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## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Thursday, February 12, 2015**

**8:30 a.m. EST**

# Significant Activity: Feb 11-12



**Significant Events:** None

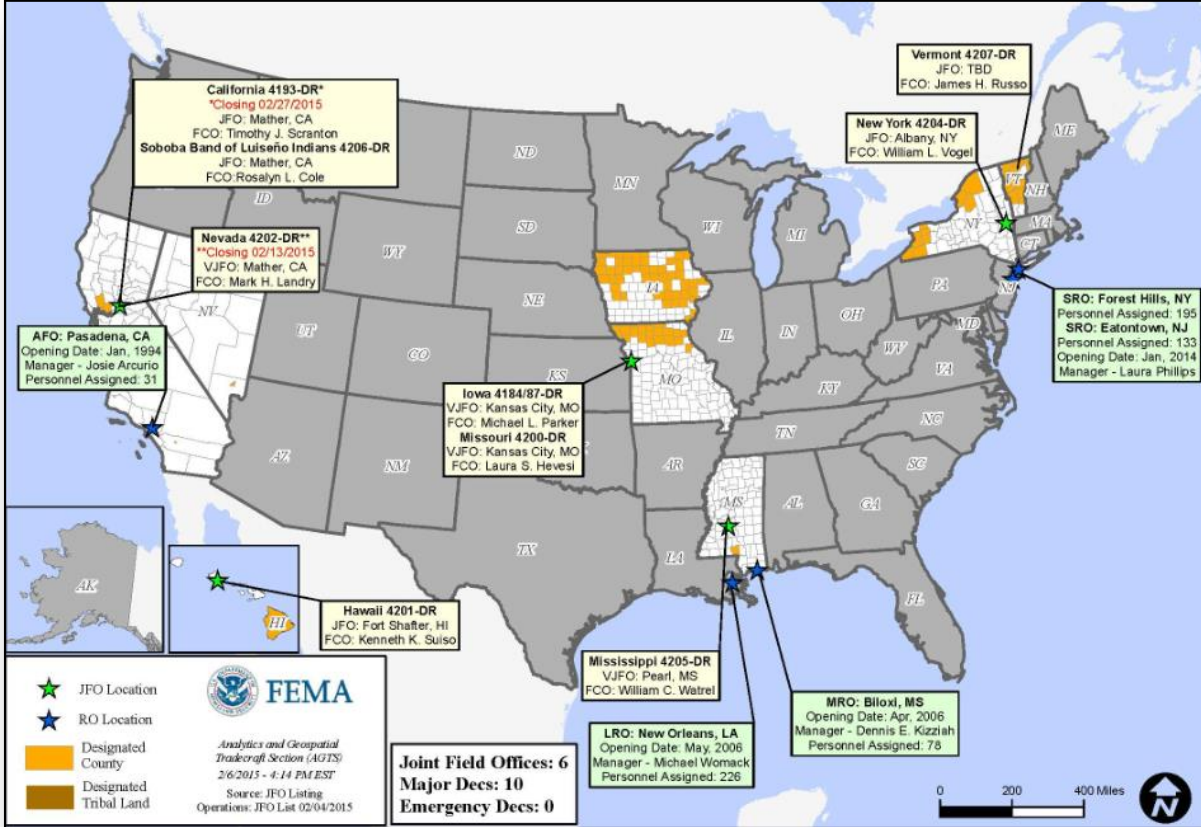
**Significant Weather:**

- Moderate Snow – Upper Midwest to the Northeast
- Below normal temperatures (10 to 15 degrees) – Mississippi Valley to the Atlantic Coast
- Critical Fire Weather Areas: None
- Elevated Fire Weather Areas: Southern California & Southern Appalachians
- Red Flag Warnings: None
- Space Weather: No space weather storms observed or predicted

