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When disaster mitigation is cost effective, we are on the road to bringing disasters to an end.



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Daily Operations Briefing

Sunday, January 28, 2018

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Jan 27-28



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Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity:

- Western Pacific – No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Critical Fire Weather – Southern California
- Elevated Fire Weather – CA, AZ, TX, OK, & KS
- Red Flag Warnings – Southern California
- Space Weather:
 - Past 24 hours – None observed
 - Next 24 hours – None predicted

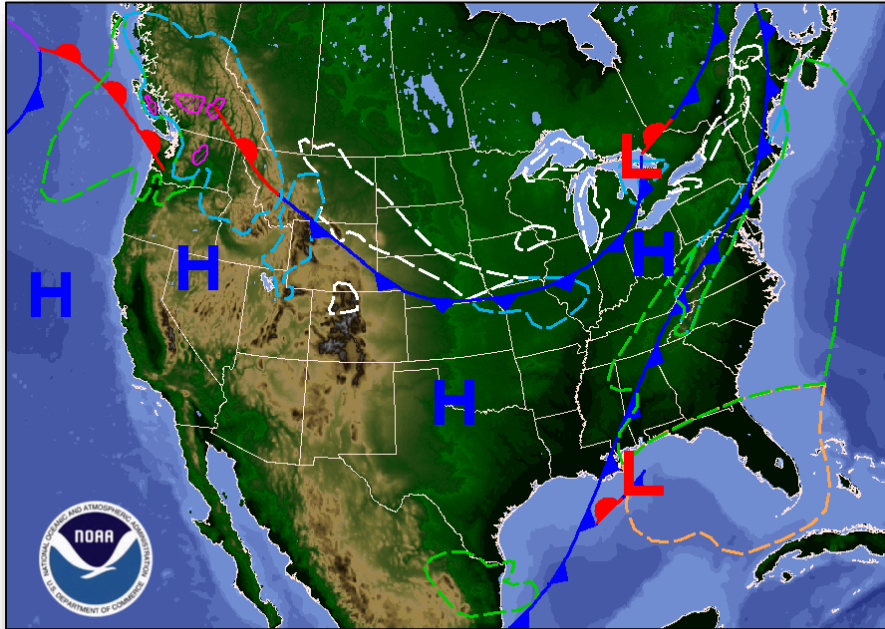
Earthquake Activity: None

Declaration Activity: None

National Weather Forecast



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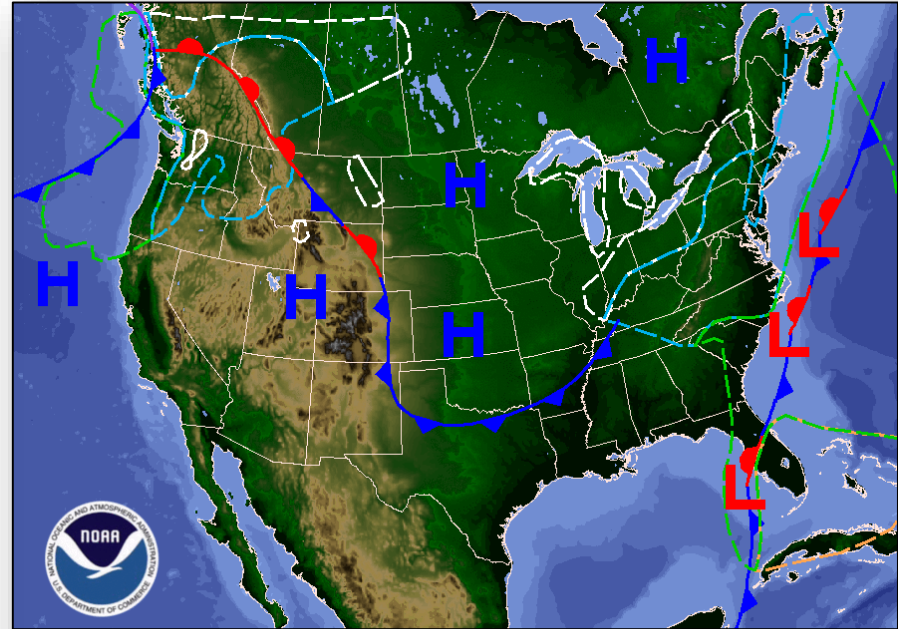


