FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, October 29, 2021

8:30 a.m. ET

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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- None

Hazard Monitoring

- Excessive Rainfall – Mid-Atlantic
- Severe Thunderstorms – North Carolina & Mid-Atlantic
- Tropical Activity:
  - Atlantic:
    - Disturbance 1: Low (30%)
  - Eastern Pacific:
    - Disturbance 1: Low (20%)

Disaster Declaration Activity

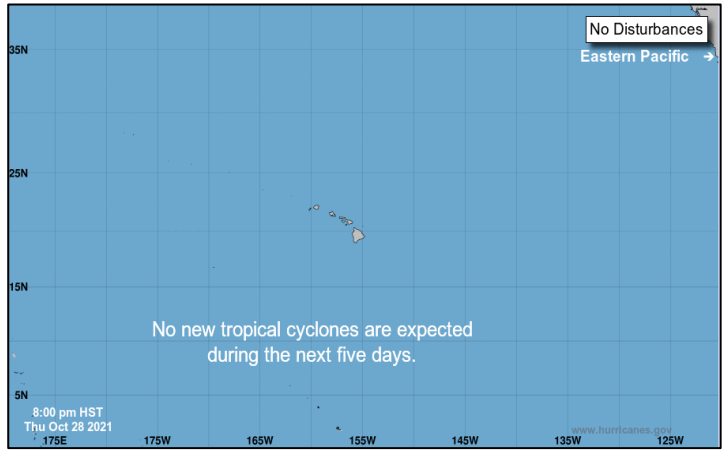
- None

Event Monitoring

- None

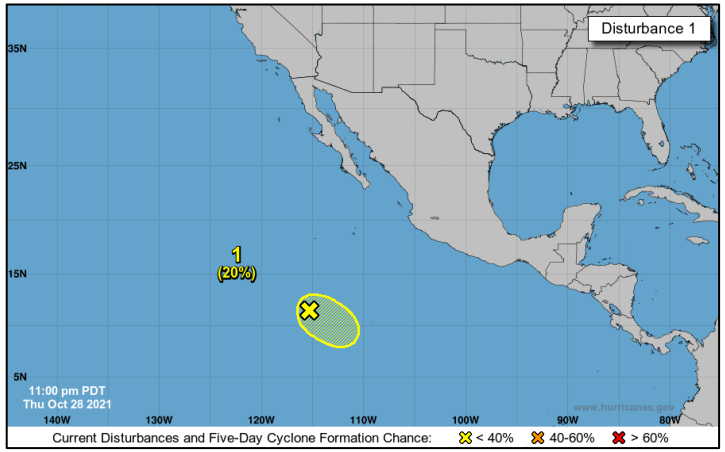
Tropical Outlook – Five Day

Central Pacific



- No new tropical cyclones are expected during the next five days

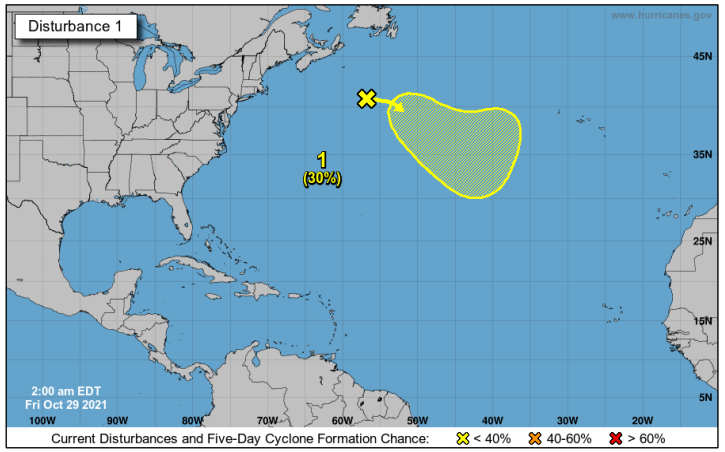
Eastern Pacific



Disturbance 1 *(as of 2:00 a.m. ET)*

- 850 miles SSW of southern tip of Baja California peninsula
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (20%); 5 days: Low (20%)

