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Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, February 15, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations & Monitoring



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Significant Activity for February 14-15, 2020

National Current Operations & Monitoring

Significant Incidents or Threats:

- COVID-19
- Heavy snow possible – portions of Pacific Northwest to Northern Rockies

Tropical Activity:

- [Western Pacific - Invest 93P](#)

Declaration Activity:

- [Amendment No. 3 to FEMA-4473-DR-PR](#)

Western Pacific – Invest 93P



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Situation

- 506 miles NNW of Nadi, Fiji
- Forecast to move ESE towards Pago Pago, American Samoa
- Expected to strengthen and consolidate next 24-48 hours
- Maximum sustained winds 23-29 mph
- Potential for development of a significant tropical cyclone within the next 24 hours: MEDIUM
- Flash flooding and landslides possible due to heavy rain and strong winds

Lifeline Impacts

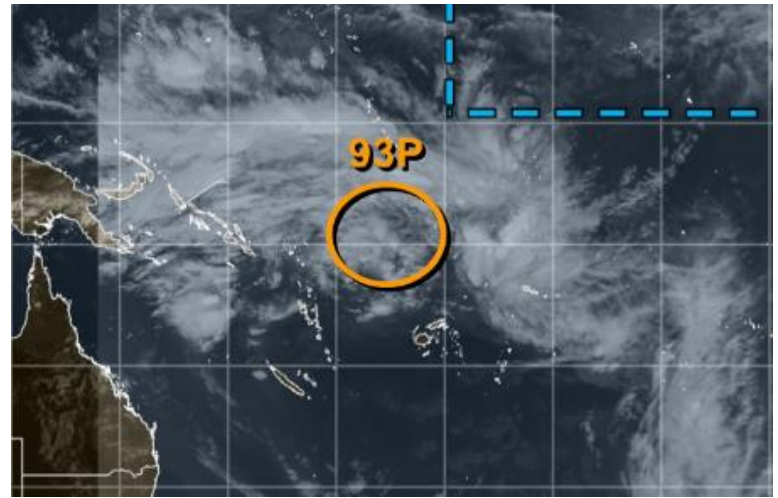
- All lifelines remain stable

Local Preparations/Response

- American Samoa (AS) EOC at Full Activation (already activated for measles outbreak)

