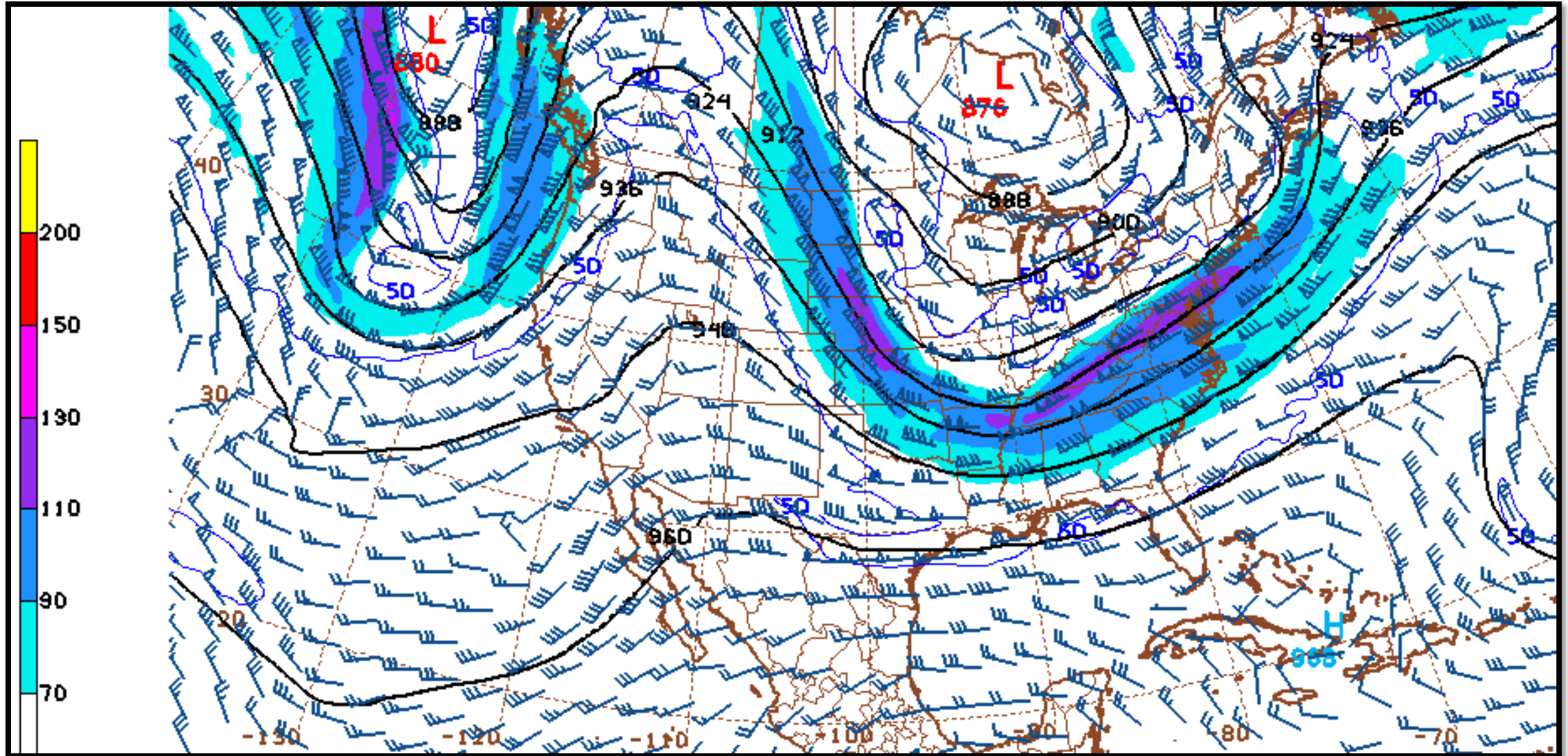
Minor flooding is forecast along the Sabine River and parts of the Calcasieu River.



