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# **FEMA**

## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Friday, April 10, 2015**

**8:30 a.m. EDT**

# Significant Activity: April 9-10



**Significant Events:** Severe Weather Outbreak– Midwest to Eastern US

**Significant Weather:**

- Slight Risk of Severe Thunderstorms – Southern TX & LA to the Mid-Atlantic
- Showers & Thunderstorms – Appalachians to the Atlantic coast, & Gulf coastal states & Southern Plains
- Heavy Rain & Flash Flooding possible – Upper Ohio Valley & Central Appalachians
- Freezing Rain – Northeast
- Heavy snow – Washington Cascades & northern Great Lakes
- Wintry Mix – Pacific Northwest, Northern Intermountain, Northern Rockies & Great Lakes
- Elevated Fire Weather – NM
- Red Flag Warnings – None
- Space Weather: Space Weather Storms for the past 24 hours have been moderate, with G2 geomagnetic storms; In the next 24 hours Space Weather Storms are expected to be Minor, with G1 geomagnetic storms

**Tropical Activity:** None

**FEMA Readiness:** No significant change

# Severe Weather – Midwest to Eastern US



## April 9-10

- Severe thunderstorms from TX northeastward through the Lower/Middle Mississippi valleys to the Great Lakes
- Numerous preliminary reports of large hail, high winds, & tornadoes (14)
- Majority of preliminary tornado reports are across central/northern IL
  - 13 preliminary reports across 7 counties in IL
  - One touched down for approximately 25 min. in Ogle County, IL (pop. 52k)

## Impacts

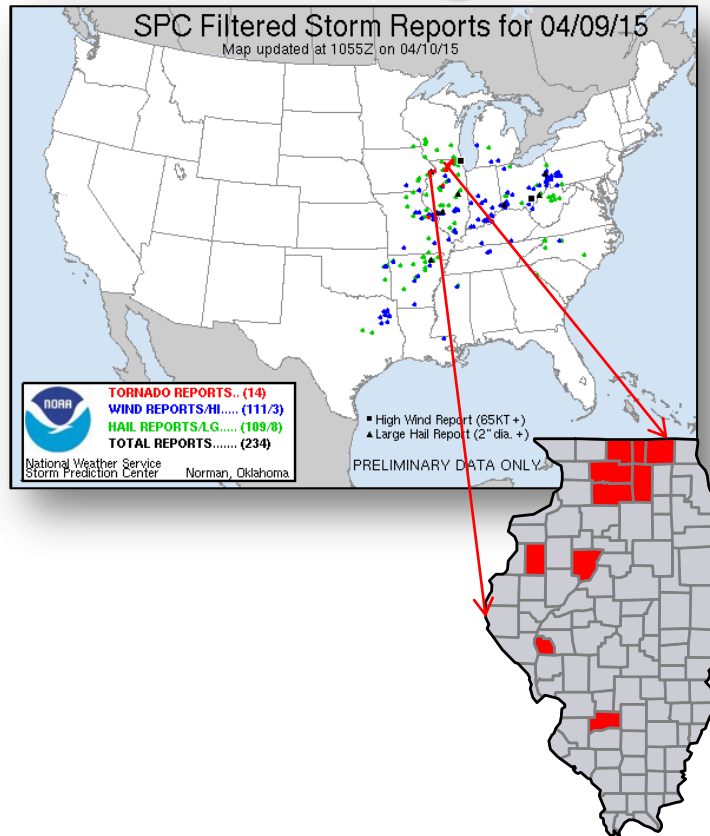
- Widespread reports of downed trees, power lines, & road blockages
- No critical infrastructure impacted
- Significant structural damage to 30-40 homes & some out buildings in IL
- Approx. 13 injuries & 1 fatality reported in IL
- 1 ARC shelter in IL w/ 3 occupants (ESF-06, 7:170 am EDT)
- 10K customers remain without power statewide - IL (\*DOE/Eagle-I, 6:30 am EDT)

## State/Local Response

- Illinois EOC at Partial Activation
- Multiple medical units requested
- US&R activities continue

## FEMA Response

- FEMA Region V RRCC activated to Level III; 2 LNOs deployed to IL EOC
- FEMA Region V IMAT notified of potential deployment



\*Note: Customer outage data is provided by the Department of Energy's EAGLE-I system. Comprehensive National coverage of all electrical service providers is not available.

# Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
1	Date Requested	0	0
MA – DR Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	March 27, 2015		

