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Daily Operations Briefing

Wednesday, March 19, 2014

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity: Mar 18 – 19



Significant Events: None

Significant Weather:

- Moderate/heavy snow – Cascades/Northern Rockies and Upper Great Lakes to northern New England
- Freezing rain (up to 1/10th of an inch) – Great Lakes to New England and the southern Appalachians
- Wintry mix – Ohio Valley and portions of the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic
- Rain/rain and thunderstorms – Ohio Valley, Southeast, coastal Carolinas and coastal Mid-Atlantic
- Elevated Fire/Critical Weather Areas /Red Flag Warnings: None
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours – None; next 24 hours – None

FEMA Readiness:

- Type II IMATs from Regions II, V, VII; and X are NMC due to personnel and/or equipment issues

Disaster Requests & Declarations

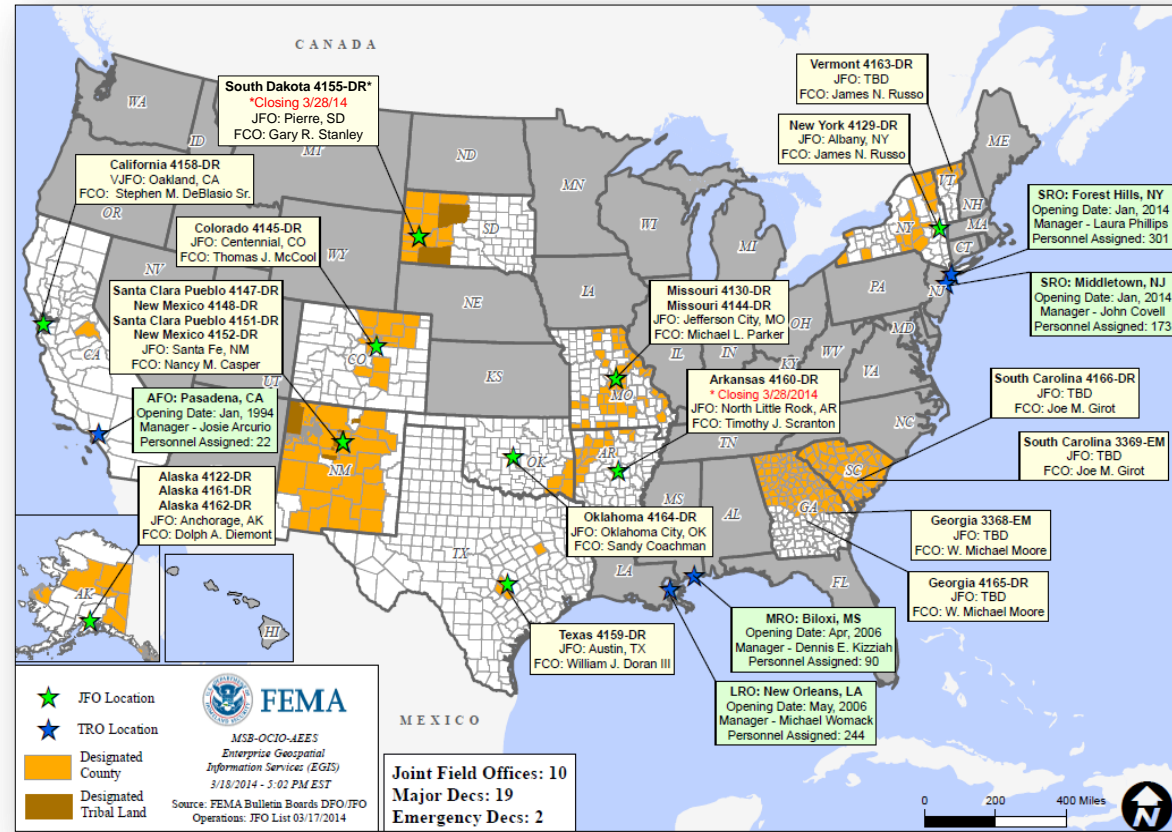


Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
3	Date Requested	0	0
IN – DR Severe Winter Storm	March 5, 2014		
MD – DR Snowstorm	March 10, 2014		
TX – DR (Appeal) Severe Winter Storm	March 13, 2014		