Upper Level Steering Patterns



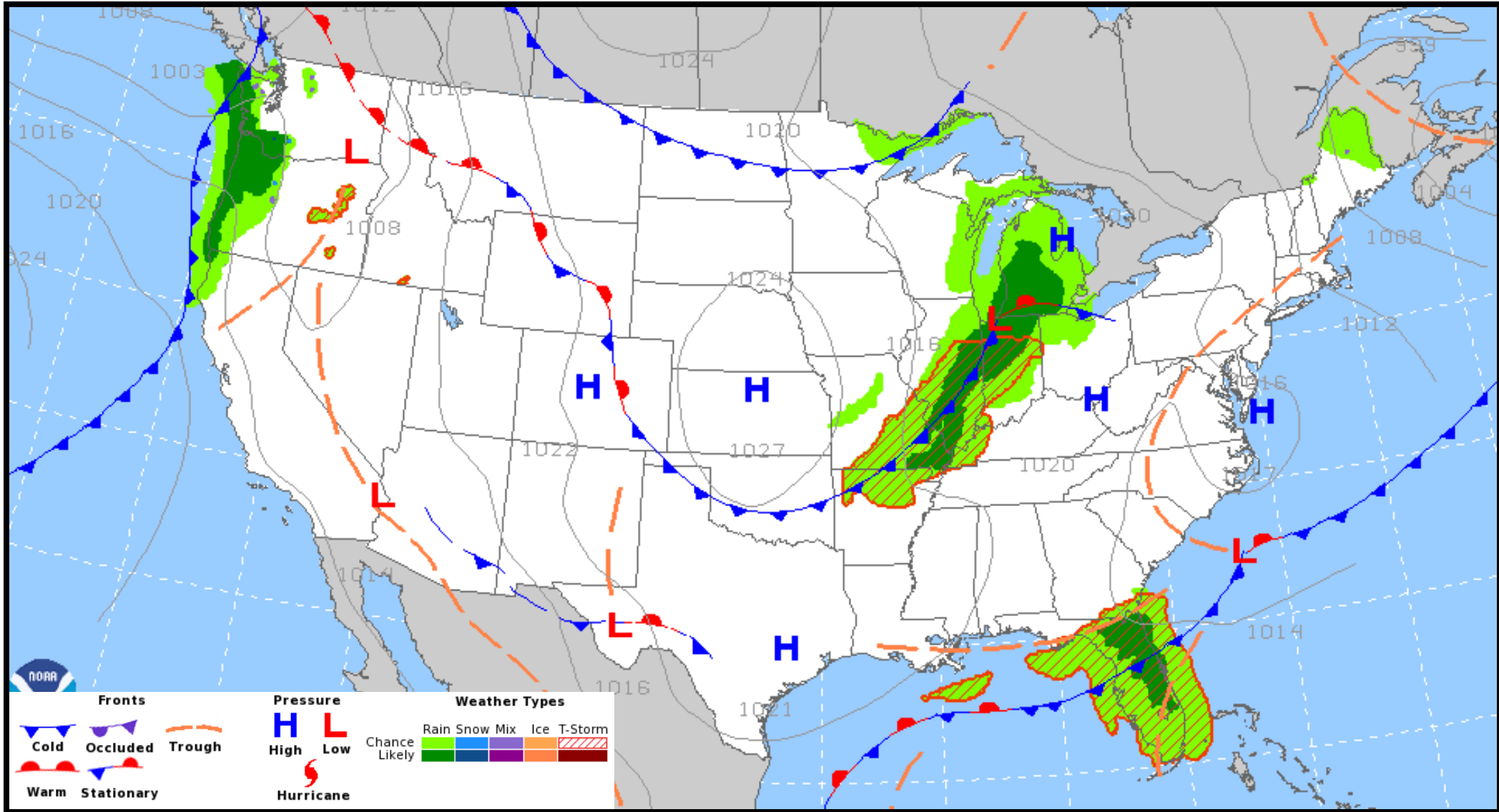
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Surface Weather Map with Fronts



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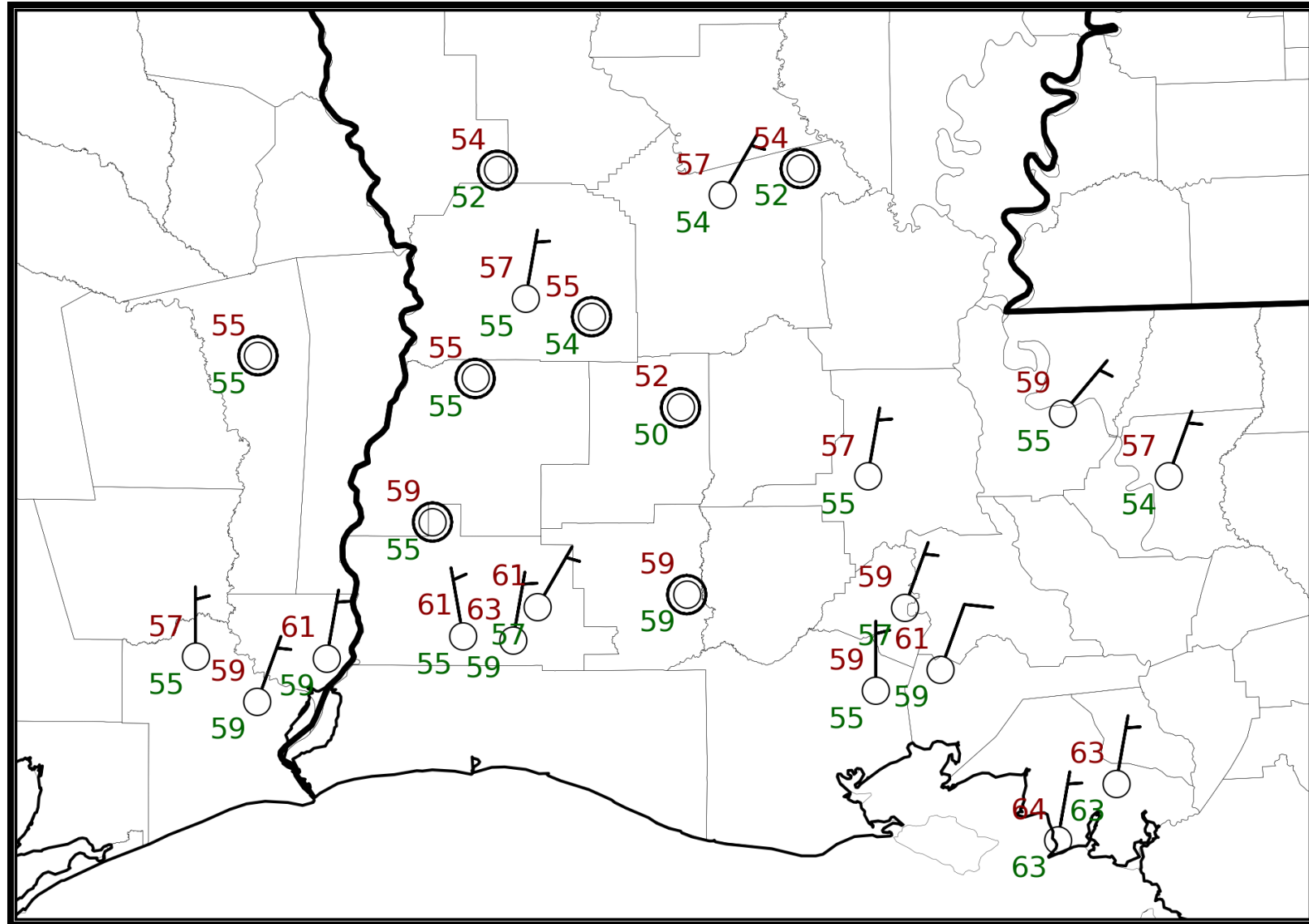


6 am Weather Observations



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Under mostly clear skies temperatures ranged from the mid 50s to lower 60s. Winds were out of the north at 5 mph or less.