Atlantic



Disturbance 1 *(as of 2:00 a.m. ET)*

- A few hundred miles SSW of Cape Race, Newfoundland
- Moving eastward
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (20%); 5 days: Low (30%)

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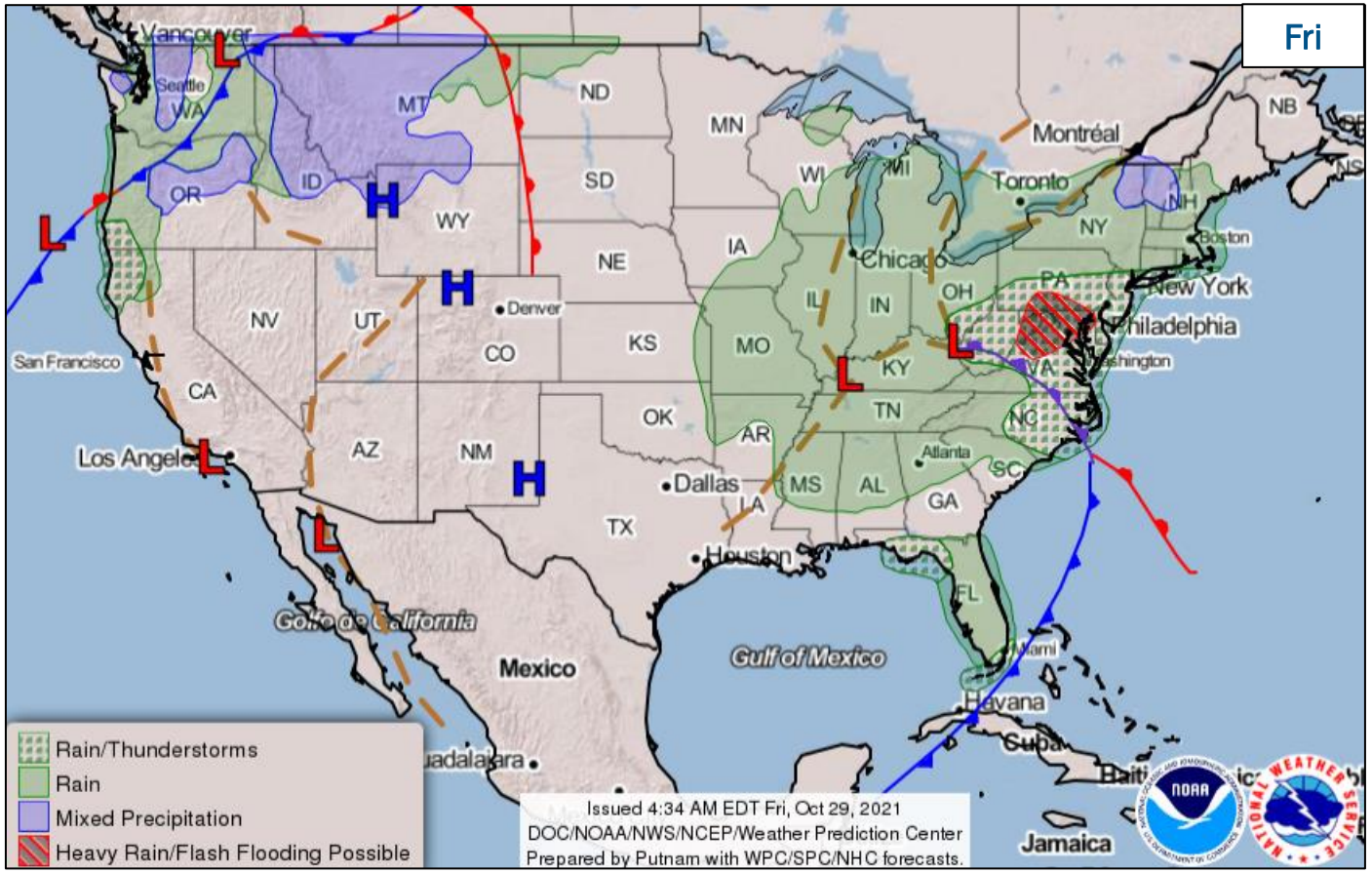
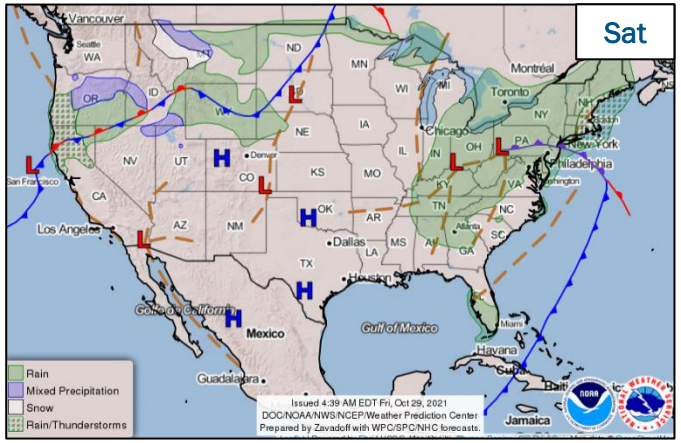
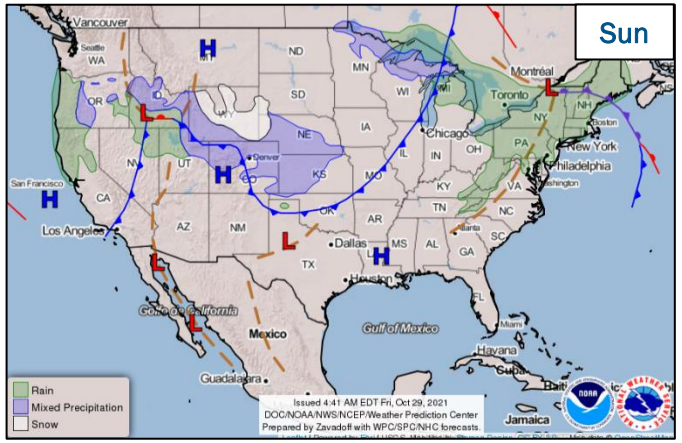
National Weather Forecast