**Tropical Activity:** No significant activity

**FEMA Readiness:** No activity

# Open Field Offices as of February 12

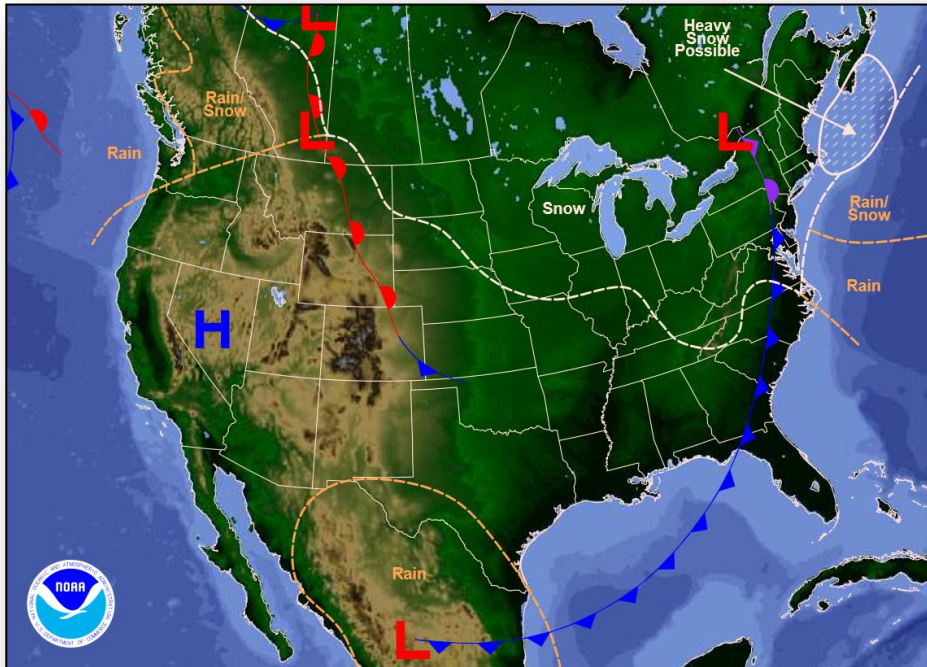


# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



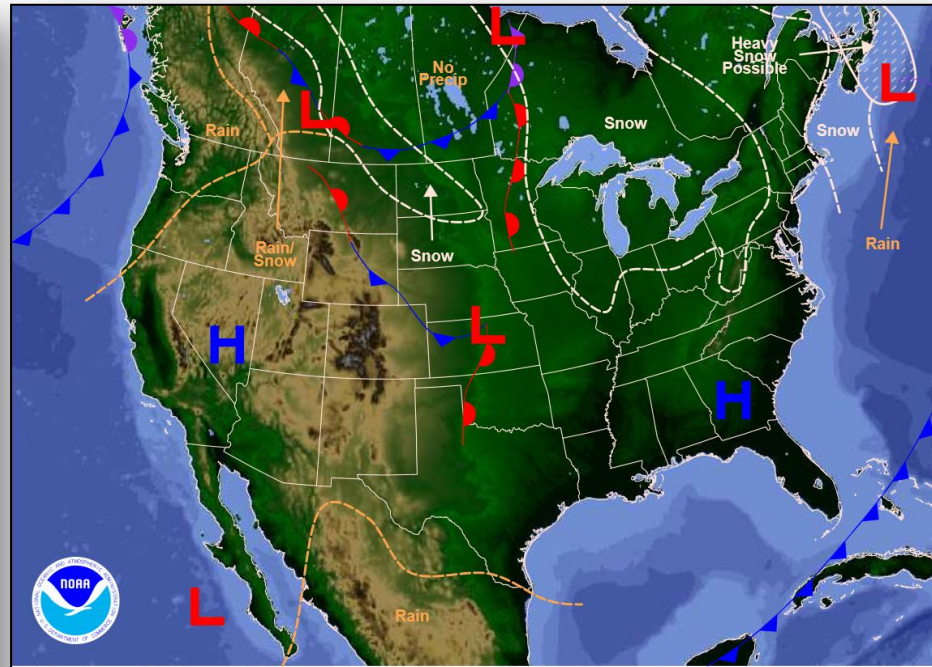
Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
I	NH	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	3	0	02/9/2015 – TBD
I	RI	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	5	0	02/11/2015 – TBD
I	CT	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	3	0	02/17/2015 – TBD
I	MA	January Blizzard January 25, 2015	PA	10	0	02/17/2015 – TBD

# National Weather Forecast



Weather Forecast for Thu, Feb 12, 2015, issued 2:51 AM EST  
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center  
Prepared by McCreynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