Day 1 National Forecast Chart

Valid Sun, Jan 28, 2018, issued 3:49 AM EST
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
Prepared by Tate with WPC/SPC/NHC forecasts

- Rain
- Rain and T'Storms
- Rain and Snow
- Snow
- Flash Flooding Possible (hatched)
- Severe T'Storms Possible (hatched)
- Freezing Rain Possible (hatched)
- Heavy Snow Possible (hatched)

Today



Day 2 National Forecast Chart

Valid Mon, Jan 29, 2018, issued 3:52 AM EST Sun, Jan 28, 2018
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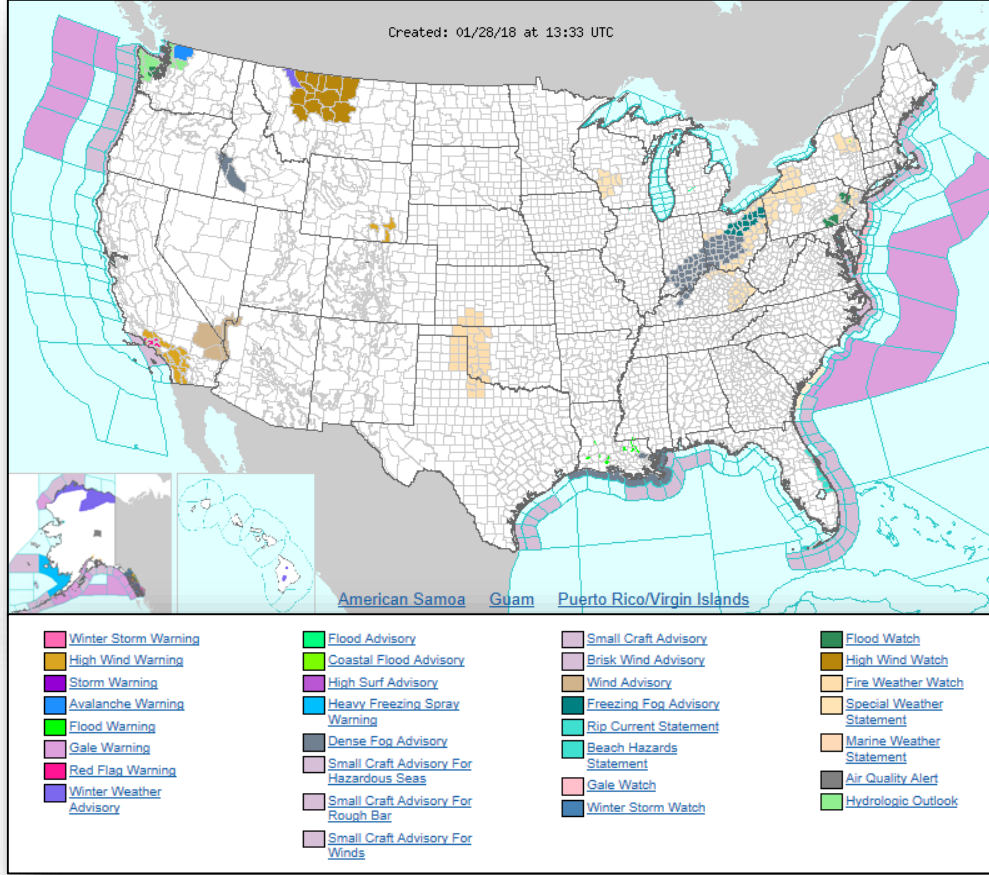
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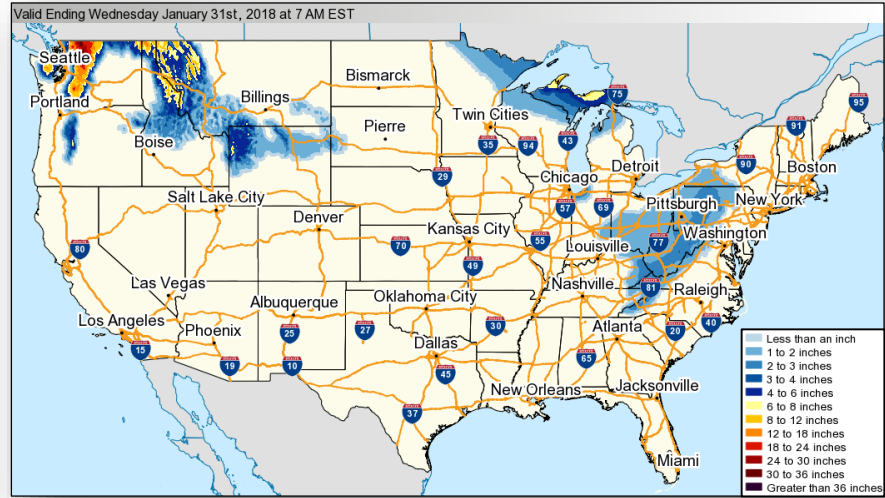
Active Watches and Warnings