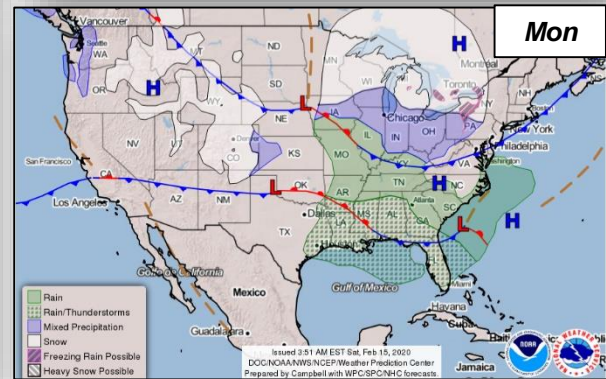
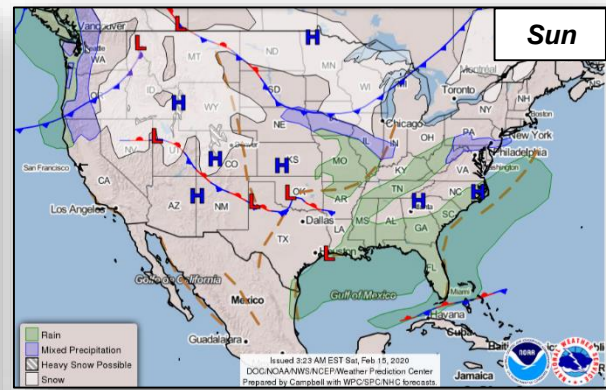
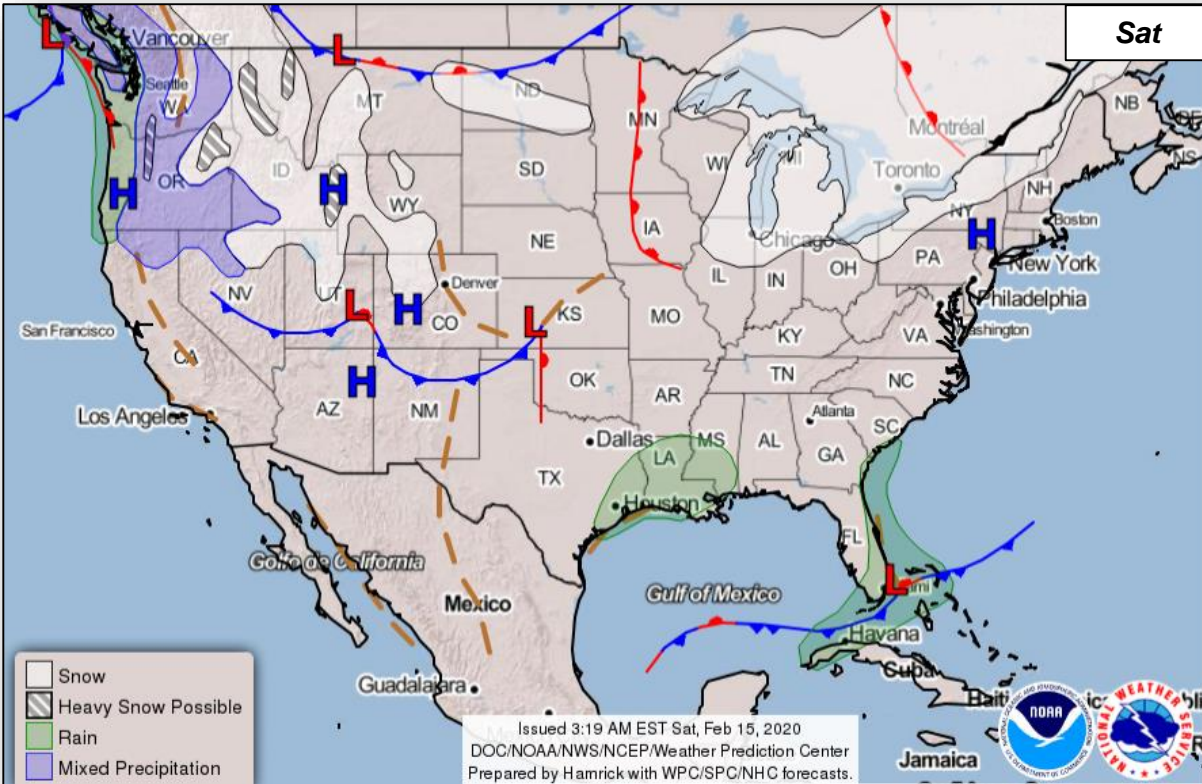
Federal Preparations/Response

- Region IX RWC at Steady State, continues to monitor
- Region IX deployed personnel to AS
- MERS assets deployed to AS
- National ISB team deploying to DC HI
- NWC at Steady State, continues to monitor



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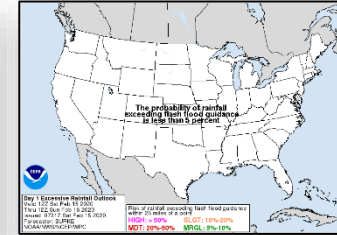
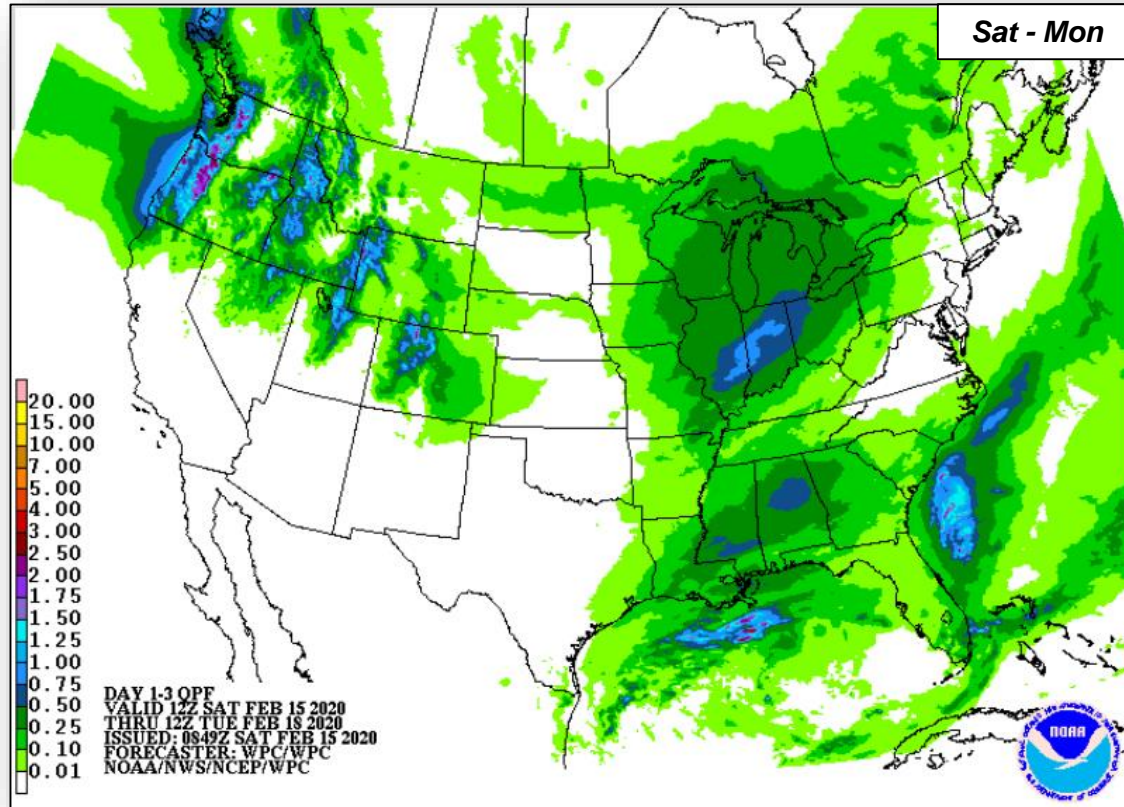
National Weather Forecast