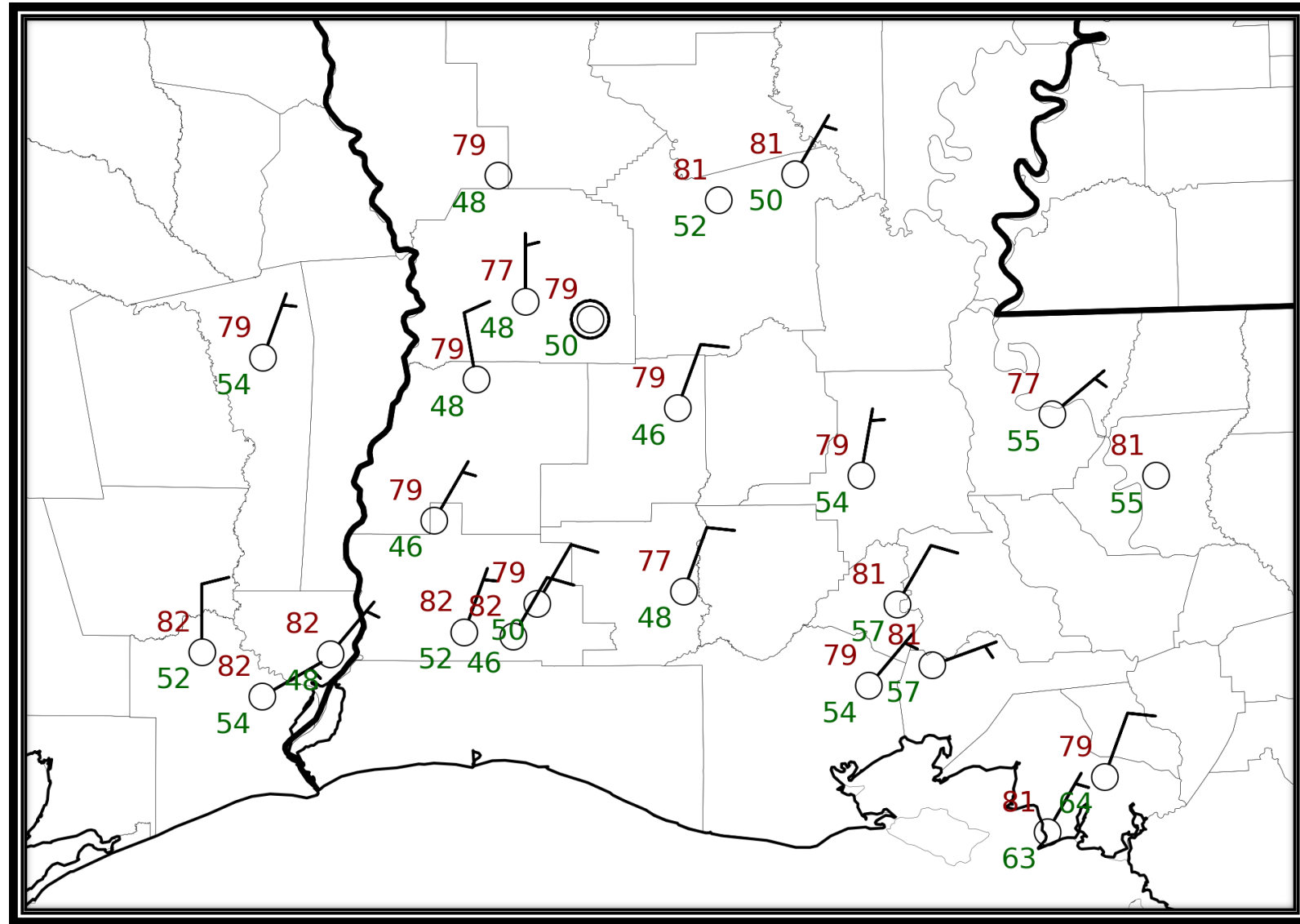


2 pm Weather Observations



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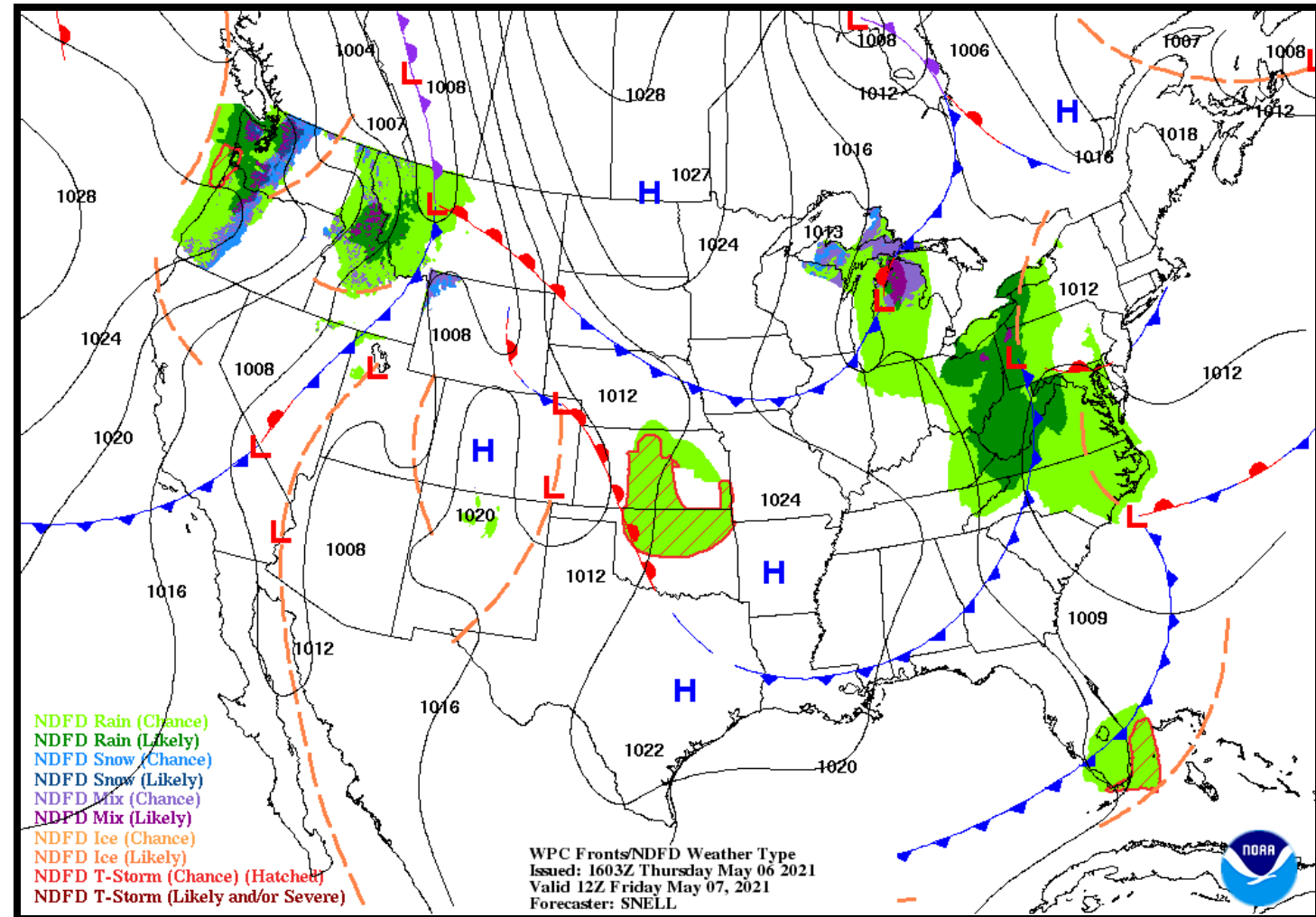
Under mostly sunny skies temperatures were in the upper 70s to lower 80s. Winds were out of the north to northeast at 5 to 10 mph.





