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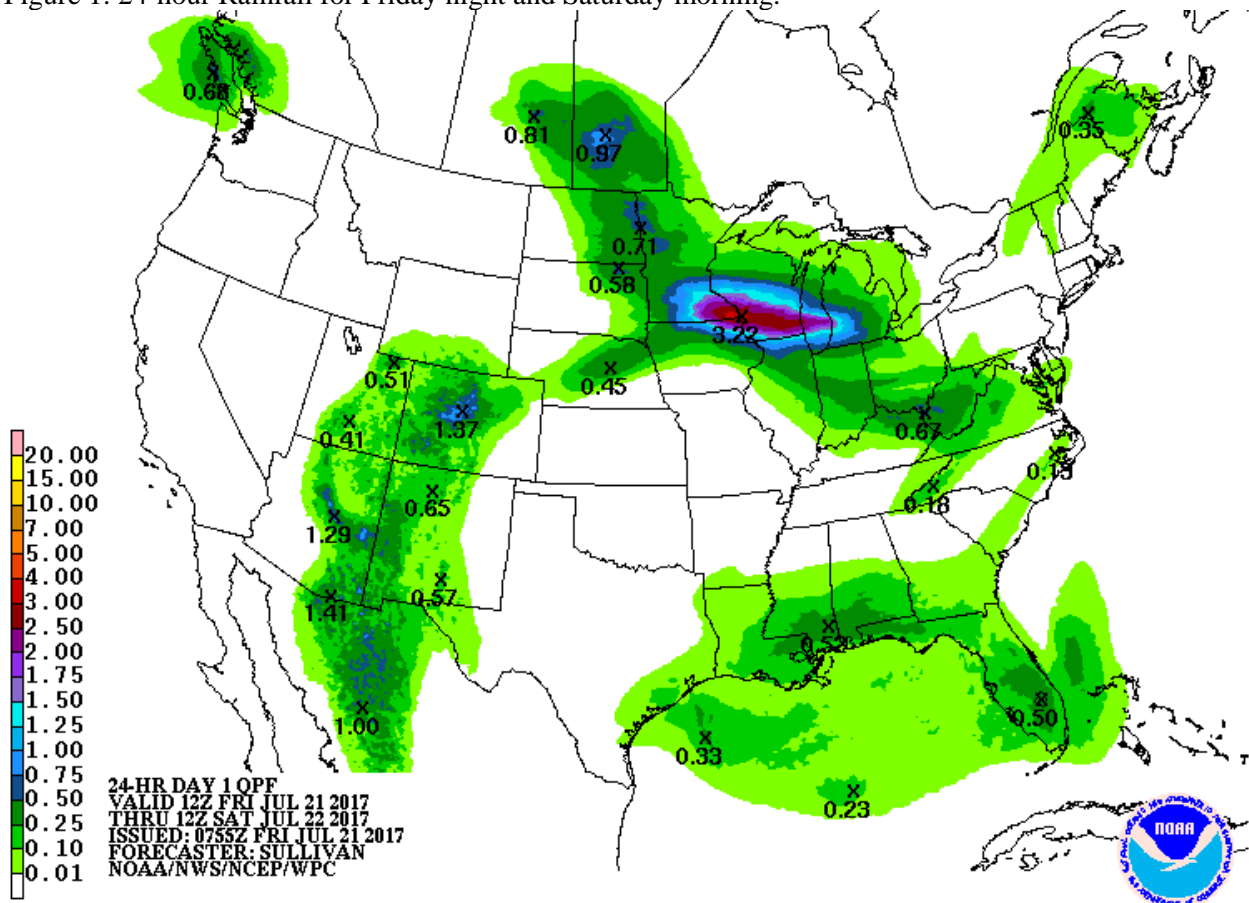
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Fox River Status Update
July 21, 2017

Forecast

As shown in Figure 1 the center of the forecasted rainfall is currently predicted to be over southern Wisconsin tapering off south of Interstate 80 in Illinois. The forecasted rainfall amounts shown in Figure 1 are for Friday night.

Figure 1: 24-hour Rainfall for Friday night and Saturday morning.



System Conditions and Operations

The gates at Stratton and Algonquin are still all the way open and all locations along the system have started to fall again. Uncertainty in the location and amount of rainfall on Friday night makes forecasting lake and river stages difficult. We anticipate sending out an update tomorrow morning after the rain has fallen.

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