*Today*

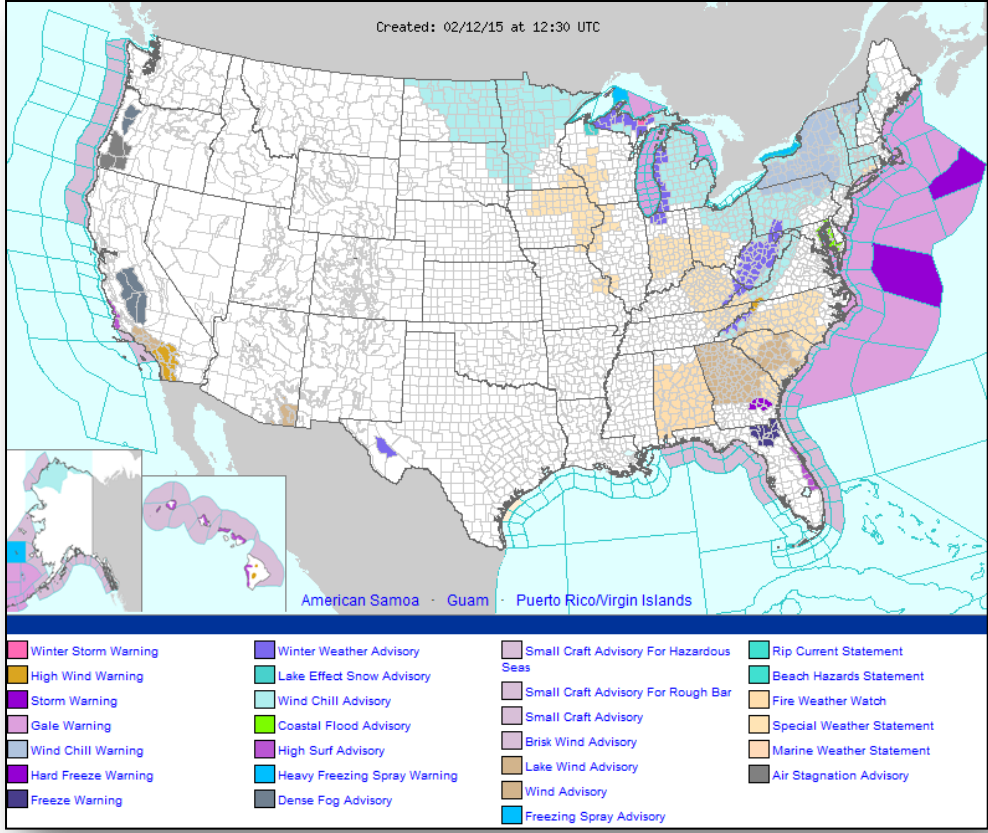


Weather Forecast for Fri, Feb 13, 2015, issued 3:32 AM EST Thu, Feb 12, 2015  
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center  
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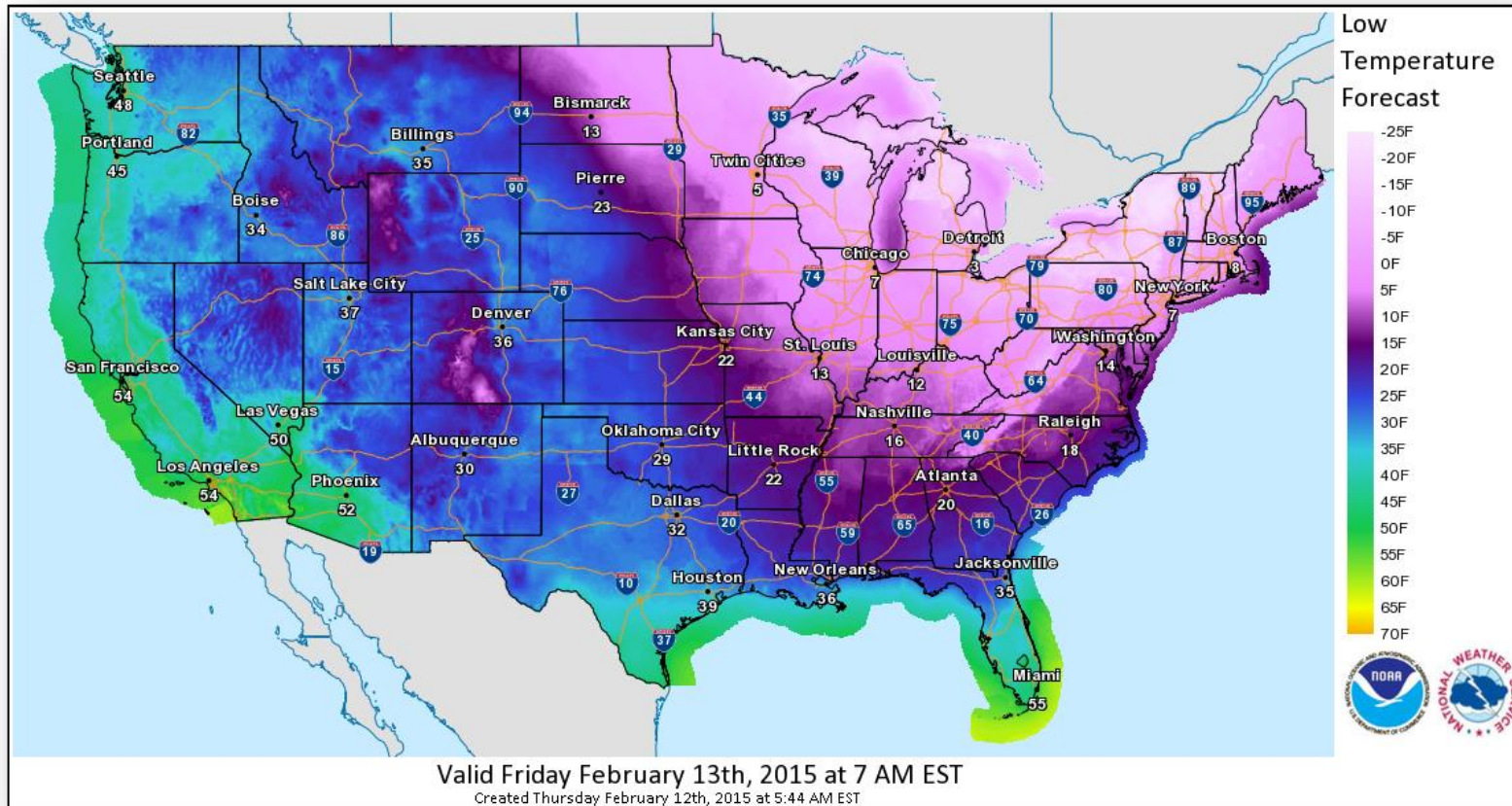
*Tomorrow*



