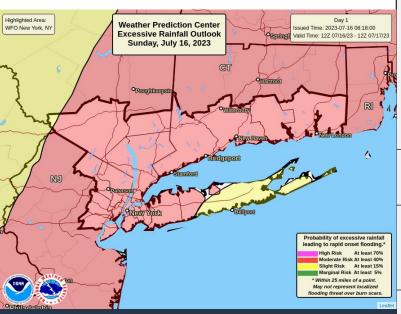
Flash Flooding Likely Today

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OVERVIEW

- A Flood Watch remains in effect for the entire region.
- A frontal system will bring showers and thunderstorms to the region with locally heavy rainfall is likely.



& IMPACTS HAZARDS

- Flash Flooding: Scattered to numerous areas of flash flooding likely, especially in areas of Moderate risk of Excessive Rainfall. Locally severe flash flooding possible. Excessive runoff may result in flashier small streams, rivers, and creeks rising out of their banks, especially across areas that have been impacted by significant flooding over the last week.
- Rainfall Amounts: Widespread 1 to 3 inches with localized amounts of 3 to 6 inches possible. Can not rule out an isolated spot receiving 7+ inches.
- Rainfall Rates: 1 to 2 "/hr.
- Severe Thunderstorms: Damaging wind gusts and isolated tornadoes possible.
- Timing: Through Midnight.

- Flood Watch in effect for the entire region.
- CHALLENGES

NWS ALERTS

- The exact timing and location of the heaviest rainfall.
- There is uncertainty with the extent of the severe thunderstorm threat.

BRIEF NEXT

FORECAST

This will be the last briefing.

Understanding WPC Excessive Rainfall Risk Categories

No Area/Label

Flash floods are generally not expected.

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Flash Flooding
flooding
near me?

Flash Flooding
NO Flash Flooding



MARGINAL (MRGL)

Isolated flash floods possible

Localized and primarily affecting places that can experience rapid runoff with heavy rainfall.

SLIGHT (SLGT)

Scattered flash floods possible

Mainly localized. Most vulnerable are urban areas, roads, small streams and washes. Isolated significant flash floods possible. MODERATE (MDT)

Numerous flash floods likely

Numerous flash flooding events with significant events possible. Many streams may flood, potentially affecting larger rivers. HIGH (HIGH)

Widespread flash floods expected

Severe, widespread flash flooding. Areas that don't normally experience flash flooding, could. Lives and property in greater danger.



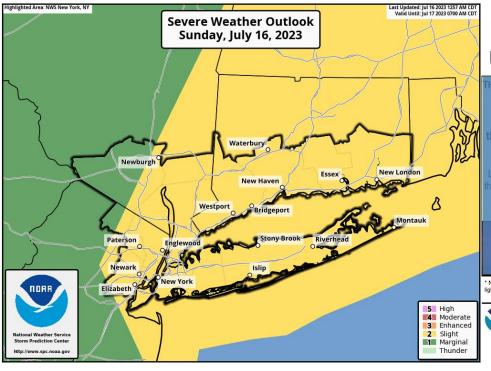




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Isolated Severe Thunderstorm Threat





Understanding Severe Thunderstorm Risk Categories



* NWS defines a severe thunderstorm as measured wind gusts to at least 58 mph, and/or hail to at least one inch in diameter, and/or a tornado. All thunderstorm categories imply lightning and the potential for flooding. Categories are also tied to the probability of a severe weather event within 25 miles of your location.



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