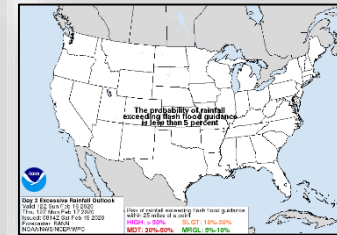
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



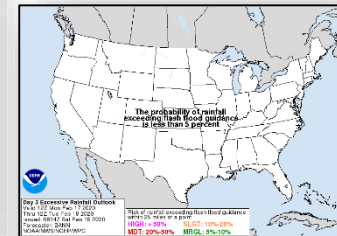
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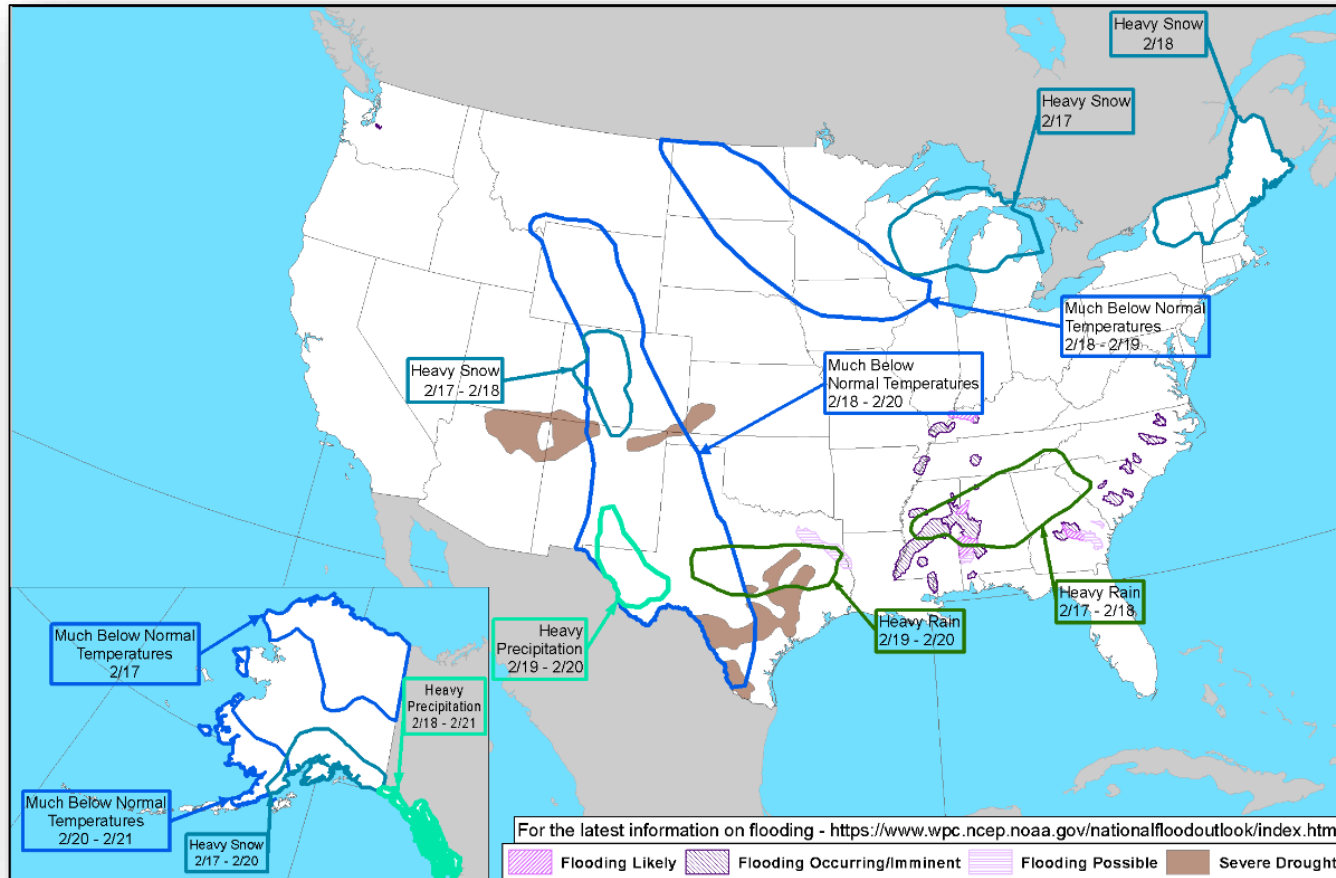