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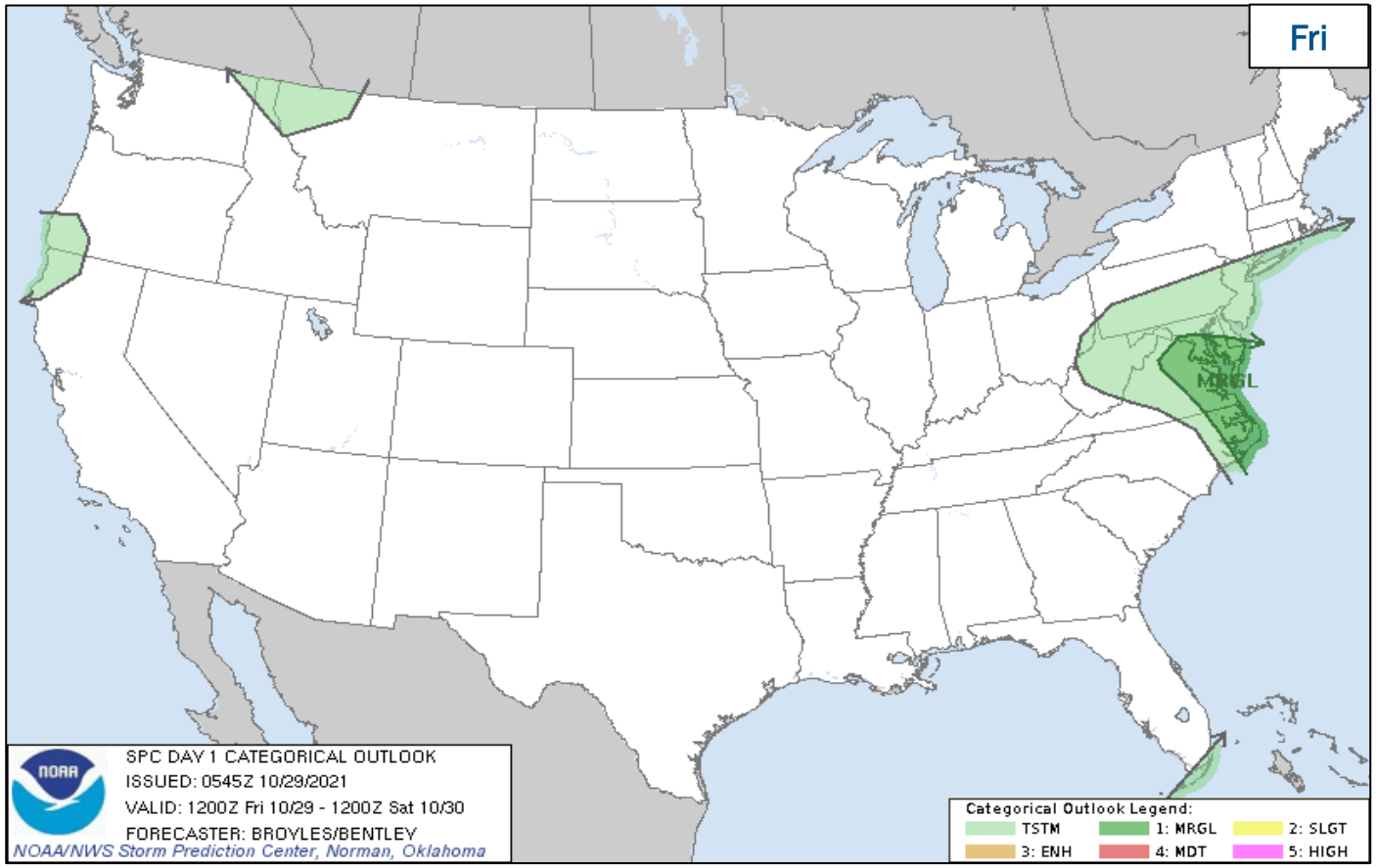
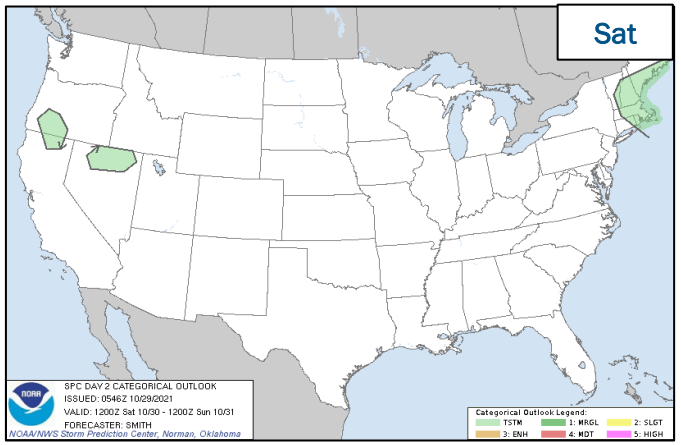
