



FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, September 12, 2013

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity: Sep 11 – 12



Significant Events: Colorado - Flash Flooding

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic – Hurricane Humberto; TD Gabrielle; Area 1 (High 60%); Area 2 (Low 10%)
- Eastern Pacific – Area 1 (Low 10%)
- Central Pacific – No tropical cyclone activity expected through Friday morning
- Western Pacific – No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Strong to severe thunderstorms – Northeast
- Rain will continue across the central/southern Rockies & High Plains
- Critical Fire Weather Areas & Red Flag Warnings: None
- Space Weather: No space weather storms observed/predicted

Earthquake Activity: M4.1 earthquake offshore Alaska

Declaration Activity: Rosebud Sioux Tribe Disaster Declaration Request - SD

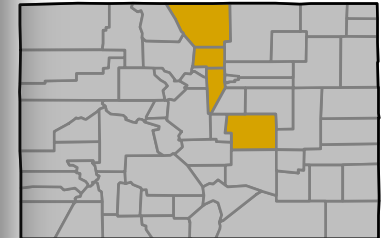
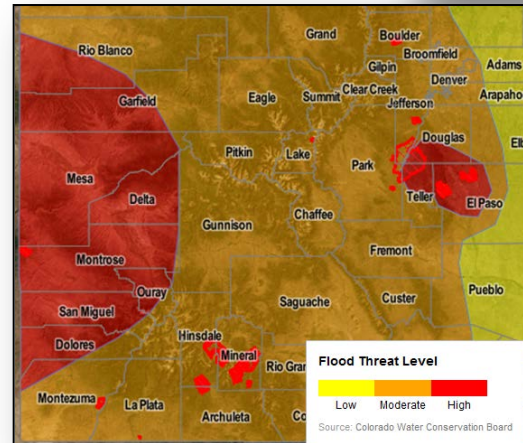
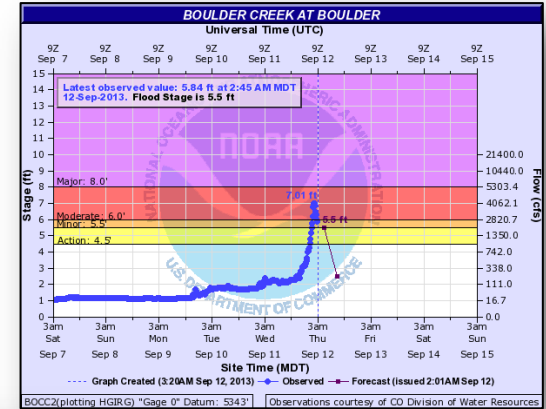
Colorado – Flash Flooding

North-central Colorado

- Heavy rain (4 - 6 inches) past few days produced widespread flash flooding in the Denver-Boulder metro area (pop 305,318)
- Major flooding on St. Vrain Creek; Moderate flooding on Boulder creek
 - Meadow Lake Dam broke near Telluride
 - Mandatory evacuations in effect for Four Mile Canyon (burn scar area) and Jamestown
 - 100-200 people evacuated from University of Boulder campus housing; other students sheltering in place
- Many road closed/impassable incl. U.S. 36 due to high water; rock and mud slides reported
- Natural gas impacted in Coal Creek Canyon (Jefferson City)
- Multiple homes have collapsed in Jamestown
- Several buildings reported damaged on University of CO campus
- Two confirmed fatality reported/no injuries reported
- Two Red Cross shelters open with unknown occupants

Response:

- Flash flood emergency issued for Boulder County
- State EOC activated to Level 4 (Monitoring); ESF 1 & 13 standby
- Jefferson, Larimer, El Paso and Boulder County EOCs activated
- CO National Guard activated; hoist capability on standby
- CO USAR TF-1 activated by the state
- FEMA Region VIII activated to Level III
- No requests for FEMA assistance

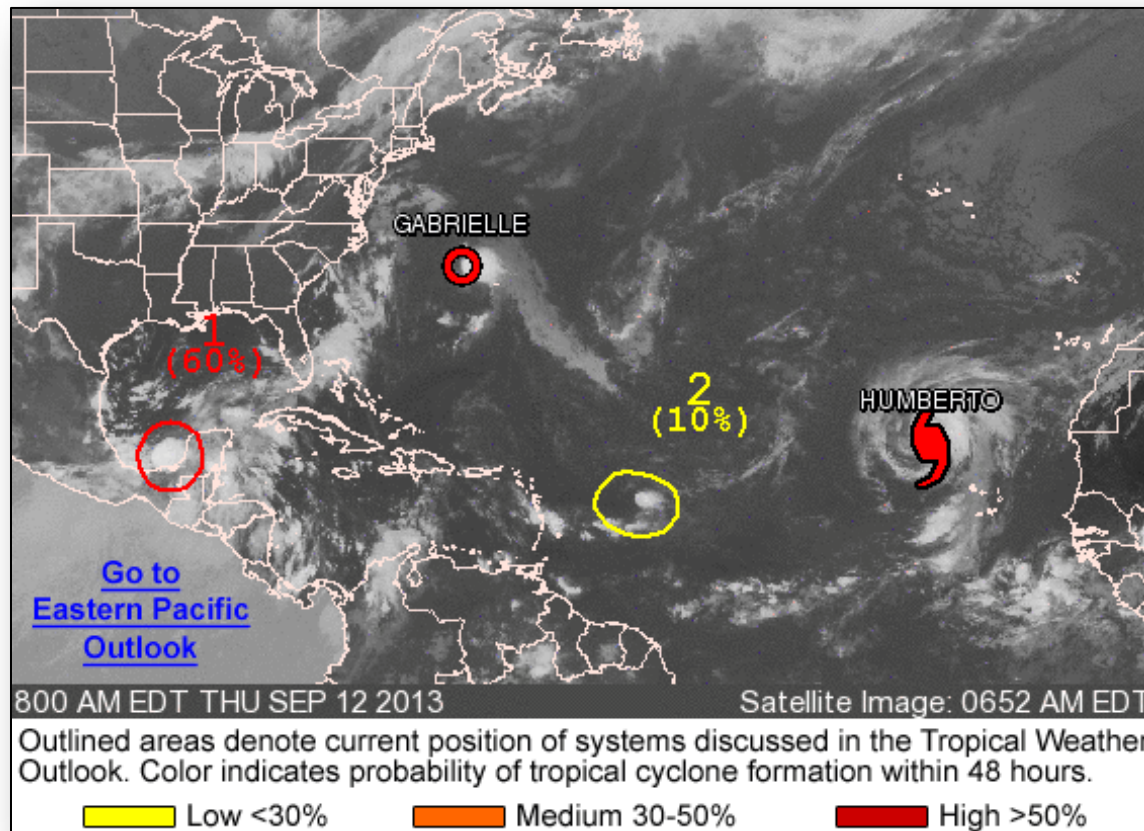


Burn Scar Areas

Atlantic – Tropical Outlook



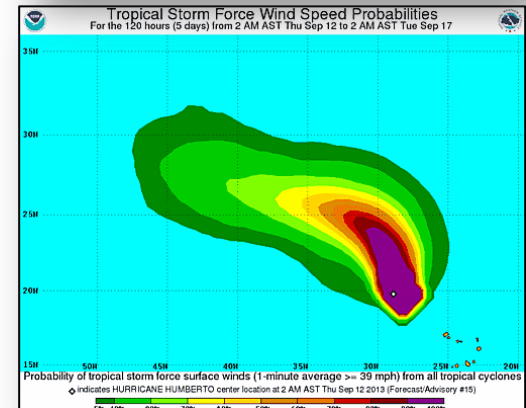
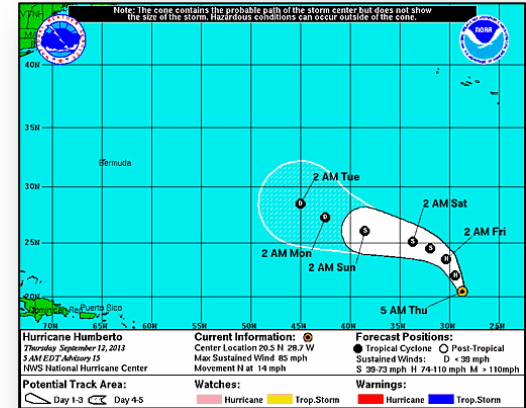
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Atlantic – Hurricane Humberto (Cat 1)

As of 5:00 a.m. EDT

- Located 440 miles NW of the Cape Verde Islands
- Maximum sustained winds are 85 mph, with higher gusts
- Moving N at 14 mph
- A gradual turn to the north-northwest with decrease in forward speed expected today
- Turn toward the west-northwest forecast by Saturday
- Gradual weakening forecast to begin today; faster rate of weakening likely on Saturday
- Hurricane Force-Winds extend outward 35 miles
- Tropical Storm-force winds extend outward up to 150 miles