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Hazards Outlook – Feb 17-21



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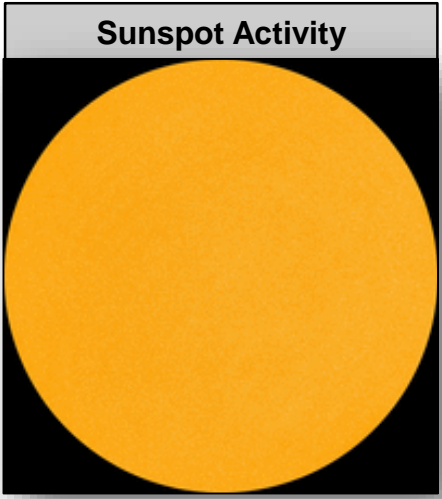
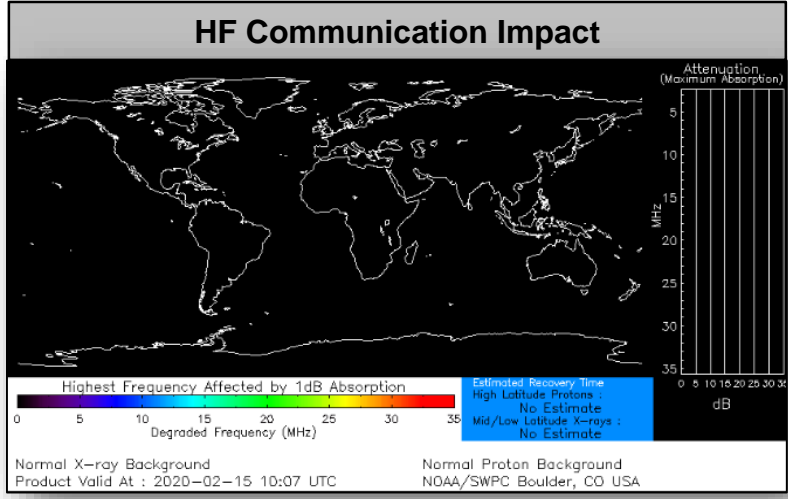
Space Weather



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	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None
Next 24 Hours	None	None	None	None

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: <http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation>



Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA/P A	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
IV	SC	Severe Weather & Flooding Feb 6	IA	1 (+1)	0	N/A
			PA	7 (+2)	0	2/14 – TBD
X	OR	Severe Flooding Feb 5-10	IA	1	0	2/19 – TBD
			PA	3	0	2/24 – TBD

Declaration Requests in Process – 4



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State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
TX – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes	DR		X	X	Jan 13
AK – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Feb 6
WI – Severe Winter Storm and Flooding	DR		X	X	Feb 10
MS – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	DR		X	X	Feb 10

Declaration Amendments



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Declaration	Number	Issued	Action
4473-DR-PR	3	Feb 14, 2020	Adds 8 municipalities for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A & B only), including direct federal assistance, under Public Assistance program

FEMA Common Operating Picture



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FEMA HQ	
NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Gold

