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Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, June 8, 2018

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – June 7-8



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Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic – No tropical cyclones expected next 48 hours
- Eastern Pacific – Hurricane Aletta; Disturbance 1
- Central Pacific – No tropical cyclones expected next 48 hours
- Western Pacific – No activity threatening U.S. interests

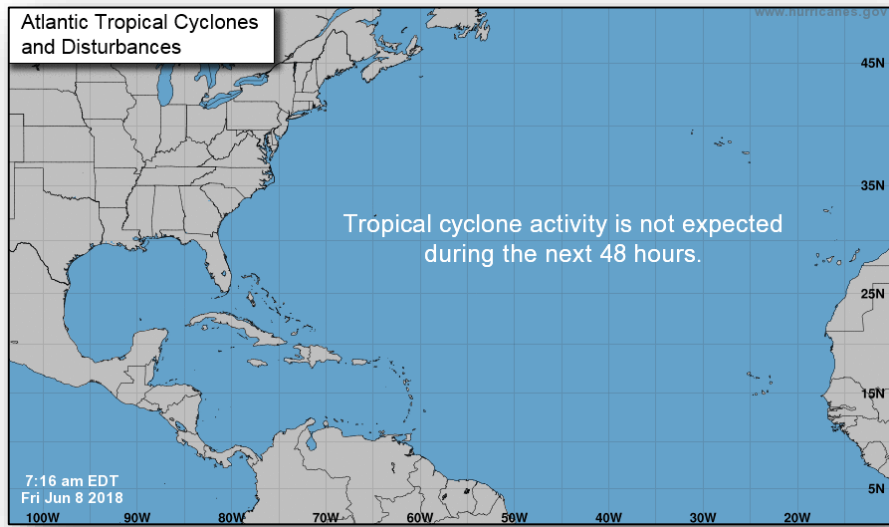
Significant Weather:

- Severe Thunderstorms possible – Northern Plains to the northern Mid-Atlantic
- Elevated fire weather for portions of AZ and NM; Red Flag Warning for AZ, UT, and NV
- Space Weather:
 - Past 24 hours: None observed
 - Next 24 hours: None predicted

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity: FMAG-XXXX-NM

Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



48 Hour Outlook



5 Day Outlook

Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



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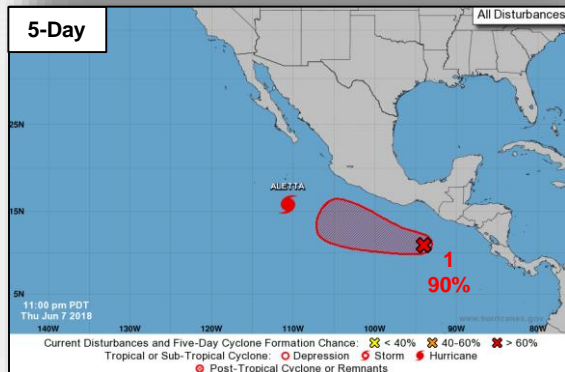
Hurricane Aletta (Advisory #11 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

- 475 miles WSW of the Manzanillo, Mexico
- Moving WNW at 6 mph, max sustained wind 120 mph
- Could become a Category 4 Hurricane later today
- No threat to U.S. interests



Disturbance 1 (as of 1:00 a.m. EDT)

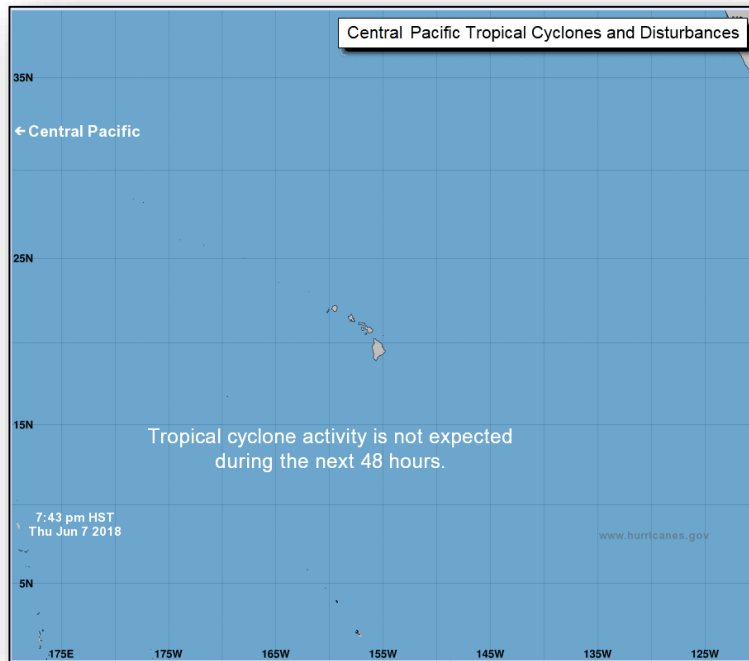
- A few hundred miles S of Gulf of Tehuantepec
- Formation chance:
 - Through 48 hours: MEDIUM (70%)
 - Through 5 days: HIGH (90%)
- No threat to U.S. interests