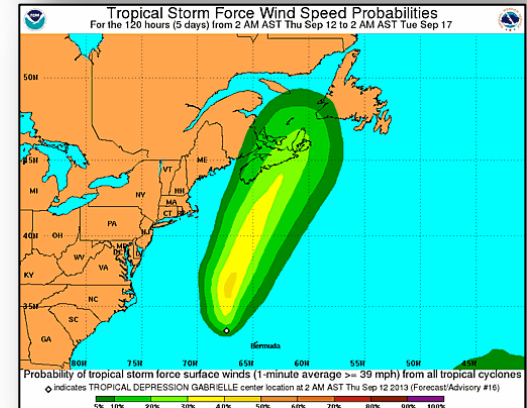
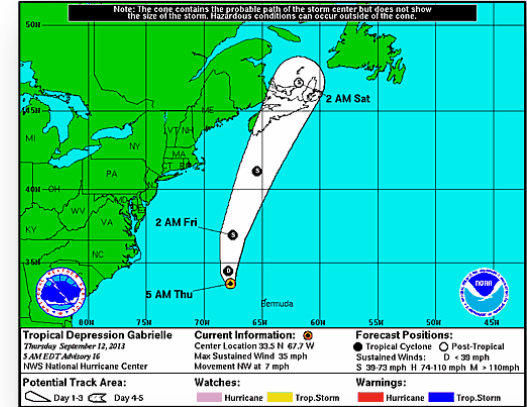


Atlantic – Tropical Depression Gabrielle

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TD Gabrielle is located

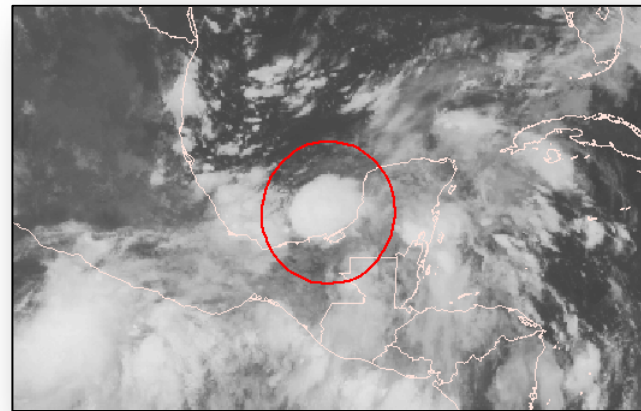
- 190 miles WNW of Bermuda
- 555 miles SSE of Nantucket, MA
- Maximum sustained winds are 35 mph with higher gusts
- Moving NW at 7 mph
- A turn to the NNW and in increase in forward speed expected today
- A turn toward the NNE with additional increase in forward speed tonight & Friday
- Gabrielle is forecast to continue moving away from Bermuda
- Will remain well offshore of the U.S. Coast; approach Nova Scotia on Friday and forecast to become a Post-Tropical Cyclone



Atlantic – Area 1

As of 8:00 a.m. EDT

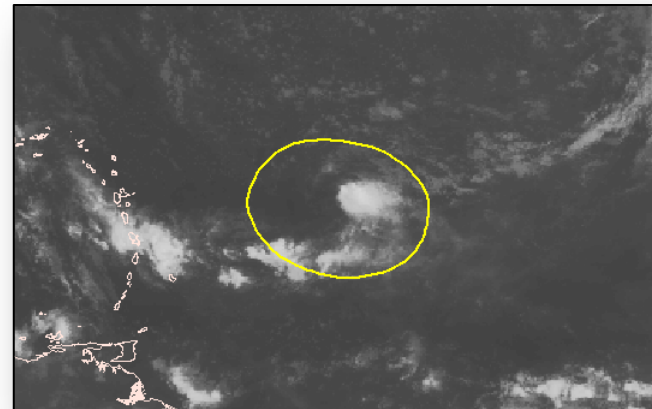
- Located over the southern Bay of Campeche
- Environmental conditions favorable for development
- Forecast to move slowly across the southern Gulf of Mexico
- Locally heavy rains over eastern Mexico
- Rain could cause life-threatening flash floods and mud slides
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hours: High (60%)
 - Next 5 days: High (80%)



Atlantic – Area 2

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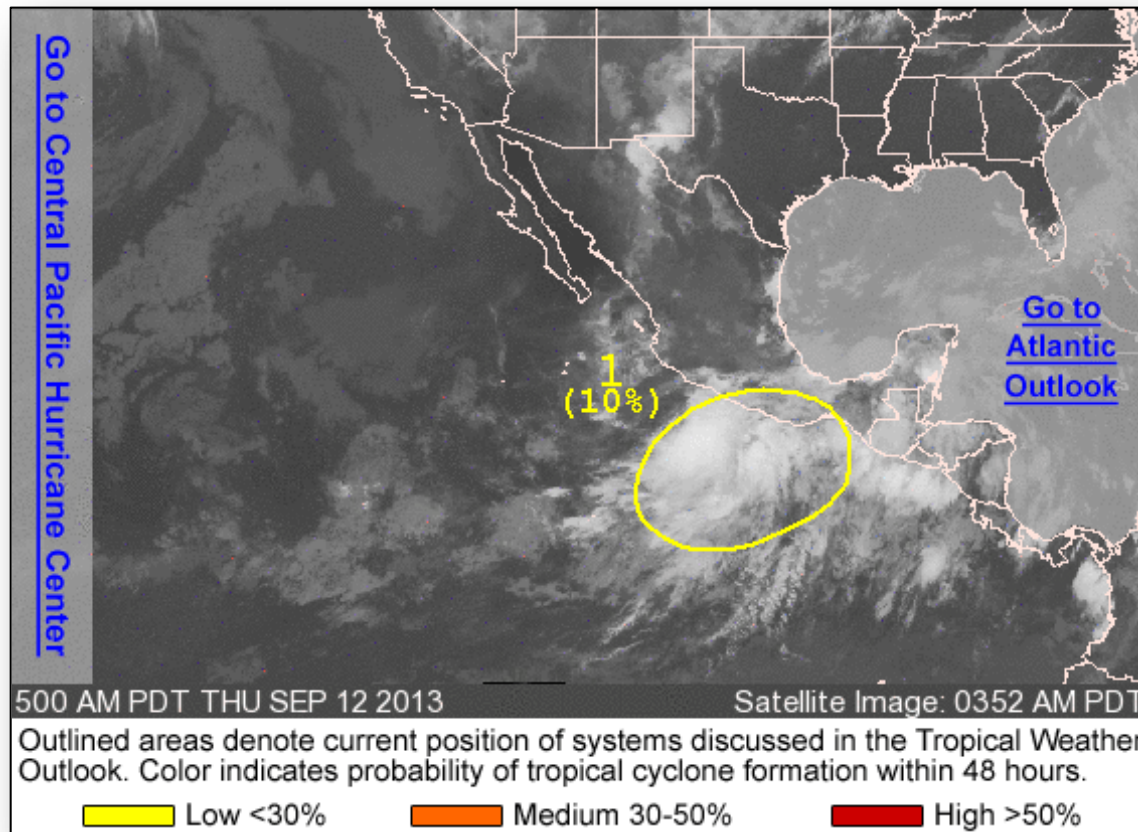
- Centered about 500 miles east of the Leeward Islands
- Moving WNW
- Environmental conditions do not appear favorable for development
- Upper-level winds could become more favorable in several days
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hours: Low (10%)
 - Next 5 days: Low (20%)



Eastern Pacific – Tropical Outlook



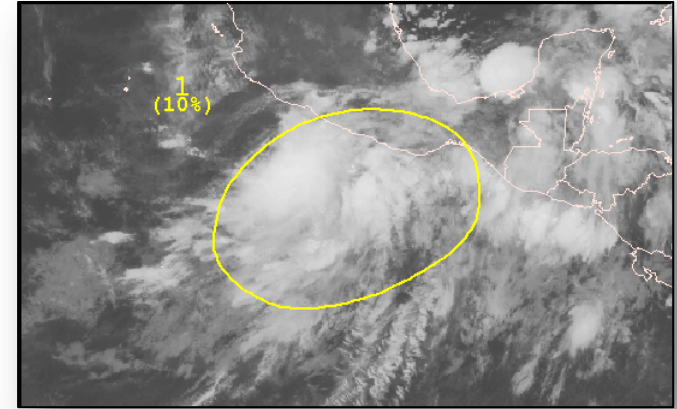
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Eastern Pacific – Area 1

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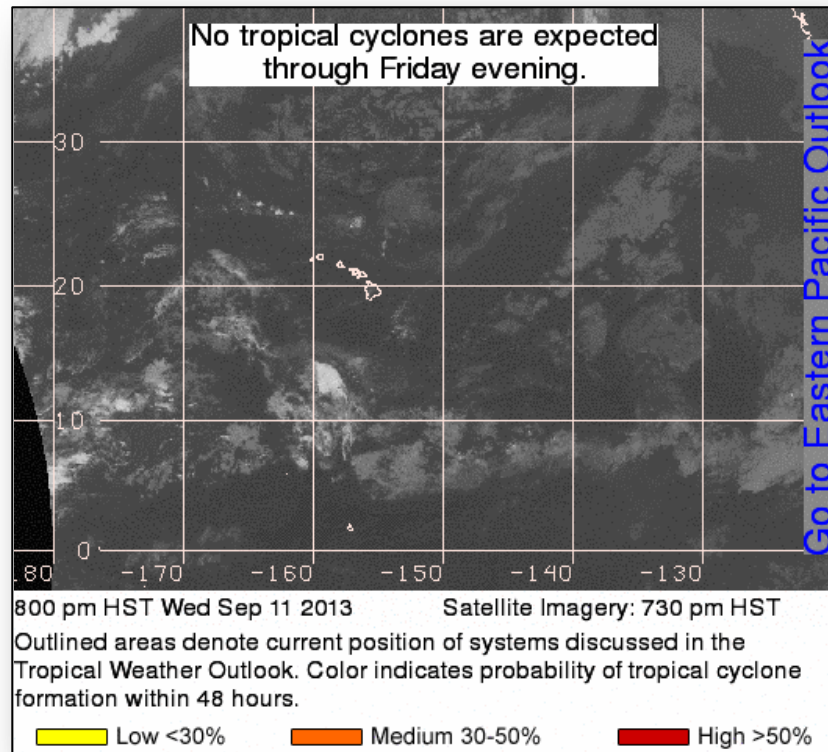
- A broad area of low pressure is producing a large area of disorganized showers and thunderstorms
- Located just SSW of the Gulf of Tehuantepec
- Strong upper-level winds & close proximity to land are expected to inhibit significant development during the next few days
- Disturbance drifting northward toward the coast of southern Mexico
- Combined with another disturbance in the Bay of Campeche, could bring heavy rains to eastern Mexico
- Probability of tropical cyclone development:
 - Next 48 hours: Low (10%)
 - Next 5 days: Low (20%)



