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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

Friday, May 12, 2017

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – May 11-12



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Significant Events: None

Significant Weather:

- Rain and thunderstorms – northern California to Pacific Northwest; Central Great Basin, Central Rockies, Northern Plains; Southern Plains to Southeastern U.S. and Mid-Atlantic
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather areas – FL, GA, & SC
- Space Weather:
 - Past 24 hours: None observed
 - Next 24 hours: None predicted

Tropical Activity: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity: None

Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



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Post-Tropical Cyclone Adrian (*Advisory 8 as of 11:00 a.m. EDT, May 11, 2017*)

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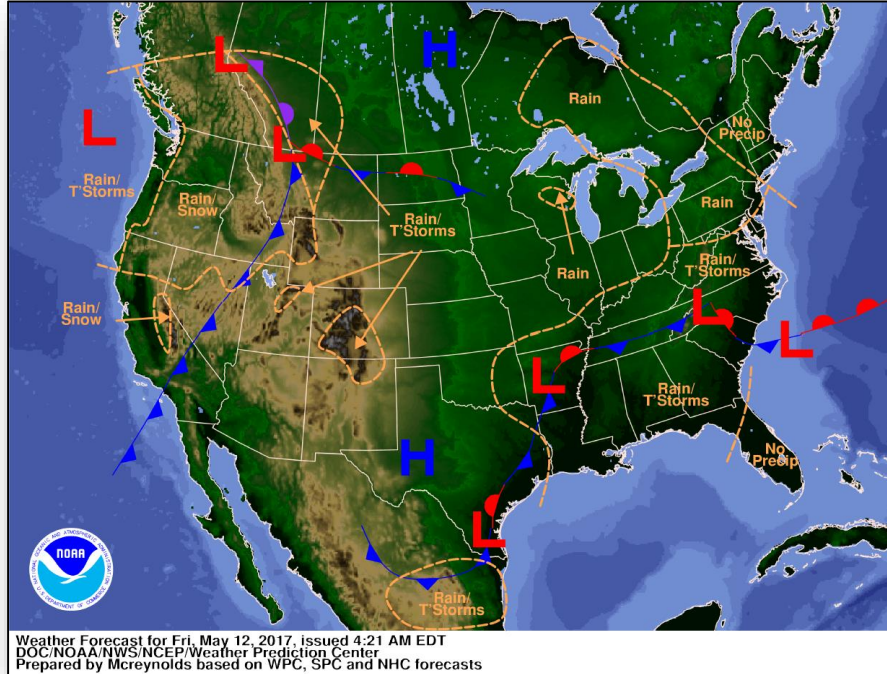
- Located 350 miles SSE of Salina Cruz, Mexico
- Moving NW at 7 mph
- Gradual turn WNW expected next 48 hours
- Maximum sustained winds 30 mph
- Adrian is now a remnant low
- No coastal warnings or watches in effect