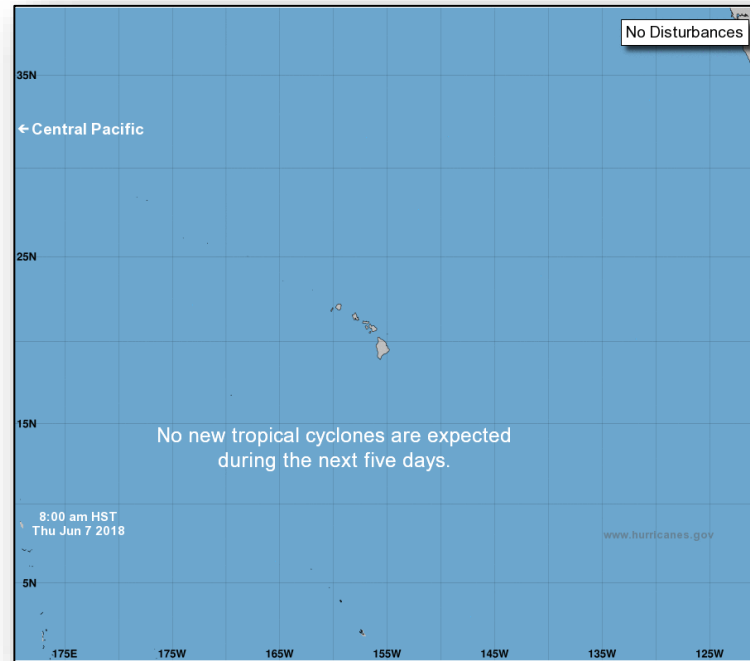
Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific