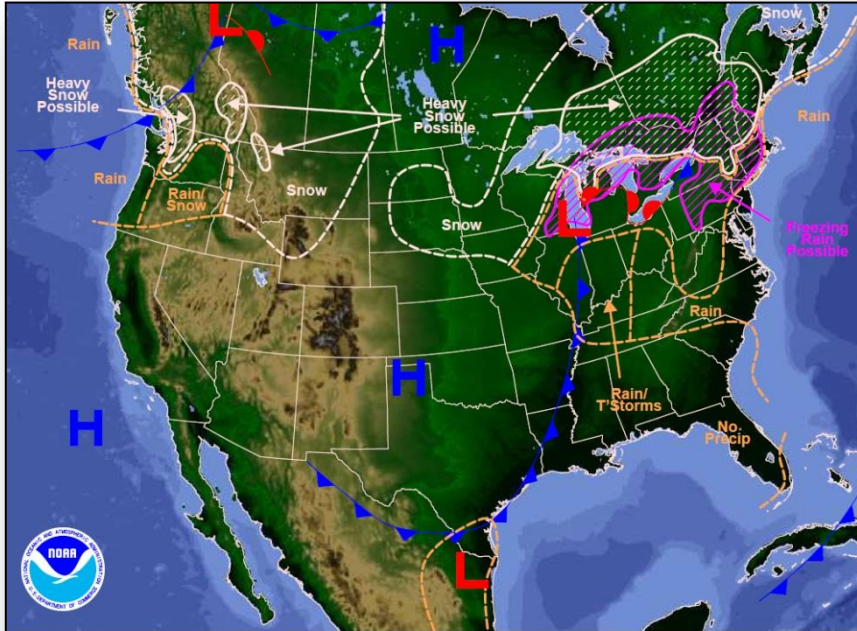
Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
IV	NC	Winter Storm February 28, 2014	PA	9	0	3/18 – TBD

