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Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, November 17, 2017

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Nov 16-17



Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic Disturbance 1 Low (20%)
- Eastern Pacific No tropical cyclones expected next 48 hours
- Central Pacific No tropical cyclones expected next 48 hours
- Western Pacific No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Heavy snow possible Central Rockies
- Freezing rain possible Upper Mississippi Valley and Great Lakes
- Space Weather:
 - Past 24 hours None
 - Next 24 hours None

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

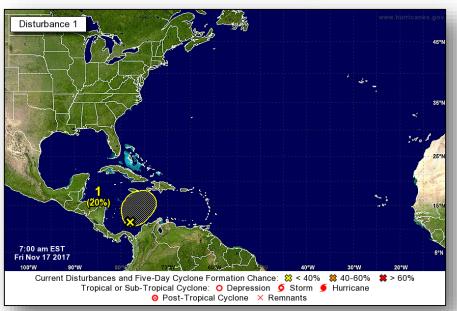
Declaration Activity: None

Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



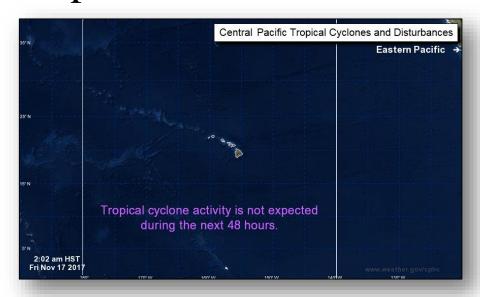
Disturbance 1 (as of 7:00 a.m. EST)

- An elongated area of low pressure that extends from southwest to northeast across the central Caribbean Sea is producing a large area of disorganized shower and thunderstorm activity
- Heavy rainfall is possible over portions of the northwestern coast of Colombia, Hispaniola, and Puerto Rico through the weekend
- Environmental conditions are expected to prevent any significant development
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low 20 %
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low 20%



