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Daily Operations Briefing

Wednesday, October 28, 2015

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity: Oct 27-28



Significant Events: No significant activity

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic: None expected next 48 hours
- Eastern Pacific: None expected next 48 hours
- Central Pacific: No tropical cyclones expected through Friday morning
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. territories

Significant Weather:

- Heavy rain– Portions of Great Lakes to the Northeast
- Rain & thunderstorms – Southwest, Southern Plains to East Coast
- Rain/Snow – Northern Intermountain, Central Great Basin & the Rockies
- Red Flags Warnings – None
- Elevated Fire Weather Areas – None
- Space weather: past 24 hrs – none; next 24 hrs – none

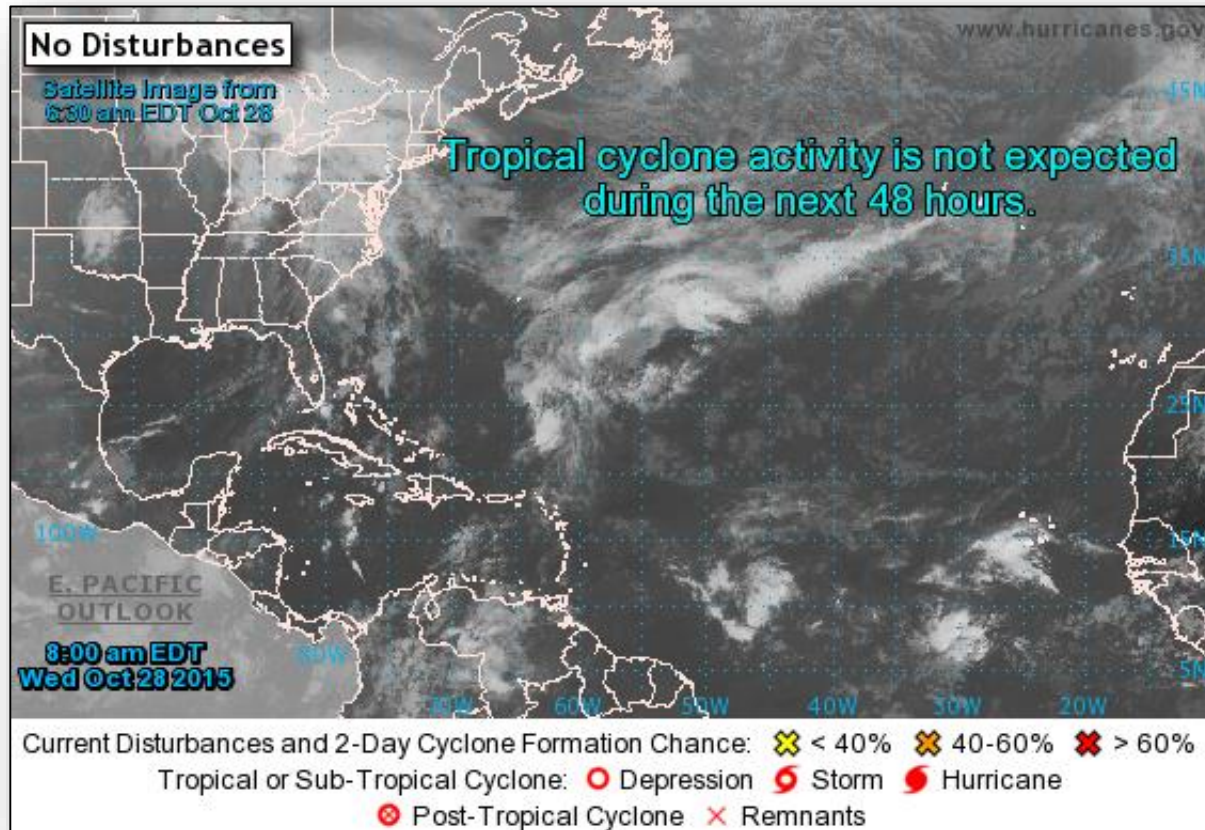
Declaration Activity:

- Major Disaster Declaration Request – AK
- Amendment No. 11 to FEMA-4241-DR-SC

2 Day Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



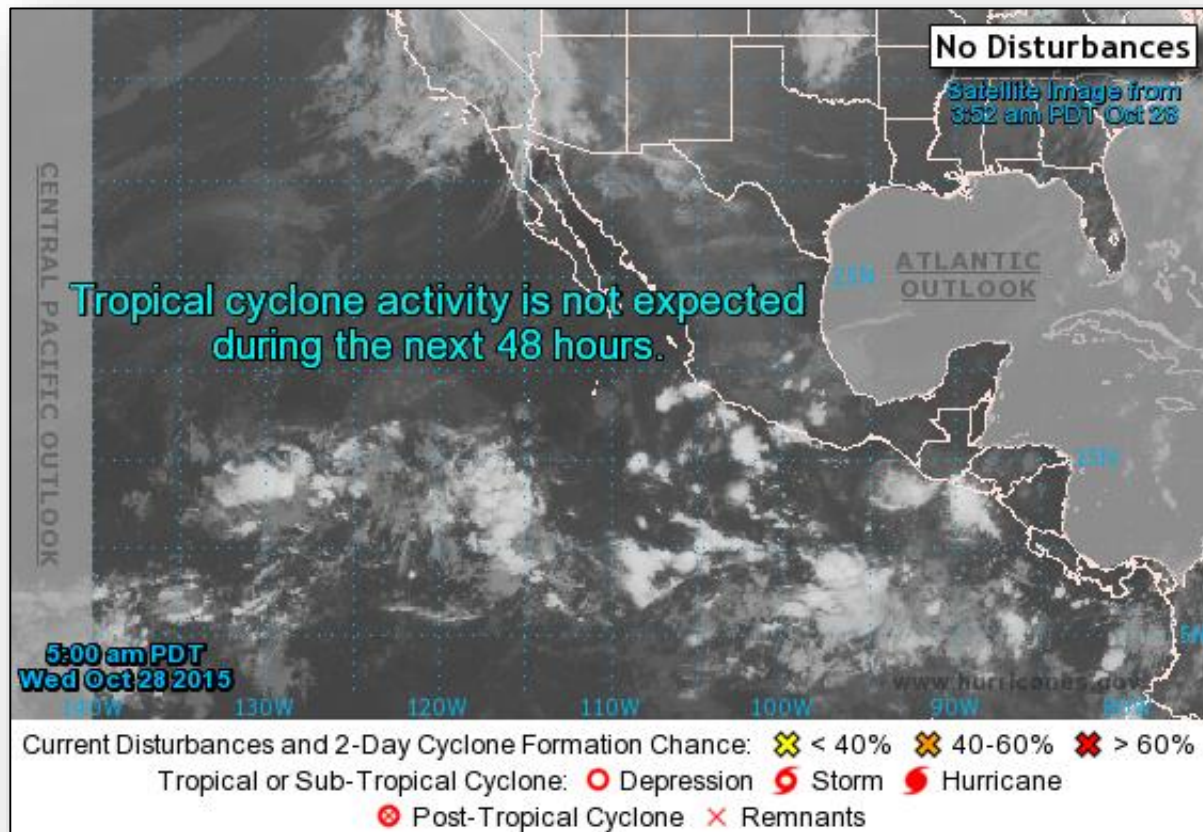
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2 Day Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



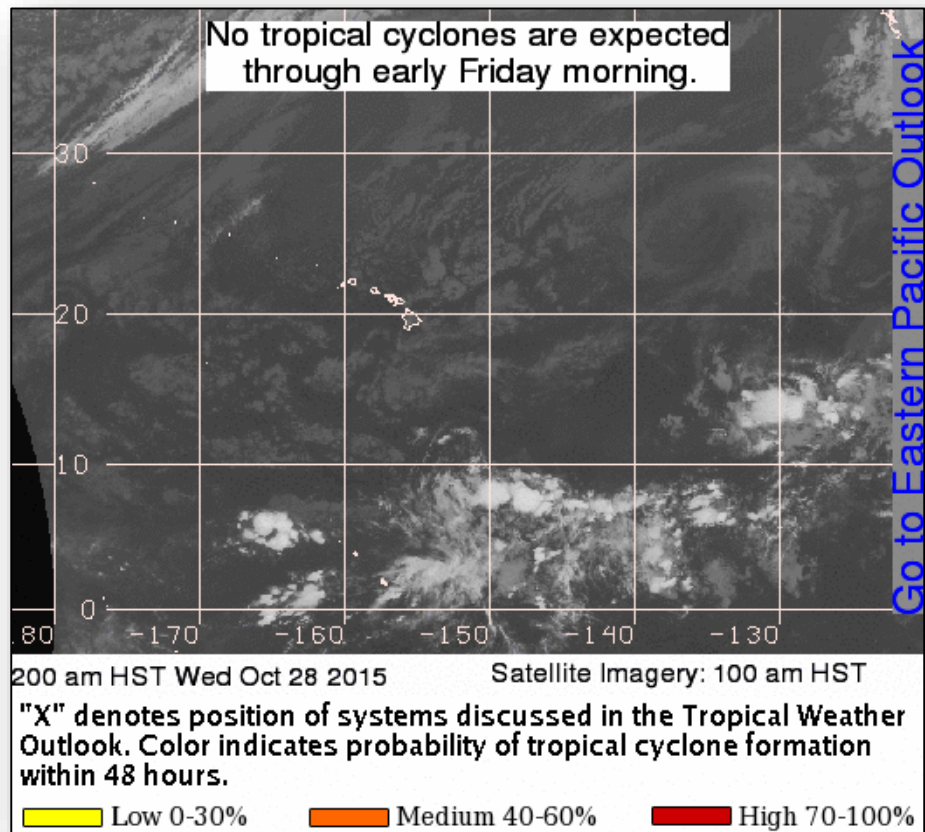
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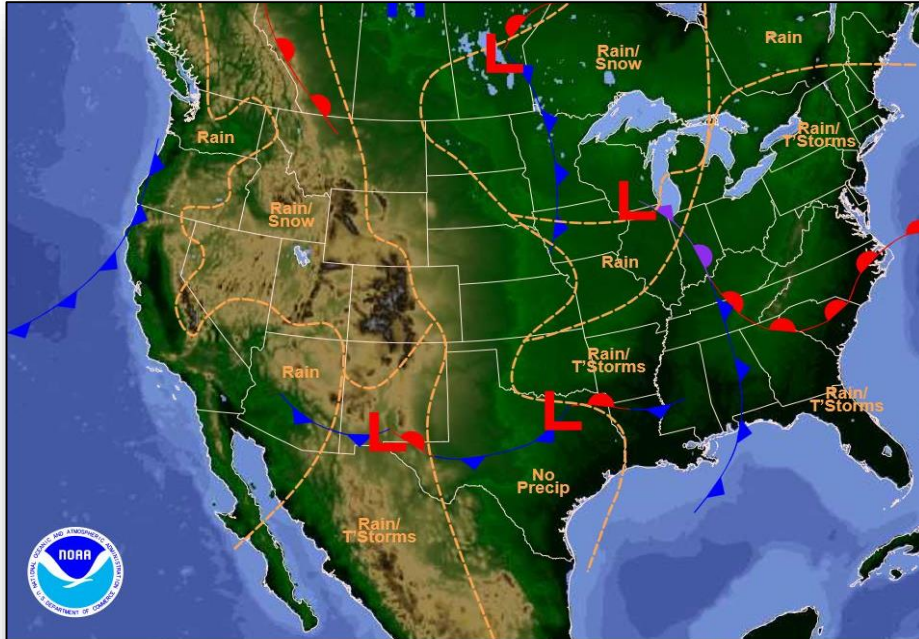
2 Day Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific