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48 Hour Outlook

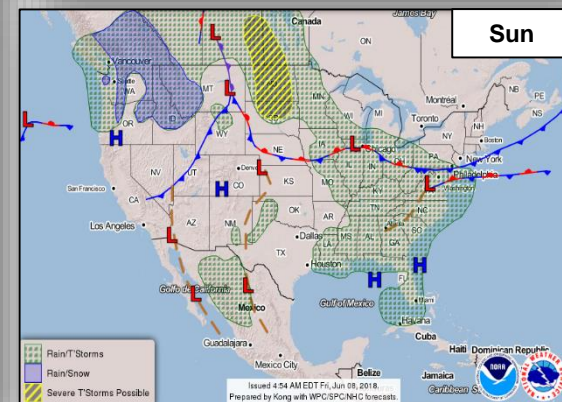
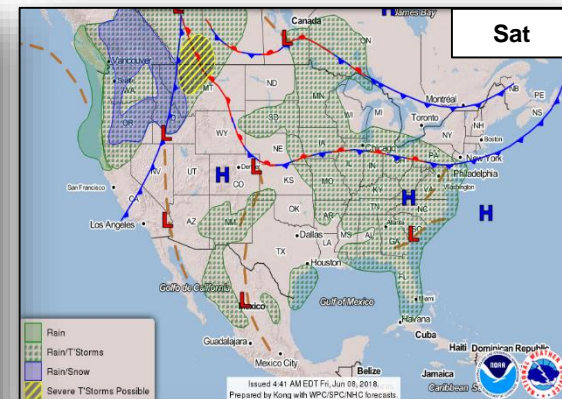
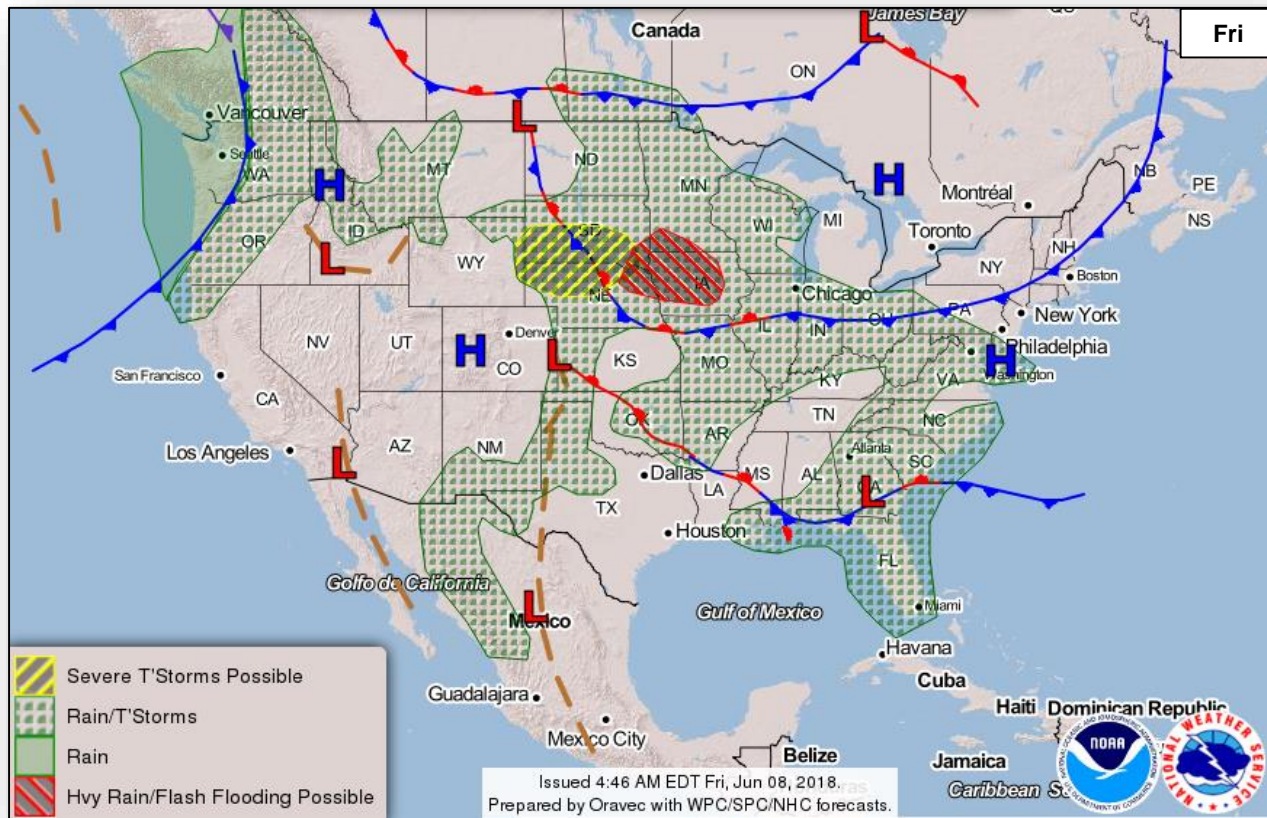