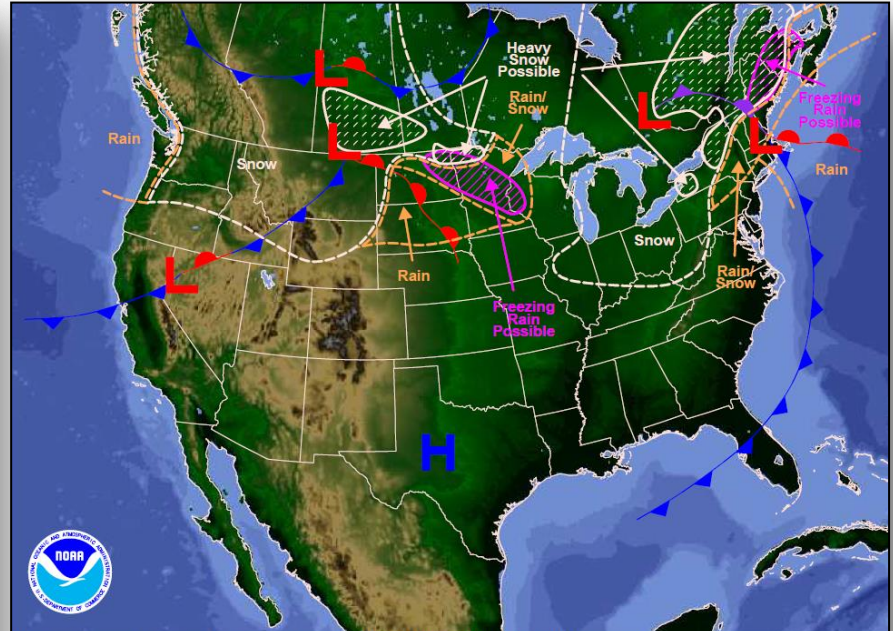
Open Field Offices as of March 19, 2014



National Weather Forecast

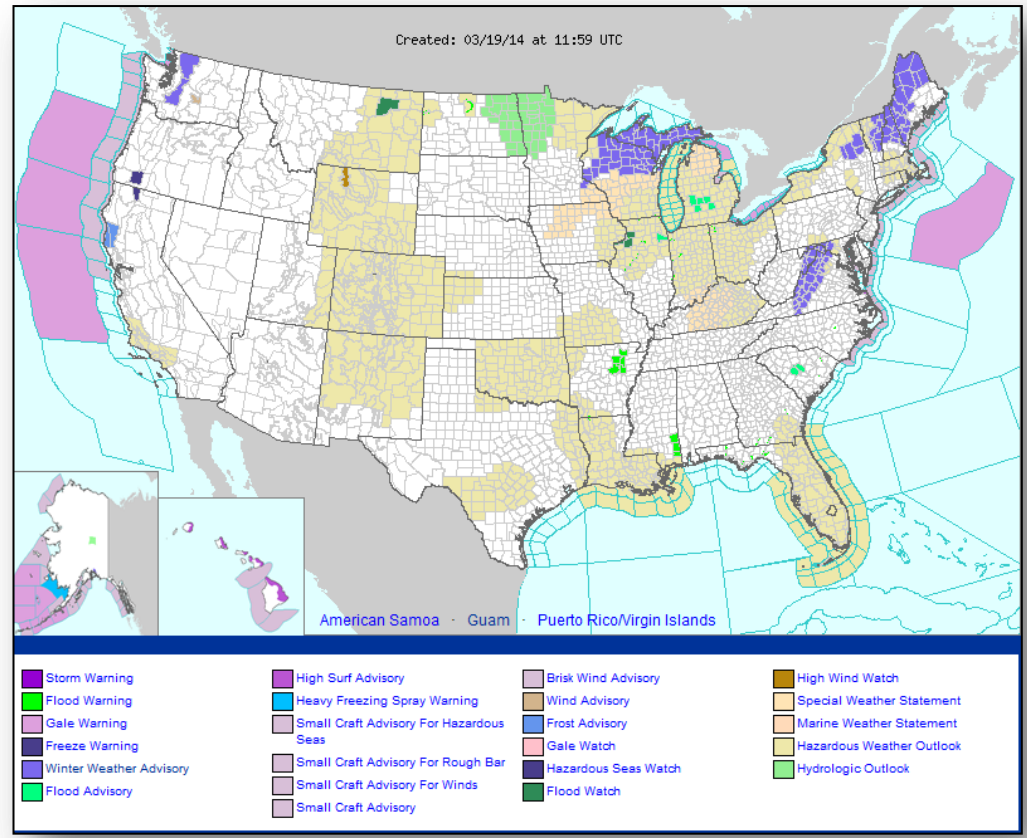


Weather Forecast for Wed, Mar 19, 2014, issued 3:26 AM EDT
