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SUBJECT:     Update Model Analyses and Guidance (MAG) website  
              WaveWatch III model (WW3) on or about April 21, 2020

On or about April 21, 2020, with the 1200 Universal Time Coordinated (UTC) model run, NWS/NCO will implement an update to the Model Analyses and Guidance (MAG) website, for the WaveWatch III model (WW3):

<https://mag.ncep.noaa.gov>

This update includes using the updated Global Wave Model, high resolution Regional Wave Models to populate images of WW3 on the MAG website.

The update will combine the current WW3, WW3-ENP and WW3-WNA into one model called WW3 over the following five areas:

- ATL-PAC (North Atlantic and North Pacific Oceans)
- ATLANTIC (Atlantic region)
- EAST-PAC (Southern US, Mexico and East-Pacific Ocean)
- NORTH-PAC (Alaska, Western US, Western Canada, Hawaii and North Pacific Ocean)
- WEST-ATL (Western North Atlantic, Southeast US and Caribbean)

The group "Model Guidance&model" will no longer be available for:

- WW3-WNA
- WW3-ENP

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