# Open JFOs, as of April 10

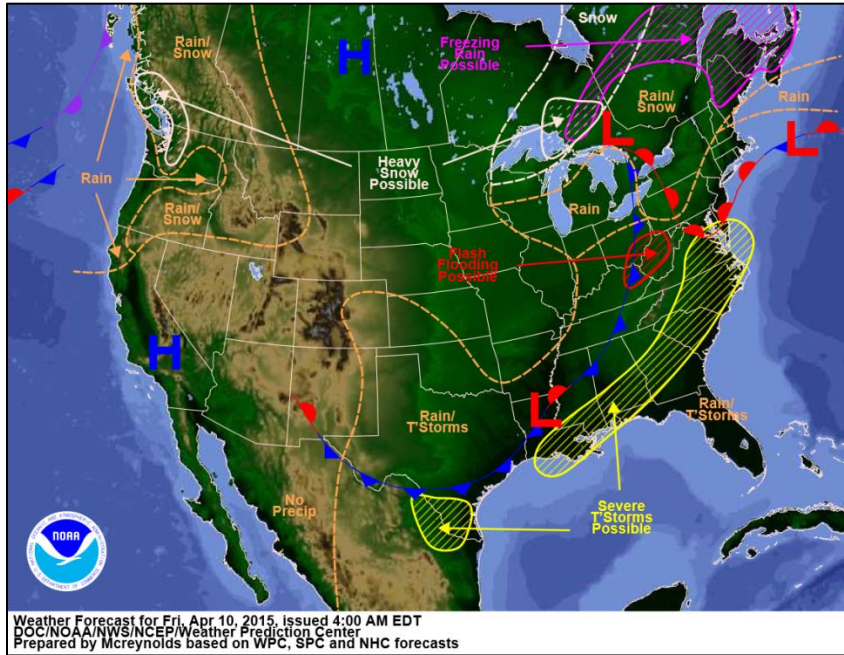
								<div><div></div># Days Open</div>	<div><div></div># Days Till Close</div>															
JFO	Event Nbr	Date Opened	Est Closed Date <sup>A</sup>	Op Period End	# of Counties Declared	Level	# of JFO Staff																	
								0	30	60	90	120	150	180	210	240	270	300	330	360	390	420	450	
Hawaii	4201	11/04/2014		01/08/2015	1	III	28	<div><div></div>1560</div>																
New Hampshire	4209	03/25/2015			3	III	0	<div><div></div>150</div>																
Tennessee	4211	04/02/2015			35	III	0	<div><div></div>70</div>																
Rhode Island	4212	04/03/2015			5	III	0	<div><div></div>60</div>																
Connecticut	4213	04/08/2015			4	III	0	<div><div></div>0</div>																
New York	4204	01/05/2015	04/30/2015	04/14/2015	9	III	39	<div><div></div>9421115</div>																
Vermont	4207	02/03/2015	05/22/2015		10	III	15	<div><div></div>6543108</div>																
West Virginia	4210	03/31/2015	06/26/2015	04/09/2015	29	III	63	<div><div></div>97887</div>																
Maine	4208	03/12/2015	06/30/2015		3	III	0	<div><div></div>2882110</div>																

# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

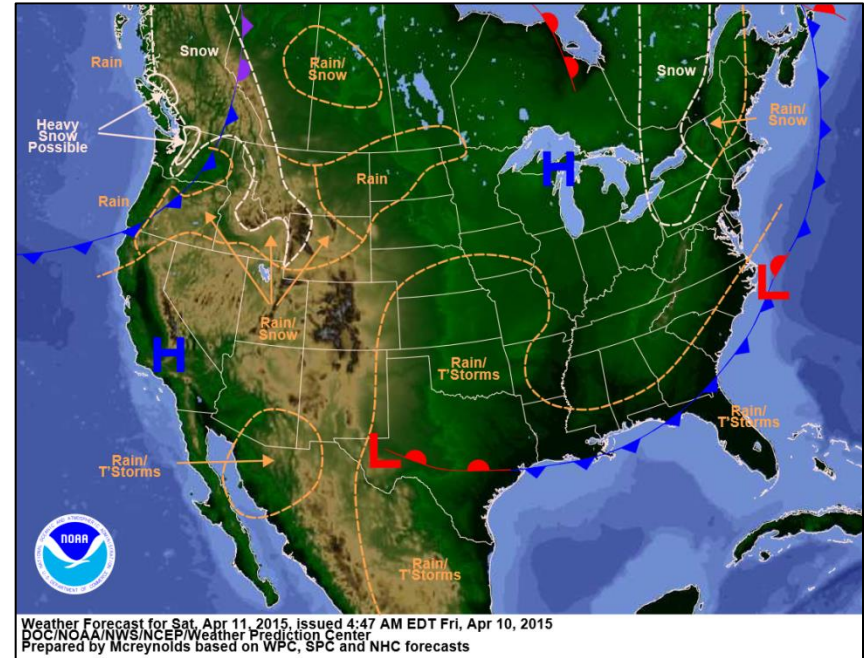


Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
I	ME	Severe Winter Storm Jan 26-28	PA	1	0	4/6 - TBD
III	WV	Rain & Flooding Apr 4-5	PA	5	0	4/9 - TBD
		Severe Winter Storm, Flooding, Landslides, Mudslides <i>(Additional PDAs for FEMA-4210-DR)</i>	PA	5	0	4/9 - TBD
IV	KY	Severe Winter Weather: Snow & Arctic Air Feb 15-26	PA	58 (+6)	50 (+5)	3/30 - TBD
		Severe Winter Weather: Snow, Sleet & Rain Mar 4-6	PA	56 (+4)	48 (+3)	3/30 - TBD
		Flooding Apr 2-3	IA	9	0	TBD - TBD
IX	FSM (Yap & Chuuk)	Typhoon Maysak	IA	2	0	4/6 - TBD
			PA	2	0	4/6 - TBD