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
Prepared by McCreynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

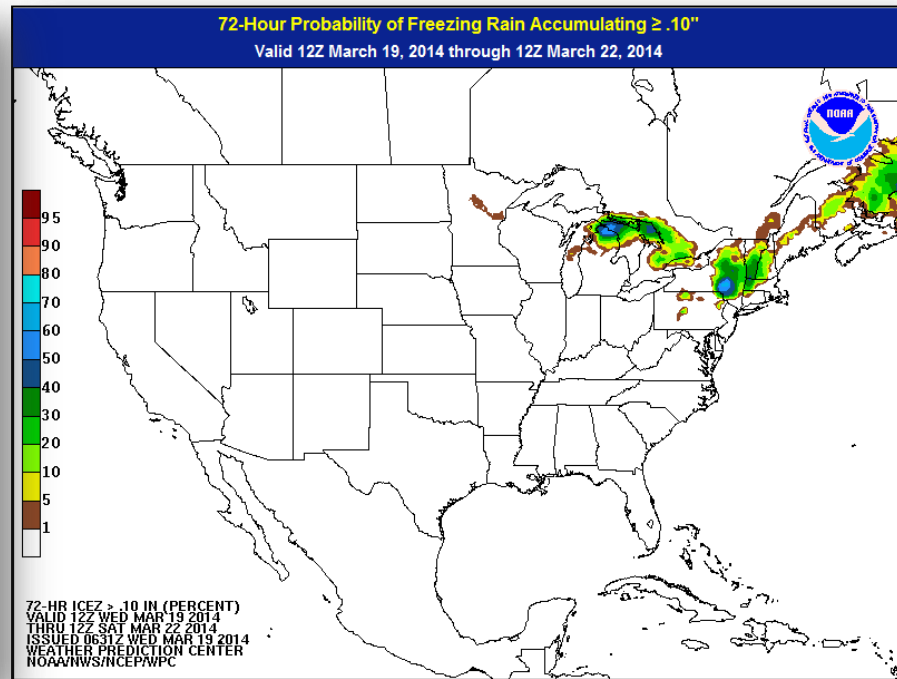
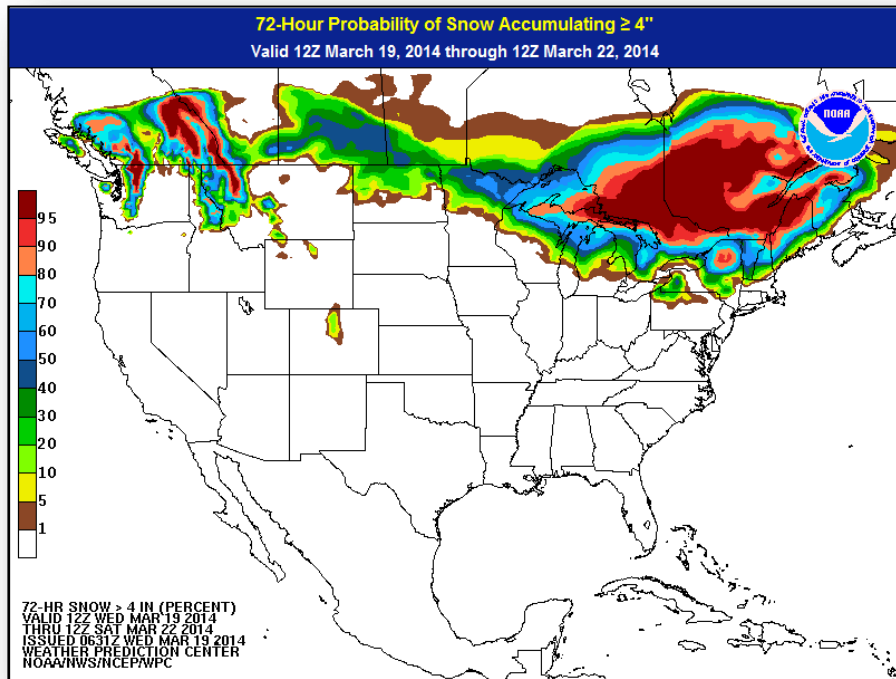