5 Day Outlook

National Weather Forecast



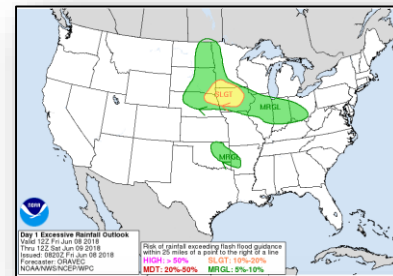
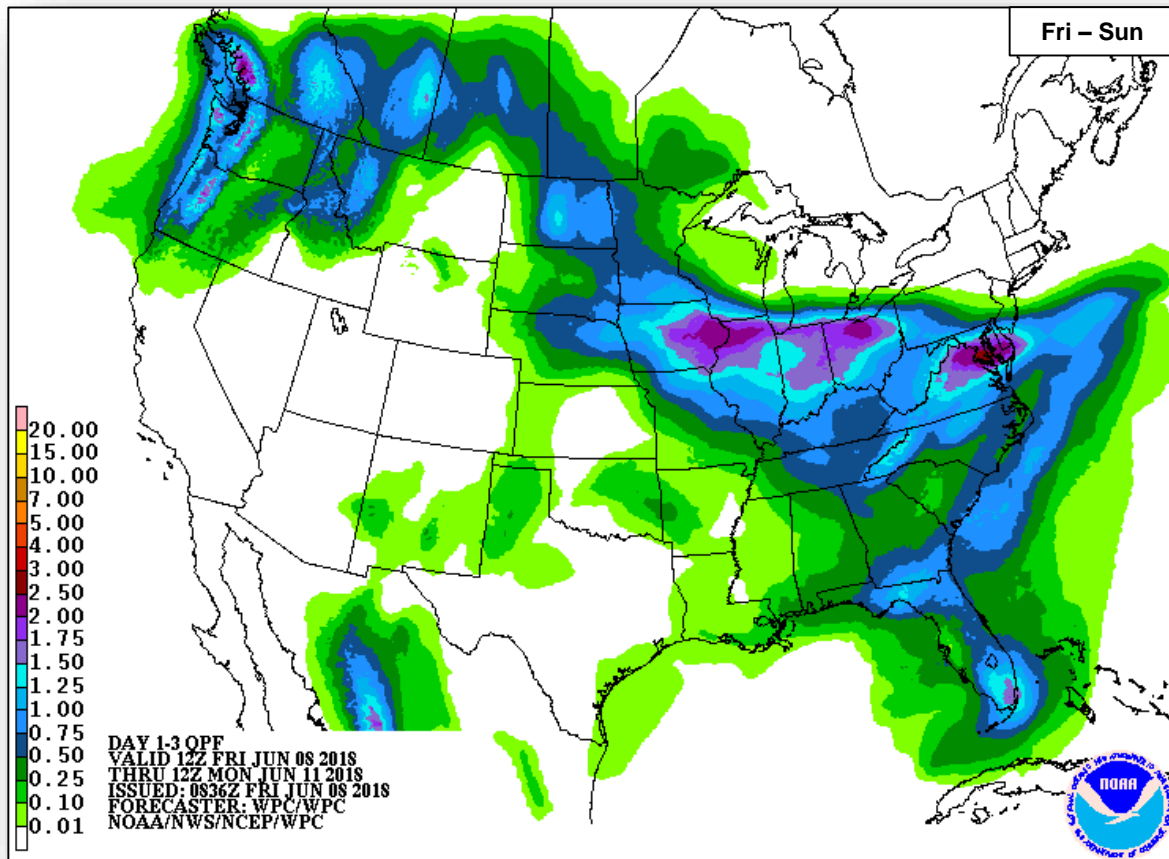
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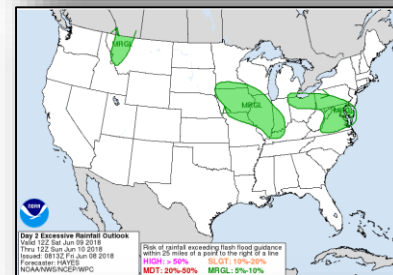