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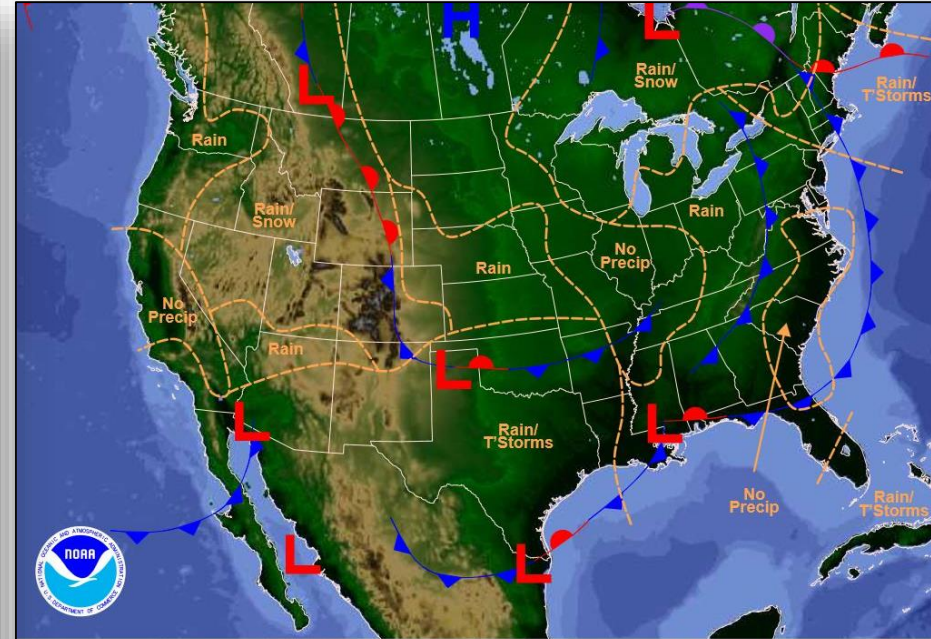


National Weather Forecast



Weather Forecast for Wed, Oct 28, 2015, issued 4:30 AM EDT
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
Prepared by McReynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