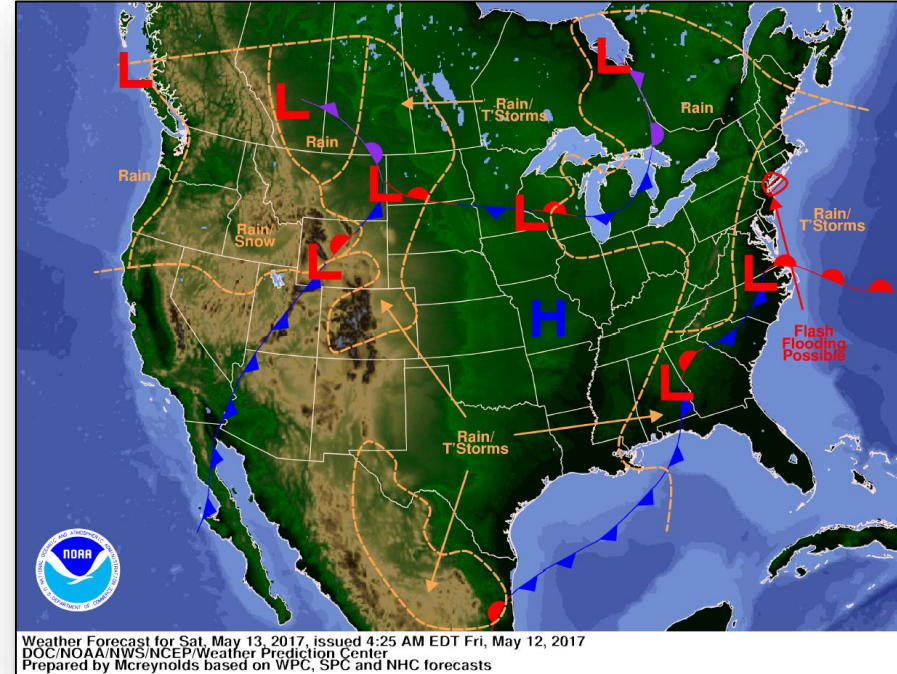
National Weather Forecast



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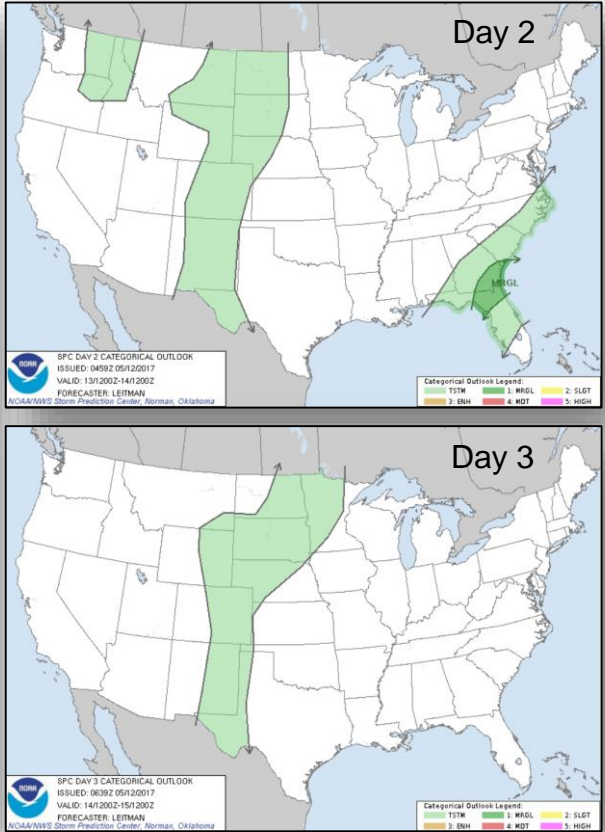
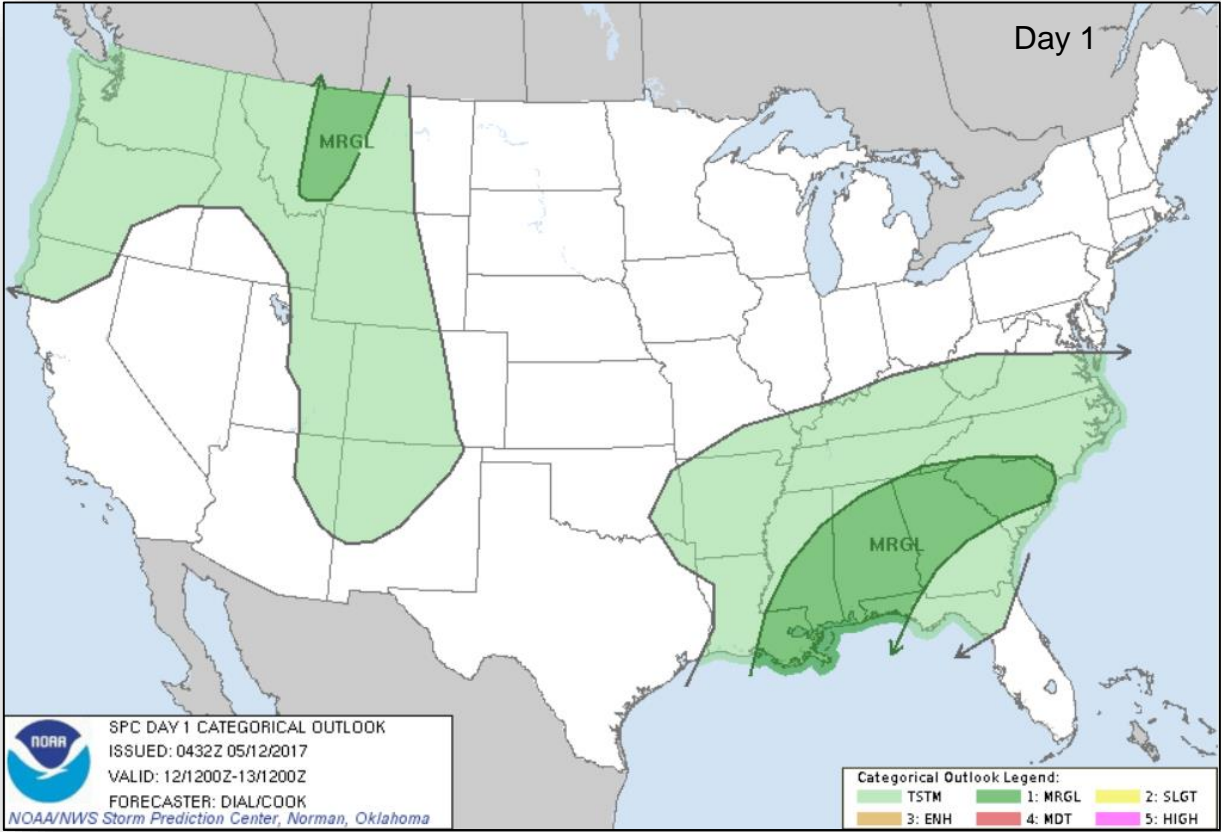