Central Pacific – Tropical Outlook



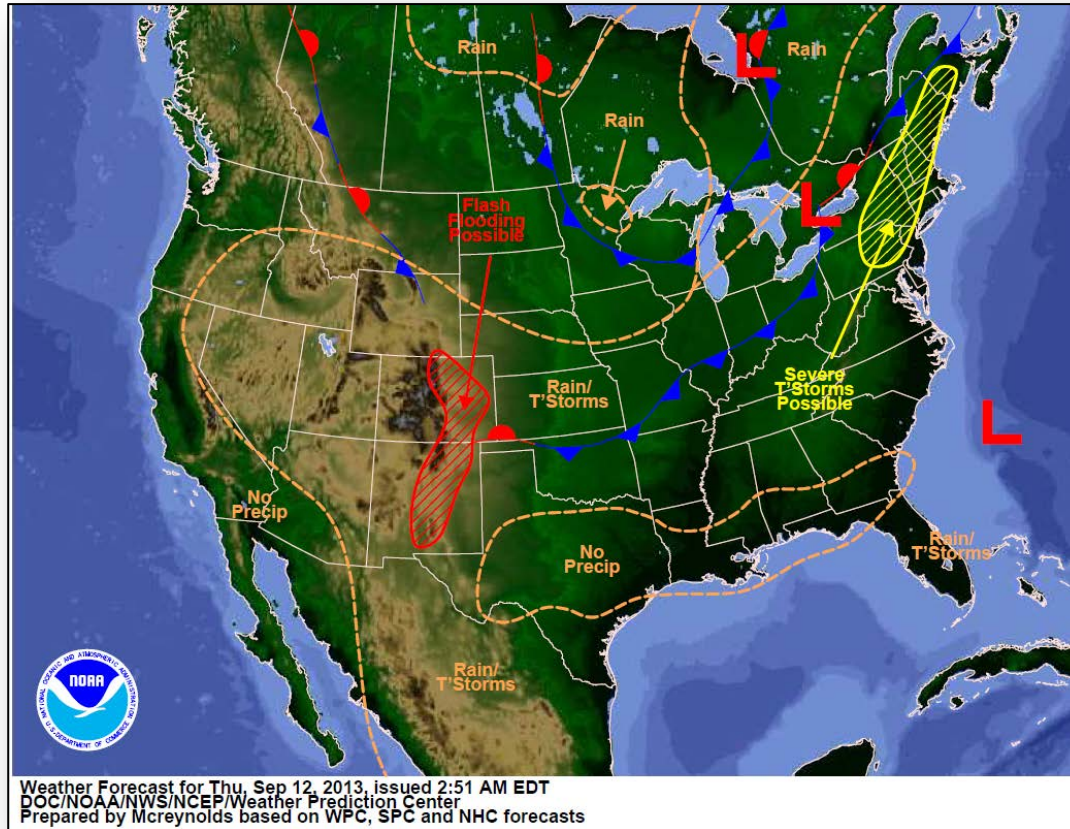
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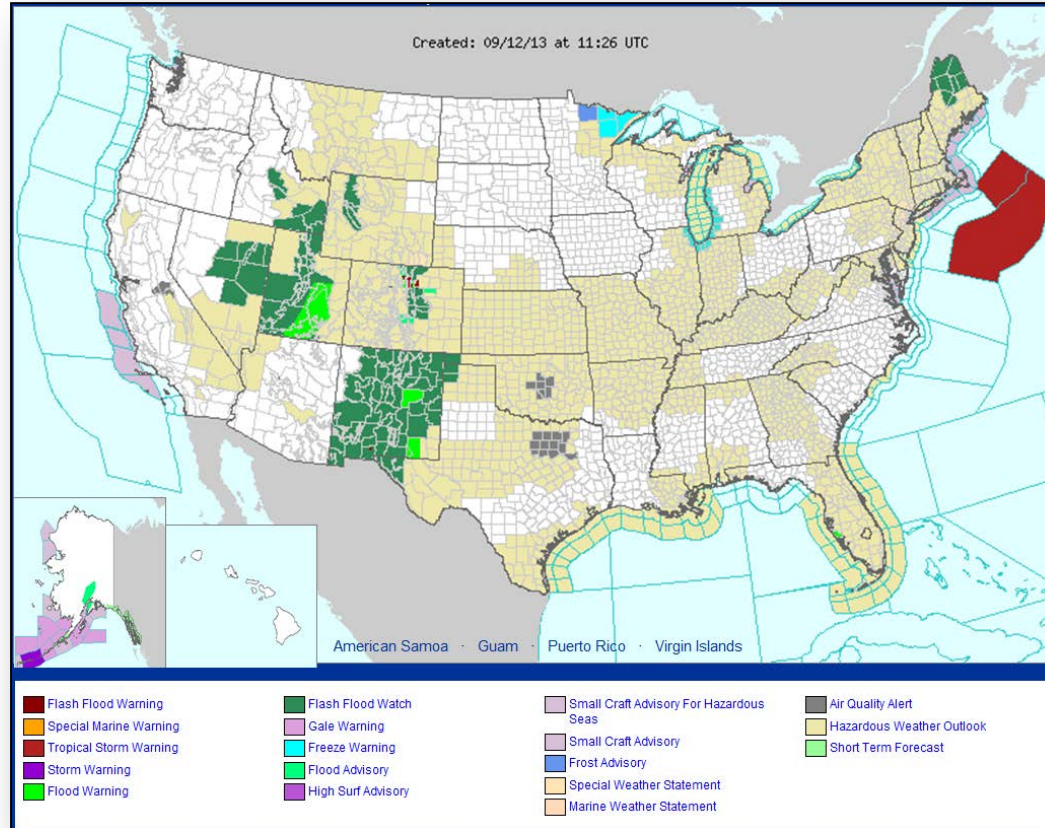
National Weather Forecast



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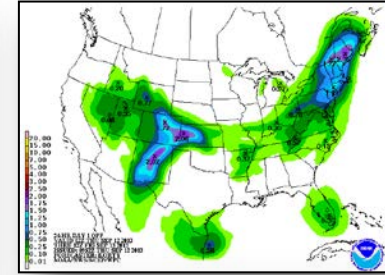
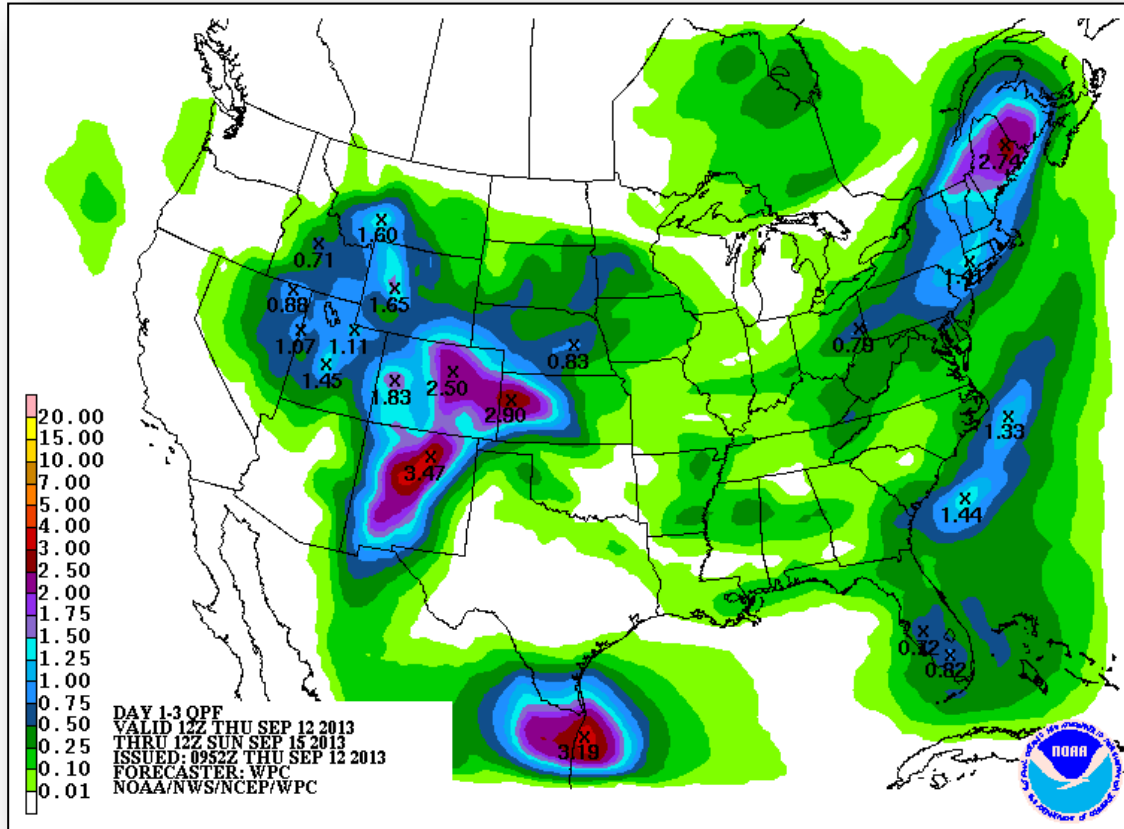
Active Watches/Warnings