# National Weather Forecast



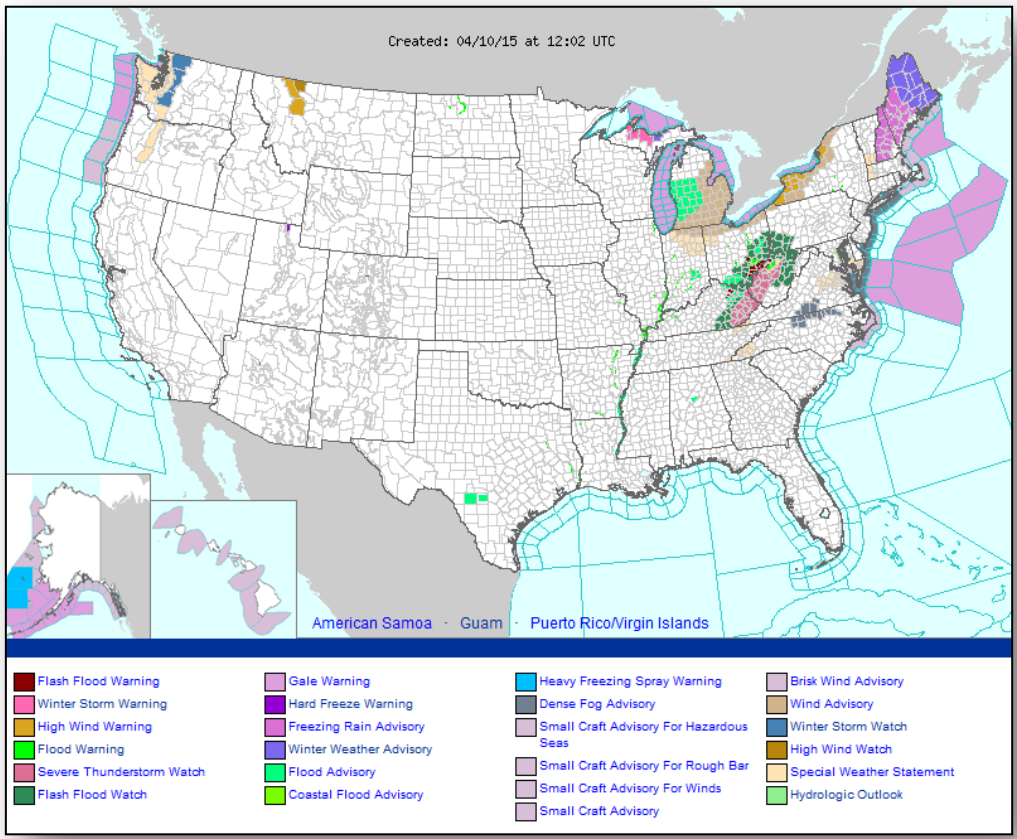
*Today*



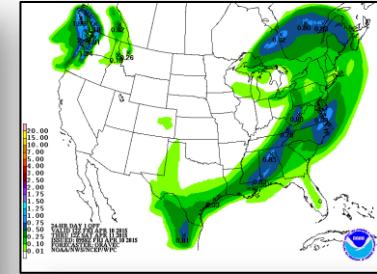
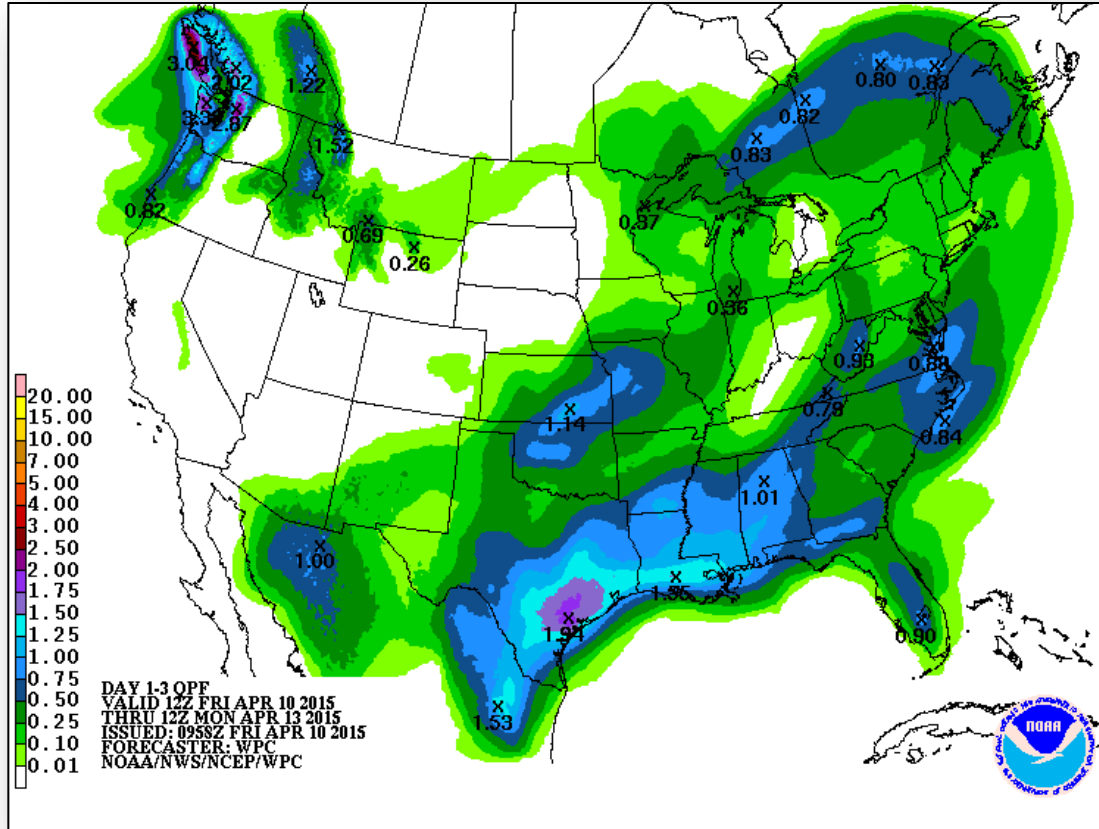
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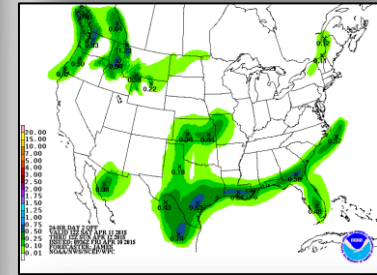
# Active Watches/Warnings