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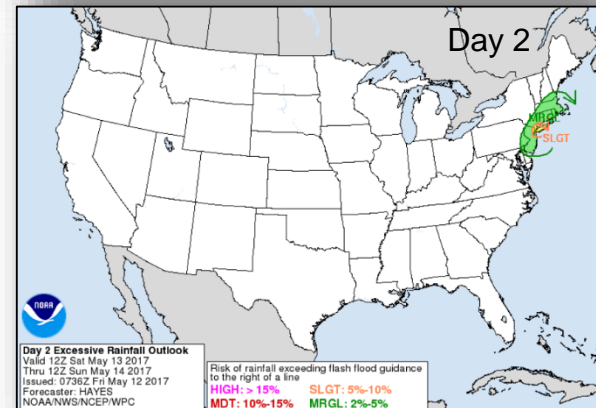
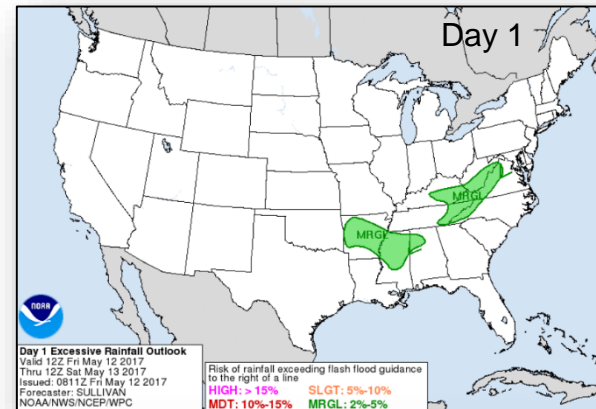
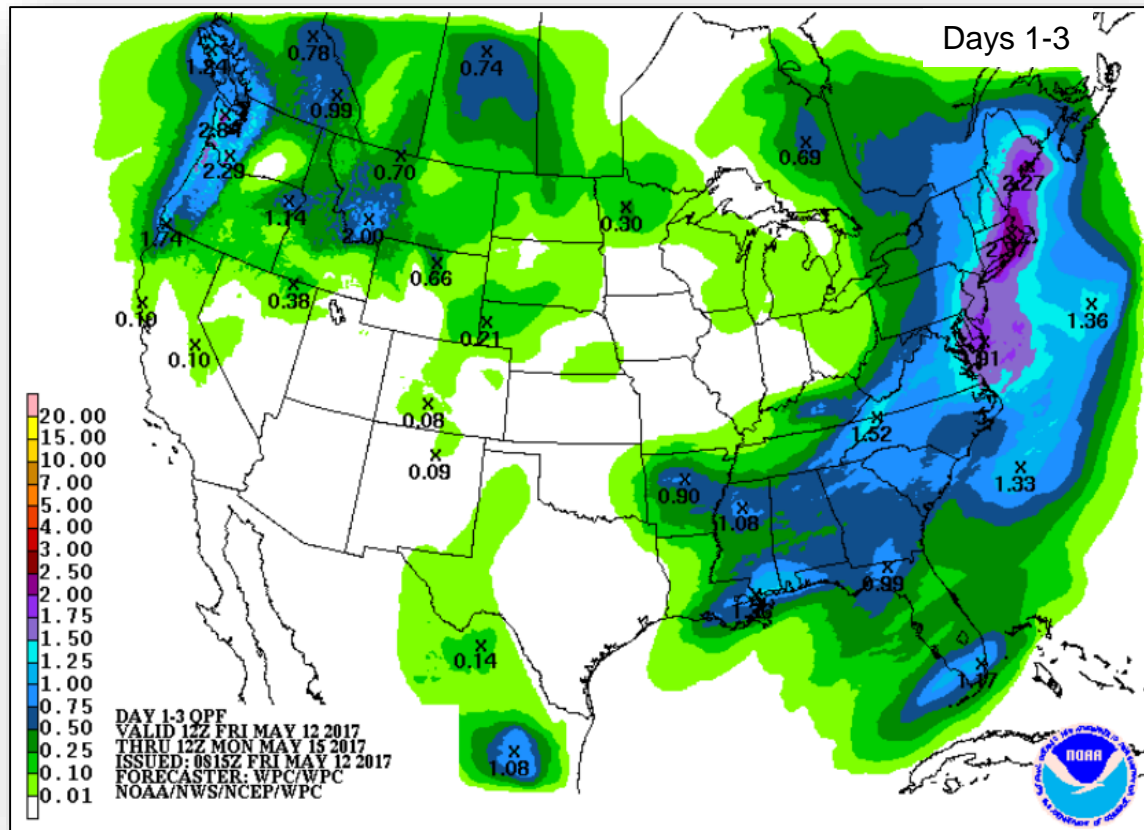
Severe Weather Outlook