Weather Forecast for Thu, Mar 20, 2014, issued 4:25 AM EDT Wed, Mar 19, 2014
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Active Watches/Warnings



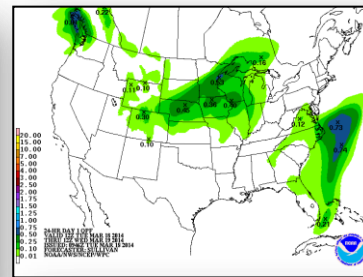
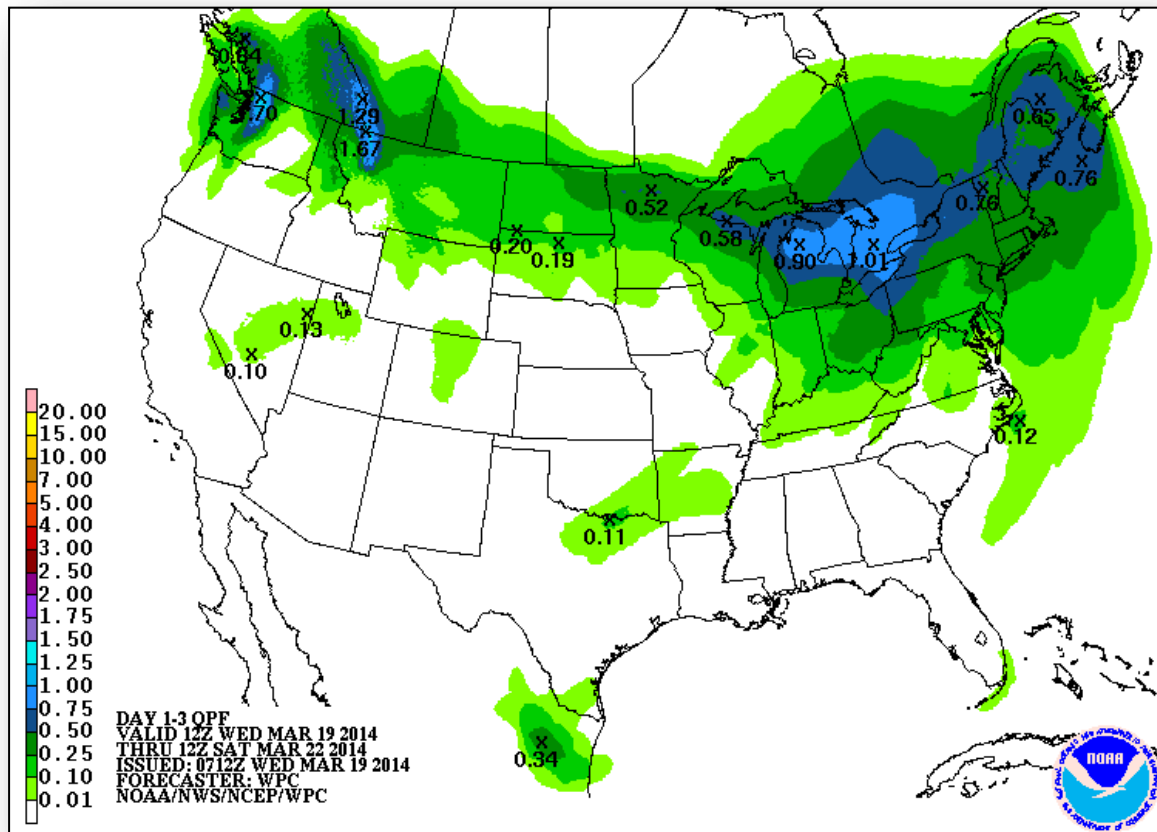
72-hour Snow/Ice Forecast



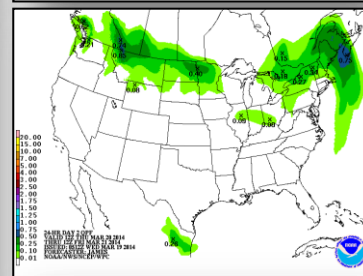


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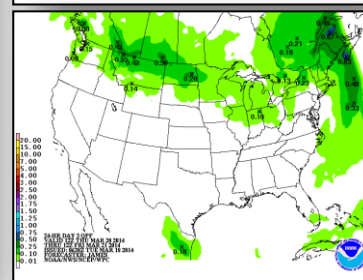
Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