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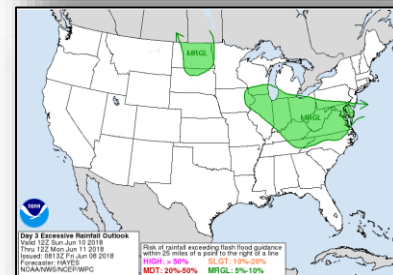
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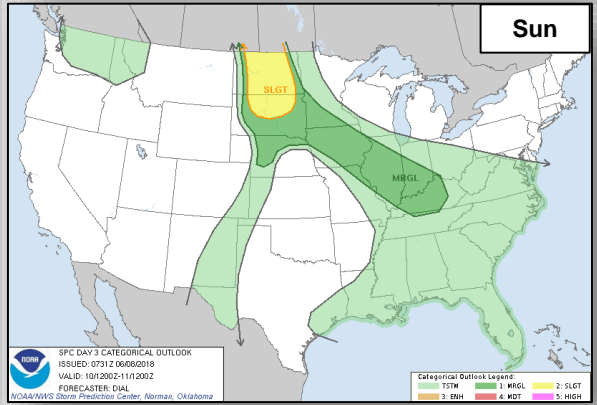
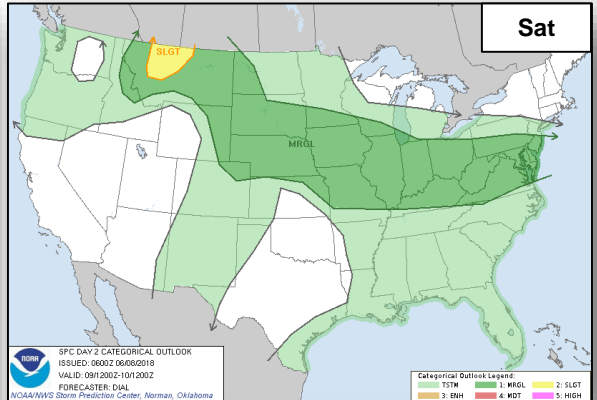
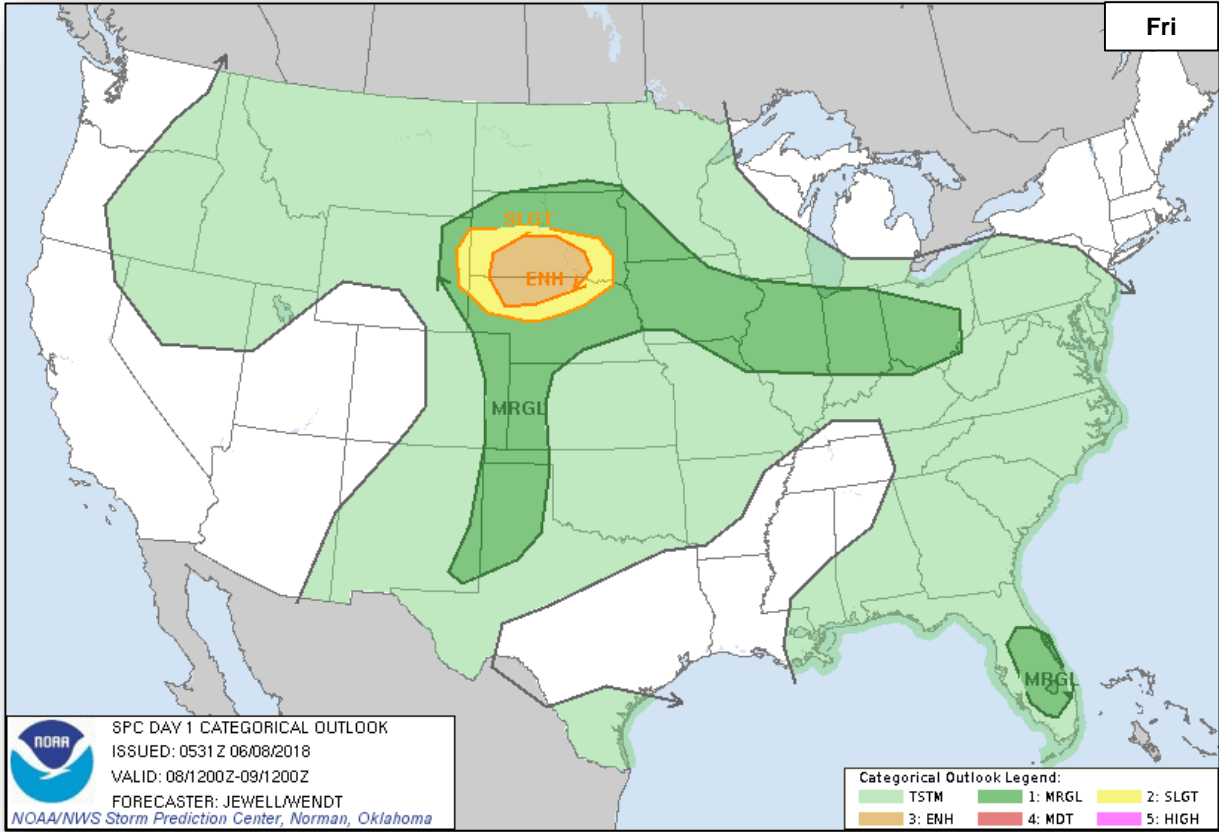