Precipitation Outlook – Flash Flood Risk



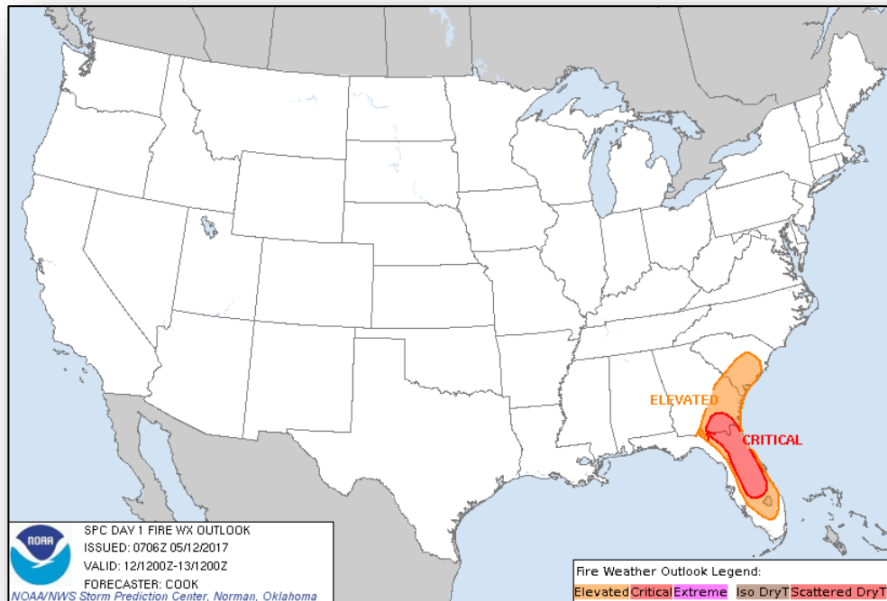
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Fire Weather Outlook