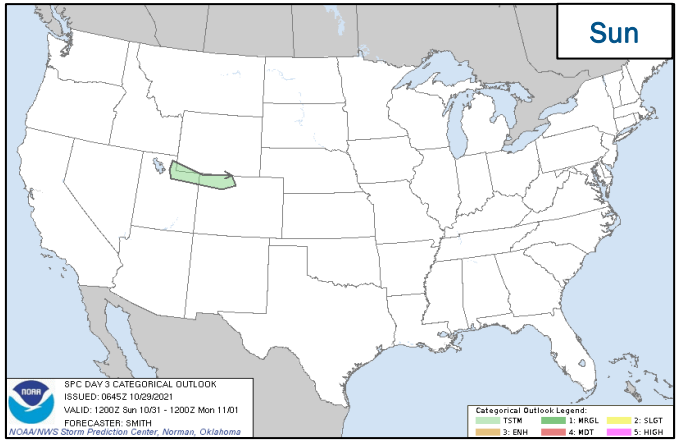
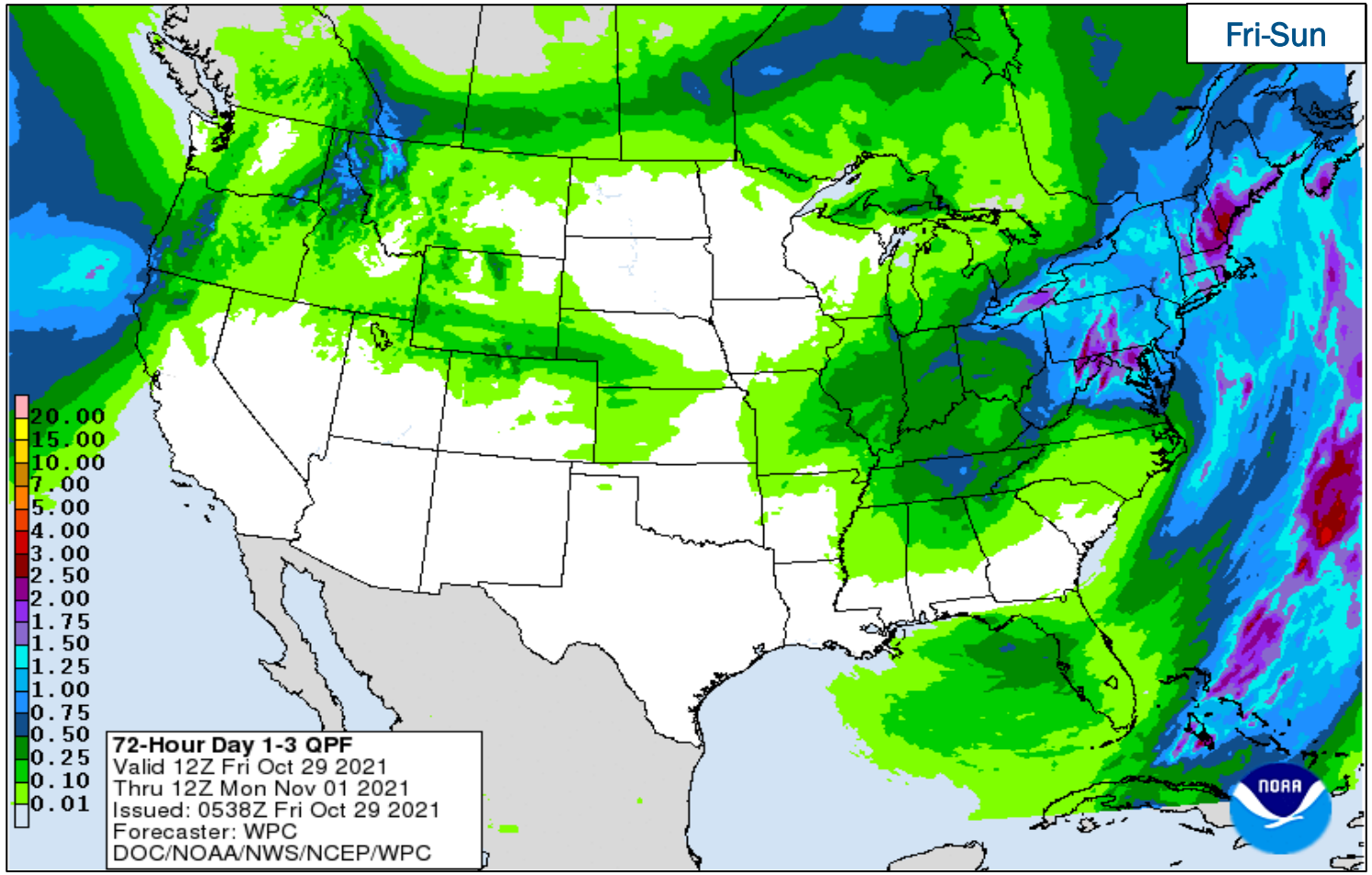
Severe Weather Outlook