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Severe Weather Outlook



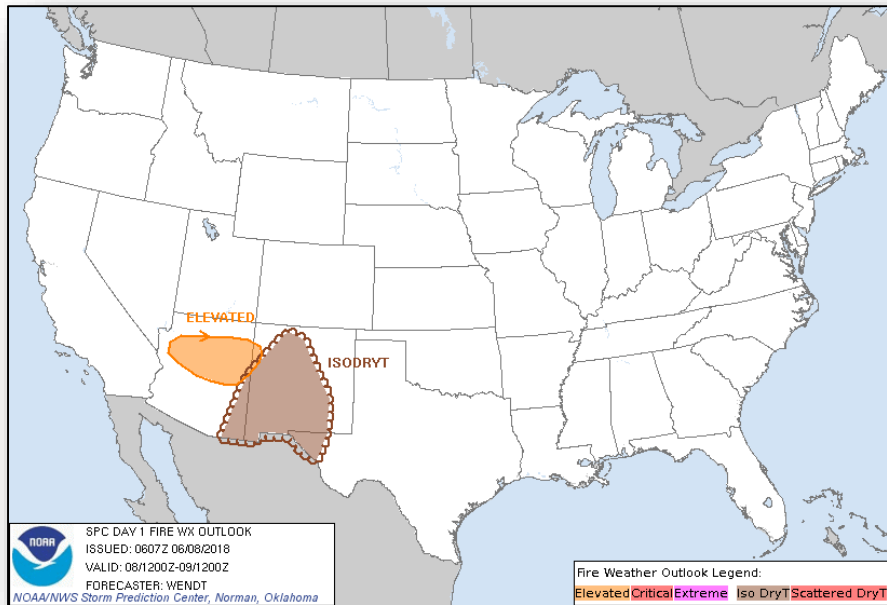
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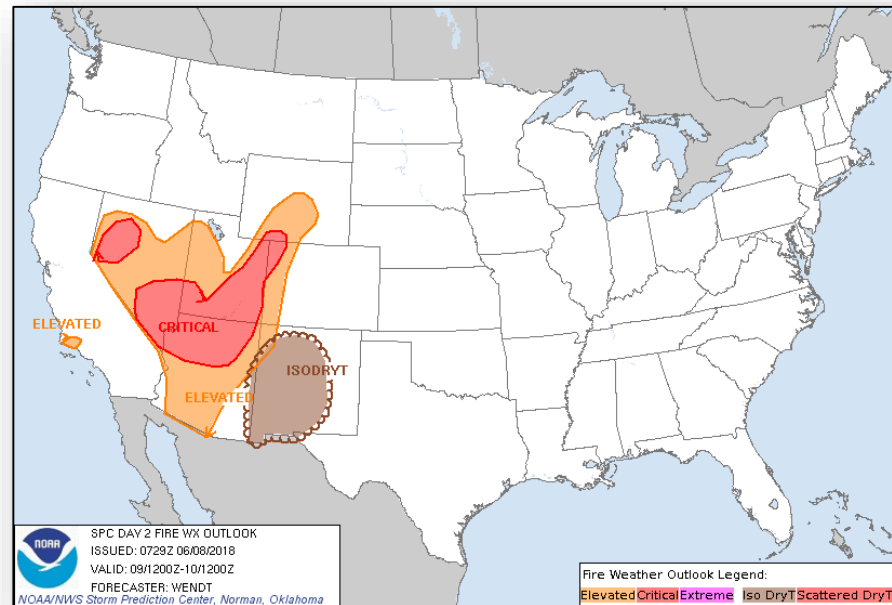
Fire Weather Outlook



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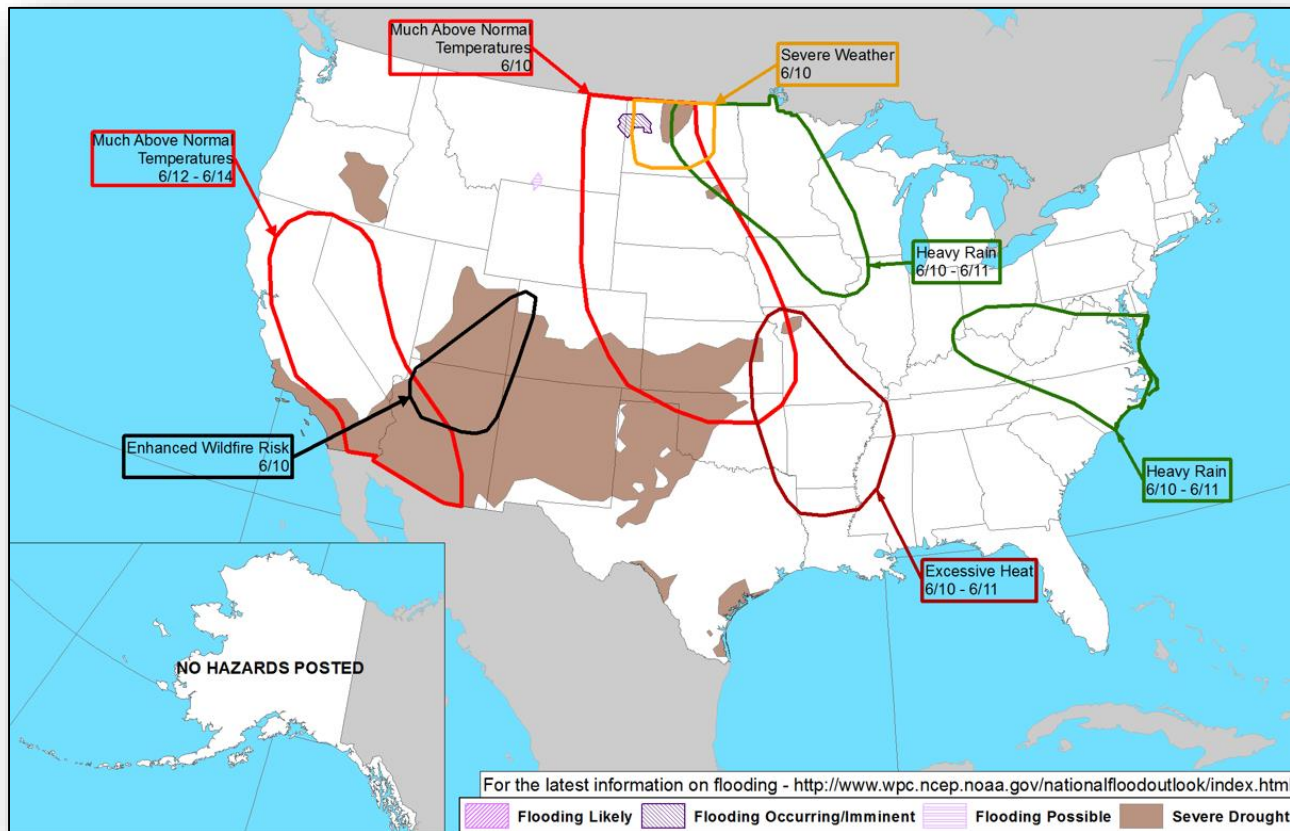