Tropical Outlook – Pacific





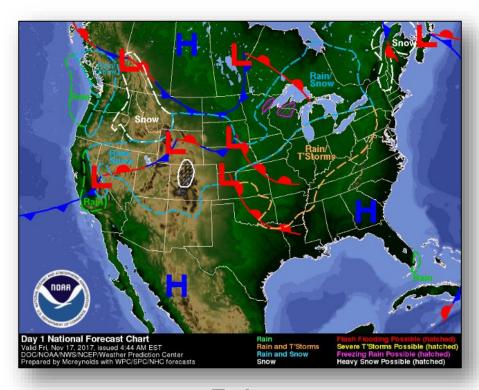


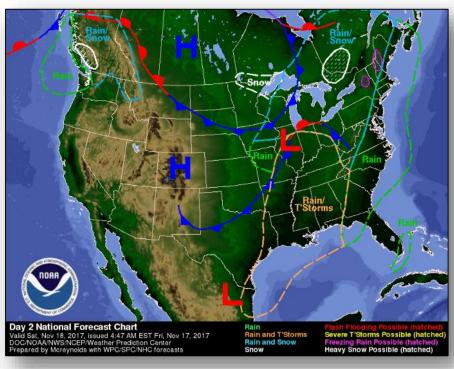
Central Pacific

Eastern Pacific

National Weather Forecast



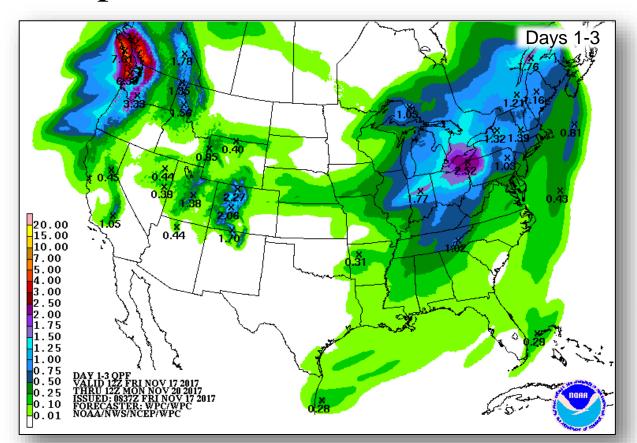


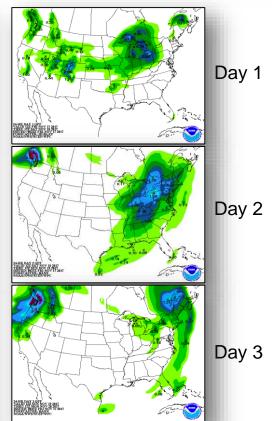


Today Tomorrow

Precipitation Forecast

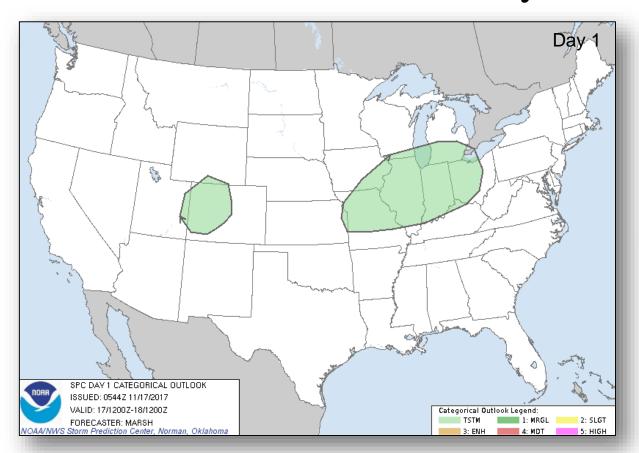


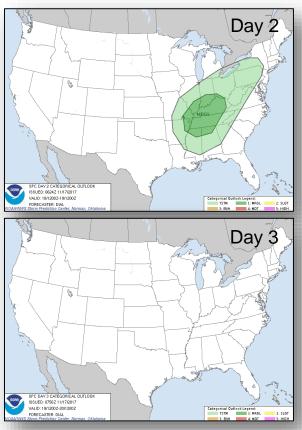




Severe Weather Outlook – Days 1-3

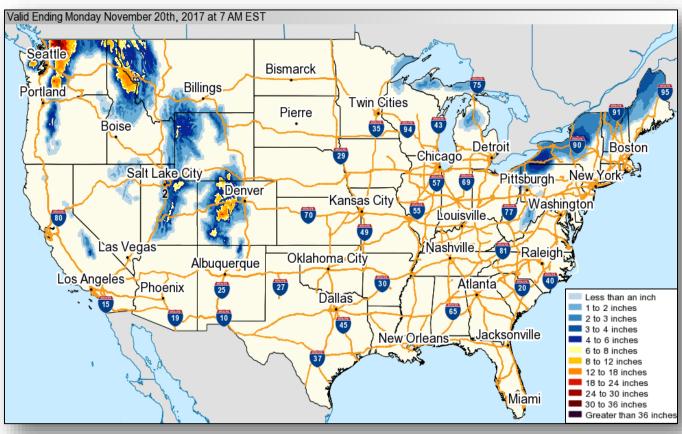






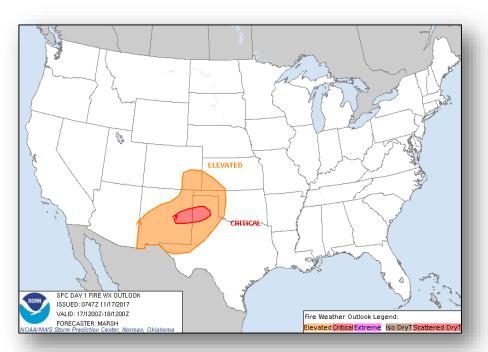
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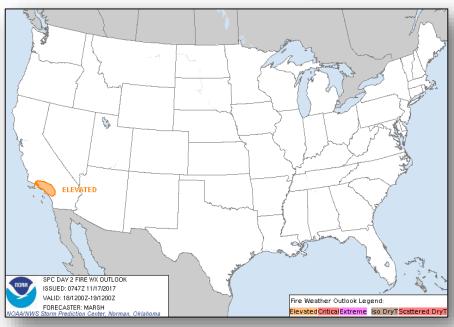