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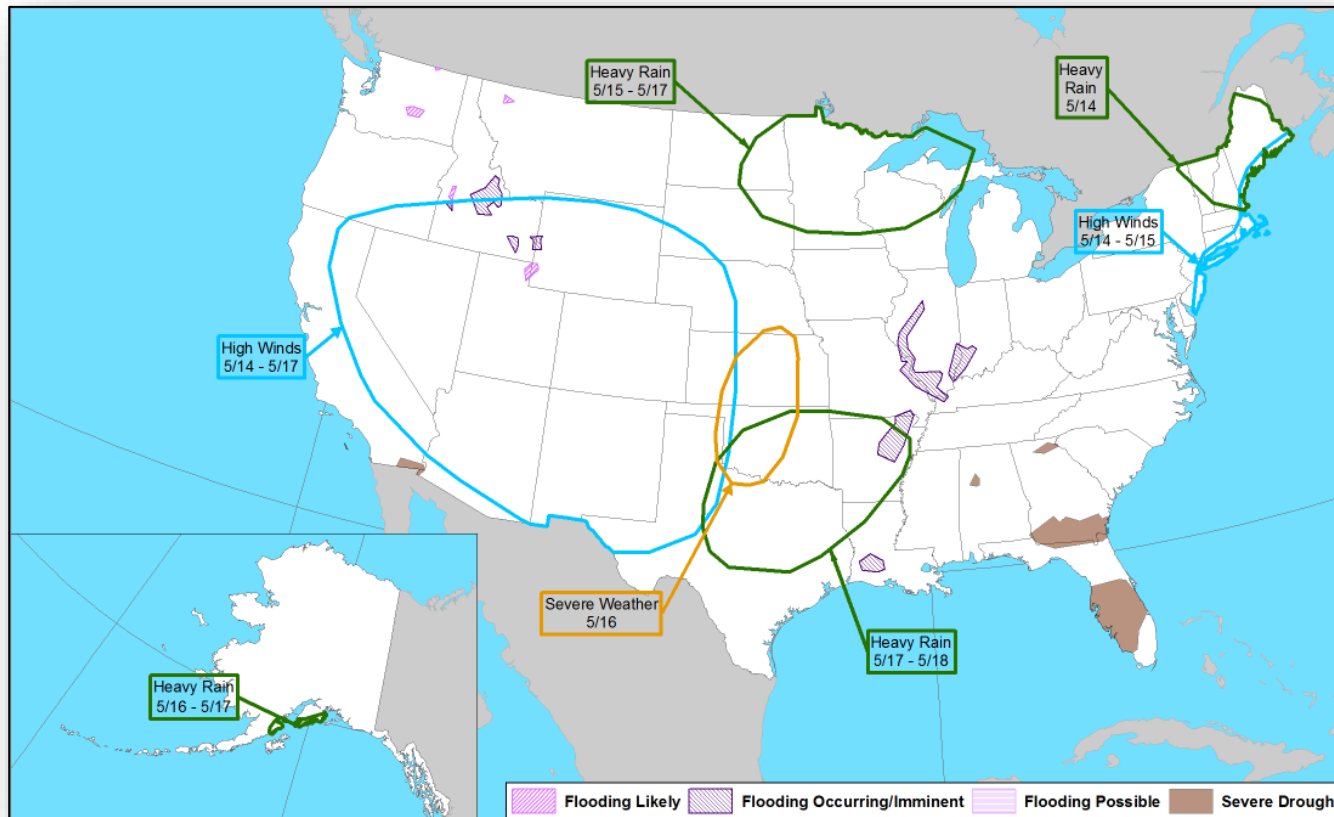