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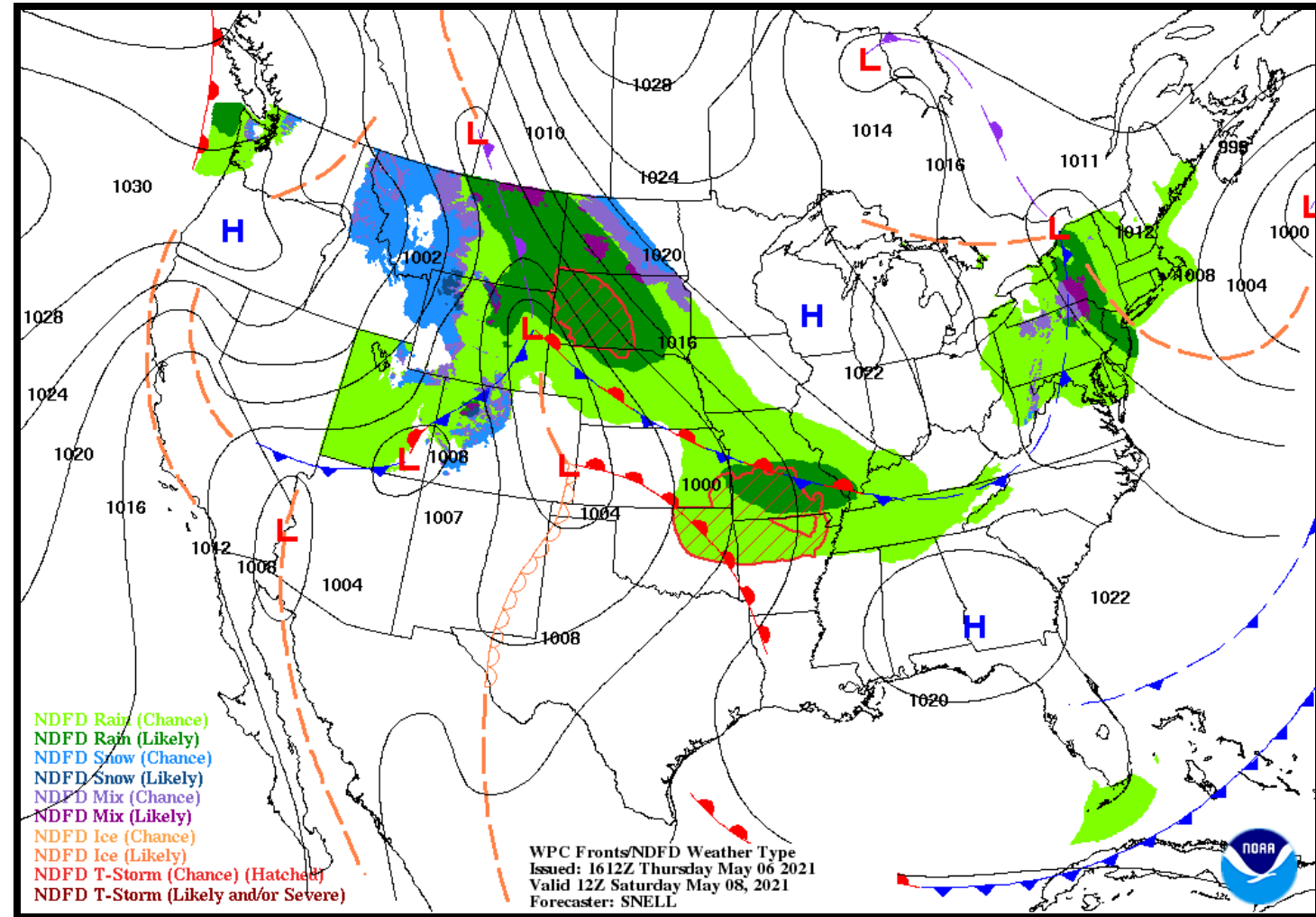
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High Temperature	80-84 F
Wind	NE 5 mph
Rain Chances	<10%
Weather Hazards	None





