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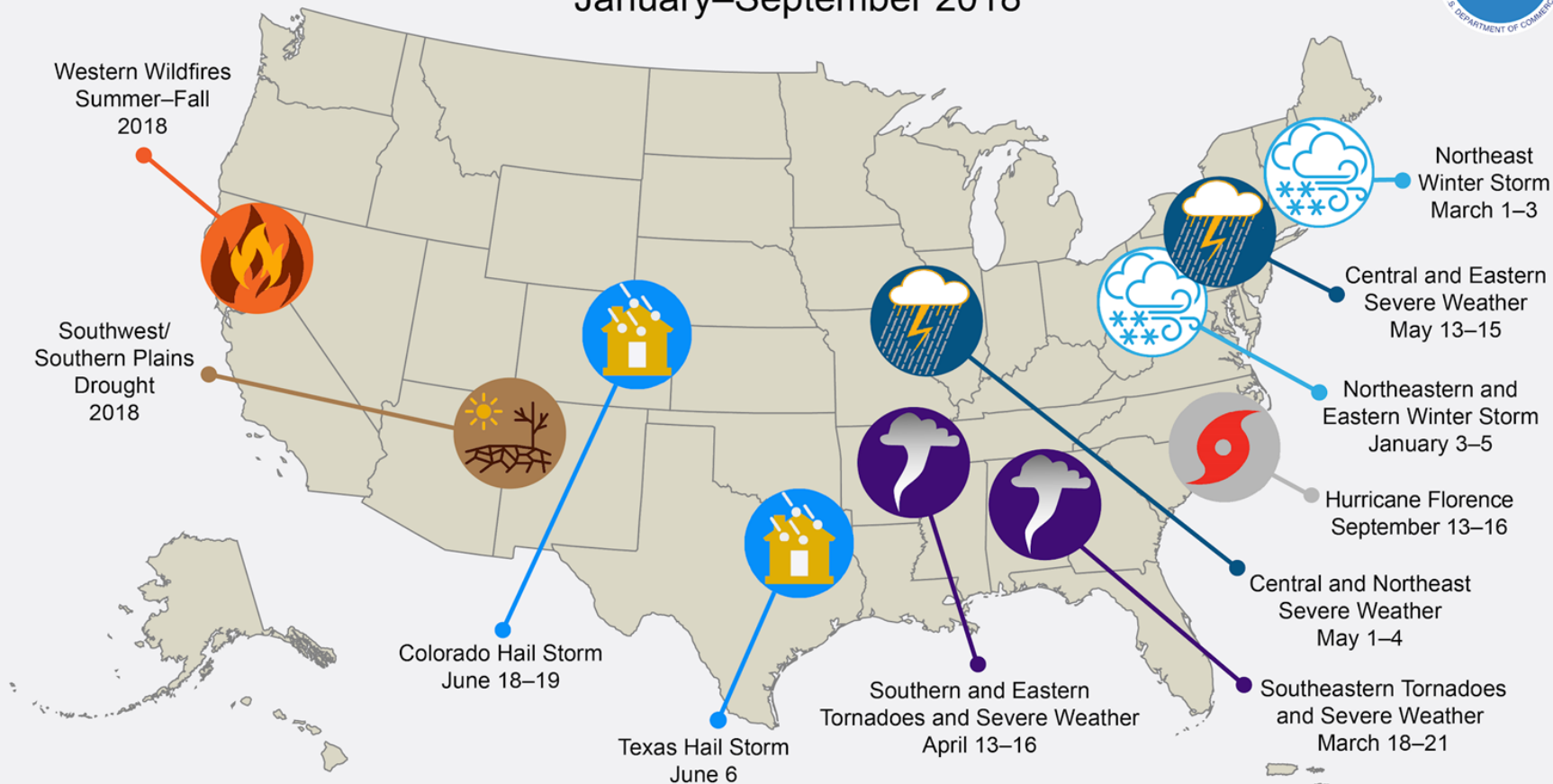
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U.S. 2018 Billion-Dollar Weather and Climate Disasters