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Hazards Outlook – May 14-18



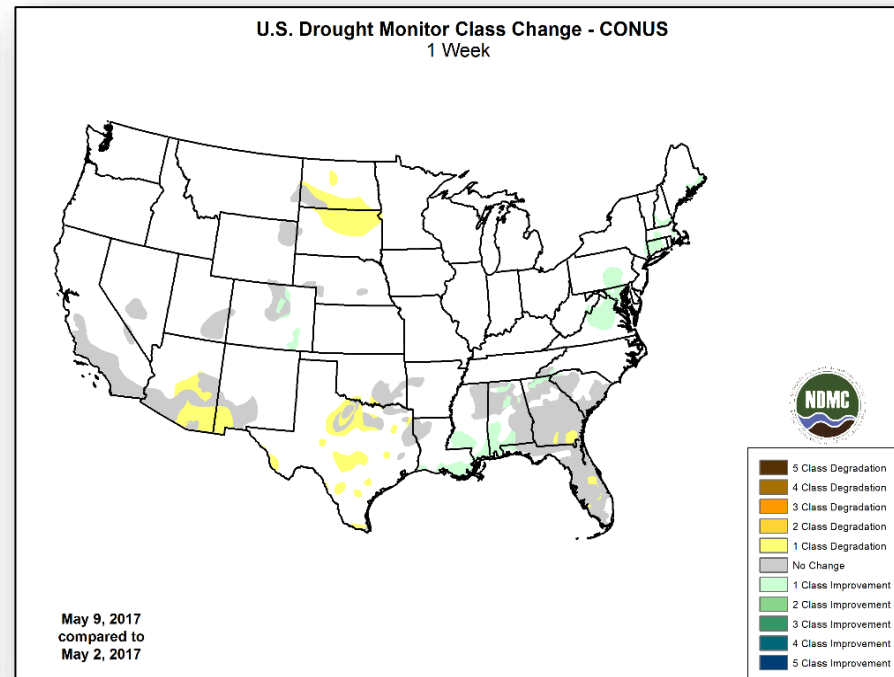
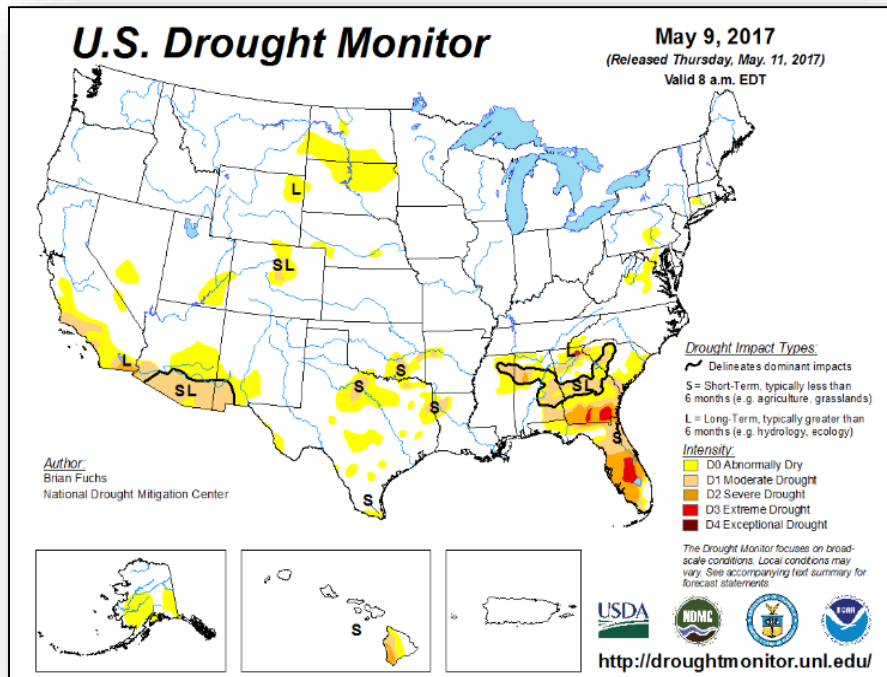
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U.S. Drought Monitor