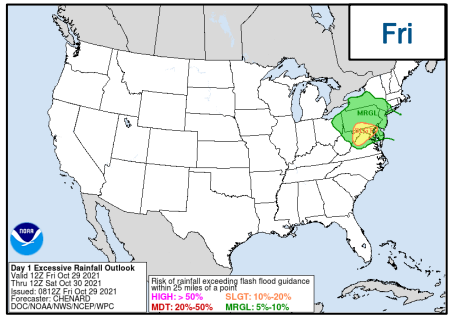


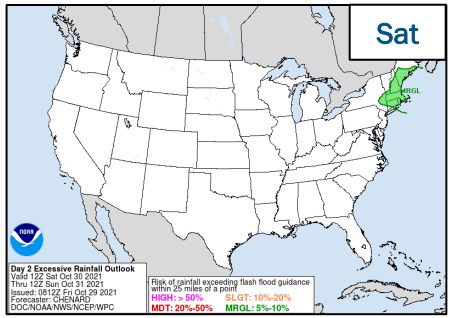


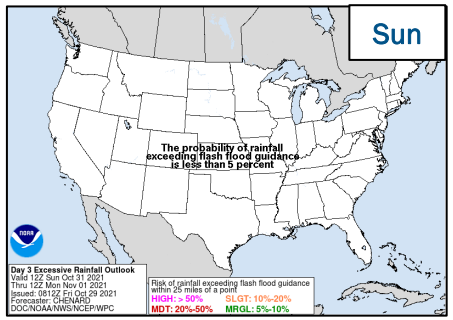


Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall









Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA / PA	Number of Counties: Requested	Number of Counties: Complete	Start – End
I	CT	Ida Sep 1	IA	8	8	9/27 – 10/20
			PA	8	2	9/27 – TBD
	RI	Ida Sep 1-2	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	1	0	10/12 – TBD

Declaration Requests in Process – 2

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
NM – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Oct 6
CT – Remnants of Hurricane Ida	DR	X	X	X	Oct 22

FEMA Common Operating Picture

FEMA HQ

NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Level III

FEMA REGIONS

Watch		RRCC
Monitoring	I	Level III
Monitoring	II	Rostered
Monitoring	III	Rostered
Monitoring	IV	Rostered
Monitoring Alt Loc	V	Level III
Monitoring	VI	Level III
Alt Location	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Level III

Notes:

NRCC: COVID-19

RRCCs: COVID-19

RV RWC: Day shift, Monitoring/Night shift, remote operations

RVII RWC: COVID-19 Protocols

STATE EOCs:

NJ & NY: Remnants of Ida

PR: Earthquakes

MO: Severe weather

CO, CA, & ID: Wildfires

MA: Nor'easter

DC: Severe weather

Major Disasters (DR): 70
Emergency Disasters (EM): 14
JFOs: 15 / **VJFOs:** 10
Staging Area
Declared County *(non-COVID-19 Declarations)*
Fully Activated
Partially Activated
Monitoring

