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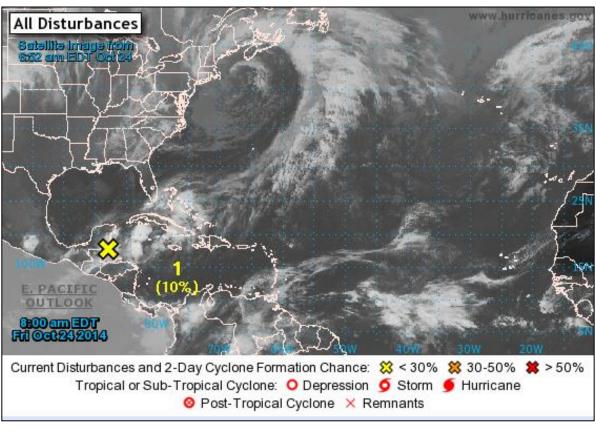


FEMADaily Operations Briefing

Friday, October 24, 2014 8:30 a.m. EDT

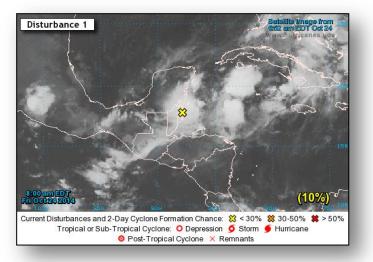
2 Day Tropical Outlook – Atlantic





Disturbance 1 – Atlantic



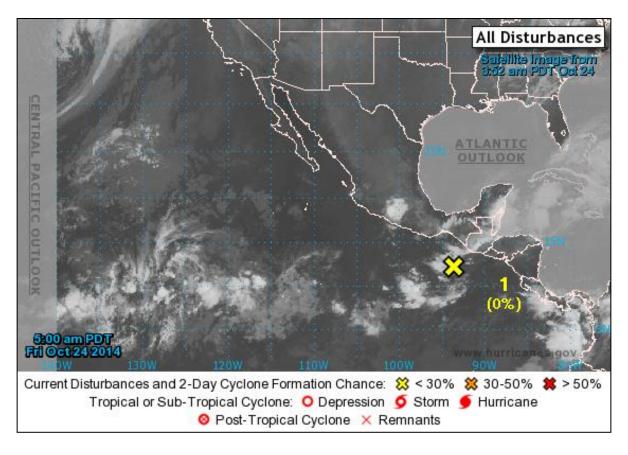


Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- Cloudiness and thunderstorms centered over southeastern Yucatan, Belize, and the NW Caribbean Sea
- Associated with the remnants of Tropical Depression Nine
- Redevelopment is unlikely while this system drifts E
- Formation chance:
 - Next 48 hours Low 10%
 - Next 5 days Low 10%

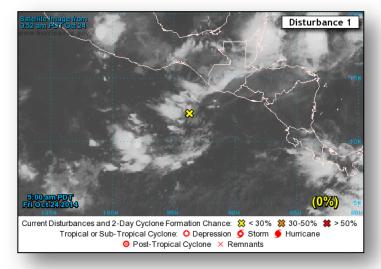
2 Day Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific





Disturbance 1 – Eastern Pacific



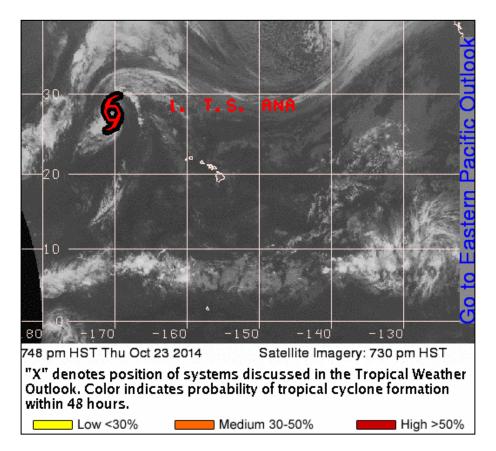


Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. EDT)

- Disorganized cloudiness and thunderstorms a couple of hundred miles south of the Gulf of Tehuantepec
- Environmental conditions are not favorable for tropical cyclone formation over the weekend
- Forecast to become more conducive for development early next week as system drifts N
- Formation chance:
 - Next 48 hours Low 0%
 - Next 5 days Medium 50%