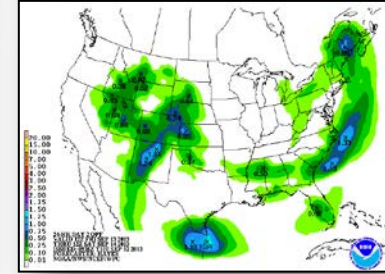
Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



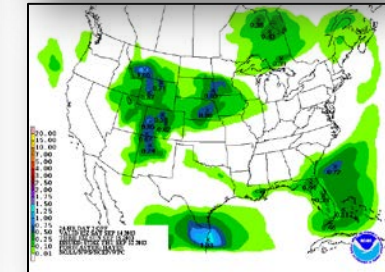
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Day 1

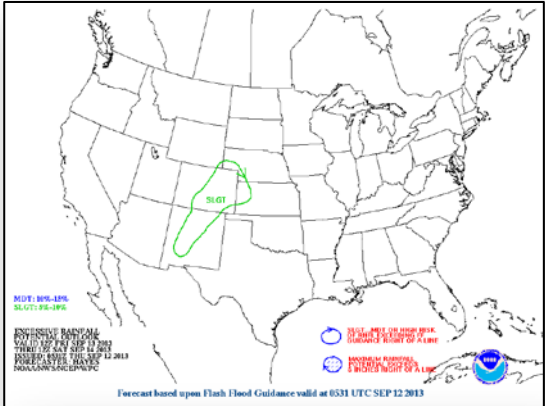
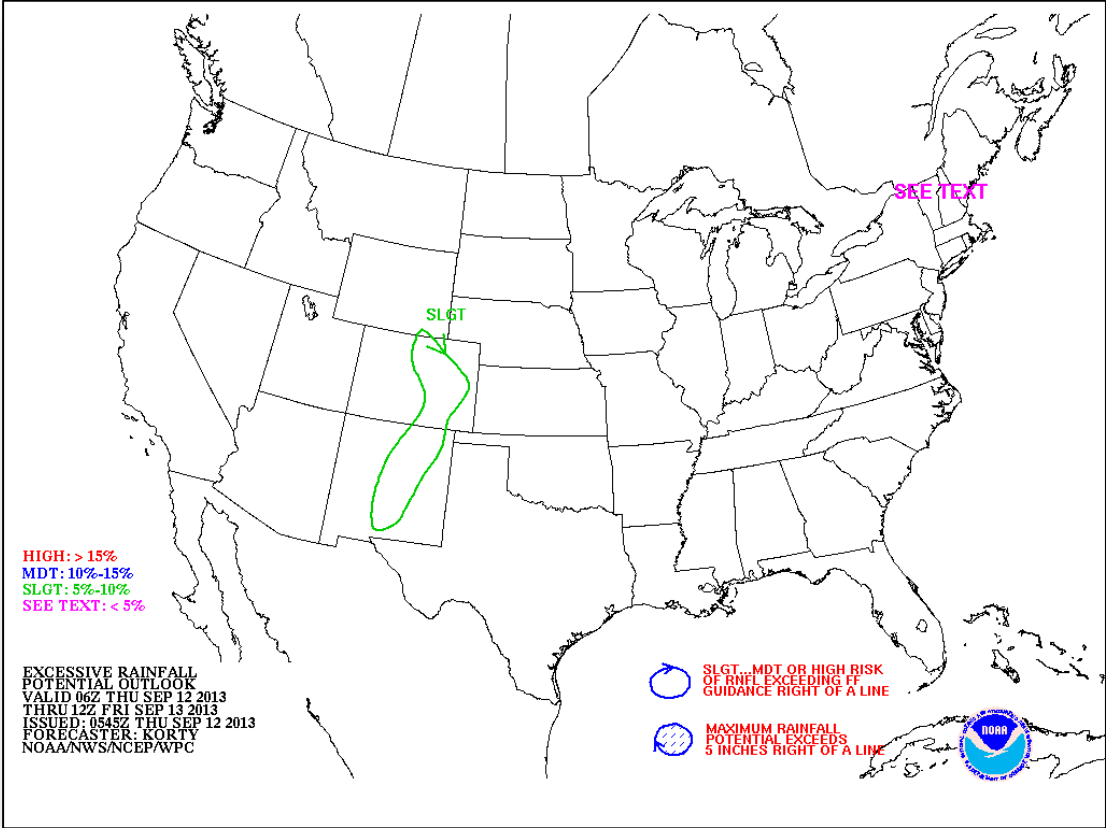


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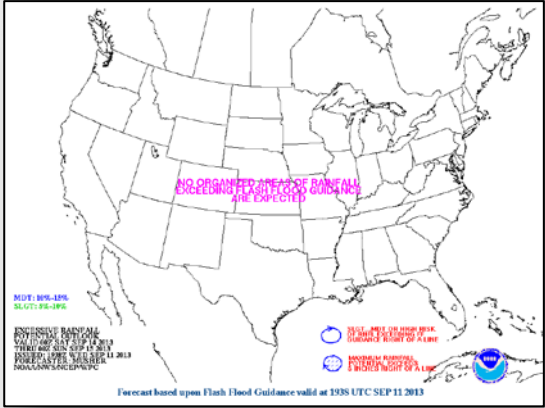


Day 3

Excessive Rainfall



Day 2



Day 3

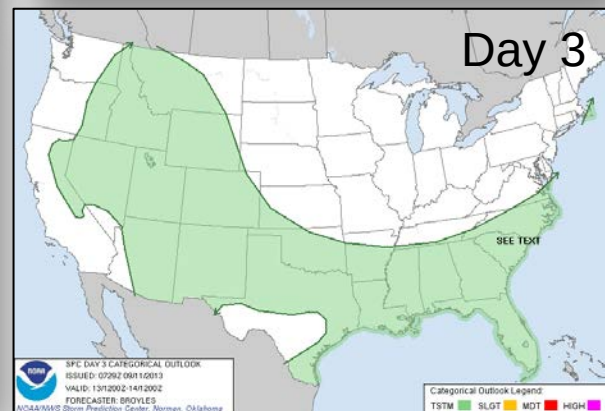
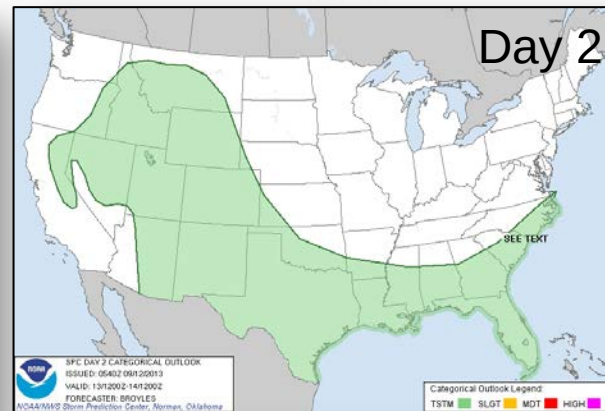
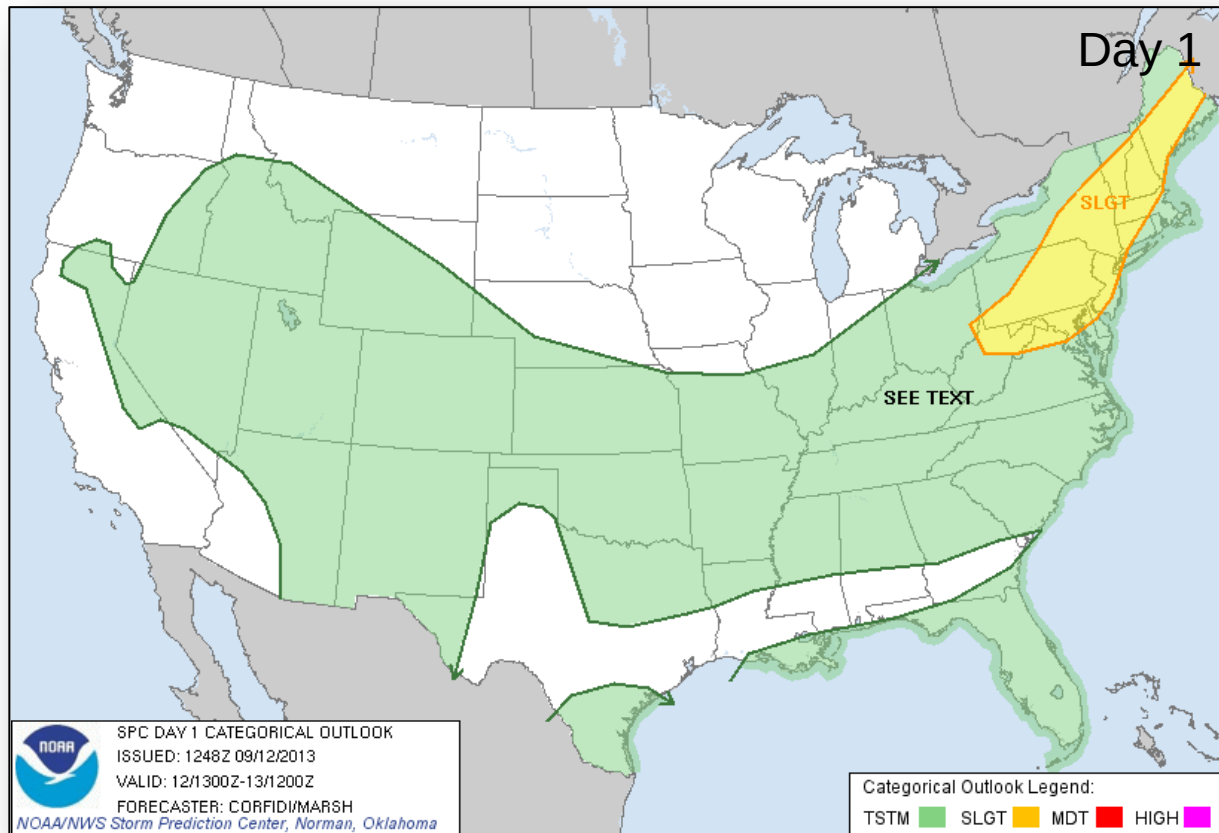
River Forecast – 7 Day