Today



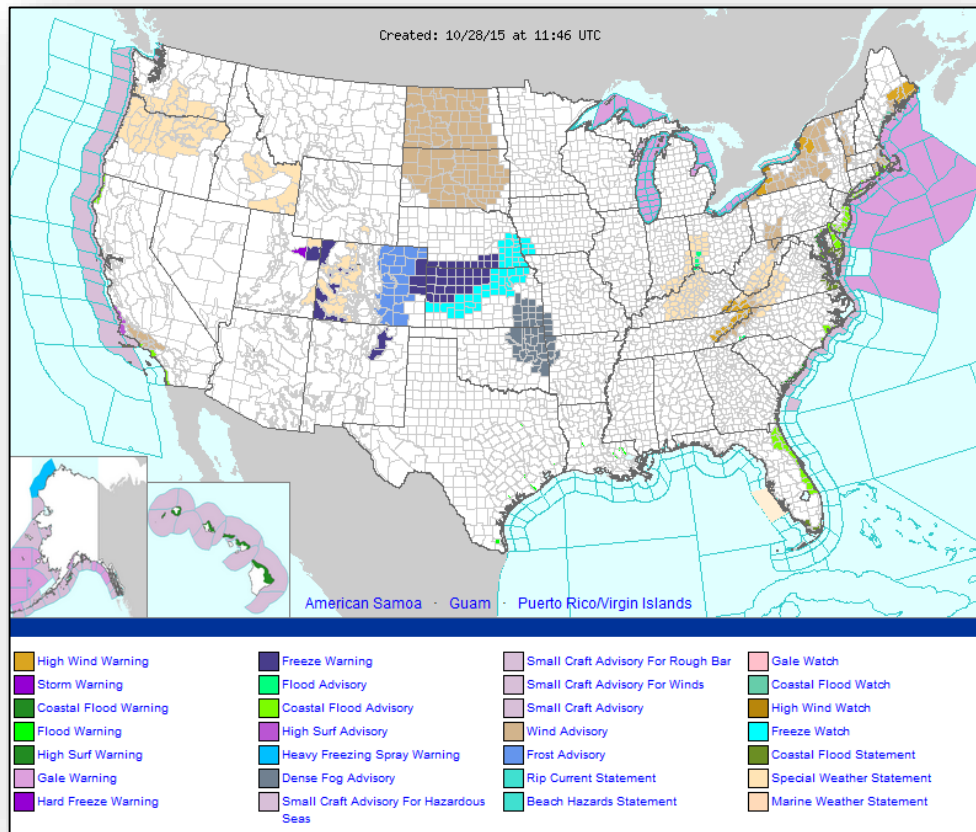
Weather Forecast for Thu, Oct 29, 2015, issued 4:34 AM EDT Wed, Oct 28, 2015
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Tomorrow

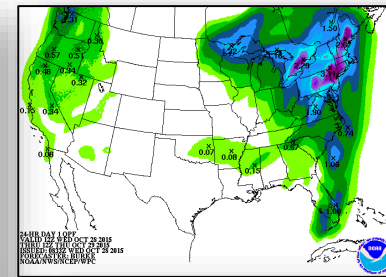
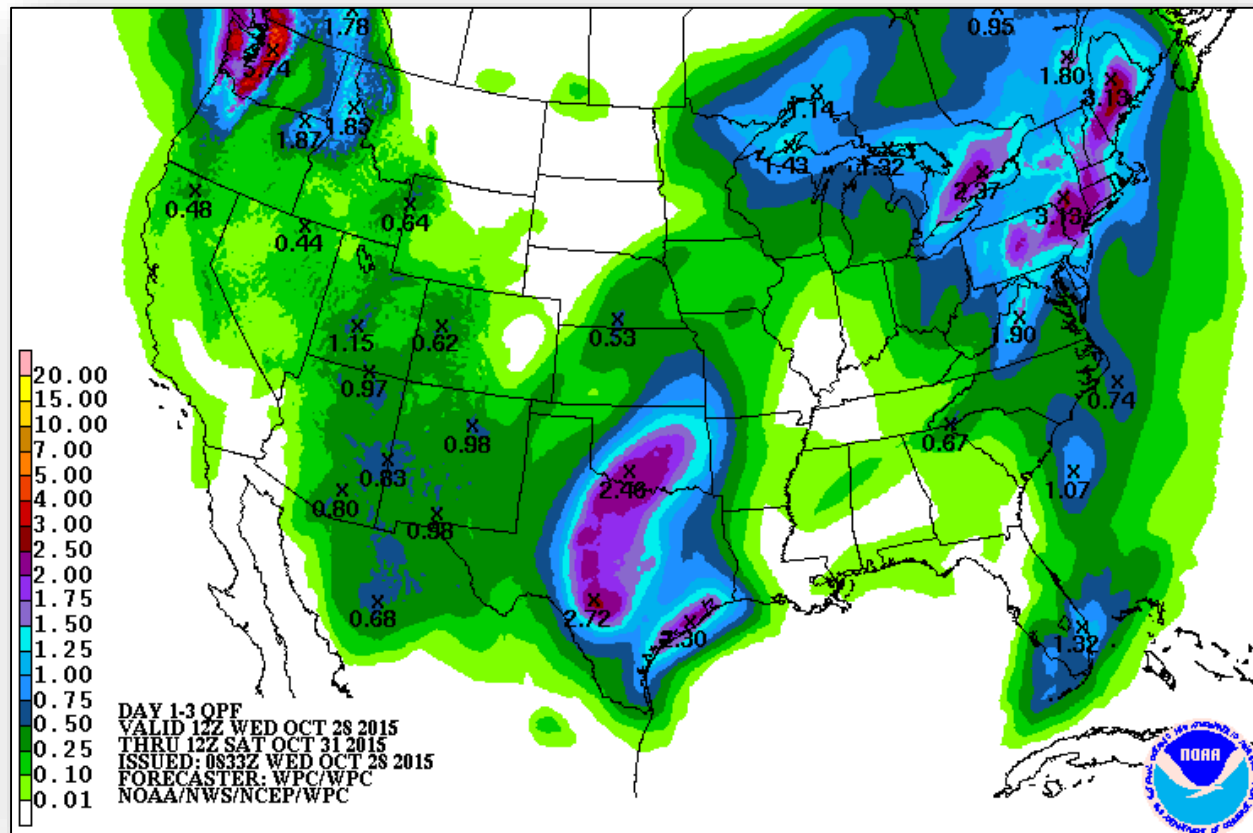
Active Watches/Warnings