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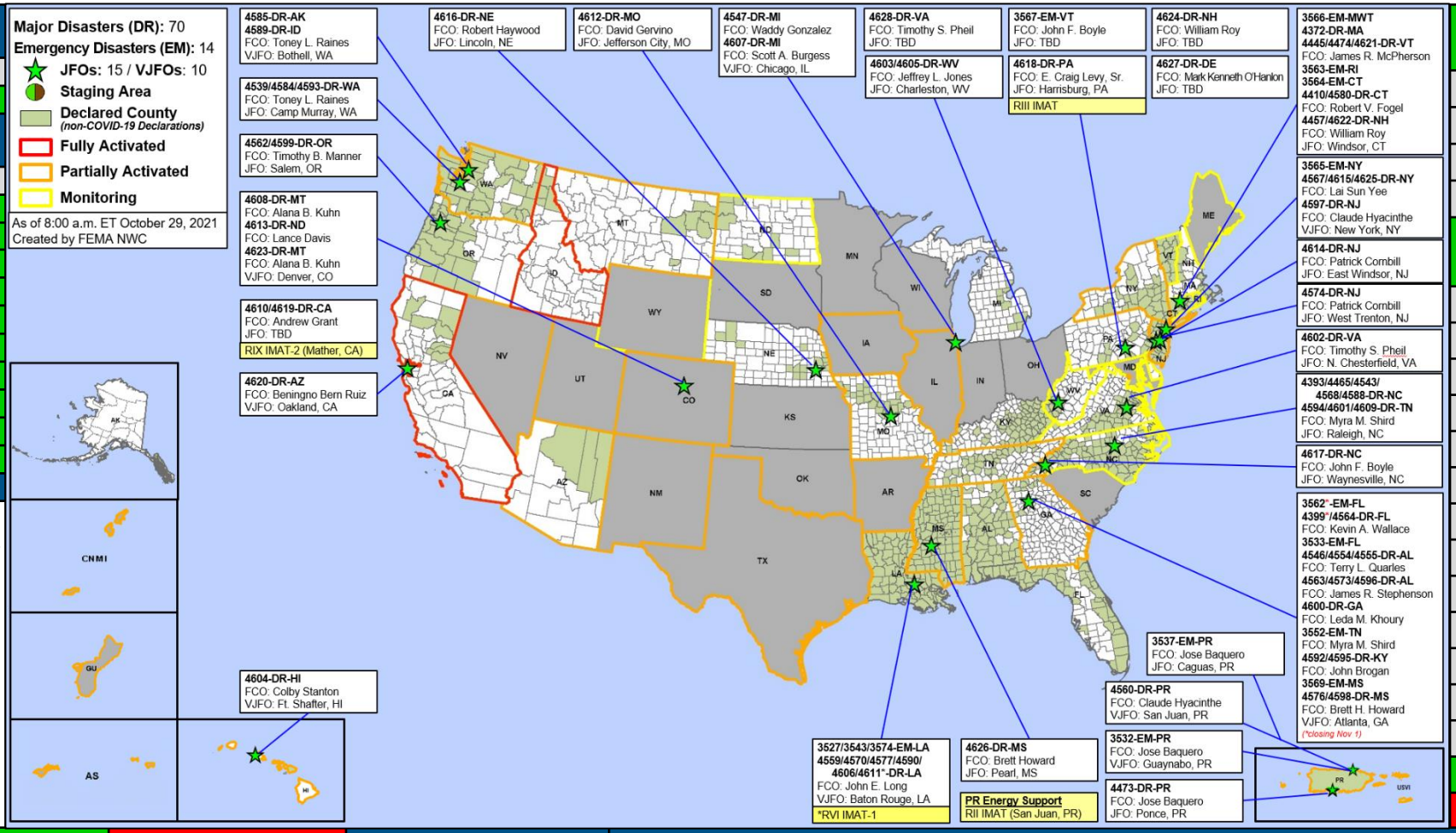

N-IMATs
2-4 Teams Available

Red	
White	
Blue	
Gold	

R-IMATs
≥ 7 Teams Available

I	
II	PR
III	PA
IV-1	
IV-2	
V	2
VI-1	Demobilizing
VI-2	
VII	1
VIII	
IX-1	
IX-2	CA
X	3
FMC	*PMC*
NMC	*Deployed*

Team Status	US&R *>66%*	MERS *>66%*	FCOs *≤ 1 Type I*	IM WORKFORCE
Assigned:	28	36	58	14,411 (-3)
Unavailable	8	0	1	3,260
Deployed:	0	0	55 (+1) (27 FCOR)	7,477 (+21)
Available:	**20**	**36**	**2 (-1)**	**26% / 3,728 (+30)**

IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY
Cadres with 25% or Less Availability

Civil Rights: 18% (20/111); **Disaster Field Training Ops:** 24% (30/123); **Disability Integration:** 20% (13/65); **External Affairs:** 18% (95/530); **Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation:** 23% (196/847); **Field Leadership:** 8% (12/152); **Hazard Mitigation:** 13% (176/1,351); **Human Resources:**11% (22/194); **Logistics:** 25% (361/1,435); **National Disaster Recovery Support:** 25% (68/277); **Operations:** 14% (54/376); **Public Assistance:** 20% (554/2,828); **Planning:** 13% (59/456); **Safety:** 19% (16/85); **Security:** 14% (19/140)

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