# Active Watches/Warnings

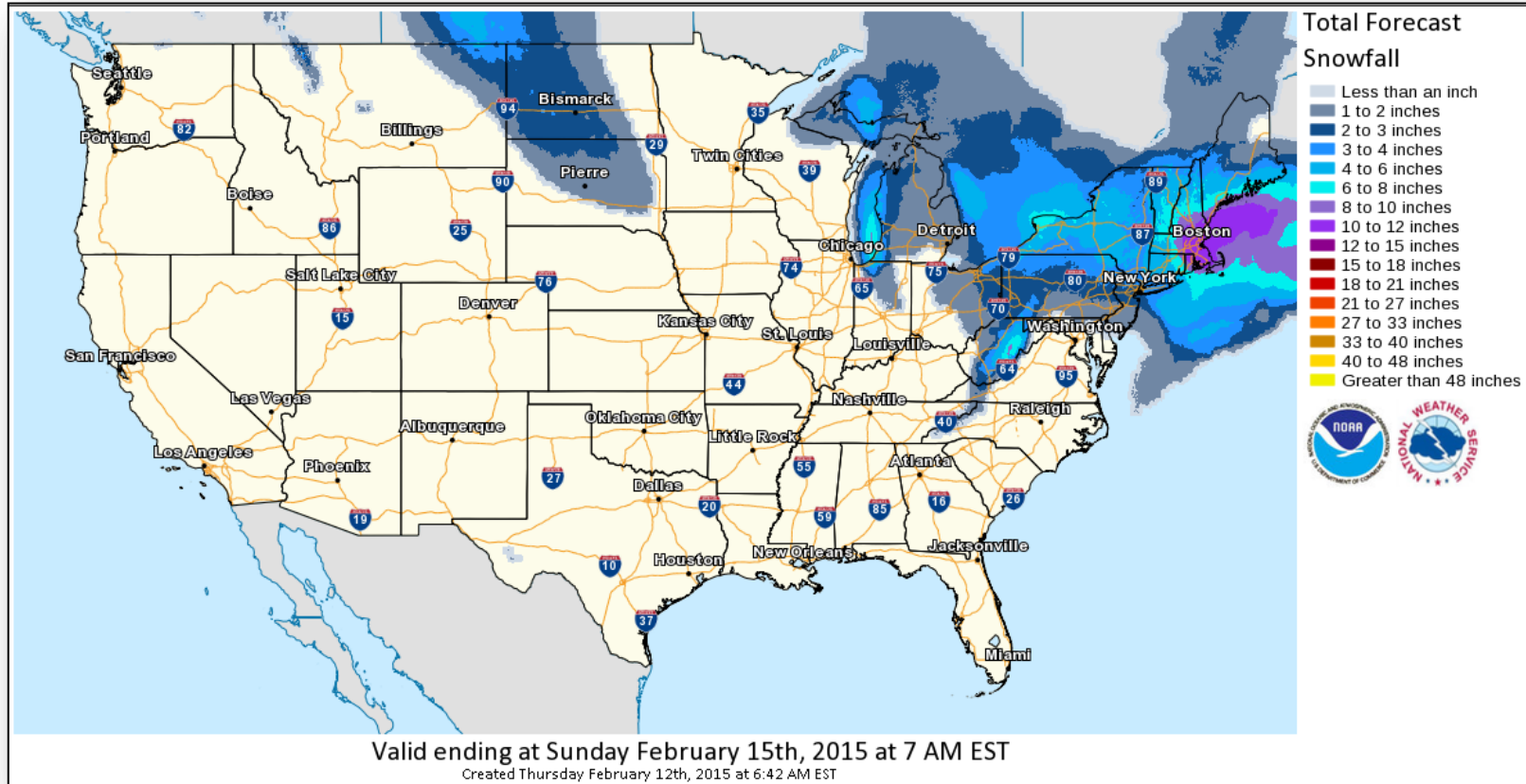


# Low Temperatures