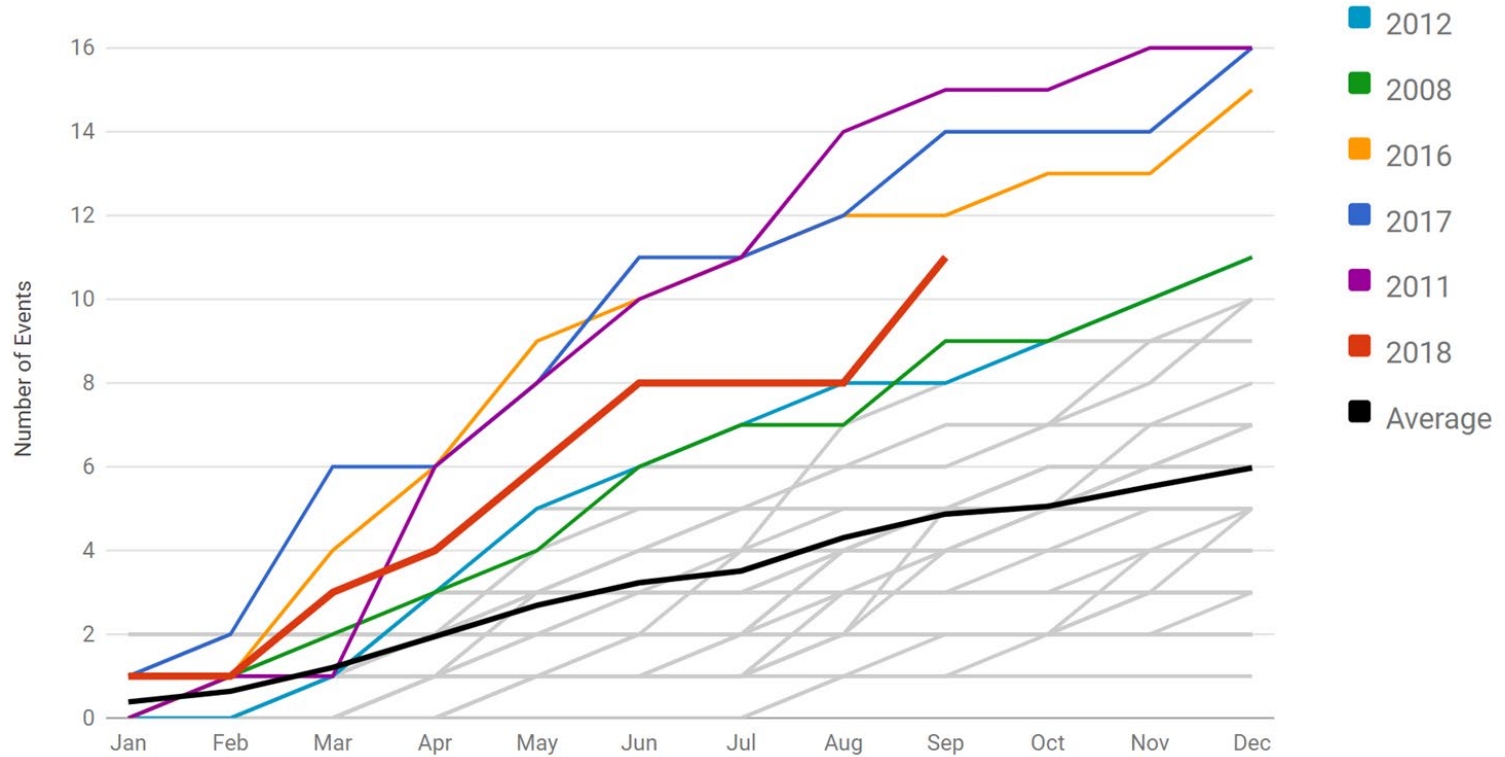
January–September 2018



This map denotes the approximate location for each of the 11 separate billion-dollar weather and climate disasters that impacted the United States from January–September 2018.