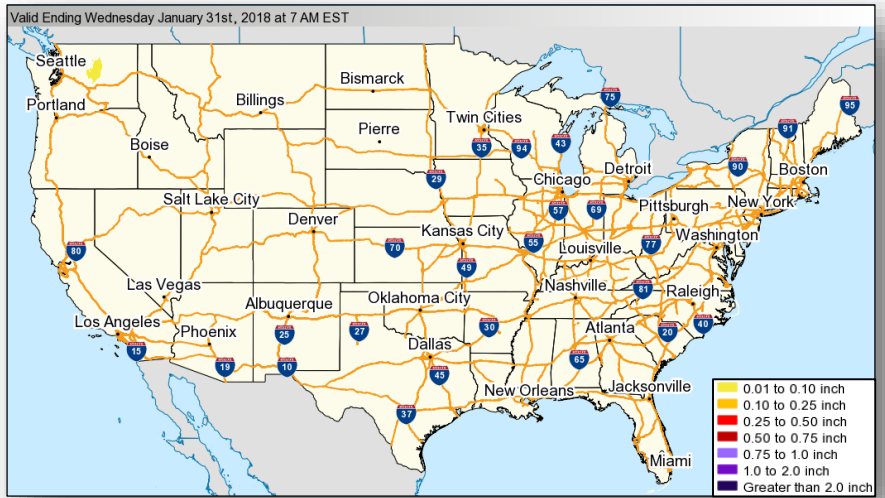
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Winter Precipitation Outlook



Forecast Snowfall

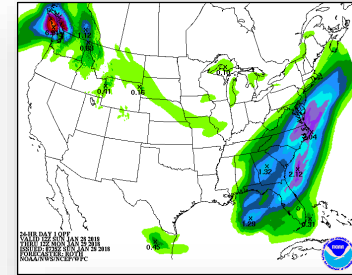
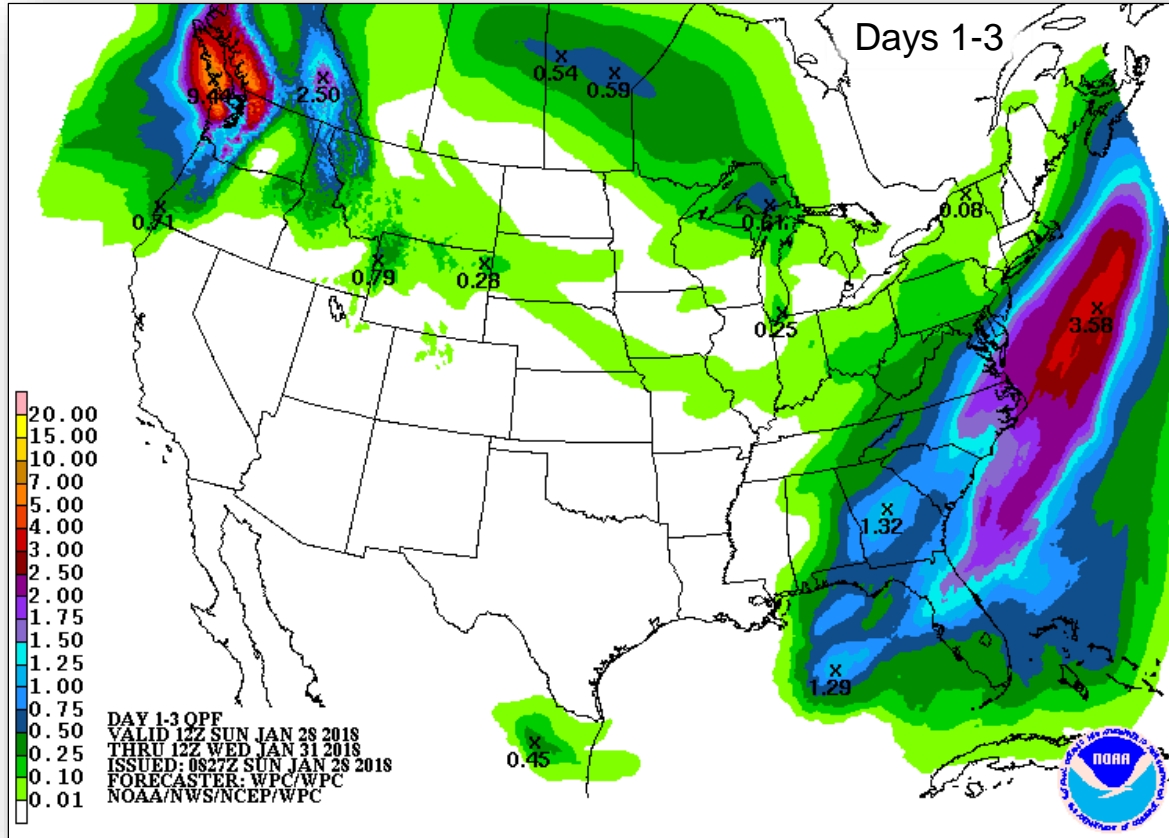