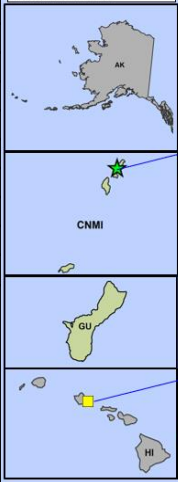
FEMA REGIONS		
WATCH	RRCC	
Monitoring	I	Rostered
Monitoring	II	Rostered
Monitoring	III	Rostered
Monitoring	IV	Rostered
Monitoring	V	Rostered
Monitoring	VI	Rostered
Monitoring	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Rostered

Notes:

AS: Measles Outbreak
 KY: Flooding
 MS: Flooding
 PR: Earthquake
 TN: Severe Weather
 WA: Coronavirus
 VA: Normal Ops

Major Disasters (DR): 51
 Emergency Disasters (EM): 0
 JFOs: 16 / VJFOs: 5
 Staging Area
 Distribution Center (DC)
 Declared County
 Fully Activated
 Partially Activated
 Monitoring

As of 7:00 a.m. ET February 15, 2020
 Created by FEMA NWC



4475-DR-ND FCO: Dana C. Reynolds VJFO: Denver, CO	4418-DR-WA FCO: Willie G. Nunn JFO: Camp Murray, WA	4420-DR-NE 4446-DR-PTN FCO: DuWayne Teves JFO: Lincoln, NE	4469-DR-SD 4463-DR-SD 4440-DR-SD 4448-DR-SD 4467-DR-SD FCO: James Stephenson JFO: Sioux Falls, SD	4386-DR-IA 4421-DR-IA FCO: Timothy J. Scranton JFO: Windsor Heights, IA	4414-DR-MN 4442-DR-MN FCO: John F. Boyle	4457-DR-IH 4445-DR-VT 4372-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4410-DR-CT 4474-DR-VT FCO: James McPherson JFO: Williston, VT
4432-DR-OR closing Feb 28 4452-DR-OR closing Feb 28 FCO: Dajohn A. Diemont JFO: Salem, OR	4382-DR-CA 4407-DR-CA FCO: David G. Samaniego JFO: Sacramento, CA	4433-DR-GU FCO: Tracy Haynes JFO: Saipan, MP	4449-DR-KS FCO: Dan Best 4403-DR-KS closing Feb 21 4417-DR-KS closing Feb 21 FCO: Heather R. Smith VJFO: Kansas City, MO	4453-DR-OK 4438-DR-OK FCO: Gerry Stolar JFO: Warr Acres, OK	4451-DR-MO 4435-DR-MO FCO: Jon Huss JFO: Jefferson City, MO	4458-DR-LA 4462-DR-LA FCO: John E. Long VJFO: Baton Rouge, LA
4464-DR-SC FCO: Allan Jarvis JFO: Columbia, SC	4337-DR-FL 4468-DR-FL FCO: Gary Stanley 4399-DR-FL FCO: Thomas J. McCool JFO: Orlando, FL	4464-DR-SC FCO: Allan Jarvis JFO: Columbia, SC	4427-DR-TN 4400-DR-GA 4471-DR-TN FCO: Myra Shird JFO: Nashville, TN	4472-DR-NY FCO: Seamus Leary JFO: Albany, NY	4428-DR-KY FCO: Allan Jarvis VJFO: Frankfort, KY	4455-DR-WV closing Feb 28 FCO: Michael Senycz JFO: Charleston, WV
FEMA HHS Support to COVID-19 FEMA Interagency Coordination Support Elements						
Invest 93P Response RIX personnel, MERS, NISB						
PR Earthquake Response RII IMAT, N-IMAT Blue, MERS						

N-IMATs	
2 Team	
Red	
Blue	PR
Gold	

R-IMATs	
≥ 7 Teams	
I	
II	PR
III	
IV-1	2
IV-2	
V	1
VI-1	
VI-2	
VII	
VIII	3
IX-1	
IX-2	
X	

Team:	US&R	MERS	FCOs	FDRCS	IM WORKFORCE
Status	>66%	>66%	≤ 1 Type I	≤ 1	
Assigned:	28	36	42	11	14,116 ▲
Unavailable:	0	0	0	0	3,668 ▲
Deployed:	0	1 (-1)	34 (-2)	10	5,642 ▼
Available:	28	35 (+1)	8 (+2)	1	4,806 / 34% ▲

IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY	
Cadres with 25% or Less Availability	
EHP 16% (98/615); FL 23% (36/160); HM 25% (308/1,238); OPS 25% (74/297); PA 17% (521/3,039)	

FMC	PMC
NMC	Deployed



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