1980-2018 Year-to-Date United States Billion-Dollar Disaster Event Frequency (CPI-Adjusted)

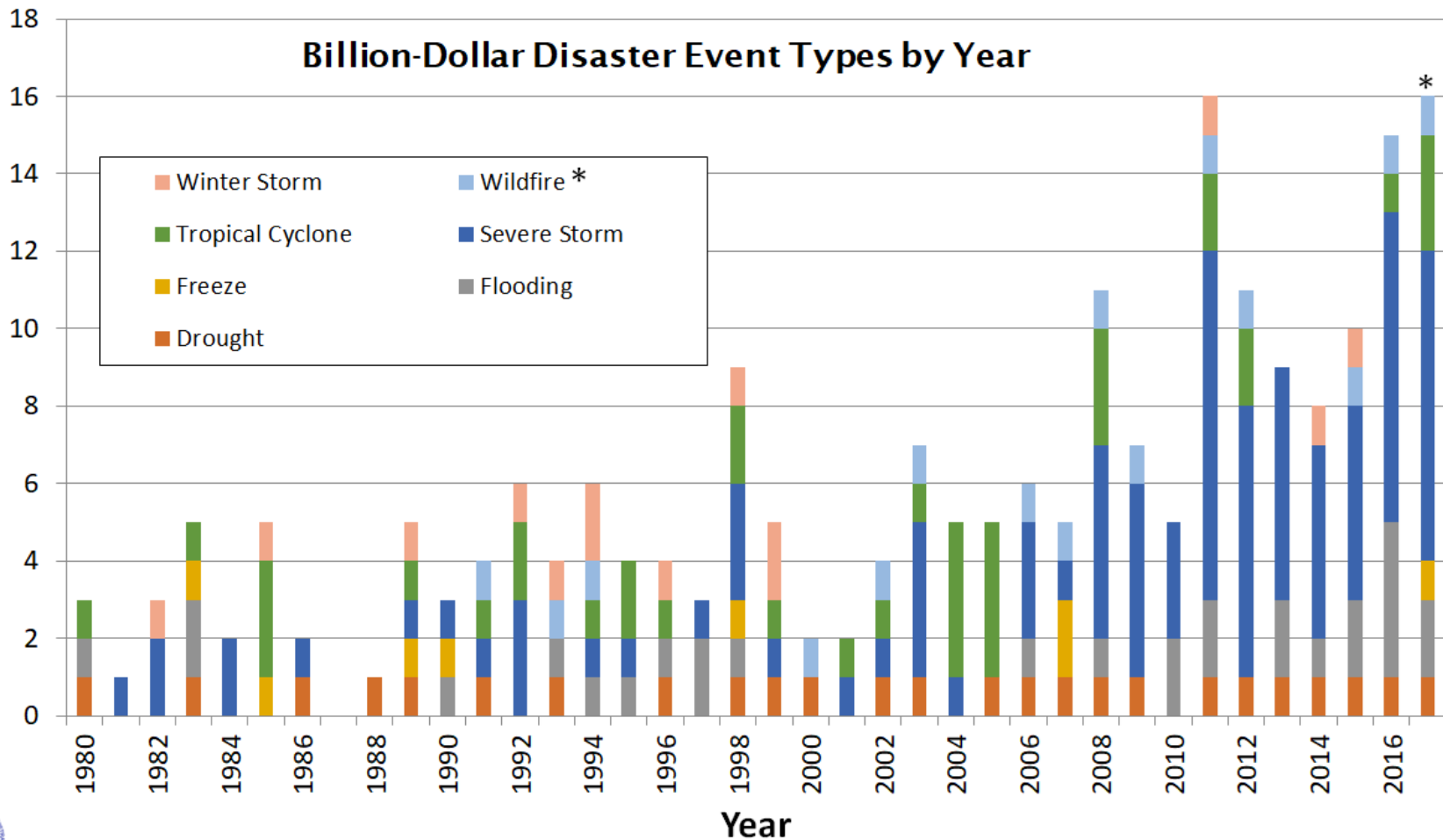
Event statistics are added according to the date on which they ended.



Statistics valid as of October 9, 2018.