Forecast Ice Accumulation

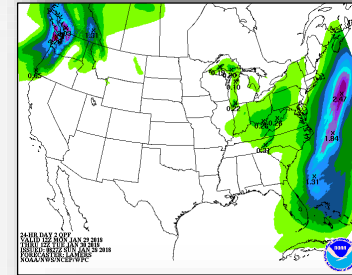
Precipitation Forecast



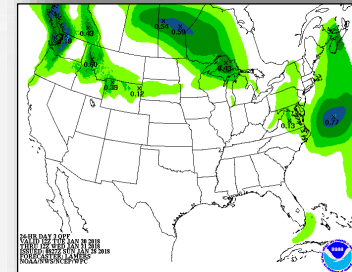
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Day 2

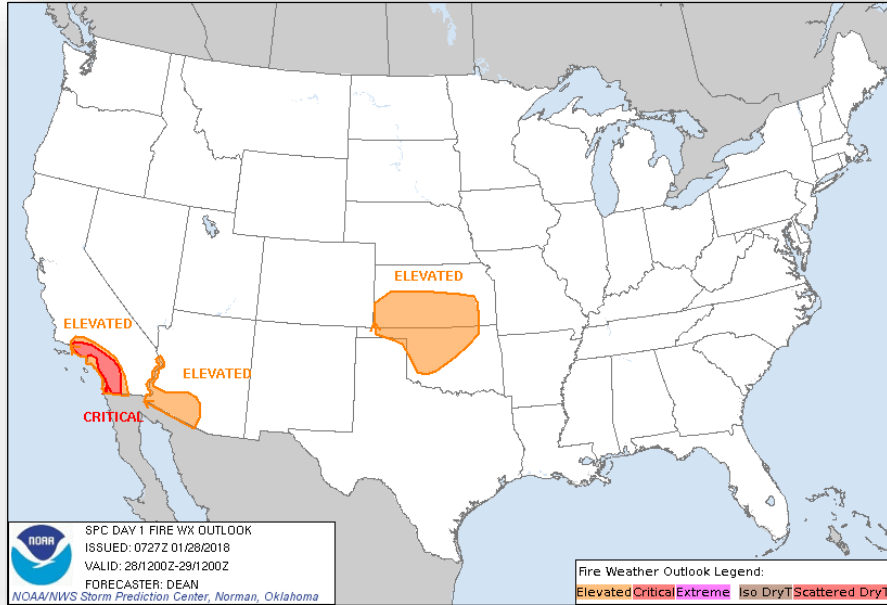