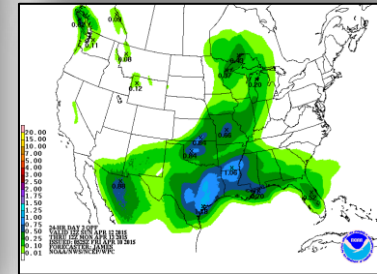
# Precipitation Forecast 1-3 Day



Day 1



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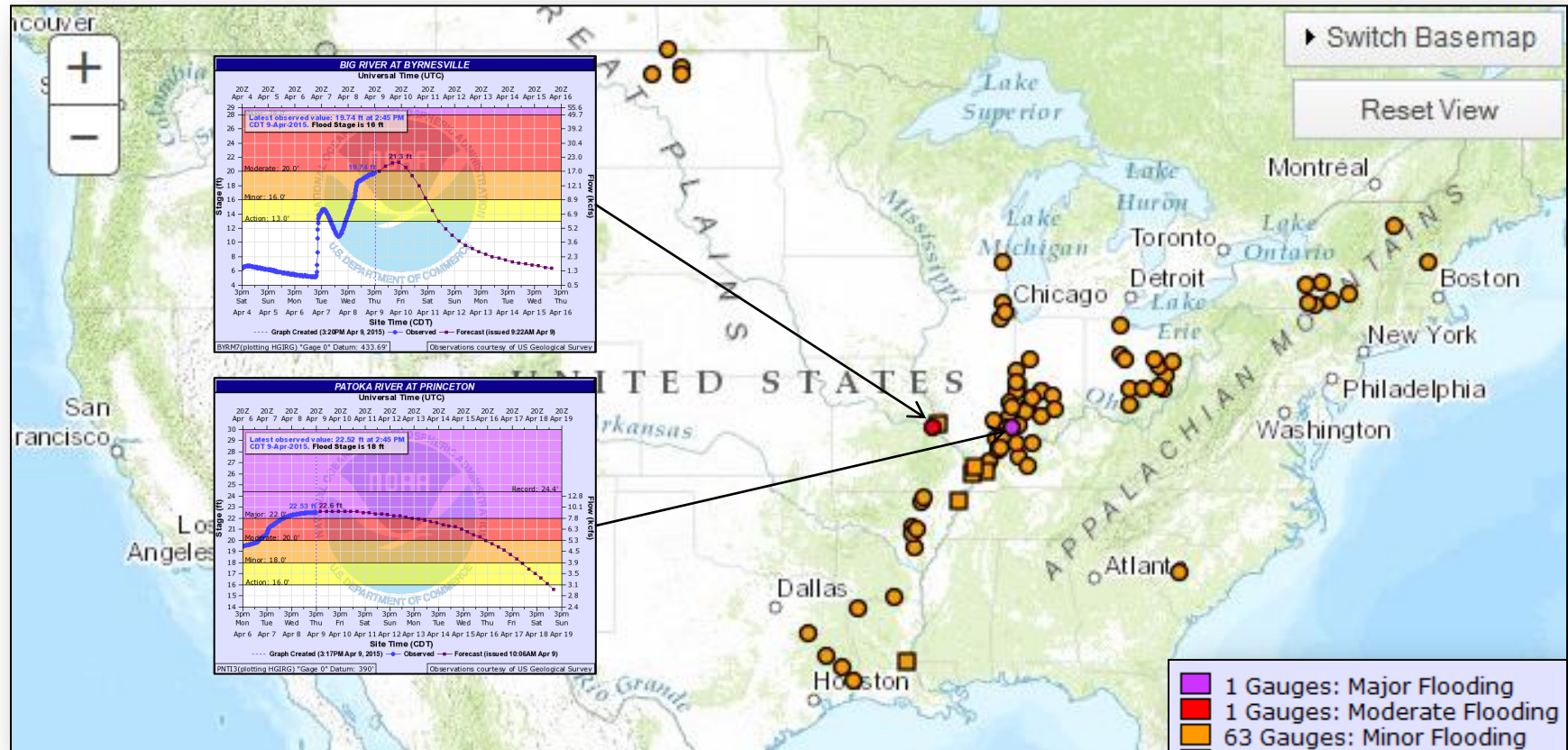