Fire Weather Outlook



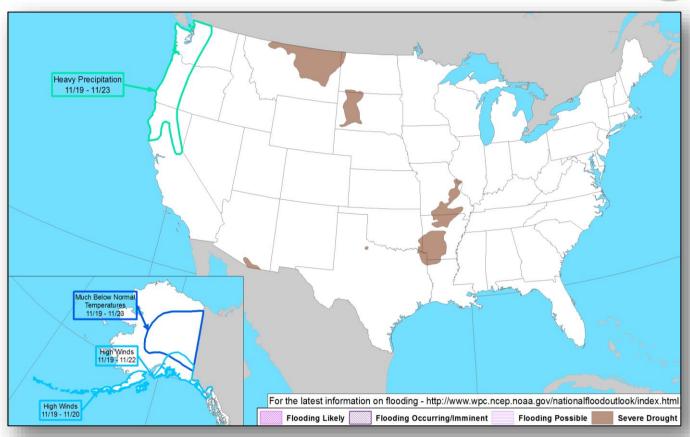




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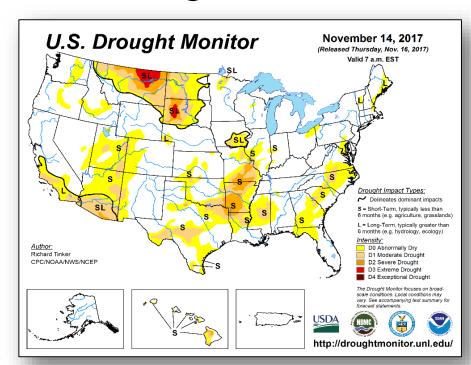
Hazards Outlook – November 19-23

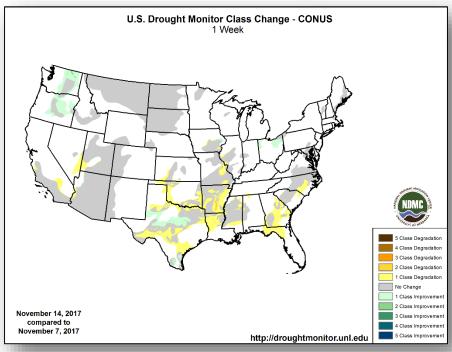




U.S. Drought Monitor





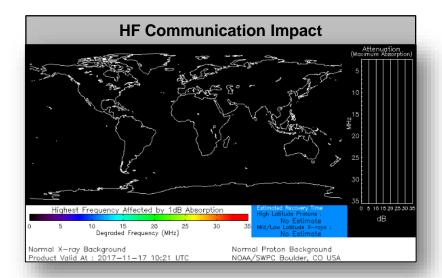


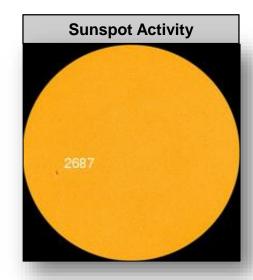
Space Weather



	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





Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



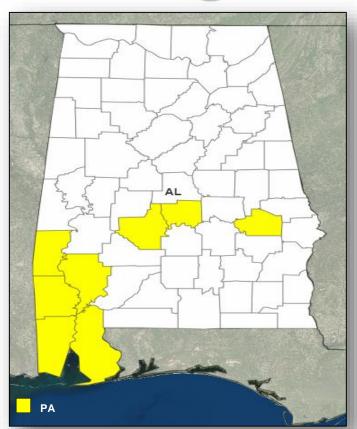
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Region	Location	Event	IA/PA	Requested	Completed	Start – End	
	VT	Severe Storms	IA	0	0	N/A	
	VI	October 29-30, 2017		10	0	11/8 – TBD	
	NH	Severe Storms October 29-30, 2017		0	0	N/A	
'	INIT			10	0	11/6 – TBD	
	ME	Severe Storms		0	0	N/A	
		October 29-30, 2017	PA	14	0	11/15 – TBD	
	Pueblo of	Flooding October 3, 2017		0	0	N/A	
VI	Acoma Tribe (NM)			1	0	11/14 – TBD	
X	AK	Severe Sea Storms September 28-30, 2017		0	0	N/A	
^	AIX			1	0	11/13 – TBD	

Declaration Approved



FEMA-4349-DR-AL

- Major Disaster Declaration approved November 16, 2017
- For Hurricane Nate that occurred during the period of October 6-10, 2017
- Provides:
 - Public Assistance for 8 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is Warren J. Riley



Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in P	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)				
2	IA	РА	нм	Date Requested	1	0
NY – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding	Х	Х	Х	August 31, 2017		
MS – DR Hurricane Nate		Х	Х	October 27, 2017		
AL – DR Hurricane Nate		Х	Х	October 30, 2017	Declared November 16, 2017	