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Hazards Outlook – June 10-14



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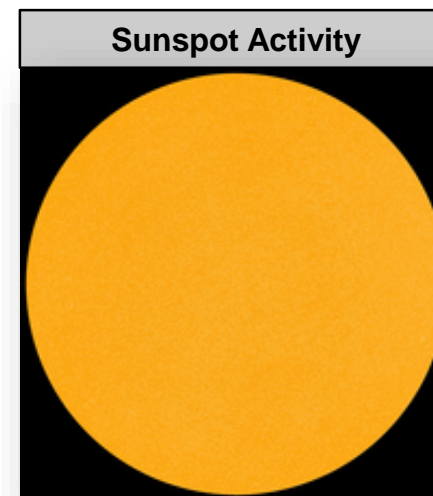
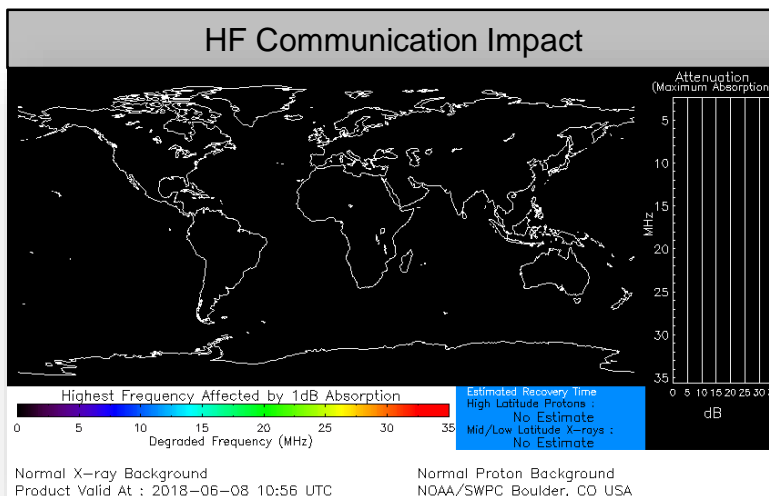


Space Weather



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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				



