

Flood Threat Through Friday Evening

Key Messages

- Scattered slow moving thunderstorms will bring an isolated flash flood threat N&W of NYC this afternoon.
- ■A coastal low pressure system will bring widespread heavy rainfall to the entire area late tonight into tomorrow evening, presenting an urban, poor drainage, and riverine flood threat.



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HAZARDS & IMPACTS

Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding: Flood Watch in effect north of NYC

- Storm Total Rainfall: 1/2 to 1" across northeastern NJ, LoHud and SW CT this aft/eve, with locally higher amounts possible. For late tonight thru Friday Eve, an additional 1 to 2" likely, with locally higher amounts possible across the entire watch.
- Rainfall Rates: Up to 1 ½"/hr this aft/eve. For late tonight thru Friday Eve, up to 1"/hr possible.
- Urban/Poor Drainage Flash Flooding: Localized instances of flash flooding across northeastern NJ, LoHud and SW CT this aft/eve. For late tonight thru Friday Eve, widespread minor urban and poor drainage flooding likely across the entire area, with localized instances of flash flooding possible across the Watch area.
- River/Stream Flooding: Minor to locally moderate flooding likely along quick responding small rivers, streams, creeks in the Watch area on Friday into Friday Night, including the Still River in CT. For the large stem Connecticut and Housatonic Rivers, minor flooding is expected, with moderate flooding possible into early next week.

NWS ALERT

■ Flood Watch: For LoHud, southern CT, and portions of NE NJ through 1 AM Saturday.

FORECAST CHALLENGES

- For the Flood Watch area...Localized flash flood threat for this aft/eve will be from scattered slow moving shower and thunderstorm activity. The flood threat late tonight into Friday evening will be from a widespread heavy rain over already saturated grounds with streamflows running well above normal.
- Areas outside of the flood watch will likely experience areas of minor urban and poor drainage flooding late tonight into Friday evening, but the threat for flash flooding low.

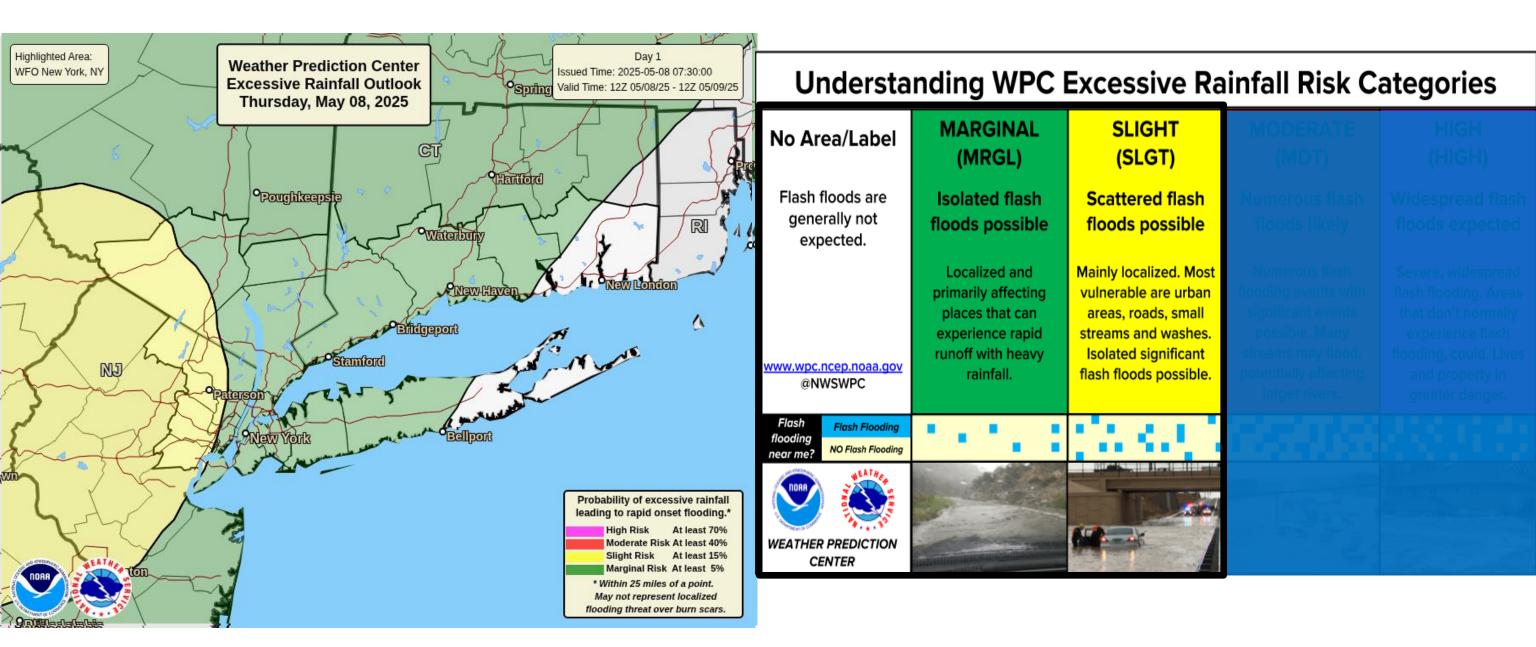
NEXT BRIEF

By 6AM Friday.





Excessive Rainfall Outlook This Afternoon/Evening







Excessive Rainfall Outlook for Friday