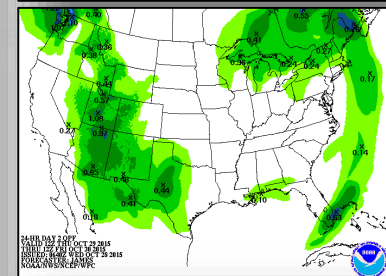
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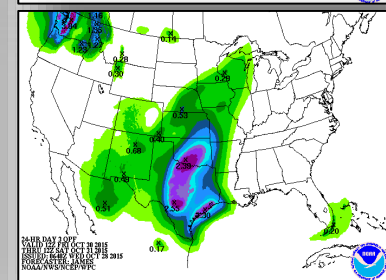
Precipitation Forecast, 1-3 Day



Day 1

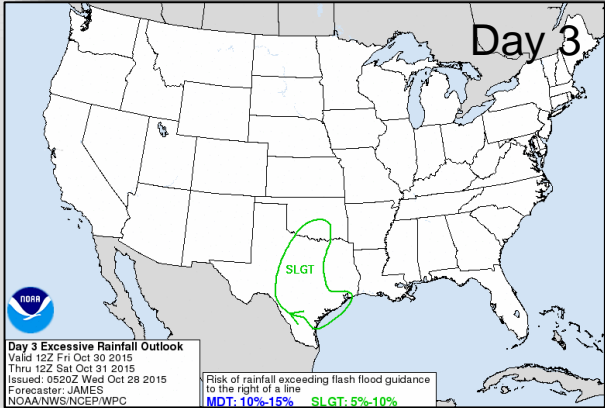
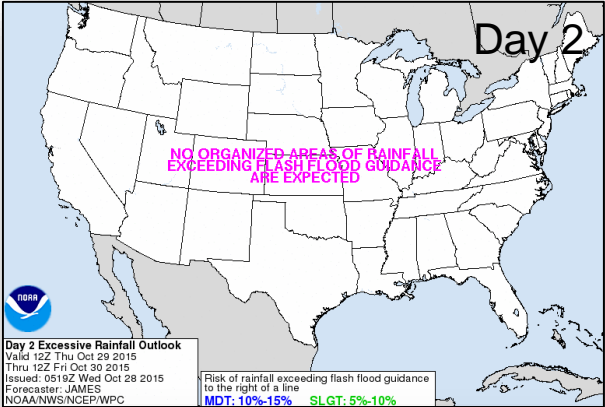
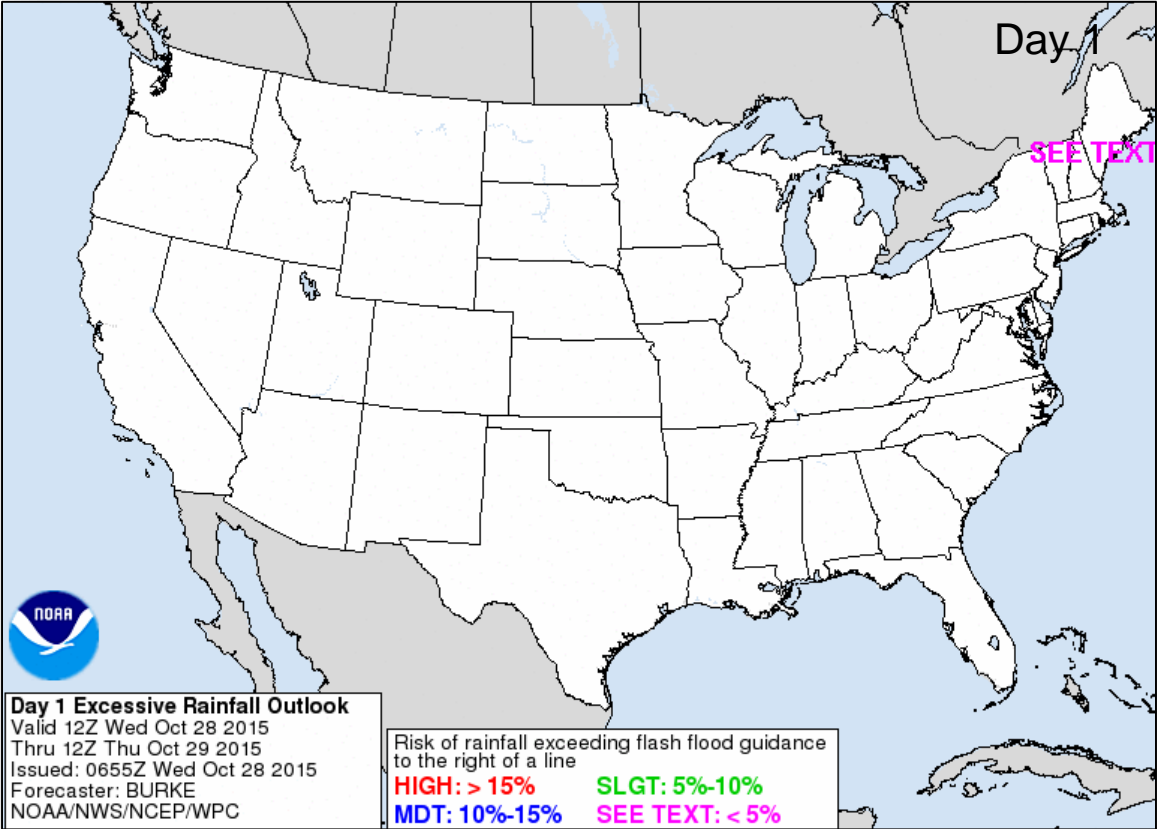