Day 3

# River Forecast



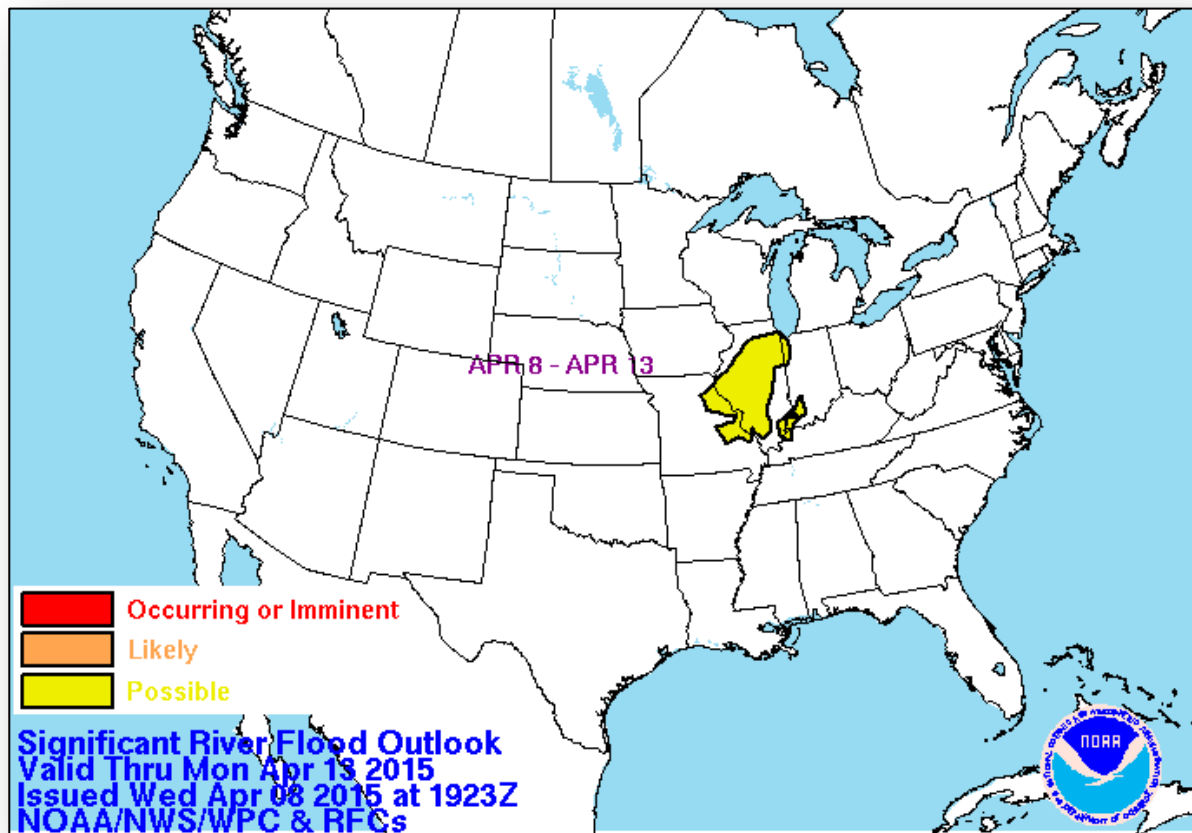
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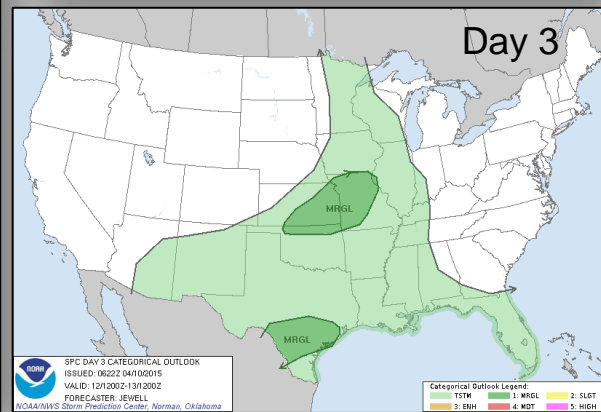
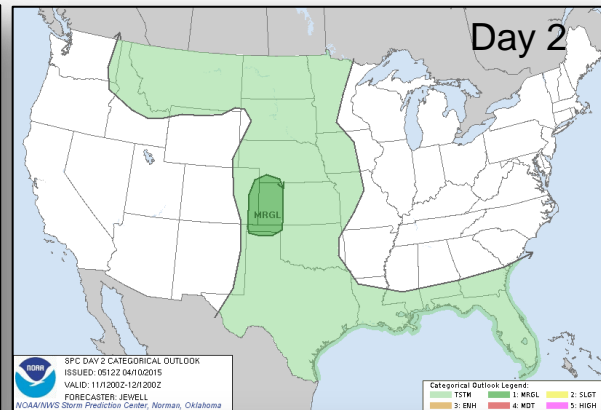
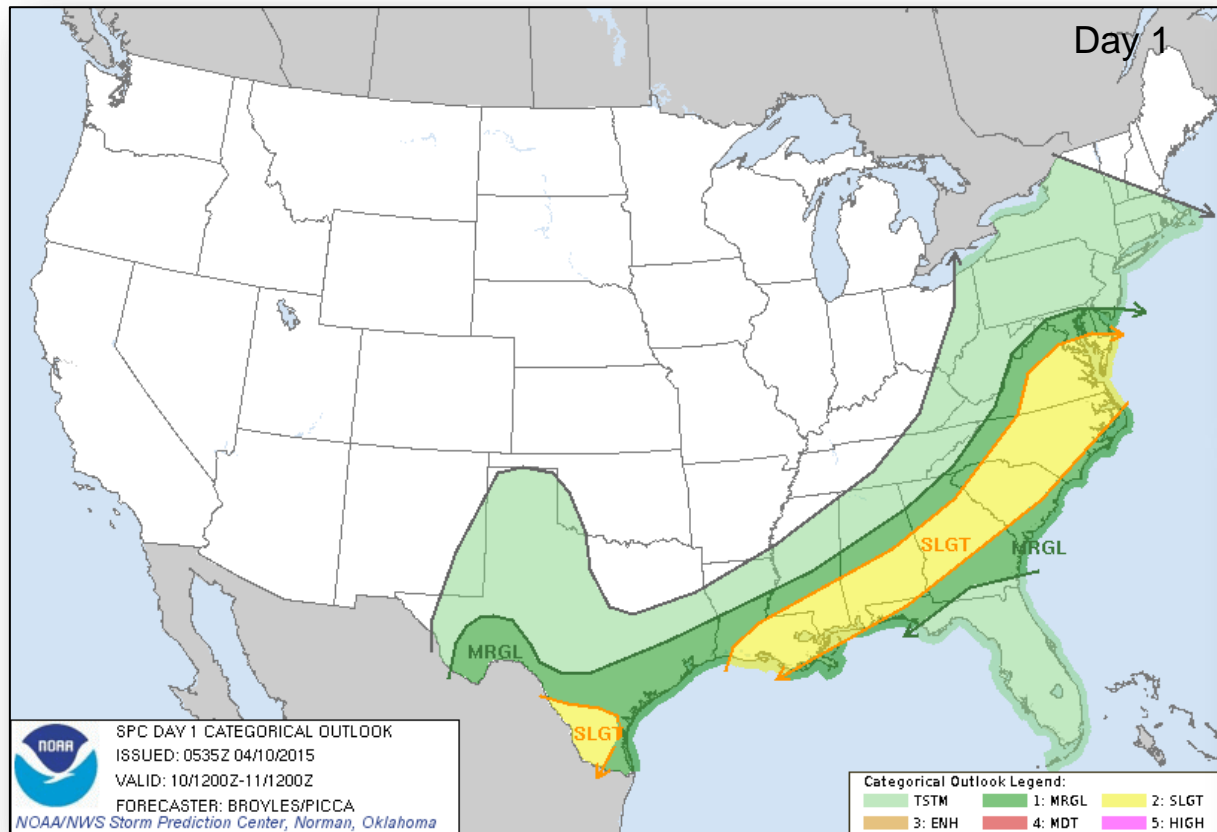
# Significant River Flood Outlook



