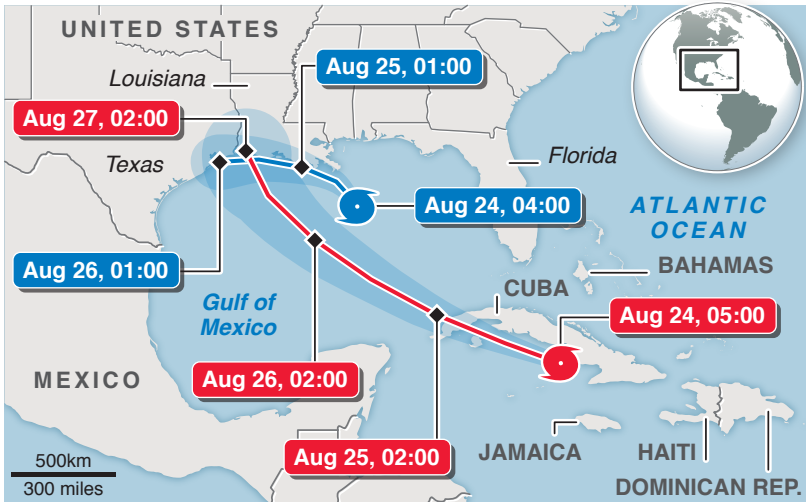


Two storms threaten southern U.S.

Tropical Storms Marco and Laura are forecast to hit the same stretch of U.S. coast at or close to hurricane force within days of each other



Forecast path of storm

— Tropical Storm Marco

— Tropical Storm Laura

Forecast cone (contains probable path of storm centre)

All times Central Daylight Time, GMT-5