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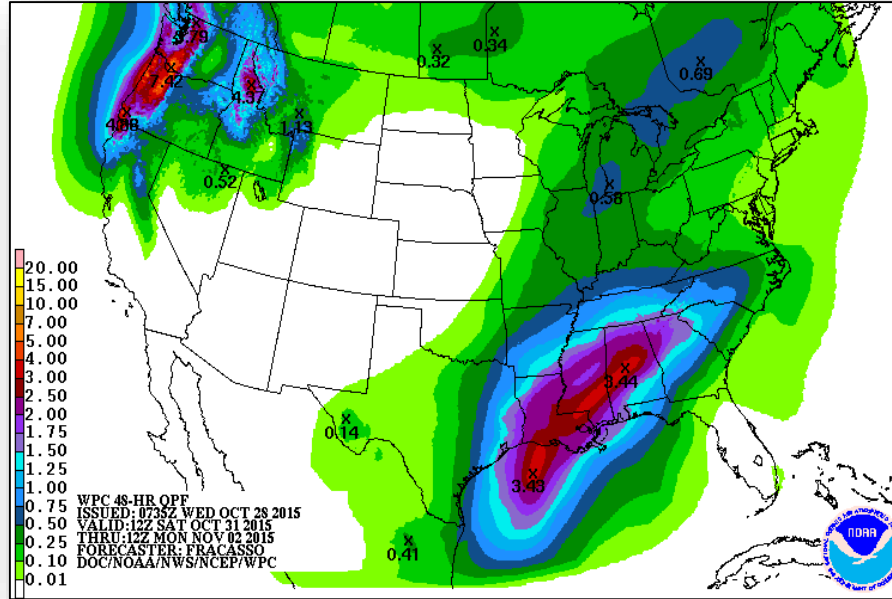


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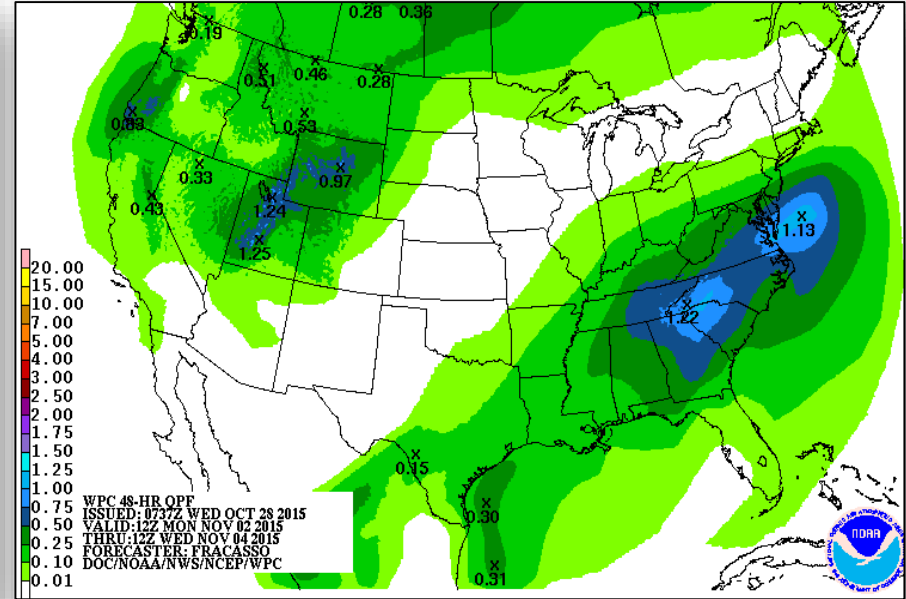
Flash Flood Potential