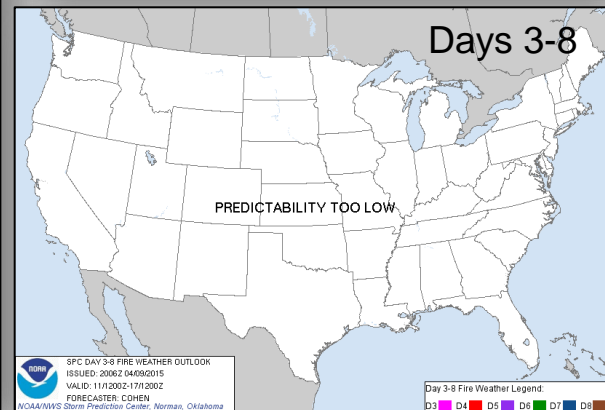
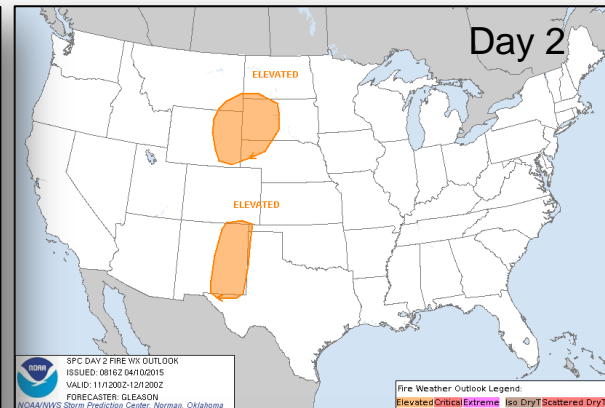
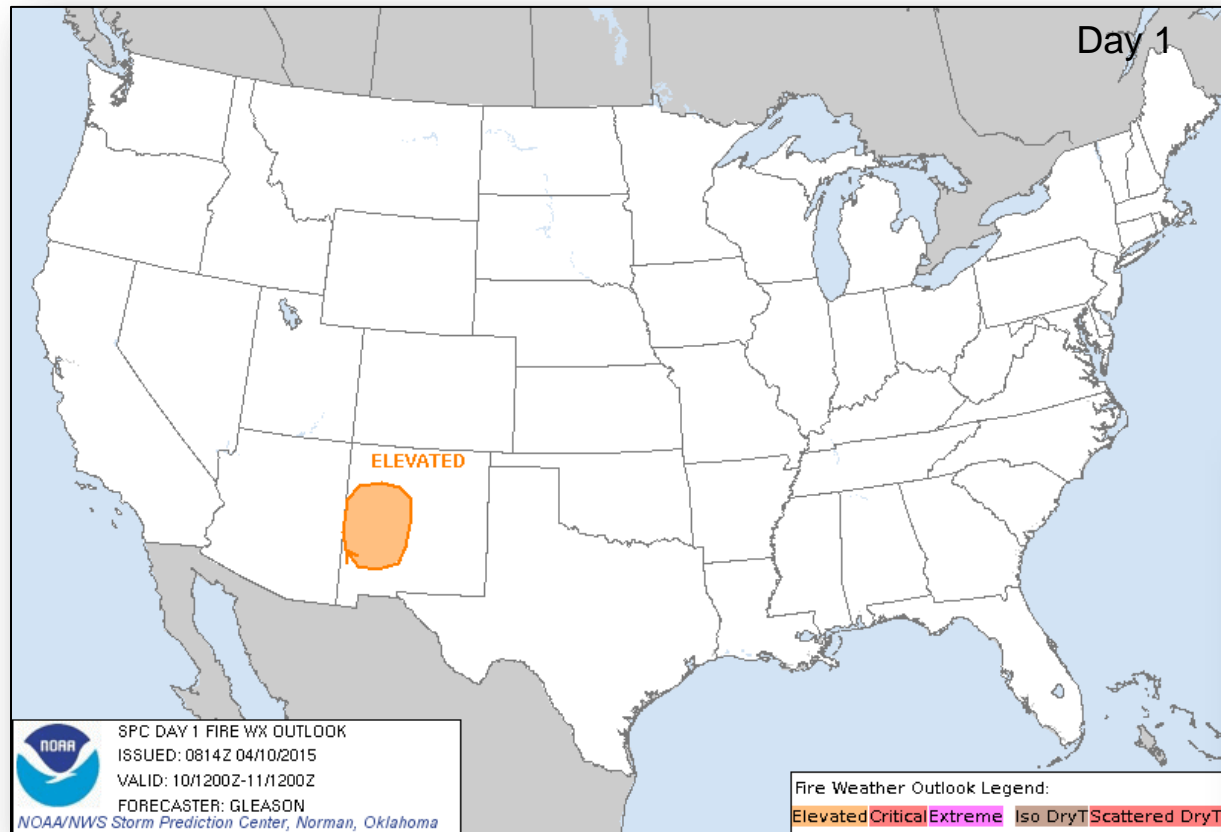
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# Convective Outlook, Days 1-3