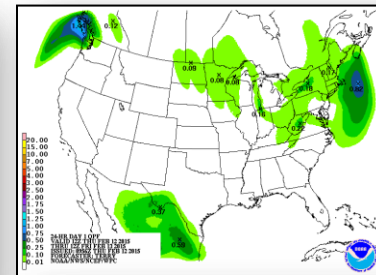
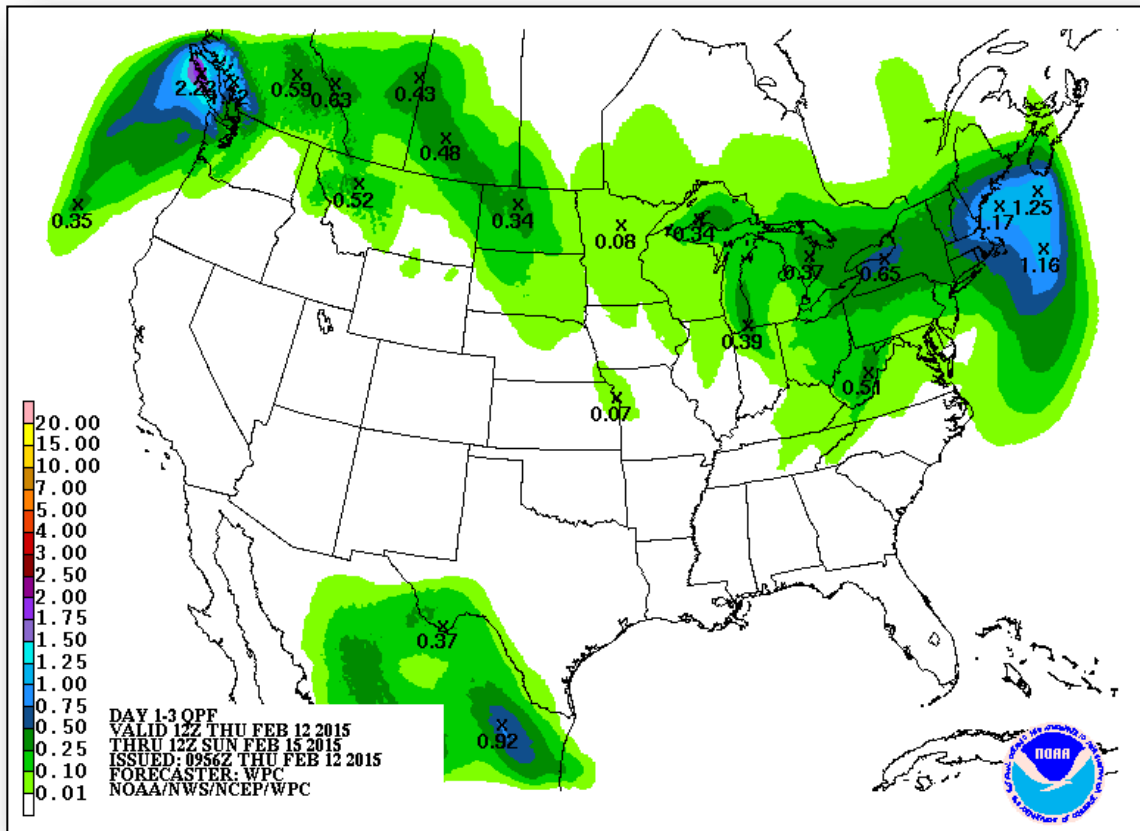
# Total Forecast Snowfall



