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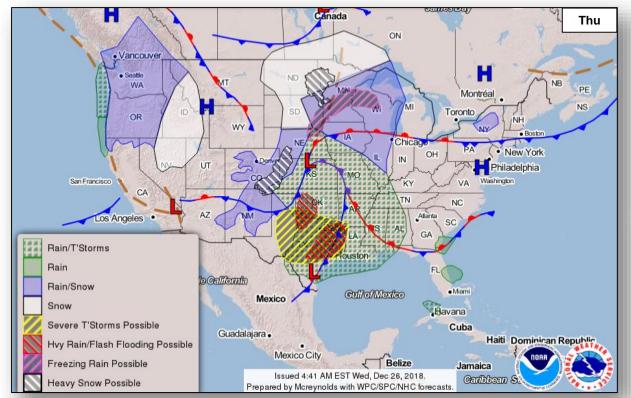
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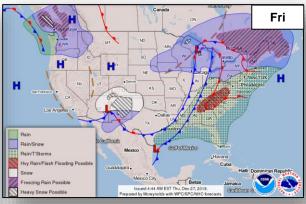
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National Weather Forecast



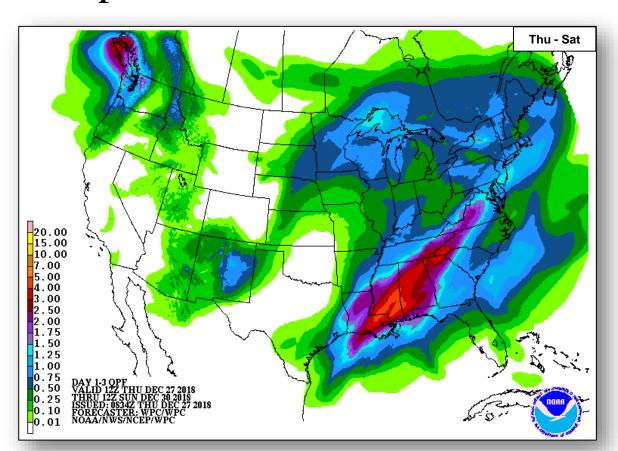


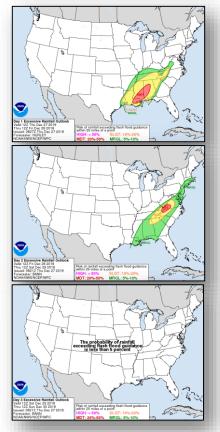




Precipitation / Excessive Rainfall Forecast







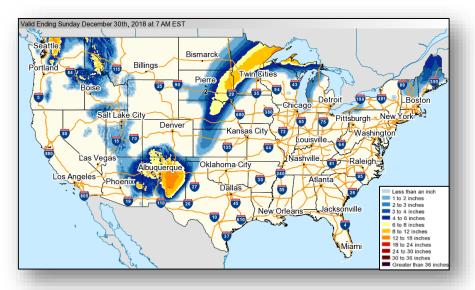
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Winter Precipitation Outlook





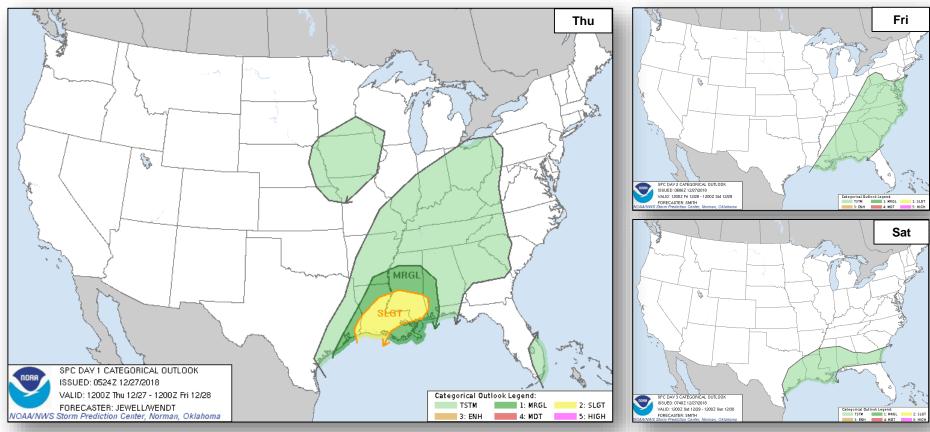


Forecast Snowfall

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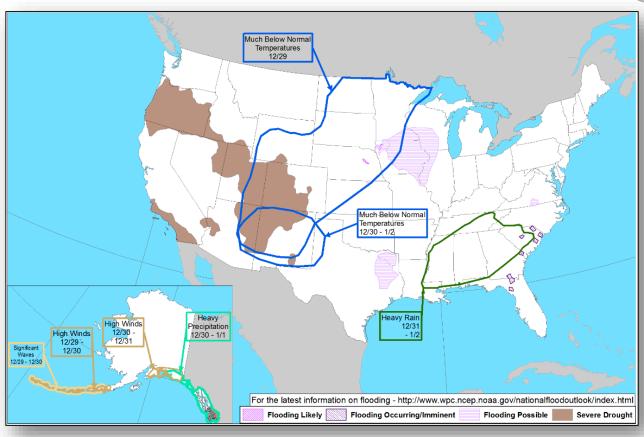
Severe Weather Outlook