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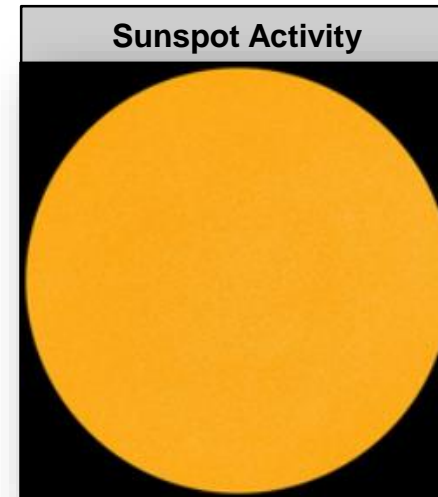
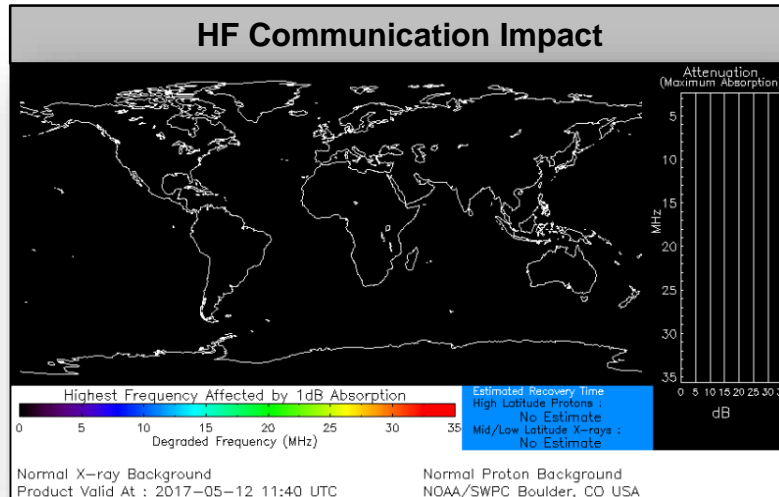


Space Weather



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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 | | | | |



Hurricane Preparedness Week – Friday



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Check on Your Neighbor

- Many Americans rely on their neighbors after a disaster, but there are also many ways you can help your neighbors before a hurricane approaches
- Learn about all the different actions you and your neighbors can take to prepare and recover from the hazards associated with hurricanes
- Start the conversation now with these Neighbor Helping Neighbor strategies



Wildfire Summary



| Fire Name (Counties) | FMAG # (Approved Date) | Acres Burned | Percent Contained | Evacuations (Residents) | Structures | | | Fatalities / Injuries |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| | | | | | Threatened | Damaged | Destroyed | |
| Georgia (1) | | | | | | | | |
| West Mims Fire (Charlton) | 5181-FM-GA May 8 | 144,073 (+180) | 15% (+3) | Mandatory (1,000 people) | 800 homes and 9 other structures | 0 | 4 minor structures | 0 / 4 |

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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| Region | State / Location | Event | IA/PA | Number of Counties | | Start – End |
|--------|------------------|--|-------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|
| | | | | Requested | Completed | |
| II | New York | Winter Storm Event March 13-15, 2017 | IA | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| | | | PA | 30 | 23 | Mar 30 – TBD |
| VI | Arkansas | Severe Storms, Tornadoes and Flooding April 28, 2017 and continuing | IA | 20 | 3 | May 10 – TBD |
| | | | PA | 27 | 0 | May 15 – TBD |
| | Oklahoma | Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding April 28-May 2, 2017 | IA | 4 | 4 | May 8 – May 11 |
| | | | PA | 31 | 6 | May 8 – TBD |
| VII | Kansas | Winter Weather and Flooding April 28, 2017 and continuing | IA | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| | | | PA | 32 | 0 | May 8 – TBD |
| | Missouri | Severe Weather and Flooding April 28, 2017 and continuing | IA | 32 | 0 | May 10 – TBD |
| | | | PA | 42 | 0 | May 10 – TBD |