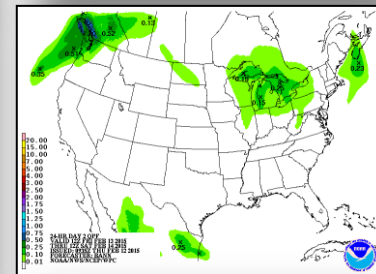
# Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



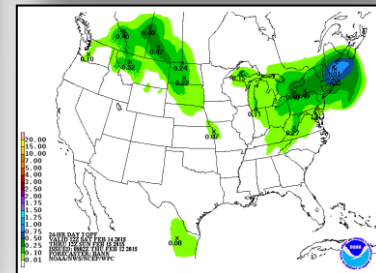
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Day 1



Day 2

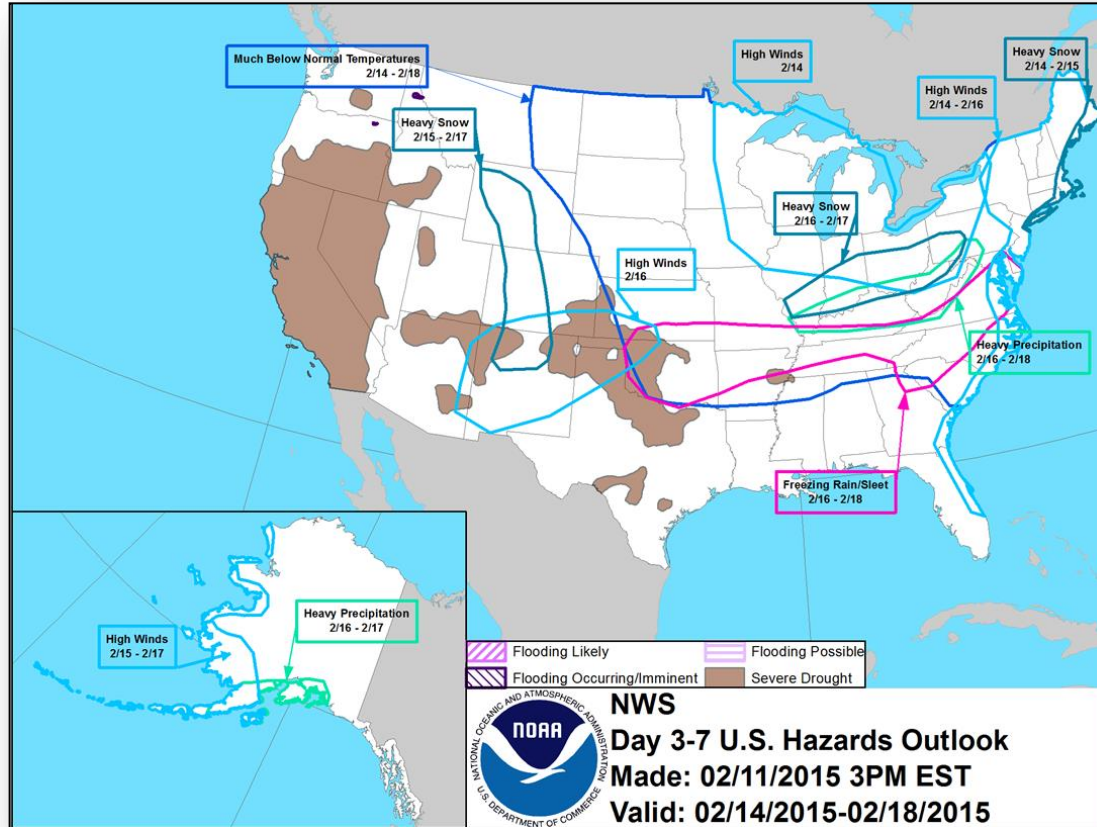


Day 3

# Hazard Outlook: Feb 14 – 18

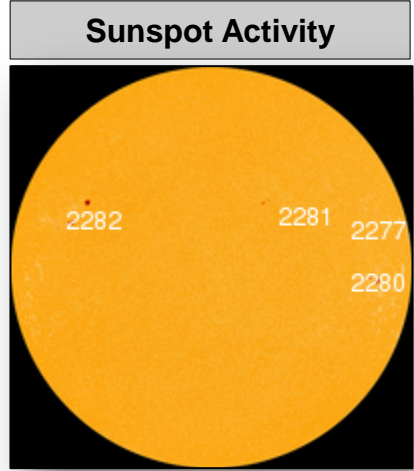
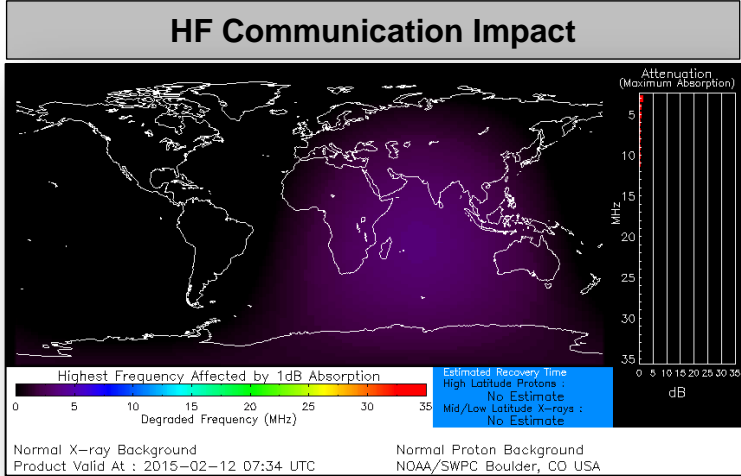


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# Space Weather

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	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO	Green	38	19	53%	0	1	18		OFDC Readiness: FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4 3 2 FDRC 3 2 1
FDRC	Green	10	8	80%	0	0	2		
US&R	Green	28	27	96%	0	1	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NM-TF1 (Red – Personnel shortages)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green = Available/FMC</li> <li>Yellow = Available/PMC</li> <li>Red = Out-of-Service</li> <li>Blue = Assigned/Deployed</li> </ul>
National IMAT	Yellow	3	1	33%	0	0	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IMAT East 1 – Deployed to FEMA HQ</li> <li>IMAT East 2 – Deployed to GA</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green: 3 avail</li> <li>Yellow: 1-2 avail</li> <li>Red: 0 avail (<i>Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.</i>)</li> </ul>
Regional IMAT	Green	13	9	69%	0	3	1	<u>Not Mission Capable (NMC):</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regions IV-3, VI-1 &amp; IX-1 (personnel shortages)</li> </ul> <u>Deployed</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Region IX-2 to CA</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green: 7 or more avail</li> <li>Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available</li> <li>Red: &gt; 8 teams deployed/unavailable</li> </ul> <p><i>R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable and has no qualified replacement</i></p>
MCOV	Green	60	59	98%	0	1	0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green = 80 – 100% avail</li> <li>Yellow = 60 – 79% avail</li> <li>Red = 59% or below avail</li> <li>Readiness remains 95%</li> </ul>



# FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



National/Regional Teams									
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Activated	Enhanced Watch (day shift only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green = FMC</li> <li>• Yellow = PMC</li> <li>• Red = NMC</li> </ul>
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		
HLT		1	N/A	N/A	0	0	Not Activated		
DEST							Not Activated		
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated		



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