Precipitation Forecast



Day 4-5

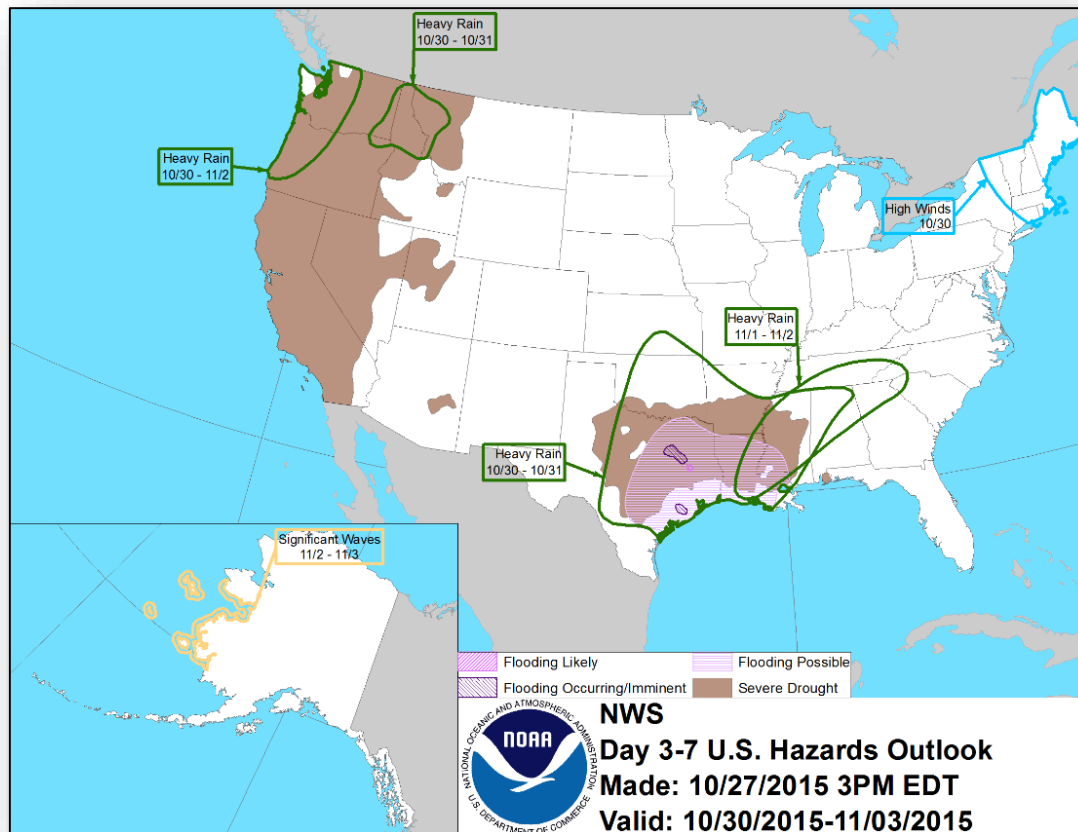


Day 6-7

Hazard Outlook, October 30 - November 3

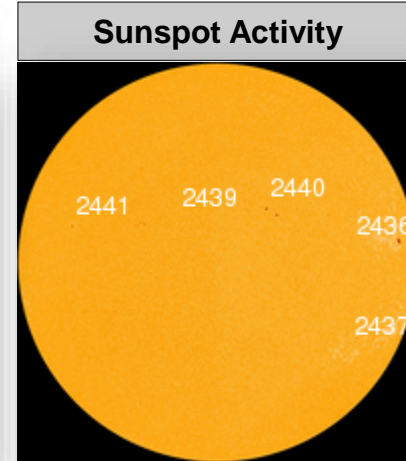
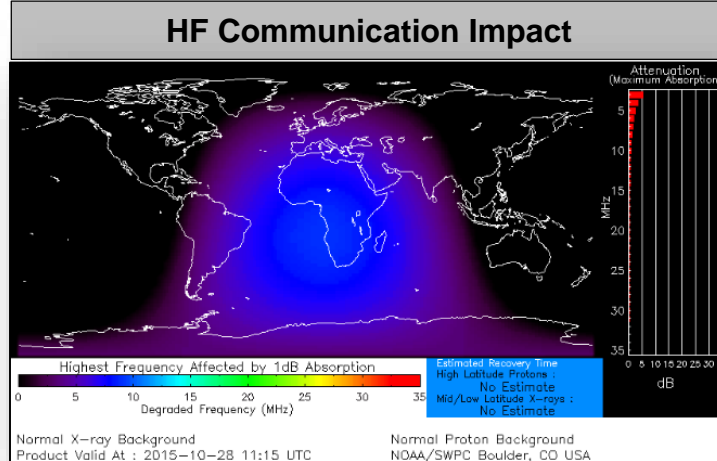


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Space Weather

	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



Disaster Amendments



Amendment	Effective Date	Action
Amendment No.11 FEMA-4241-DR-SC	October 27, 2015	Adds two counties for Individual Assistance

Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
1	Date Requested	0	0
Alaska – DR Severe Storm	October 26, 2015		