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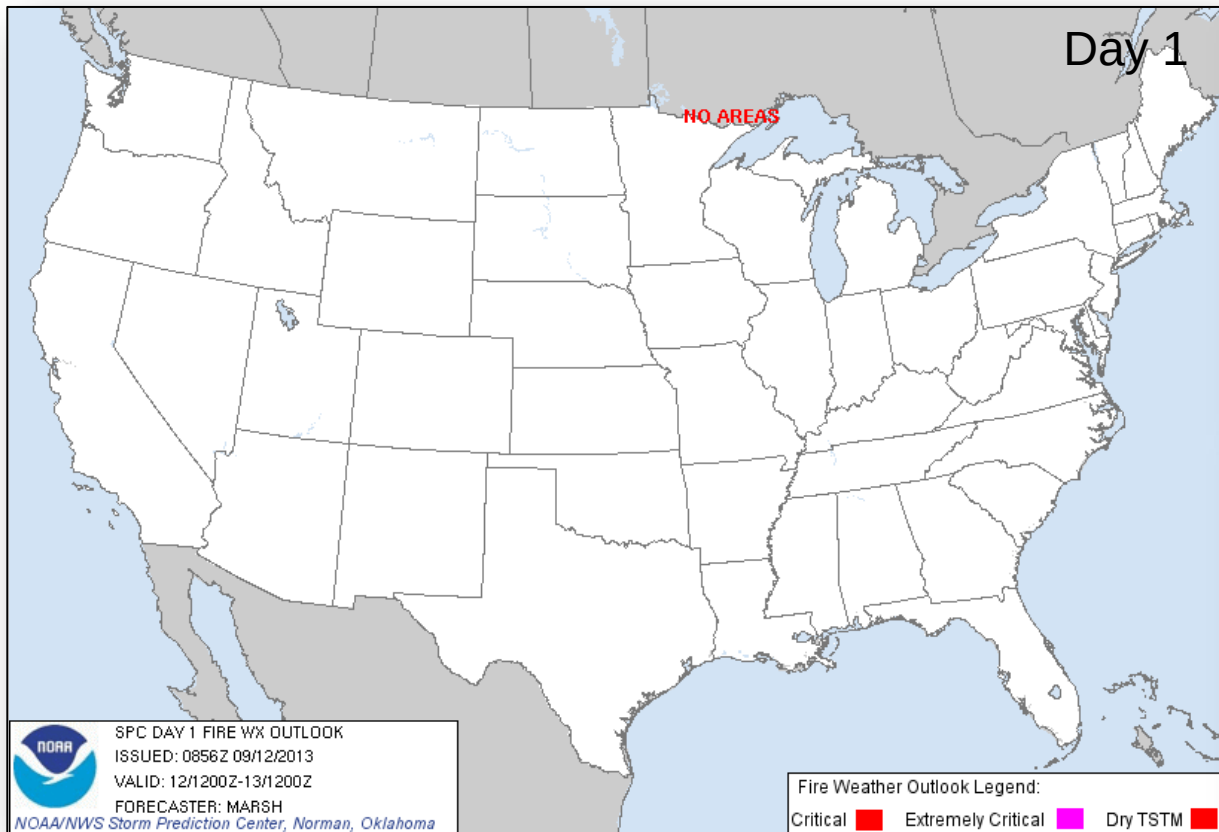
Convective Outlooks Days 1 – 3



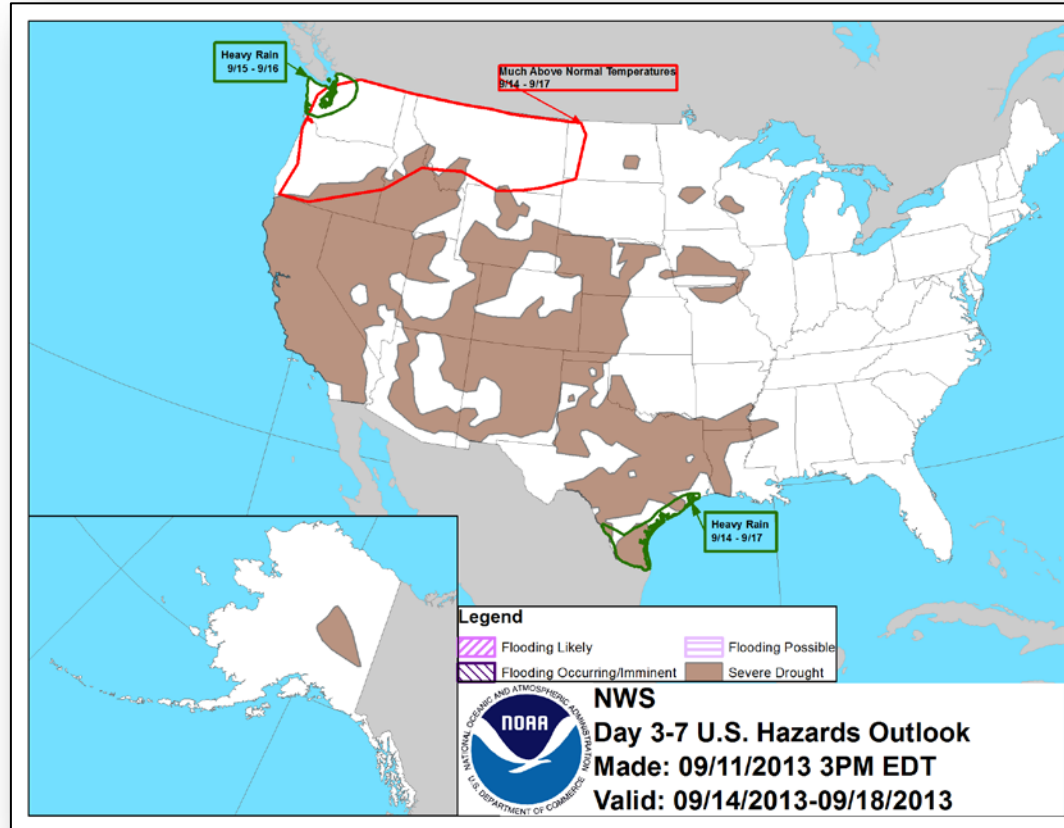
Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 – 8



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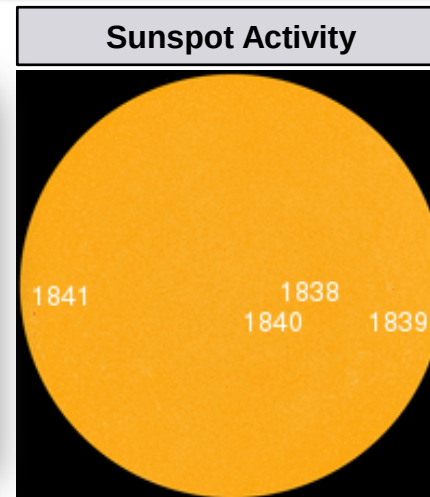
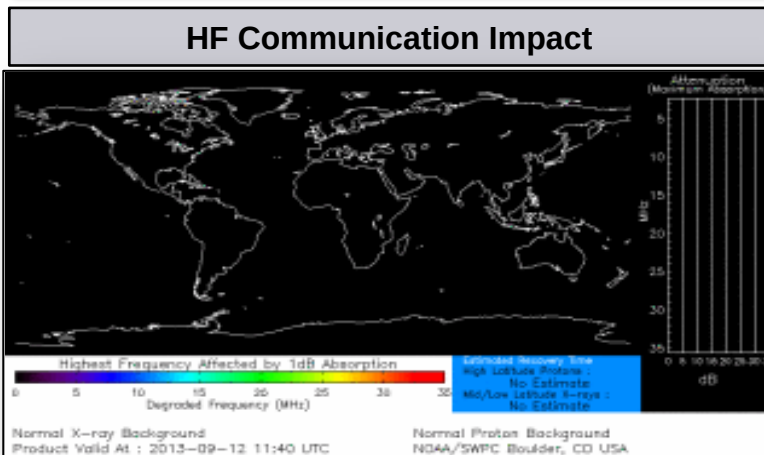
Hazard Outlook: September 14 – 18