Day 1



Day 2

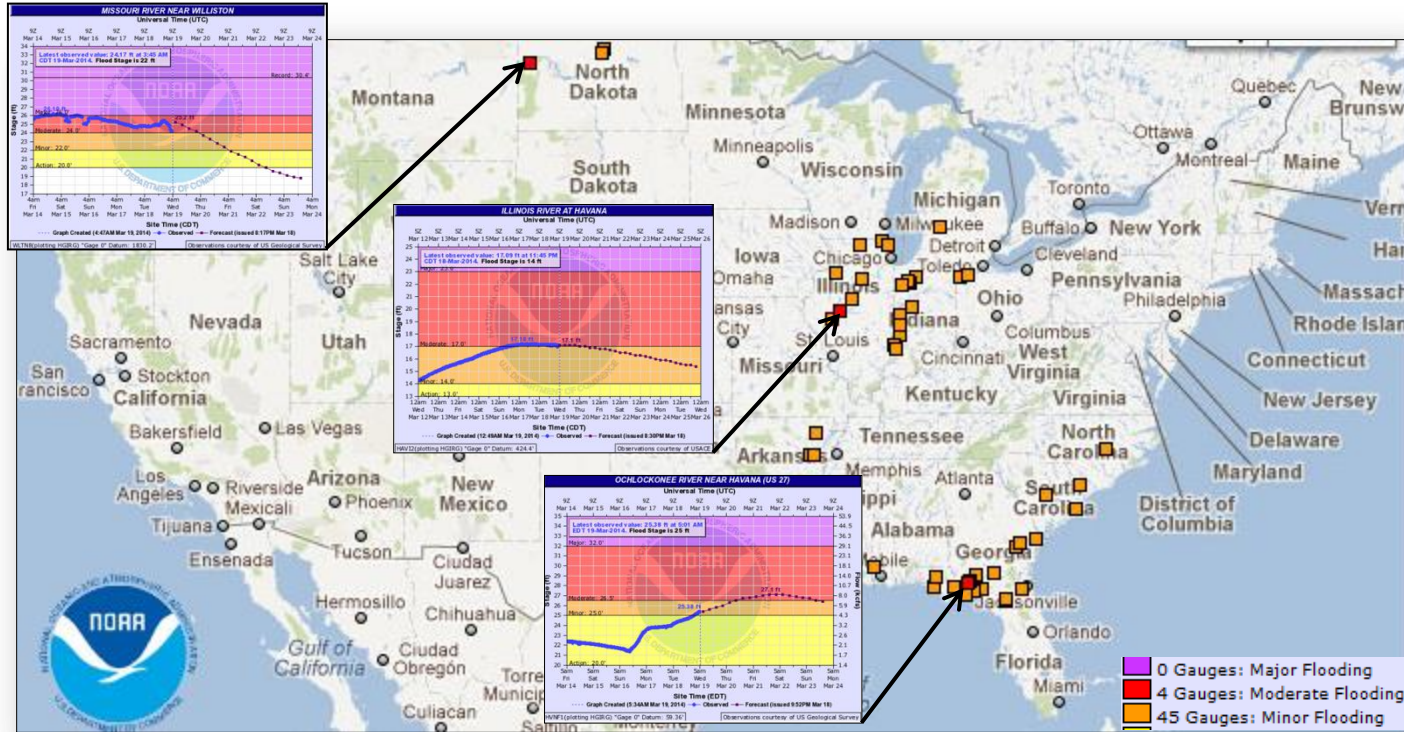


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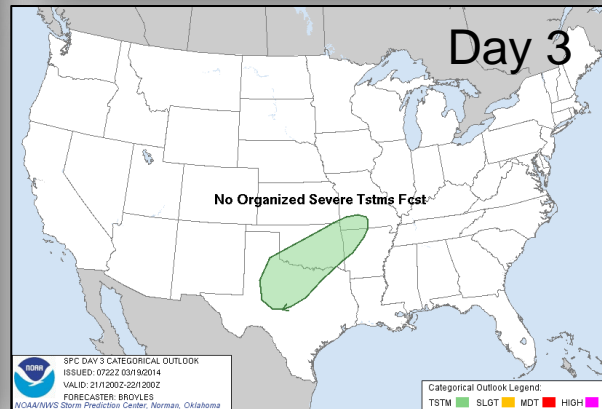
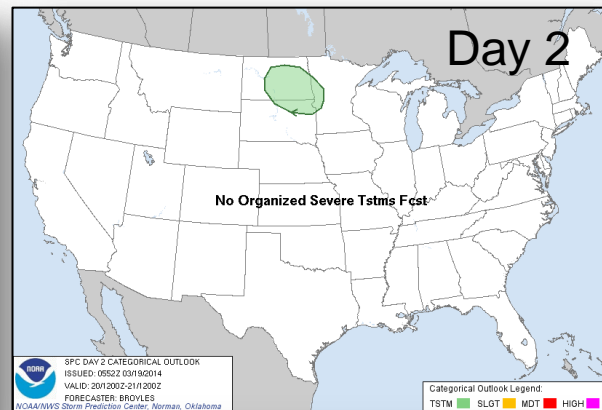
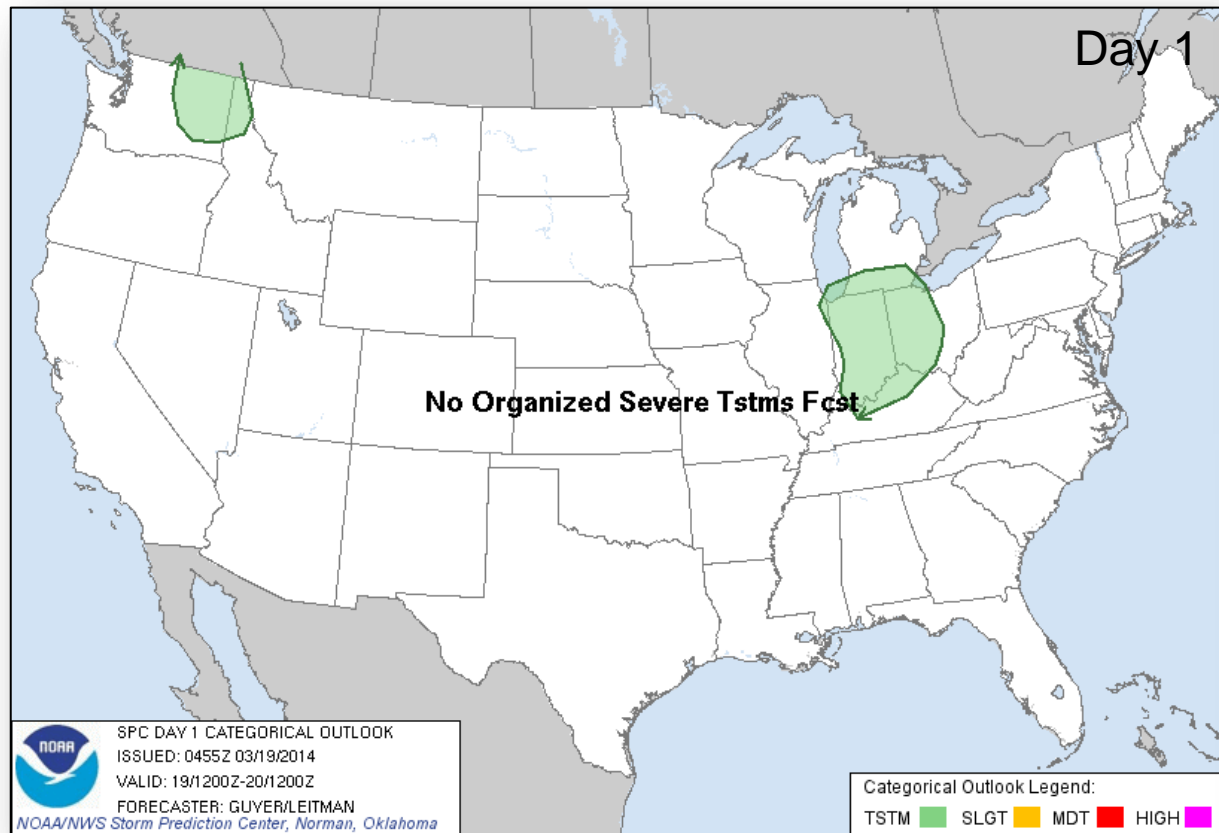
River Forecast – 7 Day