Hazards Outlook – Dec 28-Jan 1



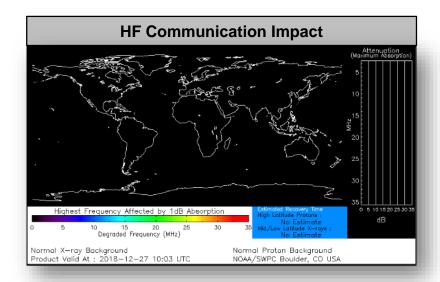


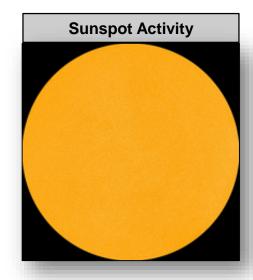
Space Weather



	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



Rogion		State /	Event	IA / PA	Number of Counties		Ctout Food
	Region	Location	Event		Requested	Completed	Start – End
	VI TV		Flooding	IA	4	4	10/31 – 12/11
	VI	TX	September 10, 2018 and continuing	PA	51	33	10/29 – TBD

Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Pr	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)				
5	IA	PA	НМ	Date Requested	0	0
LA – (Appeal) DR Flooding		Х	Х	October 26, 2018		
TX – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	Х	Х	Х	October 30, 2018		
KS – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding		Х	Х	November 14, 2018		
MN – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		Х	Х	November 27, 2018		
NC – DR Tropical Storm Michael		Х	Х	December 11, 2018		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability
IM Workforce	12,672 ©	3,271 ▲ 26%	5,214 ▼	4,209	EHP 9% (40/451); ER 5% (2/44); FL 16% (26/163); FM 25% (71/282); HM 16% (169/1,060); HR 22% (54/246); IT 13% (86/643); LOG 13% (170/1,296); OPS 24% (62/261); PA-NEW 8% (165/2,053); PLAN 15% (54/361); SAF 14% (8/58); SEC 9% (11/120)
National IMATs (1-2 Teams)	East: Composite: West:	Available Available Deployed			4402-DR-MT FCO: James Stephenson JFO: Denver, CO 4387-DR-NE FCO: C. Johnson-Cage 4386-DR-IA 4392-DR-IA FCO: Timothy J. Scranton FCO: Mindleson, WI FO: Wilson For Heights, IA FCO: Timothy J. Scranton FCO: Mindleson, IA FCO: Timothy J. Scranton FCO: Mindleson, IA FCO: Timothy J. Scranton FCO: Mindleson, IA FCO: Timothy J. Scranton Fine Mdd2-DR-WI FCO: Steven S. Ward FCO: Steven S. War
Regional IMATs (≤ 3 Teams)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	13 2 7 4	3410-EM-AK FCO: Willie G. Nunn JFO: TBD		Deployed Teams (Location) 4354-DR-ME 4355-DR-MT 4356-DR-VT 4367-DR-ME 4377-DR-MH
National ISBs (≤ 2 Teams)	Team A Team B Team C	Deployed Deployed Deployed	4382-DR-CA 4407-DR-CA FCO: David G. Samar	iego	4371-DR-NH 4372-DR-MA 4379-DR-MA 4380-DR-VT 4385-DR-CT 4310-DR-CT*
US&R (>66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	28 27 1 0	JFO: Sacramento, CA IMATs: N-West, RIX- ISB Team; MERS		FCO: James N. Russo JFO: Manchester, NH -JFO: TBD 4374-DR-MD 4376-DR-MD FCO: Emily Breslin JFO: Philadelphia, PA
MERS (>66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	36 36 0 0	4398-DR-GU 4404-DR-CNMI FCO: B. Bern Ruiz JFO: Saipan, MP RIX IMAT-2; RIX LNOs; ISB Teams; MCU-2 & 3	CNMI	4408-DR-PA FCO: Steven S. Ward IFO: Harrisburg, PA 4401-DR-VA 4411-DR-VA*
FCO (=2 Type I)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	30 4 0 26	INCO 2 d 3		4409-DR-TOH FCO: Mark Wingate JFO: TBD 4409-DR-GA FCO: Mark Wingate JFO: East Point, GA RIV LNO 4399-DR-FL 4399-DR-FL 4399-DR-SC FCO: Thomas J. McCool JFO: Orlando, FL JFO: Columbia, SC RIV LNO A399-DR-NC FCO: Albert Lewis JFO: Outharn, NC RIV IMAT-1 RIV IMAT-1
FDRC (≥3)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	13 5 0 8	As of 3:00 a.m. EST De	ec 27, 2018 Created	4395-DR-HI FCO: Dolph A. Diemont JFO: Honolulu, HI JEO: Honolulu, HI JEO: Star Const. USVI JEO: TEMA NWC A335-DR-WR FCO: Michael F. Byrne JFO: Suaynabo, PR MERS MERS

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



Status		Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments	
NWC (5 Teams)	Available					
NRCC (2 Teams)	Available	Gold				
HLT	Steady State					
RWC / MOCs (10 Regions)	Steady State					
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available					

Backup Regions: I, II, and VI



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