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed						323), ER 22% (14/6 1,166), NDRS 22%	
Total Workfor	ce 11,419 🛦	2,810 🛕 24%	6,839 🛦		432), SAF 13%			`	. ,	, ,,
National	East 1:	Deployed		4342-DR-ID VJFO: Bothell, WA	4321-DR-NE	4317-DR-MO JFO: Jefferson City, MO	4343-DR-WI VJFO: Chicago, IL	4331-DR-WV JFO: Charleston, WV	4330-DR-VT 4316-DR-NH	Field Offices *
IMATs*	East 2:	Reconstituting		FCO: Sharon Loper	4325-DR-NE 4334-DR-IA VJFO: Kansas City, MO	FCO: C. Johnson-Cage	FCO: Janet M. Odeshoo	FCO: Steven S. Ward	4329-DR-NH VJFO: Maynard, MA FCO: James N. Russo	DRs: 32
(0 Teams)	West:	Deployed		25	FCO: Michael R. Scott			4348-D		EMs: 4 Deployed Teams (Location)
Decienal	Assigned:	13		100				JFO: TB FCO: Se	BD eamus K. Leary	
Regional	Available:	2		1			-	7	ME	Communications Support Bluemont, VA
IMATs	PMC / NMC:	0		OK		北建		3		MERS: Thomasville
(0-3 Teams)	Deployed:	11	4301-DR-CA 4305-DR-CA	The state of the s		SD SD	無り	45 2		JFO: TBD
	Assigned:	28	4305-DR-CA 4308-DR-CA 4312-DR-RRT		The state of the s	The state of the s				FCO: Manny J. Toro
US&R	Available:	28	FCO: Timothy J. Scranto Closing 11/17/2017		NA		3	IN OH		4346-DR-SC VJFO: Atlanta, GA
(>66%)	PMC / NMC:	0	JFO: Sacrament		\			1 Jane		3389-EM-AL 4349-DR-AL
	Deployed:	0	FCO: William Ro		12			who was	13	FCO: Warren J. Riley
	Assigned:	36	R-IX IMAT-2 (CA				OX 4	IN IN	3	4338-DR-GA JFO: Robins AFB, GA
MERS	Available:	29 (-1)	4323-DR-ND		7	223				FCO: Thomas J. McCool
(>66%)	NMC:	0	FCO: James R. S Closing 11/27/2				W SA		7	3395-EM-FL
	Deployed:	7 (+1)	4327-DR-WY VJFO: Denver, 0	со		XX		The state of the s		4337-DR-FL JFO: Orlando, FL
	Assigned:	38	FCO: Jon Huss		JFO: TBD		The state of the s	3		4341-DR-STOF JFO: Hollywood, FL
FCO	Available:	5			FCO: David G. Samaniego		Th.	pporting 4339-DR iomasville, GA	N. C.	FCO: Willie G. Nunn
(≤1 Type I)	PMC / NMC:	4						ERS: Bothell, Denton, enver, Frederick	7	R-IV IMAT-1
	Deployed:	29			4332-DR-TX JFO: Austin, TX	4345-D 4277-D	R-LA 433	6-DR-PR		
	Assigned:	14			FCO: Kevin L. Hanne N-IMAT W (Austin)	JFO: Ba	ton Rouge, LA JFO	9-DR-PR : San Juan, PR	PR	4335-DR-USVI 4340-DR-USVI
FDRC (=2)	Available:	2			R-VI IMAT-1 (Housto R-VI IMAT-2 (Austin	LA Reco	very Office N-II	O: Michael F. Byrne MAT E1, R-III IMAT	usvi	JFO: St. Croix, USVI FCO: William L. Vogel
	PMC / NMC:	0			R-VIII IMAT (Austin) MERS: Denton			LNO (EOC) RS: Bothell, Denton,		R-X IMAT (St. Thomas) R-II IMAT/LNO (St. Croix)
	Deployed:	12	As of 3:00 a.m. EST Nove	mber 17, 2017				nver, Frederick, Maynard, masville		MERS: Bothell, Denton, Denver, Maynard

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

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



Resource	Status	Total	Status	Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason/Comments
NWC		5	Steady State				
NRCC		2	Not Activated				
HLT		1	Activated				Hurricane Season
RWCs/MOCs		10	Steady State				
RRCCs		10	Not Activated				

Back-up Regions: V and VII



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