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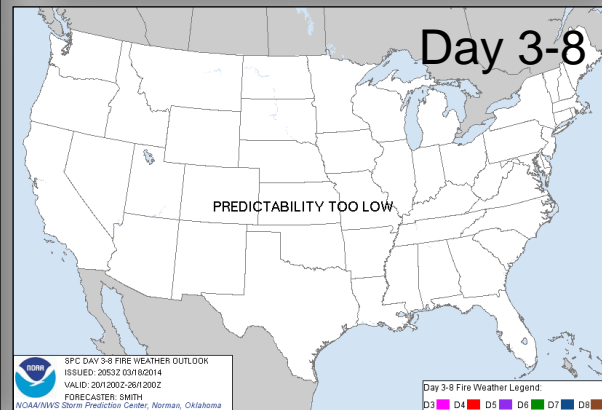
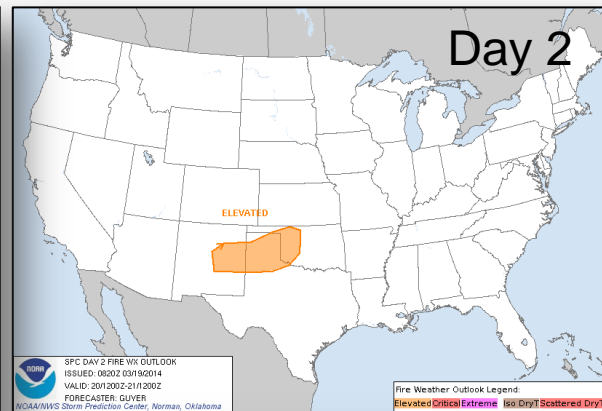
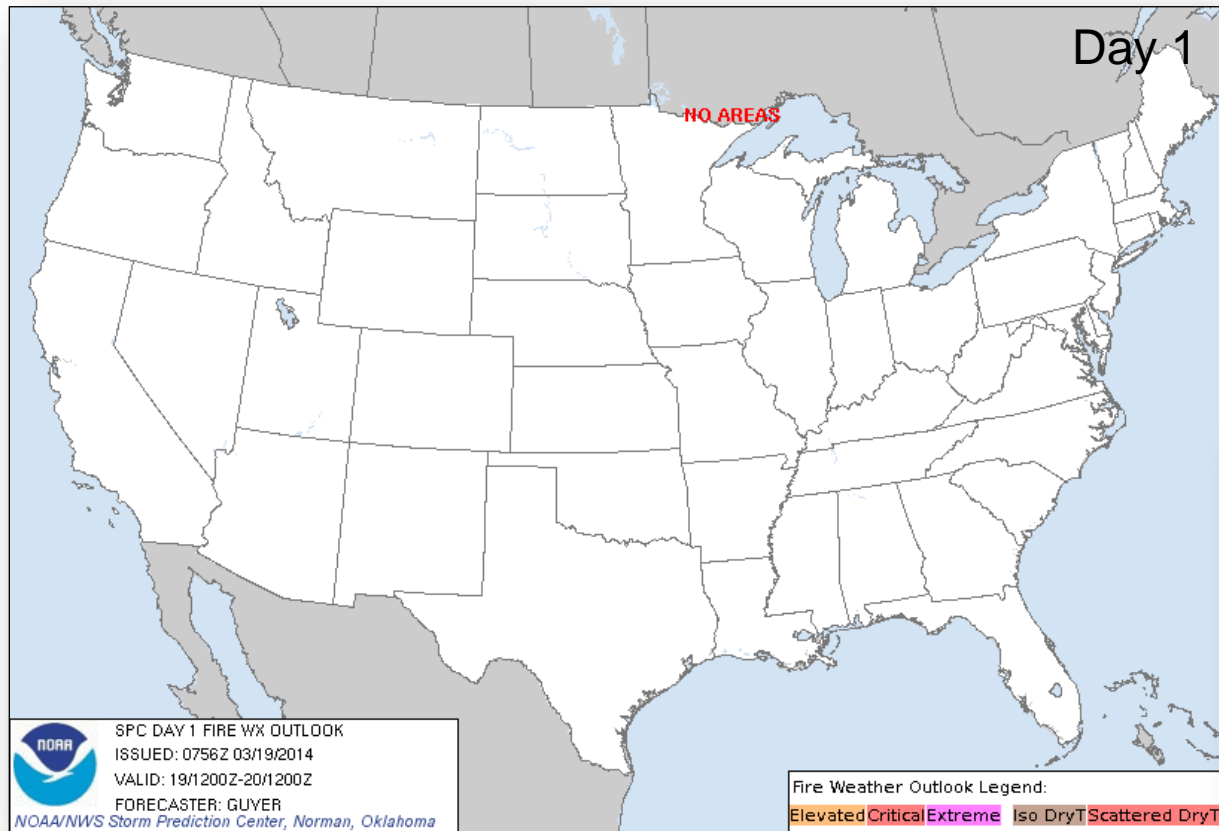
Convective Outlooks Days 1 – 3