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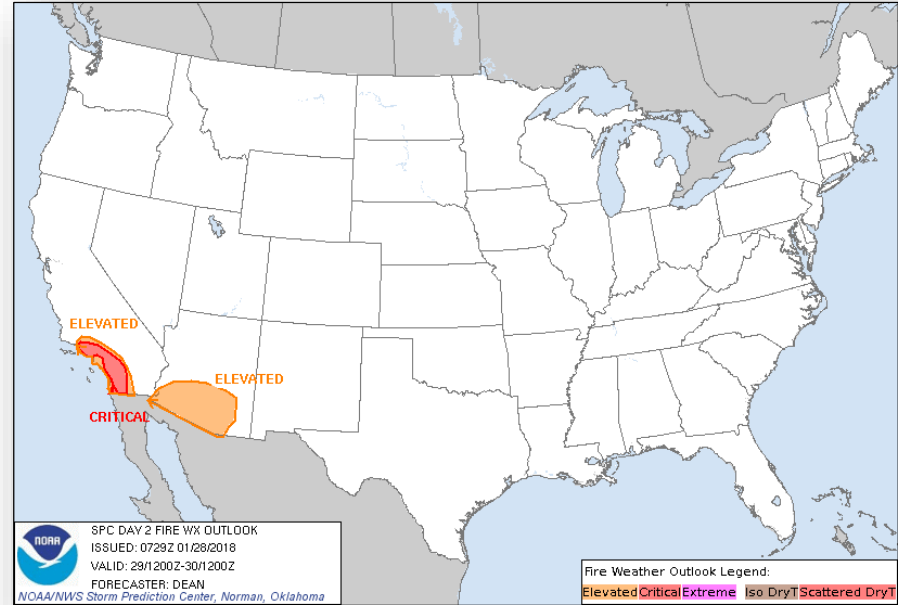
Fire Weather Outlook



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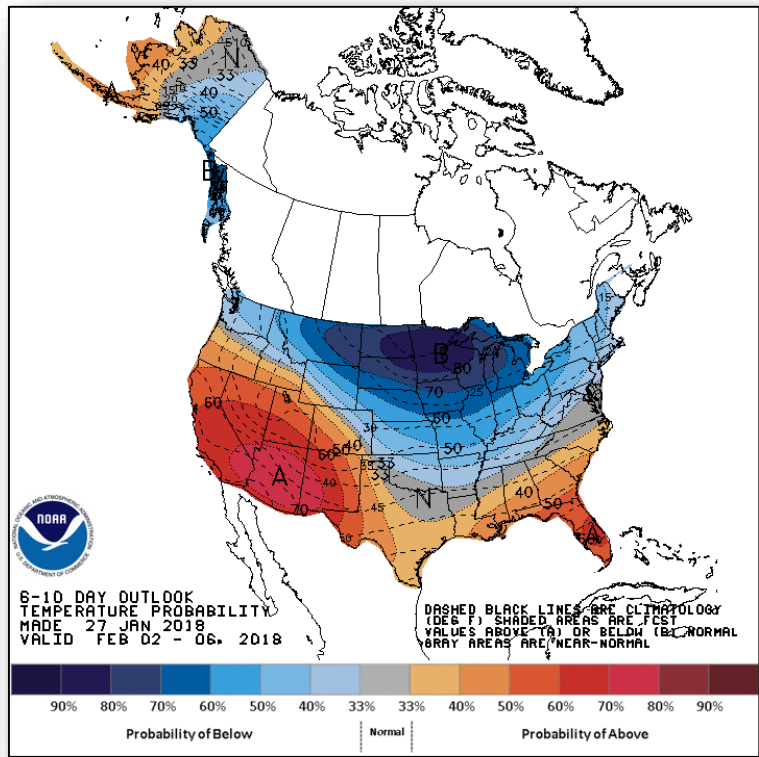