Space Weather

NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	None	None	None
• Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	None
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	None	None	None



Earthquake – Alaska



M4.1 earthquake

- At 12:41 a.m. EDT, September 12, 2013
 - 36 miles W of Anchor Point
 - Depth of 1 mile
- USGS issued a Green PAGER alert, indicating:
 - Low likelihood of damages or injuries
 - Approximately 2,000 people near Anchor Point may have felt shaking
- No damage or injuries reported
- Tsunami was not generated
- No requests for FEMA assistance

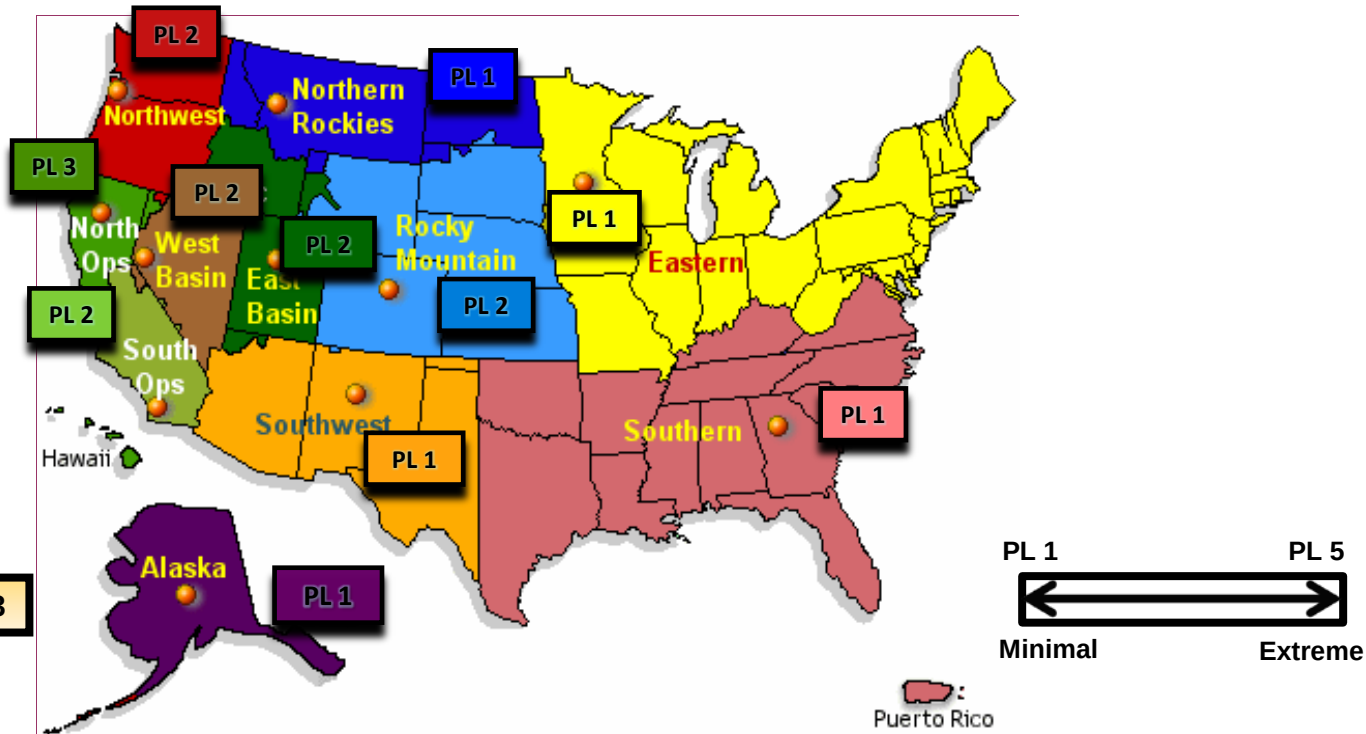
Estimated Modified Mercalli Intensity		I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X
Est. Population Exposure		—*	3k*	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k
Perceived Shaking		Not Felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
Potential Structure Damage	Resistant	none	none	none	V.Light	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V.Heavy
	Vulnerable	none	none	none	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V.Heavy	V.Heavy

U.S. Wildland Fire Preparedness Levels



National Preparedness Level: 2

Minimal mobilization of resources from other Geographic Areas is occurring. There is moderate commitment of national resources with the potential to mobilize additional resources from other Geographic Areas.



As of September 12, 2013

National Fire Activity



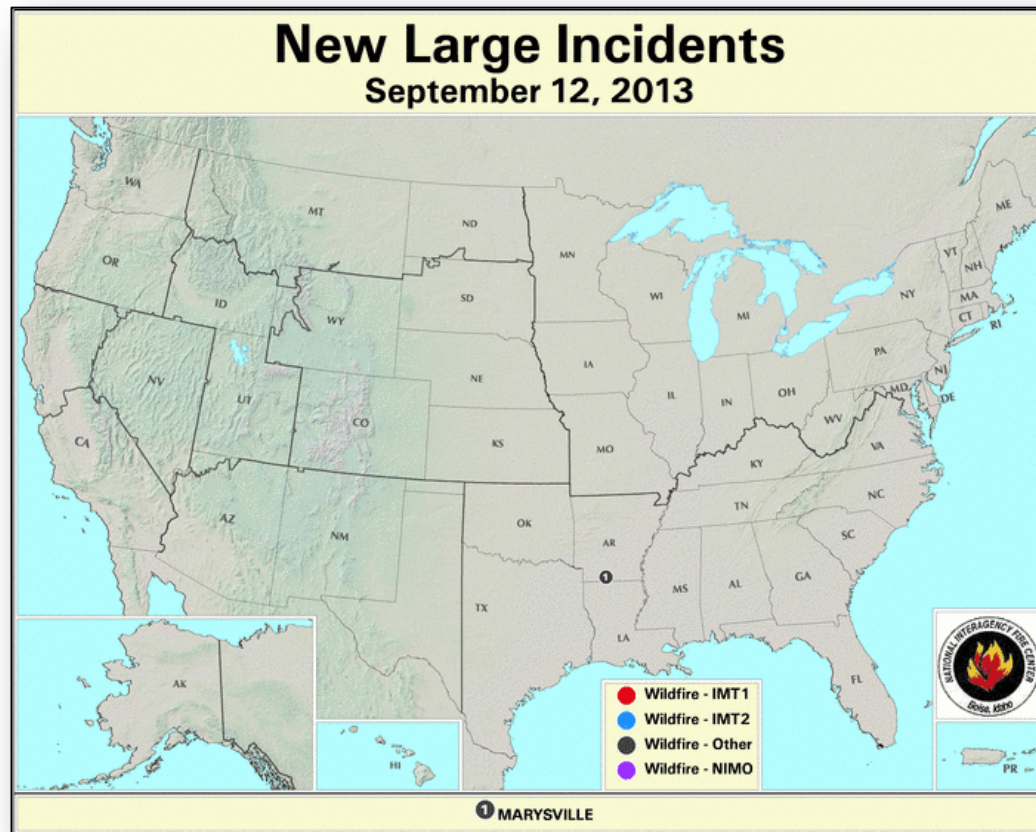
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September 12, 2013

- National Preparedness Level: 2
- Initial Attack Activity: Light (69 new fires)
- New Large Fires: 1
- Large Fires Contained: 0
- Uncontained Large Fires: 11
- *NIMOs Committed: 0 of 4
- National Teams Committed:
 - Area Command Teams: 0 of 2
 - Type-1 **IMT(s): 4 of 16
 - Type-2 IMT(s): 0 of 35
- Affected States: CA, WA, AZ, & ID

* National Incident Management Organization

**Incident Management Team



FMAG Requests and Declarations



Action (since last report)			Total	FMAG No. and State	
Requests DENIED			0		
Requests APPROVED			0		
Approved FMAG Data					
Year	Current YTD	MTD	Monthly Average	Cumulative Acres Burned YTD	Cumulative Denied FMAGs YTD
2013	29	1	11	374,417	8
Year	Total Previous FY	++ Yearly Average		Total Acres Burned Previous Year	Total Denied FMAGs Previous Year
2012	44	61		580,716	17
* Reflects the 3-year average for current month/ ** Reflects 3-year total average					

Wildfire Summary



Fire Name (County)	FMAG #	Acres burned	% Contained Est. Containment date	Evacuations	Structures Threatened	Structures Damaged/ Destroyed	Fatalities/ Injuries
California (2)							
Clover Fire (Shasta County)	FEMA-5050-FM-CA	7,993 (+1,198)	50% (+10%)	Yes	300 (-200)	4/111	1/4 (+3)