Major Disaster Declaration Request – Alaska



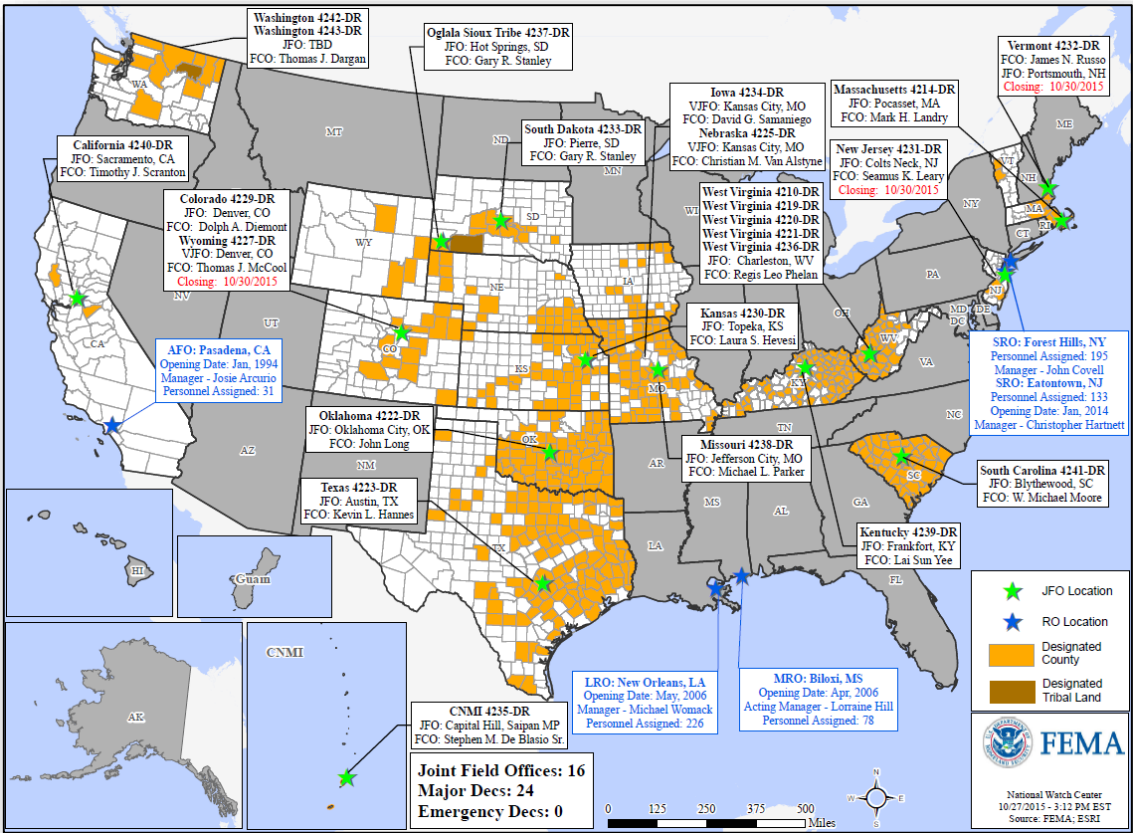
October 26, 2015

- Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration for a severe storm that occurred on August 27, 2015
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance (Categories B - D) for North Slope Borough
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide



A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Debris Removal	Emergency Protective Measures	Road Systems & Bridges	Water Control Facilities	Public Buildings & Contents	Public Utilities	Parks, Recreational, & Other

Open Field Offices as of October 27



Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
II	NJ	Severe Coastal Storm Event & High Winds October 1-4, 2015	PA	3	3	10/26-10/27

FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets																									
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion																
FCO	Yellow	35	12	34%	0	1	22		OFDC Readiness: <table><tr><td>FCO</td><td>Green</td><td>Yellow</td><td>Red</td></tr><tr><td>Type 1</td><td>3+</td><td>2</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>Type 2</td><td>4+</td><td>3</td><td>2</td></tr><tr><td>Type 3</td><td>4</td><td>3</td><td>2</td></tr></table>	FCO	Green	Yellow	Red	Type 1	3+	2	1	Type 2	4+	3	2	Type 3	4	3	2
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FDRC	7	2	29%	0	0	5		<u>FDRC</u> 3 2 1																	
US&R	Green	28	27	96%	0	1	0	NM-TF1 (Red) – Personnel shortages	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Green = Available/FMC• Yellow = Available/PMC• Red = Out-of-Service• Blue = Assigned/Deployed																
National IMAT	Yellow	3	1	33%	0	0	2	N-IMAT East-1 and N-IMAT West deployed to SC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Green: 3 avail• Yellow: 1-2 avail• Red: 0 avail (<i>Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.</i>)																
Regional IMAT	Red	13	3	23%	0	1	9	<u>Deployed:</u> RI (Team 1) Deployed to SC RIV (Team 1) Deployed to SC; (Team 2) deployed to SC RV (Team 1) Red – Personnel Shortages RVI (Team 2) Deployed to TX RVII Deployed to MO RVIII (Team 1) Deployed to CO RIX (Team 1) Deployed to CNMI; (Team 2) Deployed to CA	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Green: 7 or more avail• Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available• Red: > 8 teams deployed/unavailable <i>R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement</i>																
MCOV	Red	59	14	24%	0	15	30	7 MCOVs deployed to CA (FEMA-4240-DR) 23 MCOVs deployed to SC (FEMA-4241-DR)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 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	Status	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Watch/Steady State		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green = FMC • Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		
HLT		1	N/A	N/A	0	0	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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