Soldier Canyon Fire – NM



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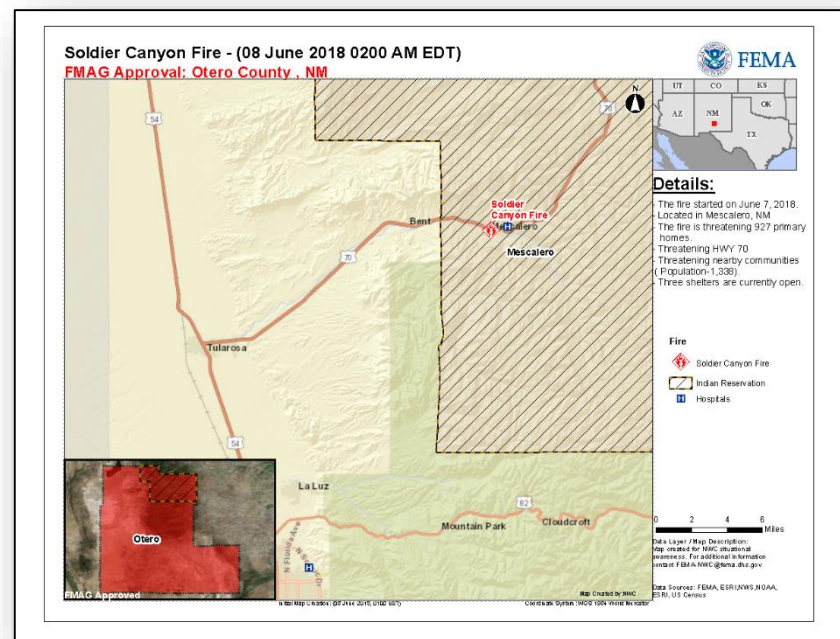
Fire Name (County)	FMAG # / Approved	Acres burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations (Residents)	Structures			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Soldier Canyon (Otero County)	XXXX Jun 7, 2018	3,000	0%	Mandatory (250)	1250 (927 homes)	0	0	0 / 0

Current Situation

- Fire began June 7, 2018 and is threatening communities around the areas of Mescalero, NM (pop 1,338)
- Threatening homes, commercial properties, 3 electric and water utilities, 10 commodities, a boys and girls club, 3 casinos, 1 lodge, a race track, an Indian Hospital, a watershed, and the Mescalero School
- Mandatory evacuations in effect for 250 people

Response

- Denton MOC at Steady State
- FMAG approved on June 7, 2018



Wildfire Summary



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Fire Name (County)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations (Residents)	Structures			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
New Mexico (1)								
Ute Park (Colfax)	5239-FM-NM	36,740	66% (+29%)	Mandatory (76)	303 (219 homes)	0	14	0 / 0
Colorado (1)								
416 (La Plata)	None	5,103 (+1,088)	10%	Mandatory (1,500)	800 homes	4 homes	1 home	0 / 0

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA / PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
I	VT	Heavy Rain and Wind May 4-5, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	7	4	5/17 – TBD
	CT	Tornadoes and Severe Storms May 15, 2018	IA	3	0	6/11 – TBD
			PA	3	0	6/11 – TBD
III	MD	Severe Weather May 27, 2018 and continuing	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	3	2	5/31 – TBD
IV	NC	Sub-Tropical Storm Alberto May 26, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	18	3	6/5 – TBD
VIII	MT	Snowpack Melt Flooding April 12, 2018 and continuing	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	13	0	6/11 – TBD
	SD	Severe Thunderstorms and Flooding May 17-18, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	3	0	6/11 – TBD

Disaster Requests and Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
7	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	0	0
AK – DR Severe Storm		X	X	January 25, 2018		
NH – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	April 5, 2018		
MA – DR Severe Winter Storm		X	X	April 30, 2018		
NJ – DR Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm		X	X	May 7, 2018		
NH – DR Severe Storms and Snowstorms		X	X	May 10, 2018		
NE – DR Severe Winter Storm and Straight-line Winds		X	X	May 16, 2018		
OK – DR Severe Storms and Wildfires	X	X	X	May 25, 2018		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



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Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability
IM Workforce	11,635 ▲	3,842 ▲ 33%	4,431 ▲	3,360	EHP 7% (24/365); FL 25% (34/137); HM 22% (217/966); IT 25% (156/612); NDRS 23% (59/263) OCC 14% (13/91); OPS 25% (60/245); PA 14% (263/1,841); SAF 13% (7/54); SEC 7% (7/100)
National IMATs* (1-2 Teams)	East 1: East 2: West:	Deployed Charlie B-2			
Regional IMATs (4-6 Teams)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	13 5 2 6			
US&R (≥ 66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	28 28 0 0			
MERS (≥ 66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	36 34 0 2			
FCO (≤ 1 Type I)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	33 9 2 22			
FDRC (≥ 3)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	14 7 0 7			

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

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



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Status		Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments
NWC (5 Teams)	Steady State				
NRCC (2 Teams)	Available				
HLT (1 Team)	Activated				
RWC / MOCs (10 Regions)	Steady State				
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available				

Backup Regions: **VI, II, & VII**



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