Billion-Dollar Disaster Event Types by Year

Number of Events





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Environmental Literacy Program awards \$3 million to advance community resilience through education

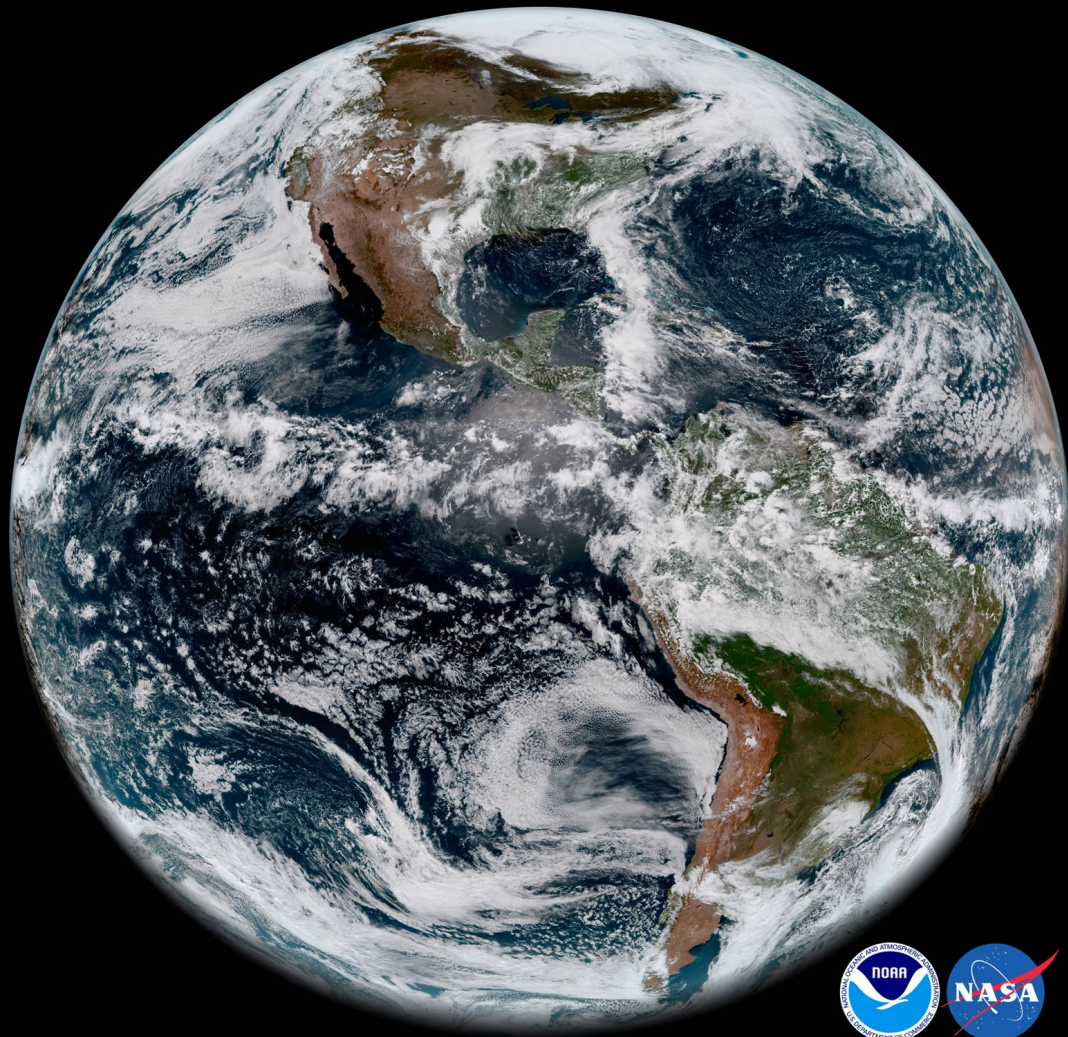
Projects in eight states and the U.S. Virgin Islands will engage youth and the public around extreme weather and other environmental hazards.

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September 11, 2018 — NOAA's Environmental Literacy Program is funding nine new projects that will use education to build the foundation for resilience to weather and climate hazards. Together, these projects — reaching from Alaska to the U.S. Virgin Islands — will receive a total of \$3 million to empower people to protect themselves and their communities from local environmental threats.



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Thank you.