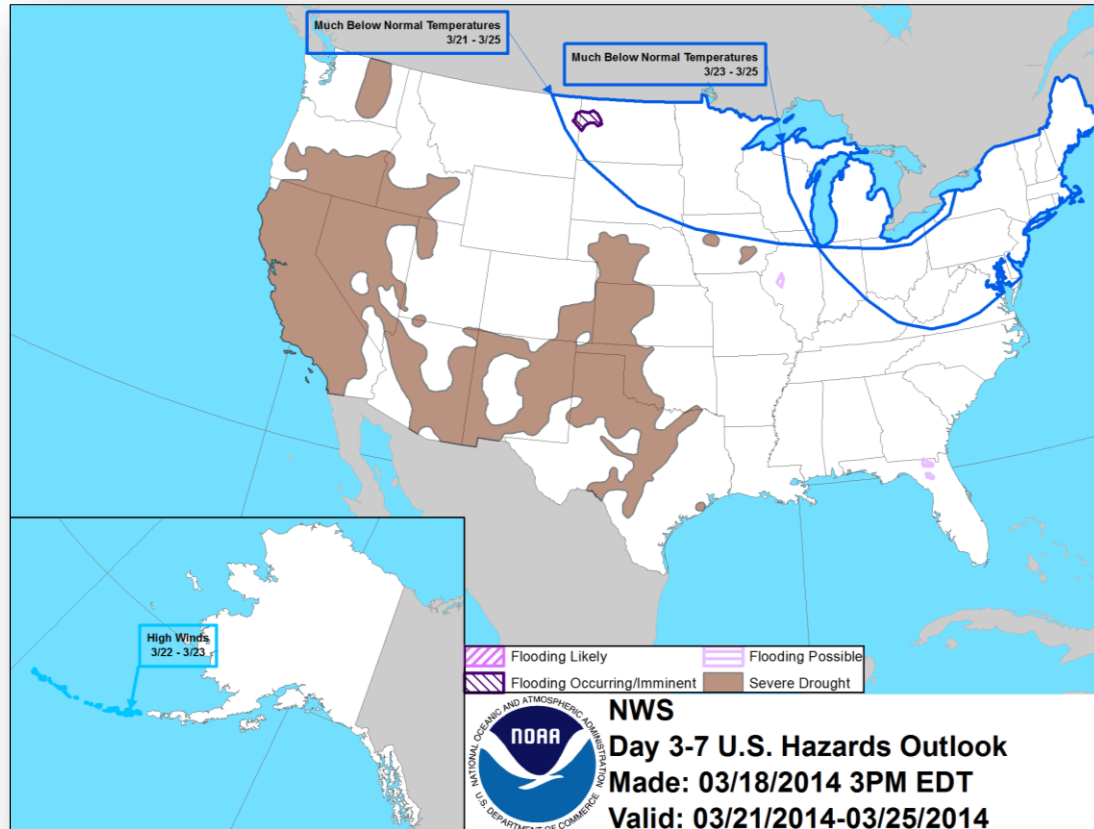
Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 – 8



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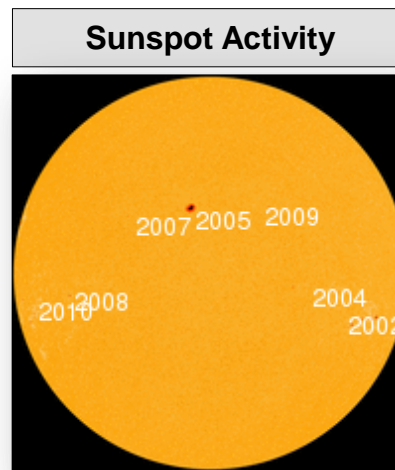
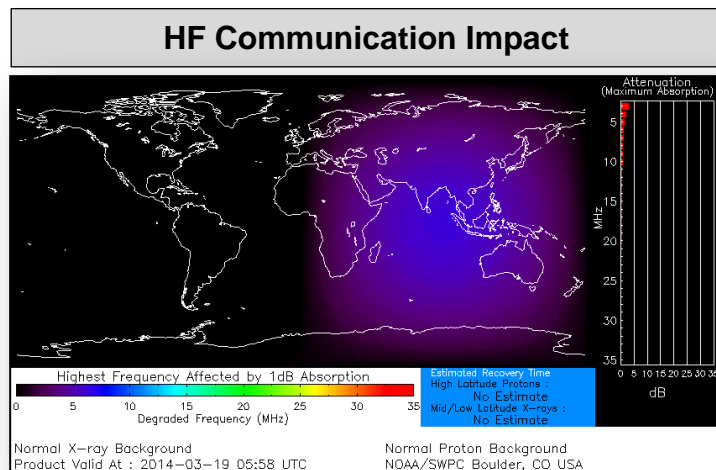


Hazard Outlook: March 21 – 25



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



FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams/Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets									
Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		40	19	48%	4	2	15		OFDC Readiness: FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4 3 2
FDRC		9	4	44%	0	0	5		FDRC 3 2 1
US&R		28	26	92%	2	0	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NV-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional)NM-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Green = Available/FMCYellow = Available/PMCRed = Out-of-ServiceBlue = Assigned/Deployed
National IMAT		3	3	100%	0	0	0		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Green: 3 availYellow: 1 availRed: 0 avail <i>Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.</i>
Regional IMAT		13	3	31%	1	4	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Region IV deployed to GA & SCRegion VI deployed to TX & OKRegion IX deployed to CA (virtual deployment) <u>Partially Mission Capable:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Region VIII: Reconstituting <u>Not Mission Capable:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Region V, & X: Personnel shortagesRegion II & VII: Personnel & equipment shortages	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Green: 7 or more availYellow: 4 - 6 teams availableRed: > 8 teams deployed/unavailable <i>R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable and has no qualified replacement.</i>
MCOV		55	51	93%	0	4	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none">4 not available – transitioning/upgrading to new satellite system	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Green = Available/FMCYellow = Available/PMCRed = Out-of-ServiceBlue = Assigned/Deployed

FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



National/Regional Teams									
Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	24/7		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Green = FMC• Yellow = PMC• Red = NMC
NRCC		2	364	94%	0	24	Not Activated		
HLT		1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
DEST							Not Activated		
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	24/7		



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FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.