2 Day Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific





Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
2	Date Requested	0	1
ND – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	October 7, 2014		October 23, 2014
MO – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-Line Winds, & Flooding	October 22, 2014		
NM – DR Severe Storms & Flooding	October 22, 2014		

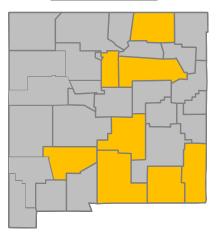
Major Disaster Declaration Request – New Mexico



October 22, 2014

- Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration
- For severe storms & flooding that occurred September 15 26, 2014
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for 8 counties (Colfax, Eddy, Lea, Lincoln Otero, San Miguel, Santa Fe, & Sierra)
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide

New Mexico



Requested Counties

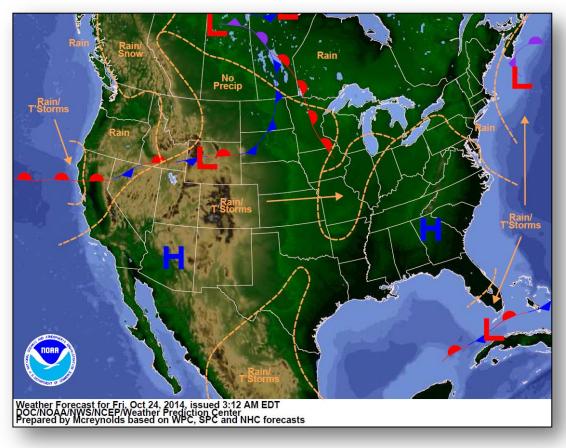
Open JFOs Friday, October 24, 2014



								# Days Open # Days Till Close
JFO	Event Nbr	Date Opened	Est Closed Date	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
American Samoa	4192	09/10/2014			1	III	0	43 0
Hawaii	4194	09/10/2014			2	III	0	43 0
lowa	4184	07/24/2014	01/16/2015	10/28/2014	26	III	47	91 85 176
Minnesota	4182	07/21/2014	01/23/2015	10/30/2014	37	III	112	94 92 186
Guam	4191	09/10/2014	10/24/2014		1	III	0	43 44
North Dakota	4190	08/19/2014	11/14/2014	10/24/2014	10	III	12	65 <mark>22</mark> 87
South Dakota	4186	08/12/2014	11/14/2014		14	III	59	72 22 94
Tennessee	4189	08/13/2014	11/21/2014	08/28/2014	18	III	40	71 29 100
Montana	4198	10/09/2014	11/23/2014	10/31/2014	5	III	28	14 31 45
New York	4180	07/15/2014	11/25/2014	10/22/2014	11	III	76	100 33 133
Washington	4188	08/12/2014	11/26/2014	10/22/2014	3	III	69	72 34 108
Nebraska	4183	07/24/2014	12/12/2014	12/12/2014	12	III	52	91 50 141
California	4193	09/15/2014	12/14/2014	10/17/2014	2	III	56	38 52 90
New Mexico	4197	10/21/2014	12/19/2014	10/31/2014	4	III	20	57 59
Michigan	4195	09/26/2014	12/25/2014	10/24/2014	3	III	400	27 63 90