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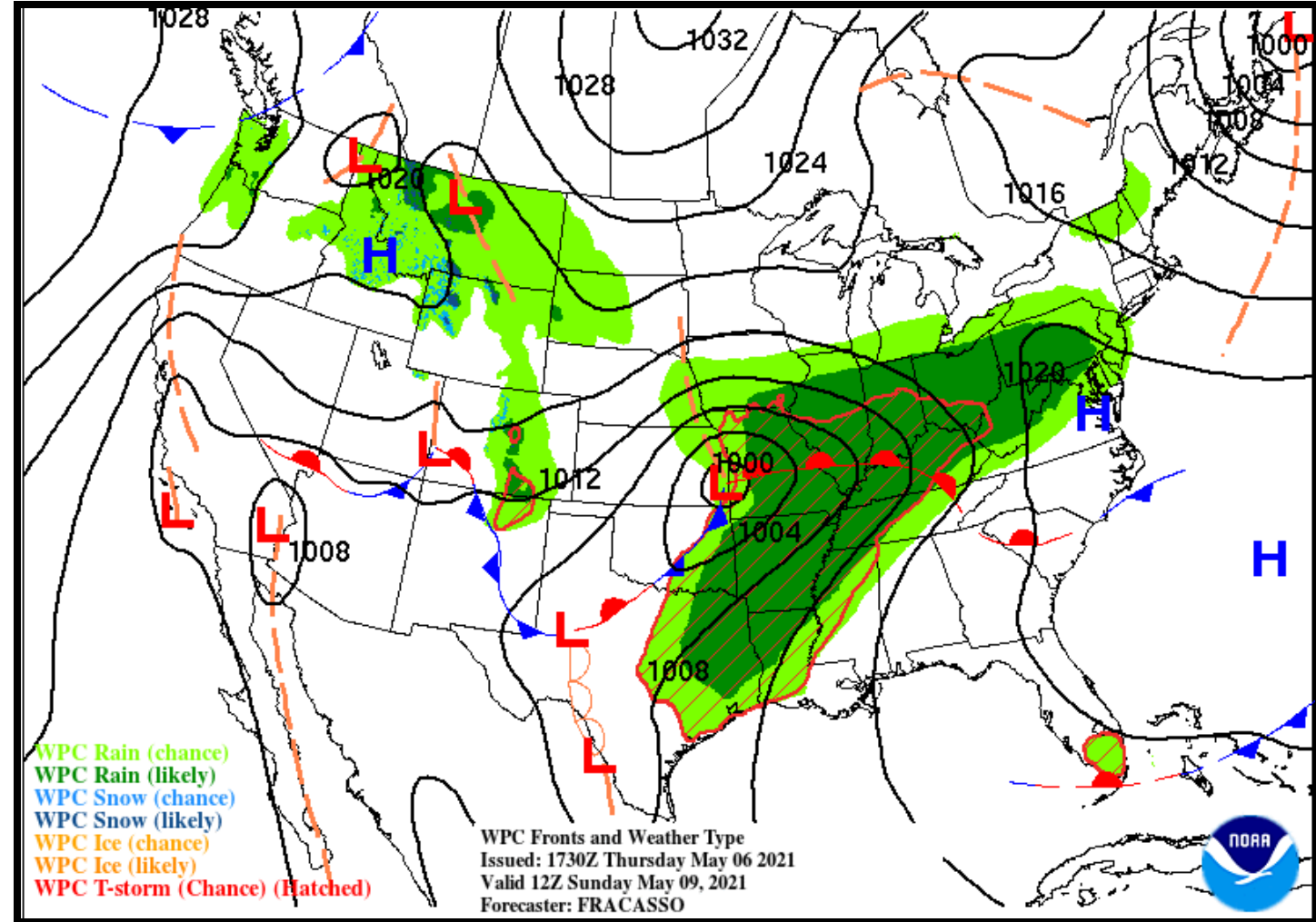
Low Temperature	56-64 F
High Temperature	82-85 F
Wind	S 10-15 mph
Rain Chances	<10%
Weather Hazards	None