Disaster Requests & Declarations



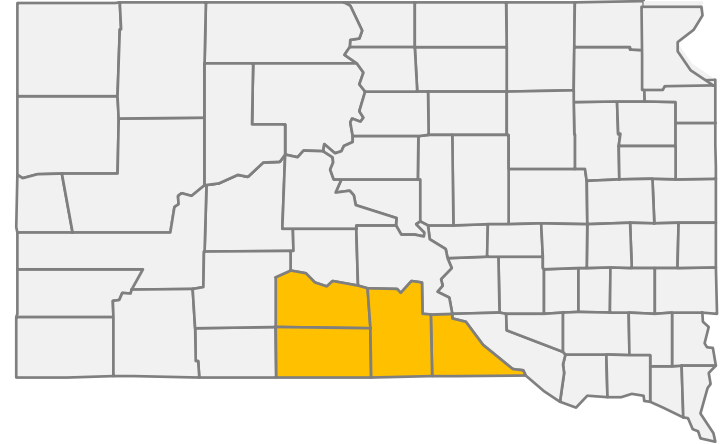
Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
3	Date Requested	0	0
Rosebud Sioux Tribe – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	September 9, 2011		
AZ – DR (Appeal) Yarnell Hill Fire Severe Storms and Flooding	September 4, 2013		
PA – DR (Appeal) Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Flooding, and Mudslides	September 6, 2013		

Major Disaster Declaration Request – Rosebud Sioux Tribe



Rosebud Sioux Tribe

- Major Disaster Declaration Request September 9, 2013
- For severe storms, straight line winds and flooding that occurred July 30-31, 2013
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance & Hazard Mitigation for Rosebud Sioux Tribe



 Rosebud Sioux Tribe Area

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

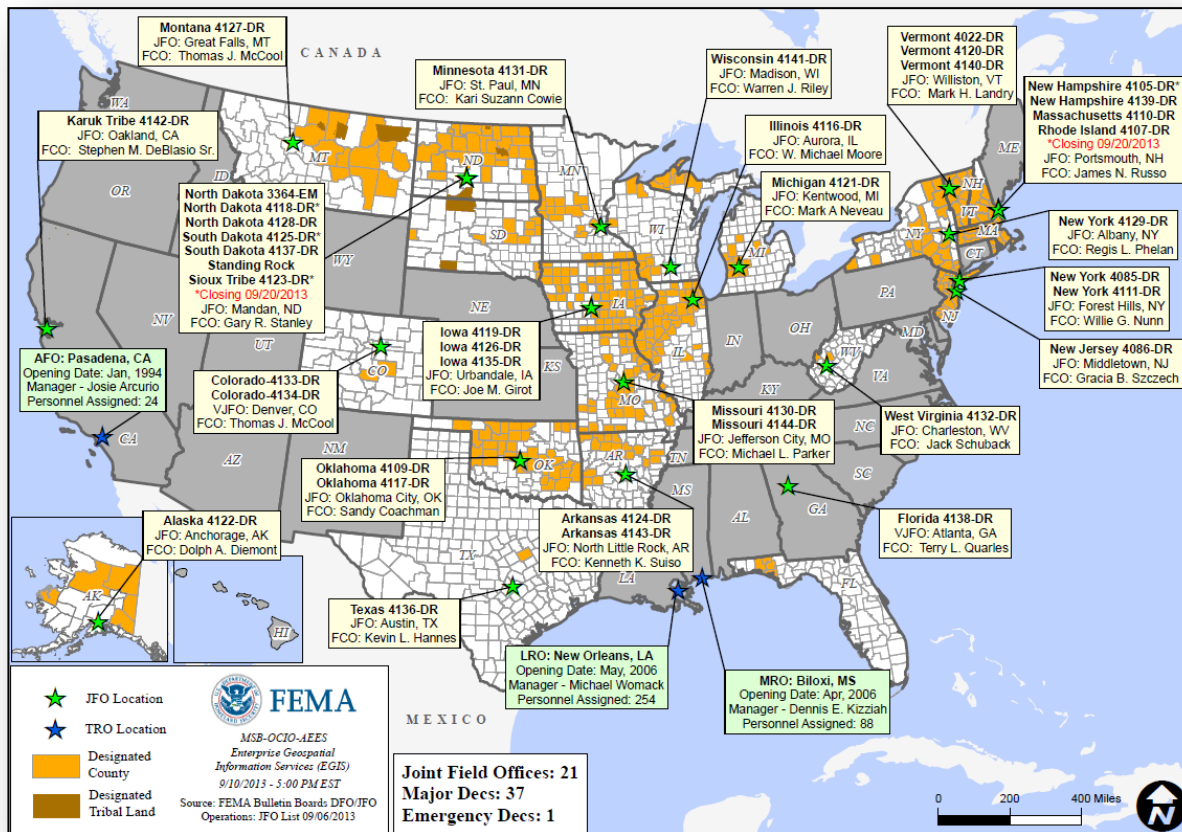


Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
VII	KS	Severe Storms, Flooding & High Winds Jul 22 - Aug 16, 2013 & continuing	PA	64	58 (+2)	8/21 - TBD

Open Field Offices as of September 12, 2013



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OFDC Cadre Member Status



Federal Coordinating Officer

Deployed	Detailed	Available	Not Available	Total
24	3	10	2	39
Total Available	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4
11*	2	5	2	2

* All Type 1 FCOs are available unless deployed to a Level 1 event

Federal Disaster Recovery Coordinator

Deployed	Available	Pending Hire	On Board	Positions
8	1	1	9	10

As of: 09/06/2013

MCOV Fleet / Deployment Status



MCOV FLEET STATUS						MCOV DISASTER SUPPORT DEPLOYMENTS					
Location	Units Assigned	Available FMC	Deployed Committed	PMC	Unavailable	DR-State	OPCON	En Route	Unit Prep	Open Request	Notes:
MERS Maynard	3	2			1						
MERS Frederick	8	8									
MERS Thomasville	14	14									
DC Ft Worth	20	19			1						
MERS Denver	2	2									
MERS Bothell	4	3			1						
Sacramento	4	3			1						
TOTAL	55	51	0	0	4	TOTAL	0	0	0	0	
Included in above totals, units in route for turn-in.											

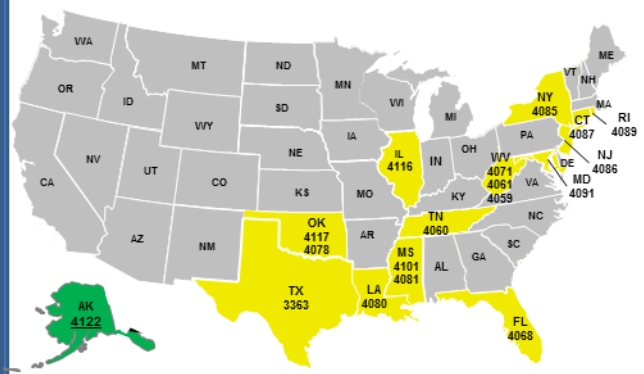
Fully Mission Capable	51
Partially Mission Capable	0
Non-Mission Capable	4
Total Not Deployed	55

Data as of: 09/11/13 @ 1500

Active IA Disasters - Referral Status & Awards



Active IA Disasters

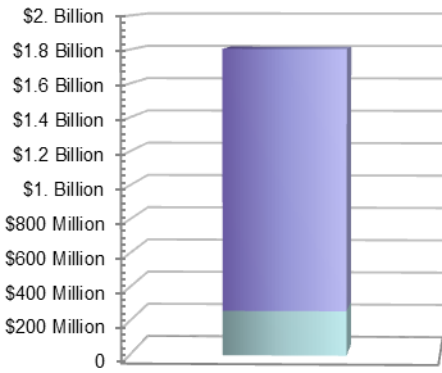


- # of DRs**
- 1** Open Registration Period (60 days from Declaration, unless extended)
 - 17** IHP Active – IHP Assistance period remains open (18 Months from Declaration)

Legend

Total IHP Awards

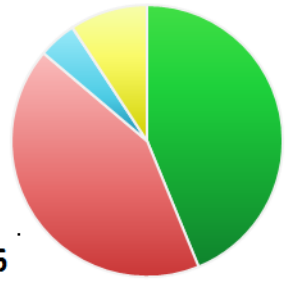
Total Awards:
311,424
Total Max Grants:
7,491



Total Awards Amount: \$1,805,370,931

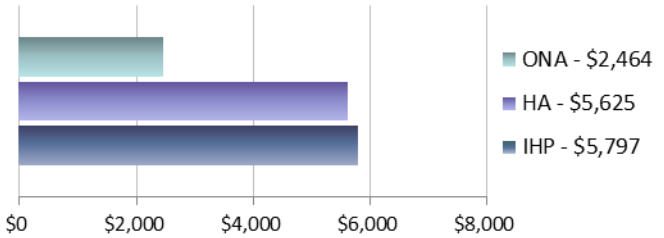
IHP Referral Status

- Approved - 311,424
- Ineligible - 301,181
- Withdrawn - 32,234
- Pending (FEMA) - 138
- Pending (Applicant) - 65,879



Total Referrals - 710,856

Average IHP Awards



18 Total IHP Active Disasters (All information on this slide reflects data for these disasters)

Max Grants = Applicants awarded maximum IHP (\$31,900 as of FY 2013)

Data as of: 09/11/13 @ 1500

IA Registration Statistics



IA Registrations and IHP Amounts as of September 11, 2013 @ 1500

DR/EM # - State	Registrations	Approved Applicants	Total HA Approved	Total ONA Approved	Total IHP Approved
4122 - AK	366	266	\$1,246,520	\$1,628,221	\$2,874,742
Totals	366	266	\$1,246,520	\$1,628,221	\$2,874,742
24 hour change	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0