Disaster Requests & Declarations



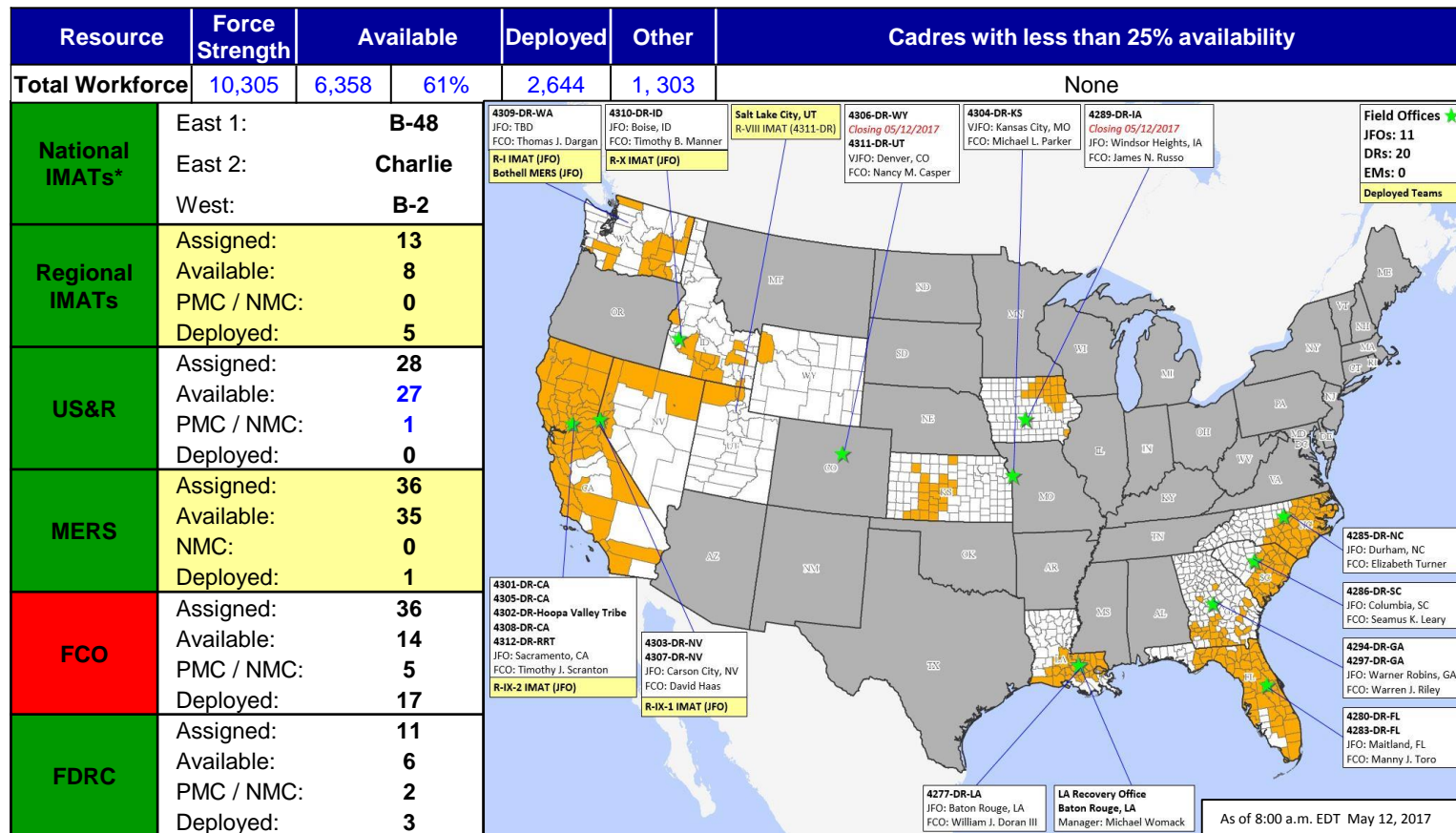
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| Declaration Requests in Process | | Requests APPROVED (since last report) | Requests DENIED (since last report) |
|---|----------------|--|--|
| 3 | Date Requested | 0 | 1 |
| OR – DR Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides | March 9, 2017 | | |
| ND – DR Civil Unrest | April 29, 2017 | | |
| ID – Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides | May 2, 2017 | | |
| PA – DR Snowstorm | May 2, 2017 | | Denied May 11, 2017 |

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



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

Readiness – Activation Teams



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| Resource | Status | Total | Status | Activated Team | Activation Level | Activation Times | Reason/Comments |
|-----------|--------|-------|---------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| NWC | | 5 | Not Activated | | | | |
| NRCC | | 2 | Not Activated | | | | NRCS Gold Team – May primary |
| HLT | | 1 | Not Activated | | | | Deactivated for the season |
| RWCs/MOCs | | 10 | Not Activated | | | | |
| RRCCs | | 10 | | | | | |

Back-up Regions (May 8-14): **II, IV, and VI**



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FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.