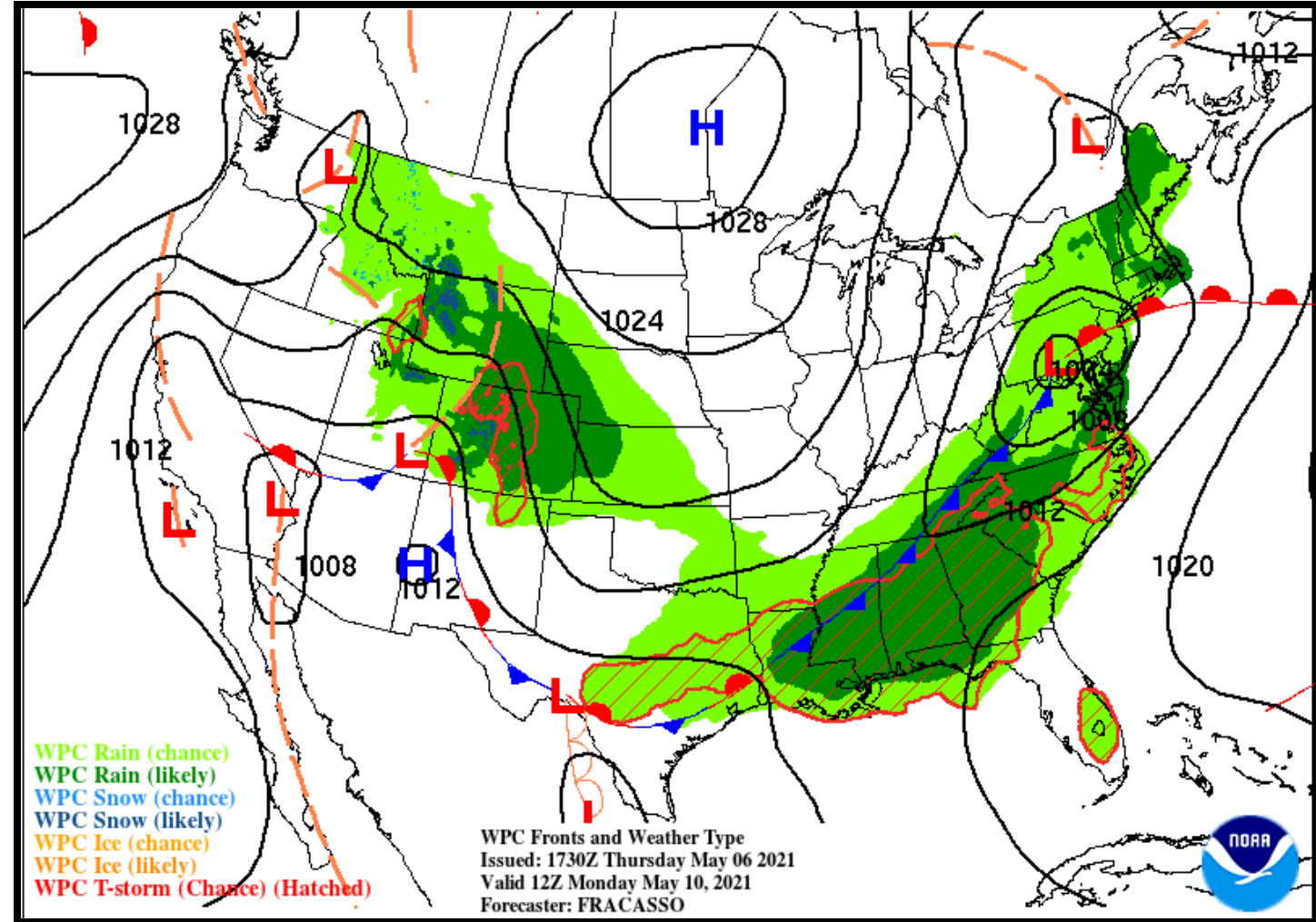
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Low Temperature	66-71 F
High Temperature	83-85 F
Wind	S 10-15 mph
Rain Chances	20-50%
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms



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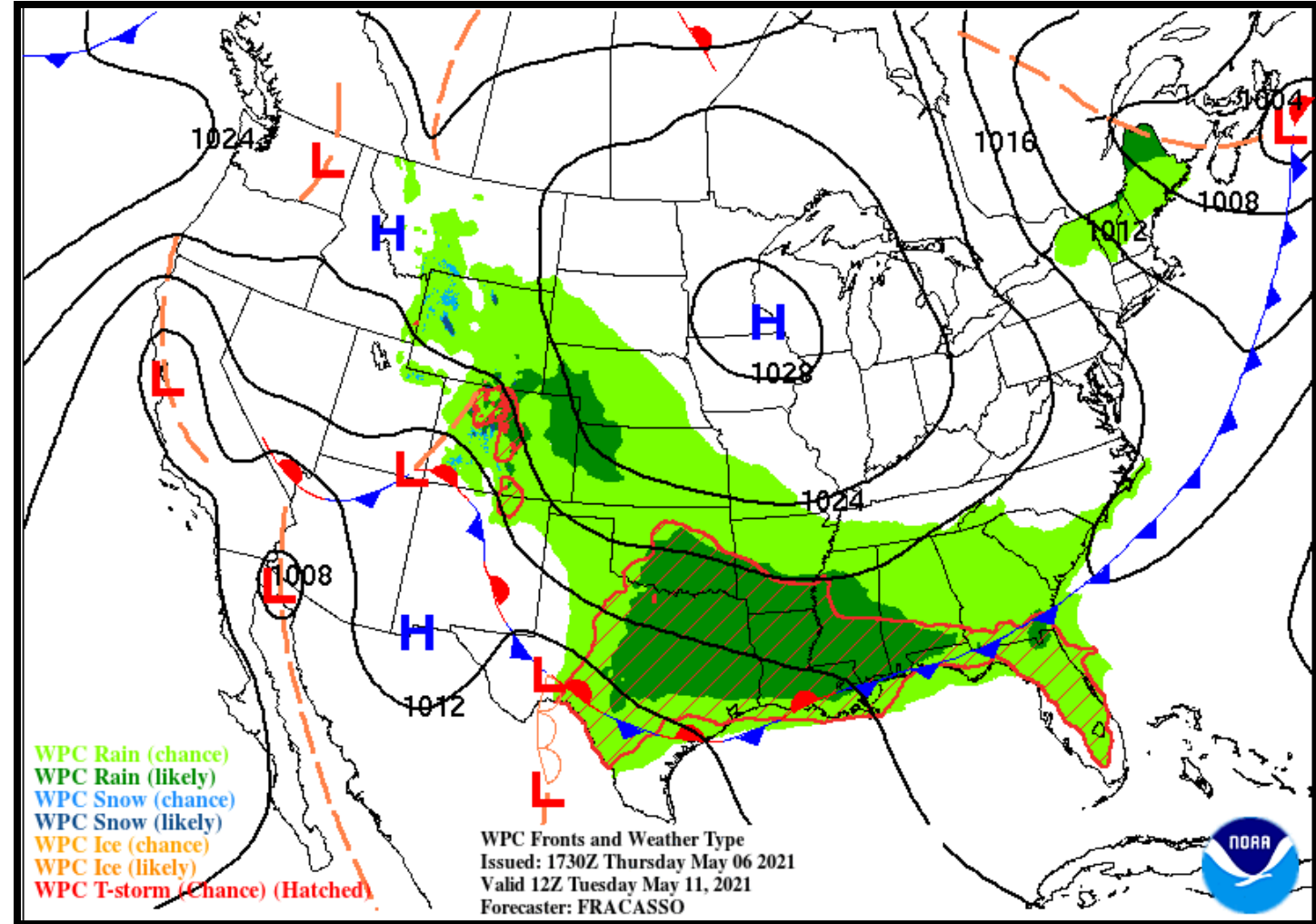
Low Temperature	68-73 F
High Temperature	83-86 F
Wind	SSW 5-10 mph
Rain Chances	35-55%
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms





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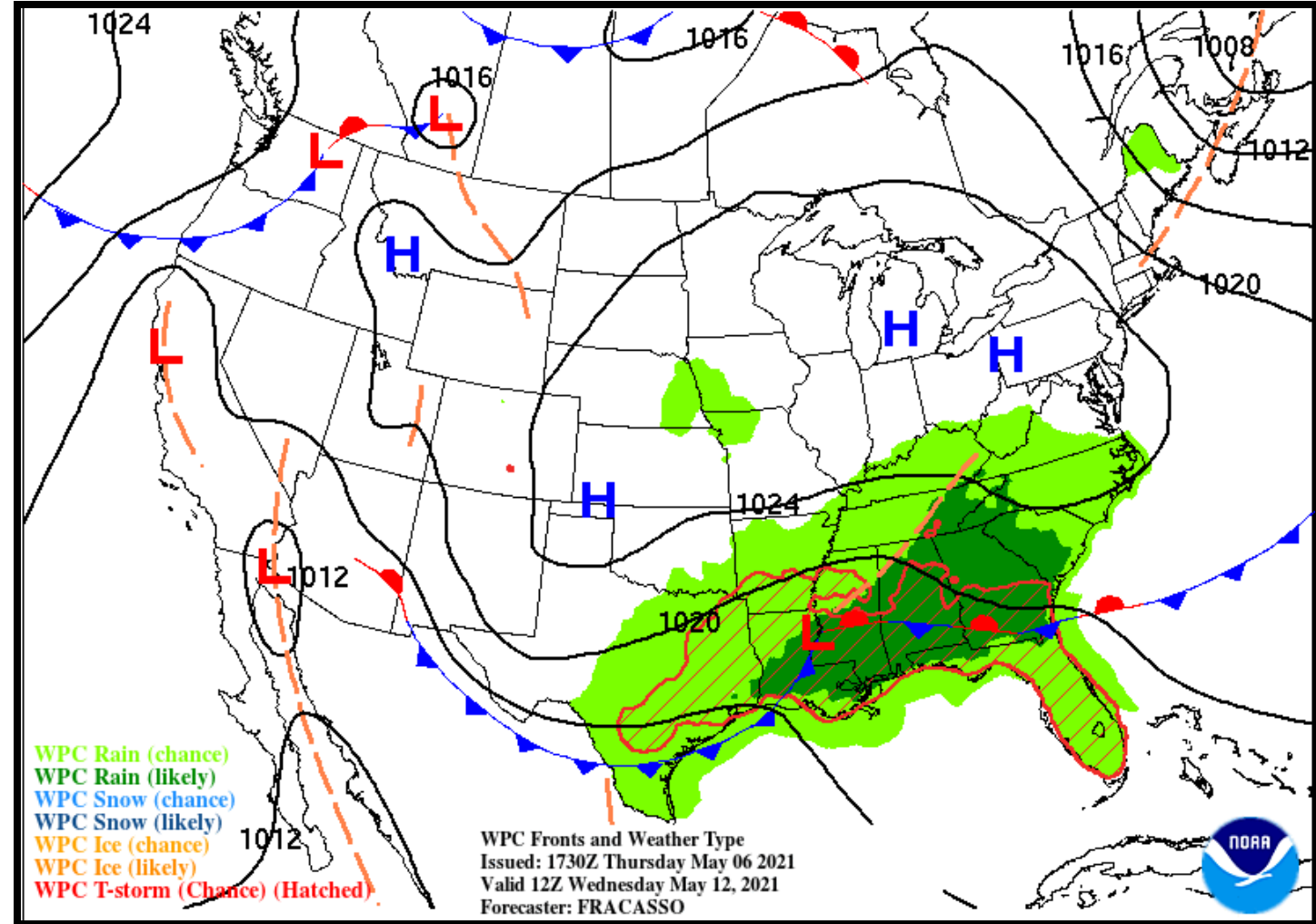
Low Temperature	65-71 F
High Temperature	81-86 F
Wind	SE 5-10 mph
Rain Chances	40-55%
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms





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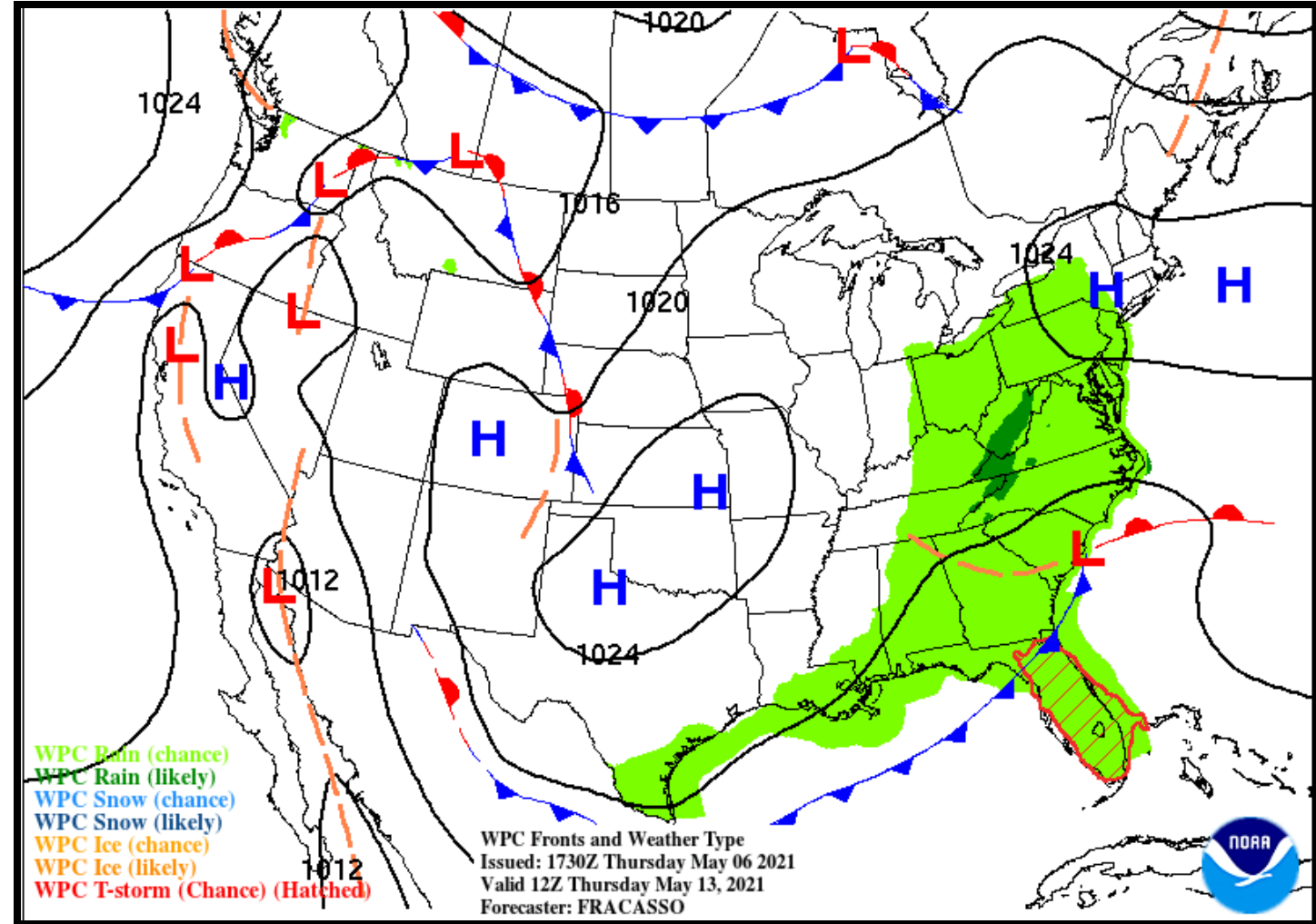
Low Temperature	62-69 F
High Temperature	77-81 F
Wind	NE 5-10 mph
Rain Chances	45-50%
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms





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Low Temperature	58-65 F
High Temperature	77-81 F
Wind	NE 5-10 mph
Rain Chances	30-35%
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms



Weekly Weather Summary Table



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Weather	Friday 05/07/21	Saturday 05/08/21	Sunday 05/09/21	Monday 05/10/21	Tuesday 05/11/21	Wednesday 05/12/21	Thursday 05/13/21
Rain Total	None	None	0.50-1.0"	0.10-0.25"	1.0-2.0"	0.50-1.0"	0.10-0.25"
T-Storm/ Lightning	None	None	Scattered	Isolated	Scattered	Scattered	Isolated
Tornado/Hail/ Dmg Wind	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
Wind	NE 5 mph	S 10-15 mph	S 10-15 mph	SSW 5-10 mph	SE 5-10 mph	NE 5-10 mph	NE 5-10 mph
Tides	Near Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal
Wave Height	Near: 1-2 ft Off: 3-4 ft	Near: 1-4 ft Off: 4-5 ft	Near: 2-5 ft Off: 5-6 ft	Near: 1-5 ft Off: 5-6 ft	Near: 1-3 ft Off: 3-4 ft	Near: 1-3 ft Off: 3-4 ft	Near: 1-3 ft Off: 3-4 ft
Temperature	Low: 56-61 F	Low: 56-64 F	Low: 66-71 F	Low: 68-73 F	Low: 65-71 F	Low: 62-69 F	Low: 58-65 F
Normal Low: 61-65 F Normal High: 82-84 F	High: 80-84 F	High: 82-85 F	High: 83-85 F	High: 83-86 F	High: 81-86 F	High: 77-81 F	High: 77-81 F

Color Codes Except for Temperatures

Yellow = Low Threat

Orange = Moderate Threat

Red = High Threat

Color Codes For Temperatures

Yellow=5 F above normal

Orange=10 F above normal

Red=15 F above normal

Vry Lt Blue=5 F below normal

Lt Blue=10 F below normal

Blue=15 F below normal



- Friday and Saturday will be dry with near normal temperatures.
- Rain returns to the forecast on Sunday, and continues for much of next week. One to three inches of rain is expected.
- No widespread severe weather outbreak is forecast, but you can not rule out a strong thunderstorm capable of damaging winds or hail.