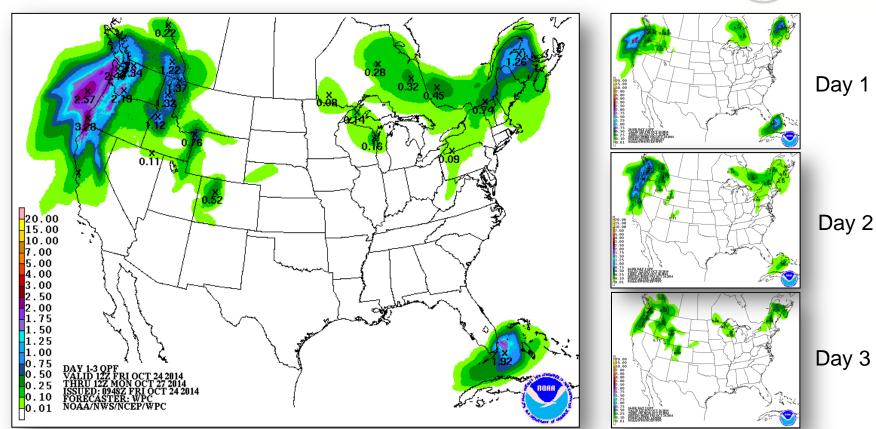
National Weather Forecast





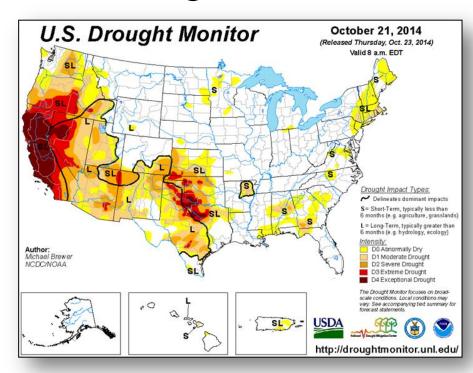
Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day

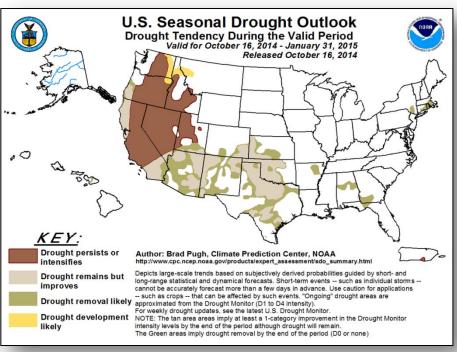




U.S. Drought Monitor

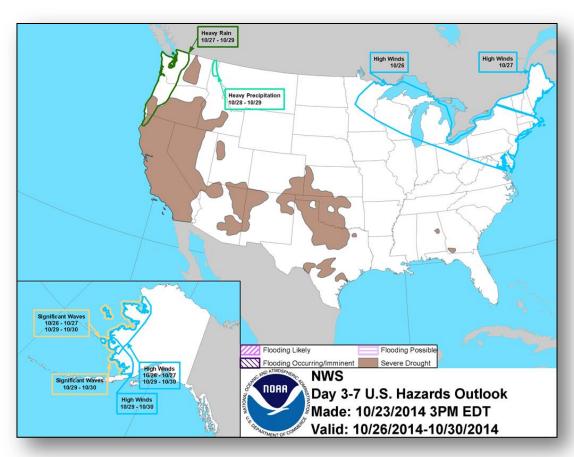






Hazard Outlook: Oct 26 - 30

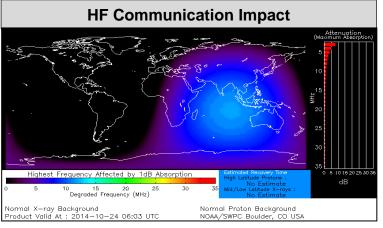


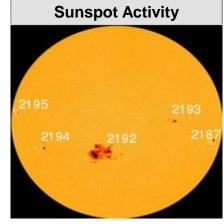


Space Weather



NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours	
Space Weather Activity:	Minor	None	Moderate	
Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	None	
Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None	
Radio Blackouts	R1	None	R2	





FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets										
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed Deployed Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion	
FCO		40	15	38%	17	2	6		OFDC Readiness: FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1	
FDRC		10	7	70%	0	0	3		Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4 3 2 FDRC 3 2 1	
US&R		28	26	96%	1*	1	0	NM-TF1 (Red - Personnel shortages) CA-TF1* (Yellow - Logistics & management personnel available for deployment)	Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed	
National IMAT		3	1	33%	0	0	2	IMAT East 1 – Deployed to FEMA HQ IMAT West – Deployed to GA	Green: 3 avail Yellow: 1-2 avail Red: 0 avail (Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.)	
Regional IMAT		13	5	38%	2	2	4	Partially Mission Capable (PMC): Region III & VI Not Mission Capable (NMC): Region V Deployed Region VIII to MT Region IX-2 to CA; Region IX-1 reconstituting Region X to WA Region VI to NM	Green: 7 or more avail Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available Red: > 8 teams deployed/unavailable R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable and has no qualified replacement.	
MCOV		60	57	95%	0	3	0		Green = 80 – 100% avail Yellow = 60 – 79% avail Red = 59% or below avail Readiness remains 95%	

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 only)	• Green = FMC		
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		• Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC		
HLT		1	N/A	N/A	0	1	Activated				
DEST							Not Activated				
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated				
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated	Region VI Enhanced Watch, (day only)			



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