NPSC Call Data for September 10, 2013

Total Calls Answered (Help Line + Registration Intake)	2,189
Average time to answer call	12 seconds
Maximum / Minimum time to answer a call	43 seconds / 9 seconds

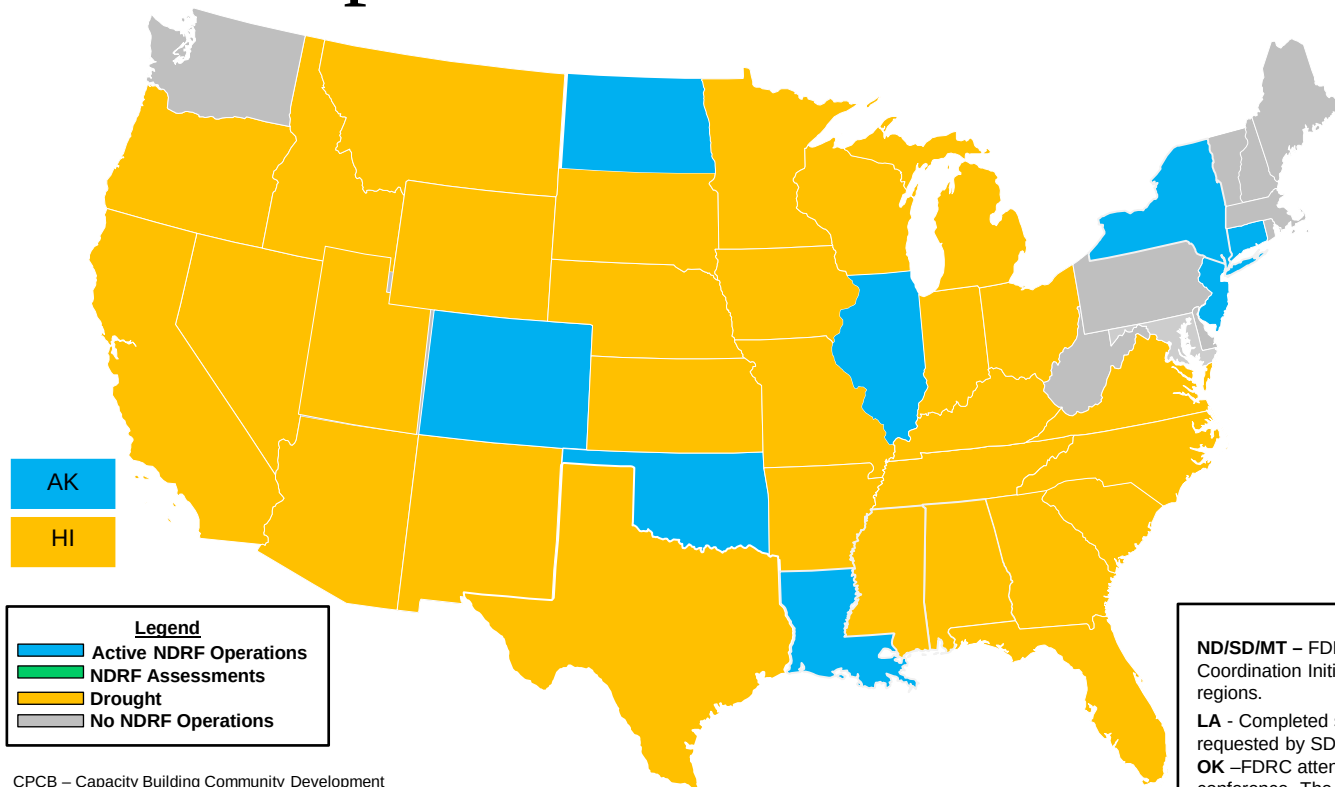
Housing Inspection Statistics



Inspection Data as of September 11, 2013 @ 1500

DR #-State	Inspectors	Inspections Assigned	Inspections Completed	Inspection % Complete	Turnaround Time (Days)
4122 – AK	1	403	385	95.5%	3.74
TOTAL	1	403	385	95.5%	3.74
24 hour change	0	+7	0	-1.7%	0.00

NDRF Operations



DISASTER	STATE	FDRC
Sandy	CT	James McPherson
Sandy	NJ	Peter Martinasco
Sandy	NY	Ken Curtin
Isaac	LA	Wayne Rickard
Drought	39 States	Colleen Callahan (USDA)
Tornado	OK	Wayne Rickard
Wild Fire	CO	Dan Alexander
Flood	AK	Joan Rave
Flood	IL	Earl Zuelke
Flood	ND	Dan Alexander

CPCB – Capacity Building Community Development
 FDRC – Federal Disaster Recovery Coordinator
 JFO – Joint Field Office
 NDRF – National Disaster Recovery Framework
 RSF – Recovery Support Function
 SDRC – State Disaster Recovery Coordinator

HIGHLIGHTS:

ND/SD/MT – FDRC is Mission Assigning all 6 RSFs for Tribal Recovery Coordination Initiative as a result of widespread and endemic flooding in tribal regions.

LA - Completed statewide business resilience initiative framework as requested by SDRC

OK –FDRC attended and represented FEMA during a Governor's press conference. The purpose of the event was to announce that the city of Moore and state of Oklahoma will receive nearly \$37 million in federal aid from the Housing and Urban Development agency's CDBG-DR program.

CT - Recovery Support Strategy (Version 2) draft delivered to the state for review and comment 9/5/13

FEMA Workforce Status Report



Workforce Type	Total	Available To Deploy	Deployed	Committed To Other Activities or Exempt from Deployment	Operational Readiness
Reservist	6,345	3,988 (63%)	1,818 (29%)	539 (8%)	Mission Capable
Cadre of On-Call Response Employees (CORE)	2,656	1,053 (40%)	1,598 (60%)	5 (0%)	Mission Capable
Permanent Full Time (PFT)	5,053	2,016 (40%)	484 (10%)	*2,553 (50%)	Mission Capable
FEMA Corps	302	0 (0%)	145 (48%)	157 (52%)	Mission Capable
DHS Surge Capacity Force	3,901	1,731 (44%)	0 (0%)	** 2,170 (56%)	Awaiting DHS/FEMA Activation
Workforce Totals	18,257	8,788 (48%)	4,045 (23%)	5,424 (29%)	

 = <70% Deployed/Mission Capable

 = 70% - 79% Deployed/Partially Mission Capable

 = >80% Deployed

 = >80% Committed to Other Activities-
Awaiting DHS/FEMA Activation

*This number will continue to be refined as Directorates/Regions identify and solidify the number of personnel required to support "mission critical home station", and Emergency Relocation Group personnel

**Deployable based on FEMA's need for DHS activation

Employees may be committed to other activities or exempt from deployment based on: leave status, training, travel related issues, or personnel status as ERG or mission critical home station employee

Data as of 9/11/13

IMAT Status



National Teams					
Team	Status	Team	Status	Team	Status
Blue/White		East		West	
Regional Teams					
Team	Status	Team	Status	Team	Status
Region I		Region V		Region VIII	ND/SD/SRST*
Region II		Region VI-1		Region IX-1	
Region III		Region VI-2		Region IX-2	Karuk Tribe
Region IV-1		Region VII	KS	Region X	
Region IV-2		*SRST – Standing Rock Sioux Tribe			

= Available/Mission Capable
 = Available/Partially Mission Capable

= Assigned/Deployed
 = Not Mission Capable



Urban Search & Rescue

INCIDENT SUPPORT TEAMS (Red-White-Blue) – Monthly On Call Rotation											
JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
WEST				CENTRAL				EAST			
Team	Status			Team	Status			Team	Status		
CA-TF1	Available			AZ-TF1	Available			FL-TF1	Available		
CA-TF2	Available			CO-TF1	State Activated			FL-TF2	Available		
CA-TF3	Available			IN-TF1	Available			MA-TF1	Available		
CA-TF4	Available			MO-TF1	Available			MD-TF1	Available		
CA-TF5	Available			NE-TF1	Available			NY-TF1	Available		
CA-TF6	Available			NM-TF1	Non-operational			PA-TF1	Available		
CA-TF7	Available			NV-TF1	Conditionally Available			VA-TF1	Available		
CA-TF8	Available			TN-TF1	Available			VA-TF2	Available		
WA-TF1	Available			TX-TF1	Available			OH-TF1	Available		
				UT-TF1	Available						

= Available/Mission Capable
 = Available/Partially Mission Capable

= Assigned/Deployed
 = Out-of-Service

RRCC / Regional Watch Center Status



Region	RRCC	Regional Watch Center
I	Watch/Steady State	Maynard MOC (24/7)
II	Watch/Steady State	24/7
III	Watch/Steady State	24/7
IV	Watch/Steady State	24/7
V	Watch/Steady State	24/7
VI	Watch/Steady State	Denton MOC (24/7)
VII	Watch/Steady State	24/7
VIII	Level III	Denver MOC (24/7)
IX	Watch/Steady State	24/7
X	Watch/Steady State	Bothell MOC (24/7)

National Team Status



Team/Status	Current Location	Remarks
National Watch Center	Washington, DC	Watch/Steady State
NRCC	Washington, DC	Not Activated
HLT	Miami, FL	Activated
DEST	Washington, DC	Not Activated
Mission Capable	Partially Mission Capable	Not Mission Capable



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