# Fire Weather Outlook, Days 1-8

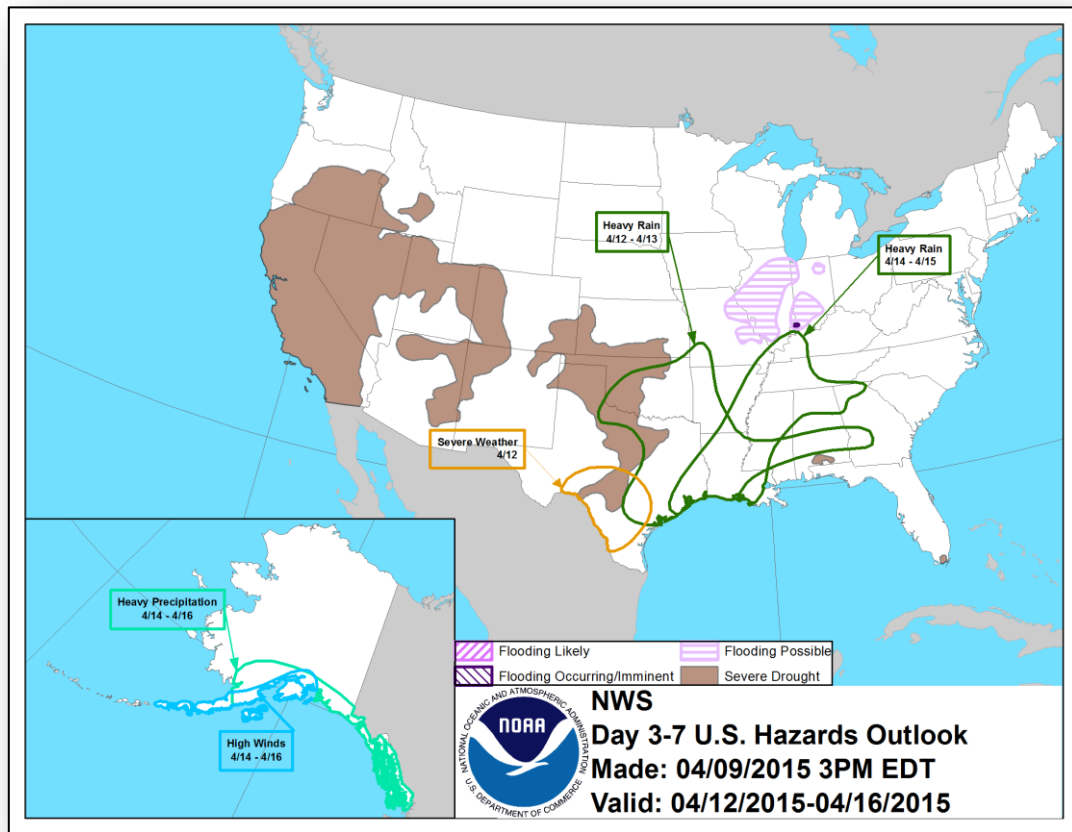




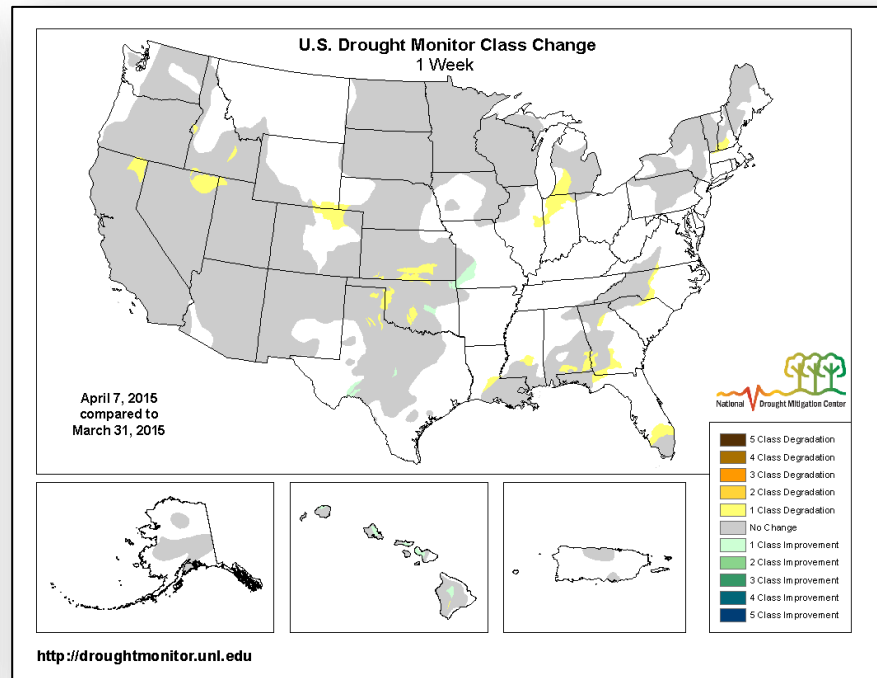
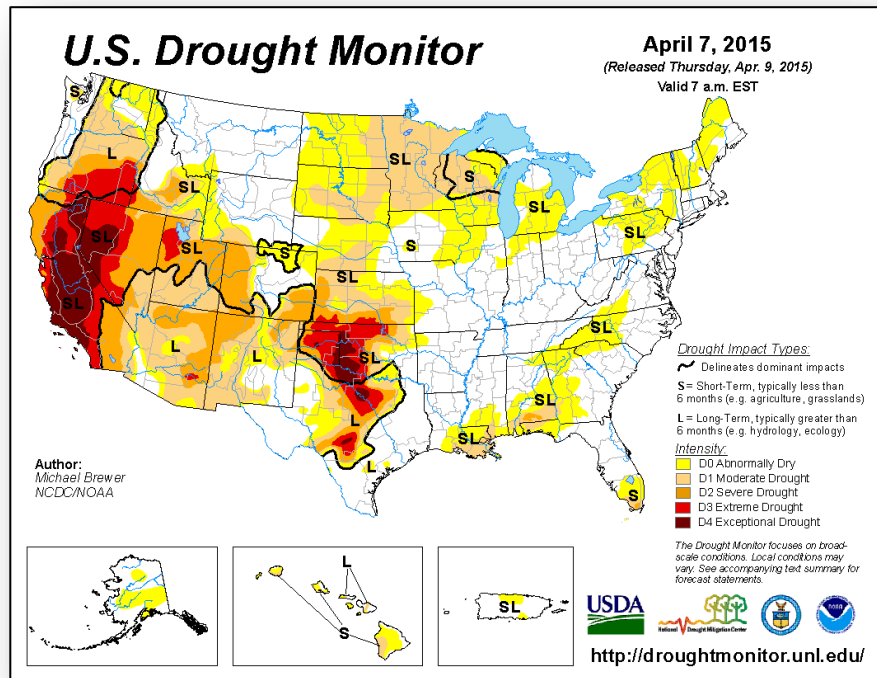
# Hazard Outlook, Apr 12-16



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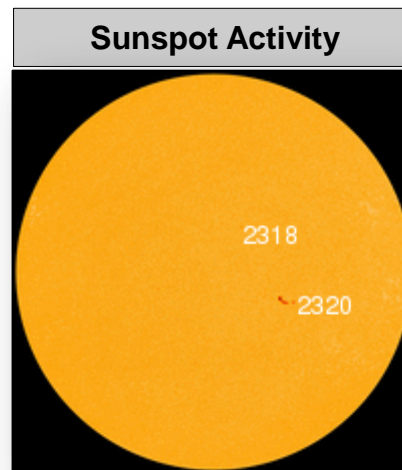
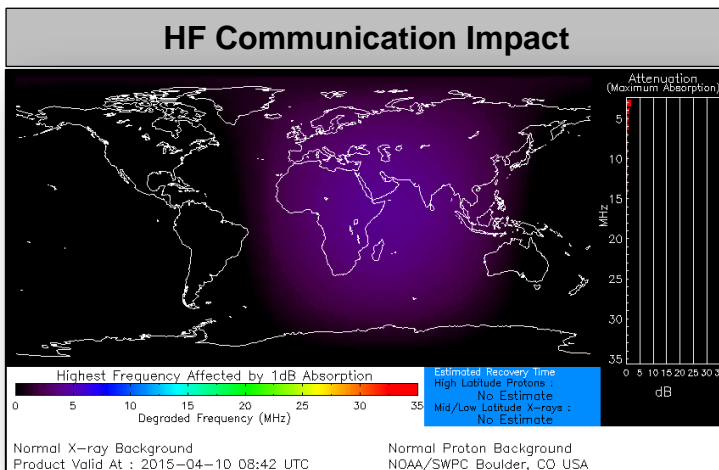
# U.S. Drought Monitor





# Space Weather

None	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	Moderate	Moderate	Minor
• Geomagnetic Storms	G2	G2	G1
• 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		37	15	46%	0	1	21		OFDC Readiness: <u>FCO</u> <u>Green</u> <u>Yellow</u> <u>Red</u> Type 1   3+            2            1 Type 2   4+            3            2 Type 3   4              3            2  <u>FDRC</u> 3              2            1
FDRC		9	9	100%	0	0	0		
US&R		28	27	96%	0	1	0	NM-TF1 (Red – Personnel shortages)	<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		3	2	66%	0	0	1	IMAT East 2 – Deployed to GA	<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		13	9	69%	0	3	1	Region III – Deployed to WV <u>Not Mission Capable (NMC):</u> • Regions IV-3, VI-3 & IX-1	<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> <i>R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable &amp; has no qualified replacement</i>
MCOV		60	56	93%	0	4	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	Not Activated		• Green = FMC • Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC
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	Region V activated to Level III	
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated	Region VI activated to Enhanced Watch	



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