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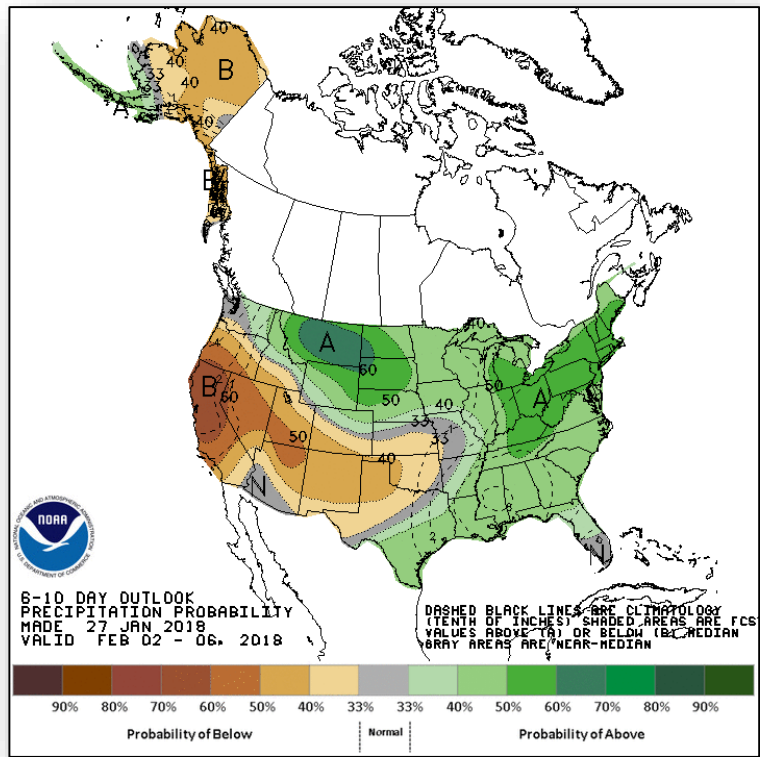


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6-10 Day Outlooks



6-10 Day Temperature Probability



6-10 Day Precipitation Probability

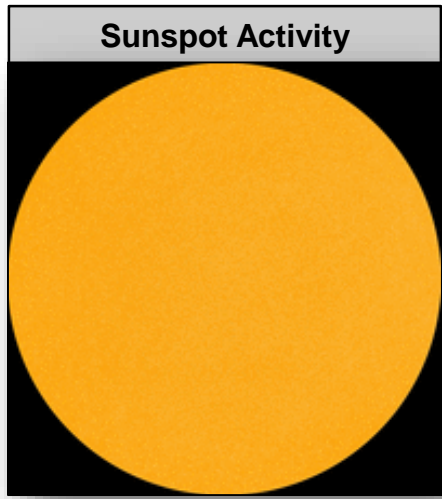
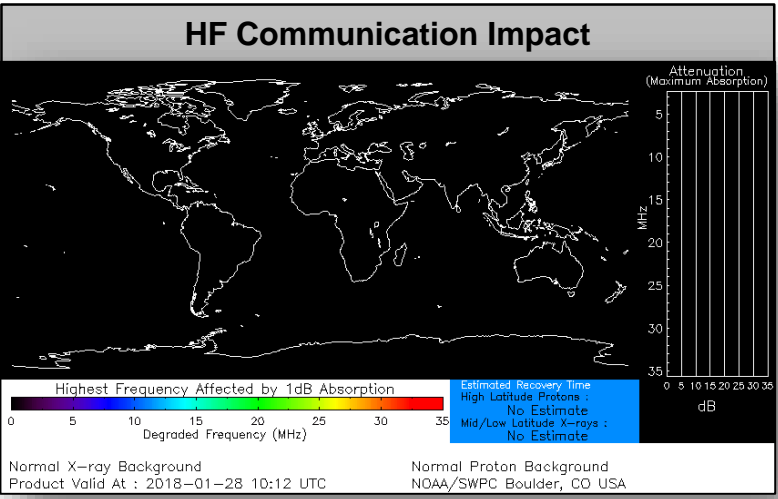
Space Weather



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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>



Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability
Total Workforce	11,487	4,885 43%	5,108	1,494	DI 19% (15/79); EHP 17% (58/343); PA 25% (378/1,503); SEC 11% (11/101)
National IMATs* (3 Teams)	East 1: East 2: West:	B-2 Charlie B-48			
Regional IMATs (4-6 Teams)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	13 4 0 9			
US&R (> 66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	28 28 0 0			
MERS (> 66%)	Assigned: Available: NMC: Deployed:	36 33 0 3			
FCO (≤ 2 Type I)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	36 3 6 27			
FDRC (= 2)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	14 2 1 11			

*B-2 Status: Assemble ≤ 2 hours, On Site ≤ 18 hours; B-48 Status: Assemble and deploy ≤ 48 hours; Charlie Status: No team assemble time requirement

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



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Resource	Status	Total	Status	Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments
NWC		5	Steady State				
NRCC		2	Available				
HLT		1	Available				
RWCs/MOCs		10	Steady State				
RRCCs		10	Available				

Backup Regions: VIII, IV, & VI



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