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## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Wednesday, November 25, 2015**

**8:30 a.m. EST**

# Significant Activity: Nov 24 - 25



**Significant Events:** None

## **Tropical Activity:**

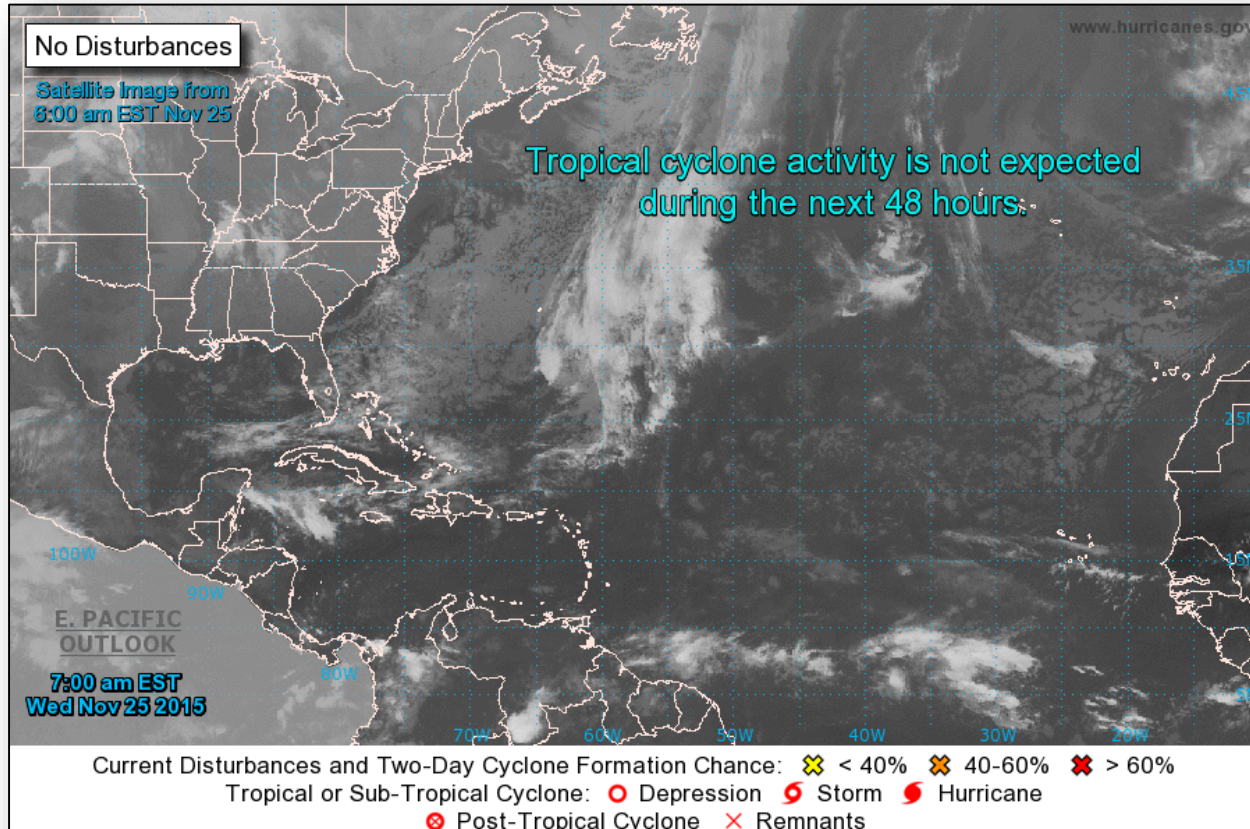
- Atlantic: Tropical cyclone activity is not expected during the next 48 hours
- Eastern Pacific: Hurricane Sandra (Cat 1)
- Central Pacific: Tropical cyclone activity not expected through Thursday night
- Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. territories

## **Significant Weather:**

- Wintery mix/Snow – the Cascades and Intermountain West
- Rain – Southern Plains across the Middle Mississippi Valley into the Great Lakes
- Red Flag Warnings: None
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather Areas: NM, OK & TX
- Space weather: Past 24 hours – none, Next 24 hours – none

**Declaration Activity:** None

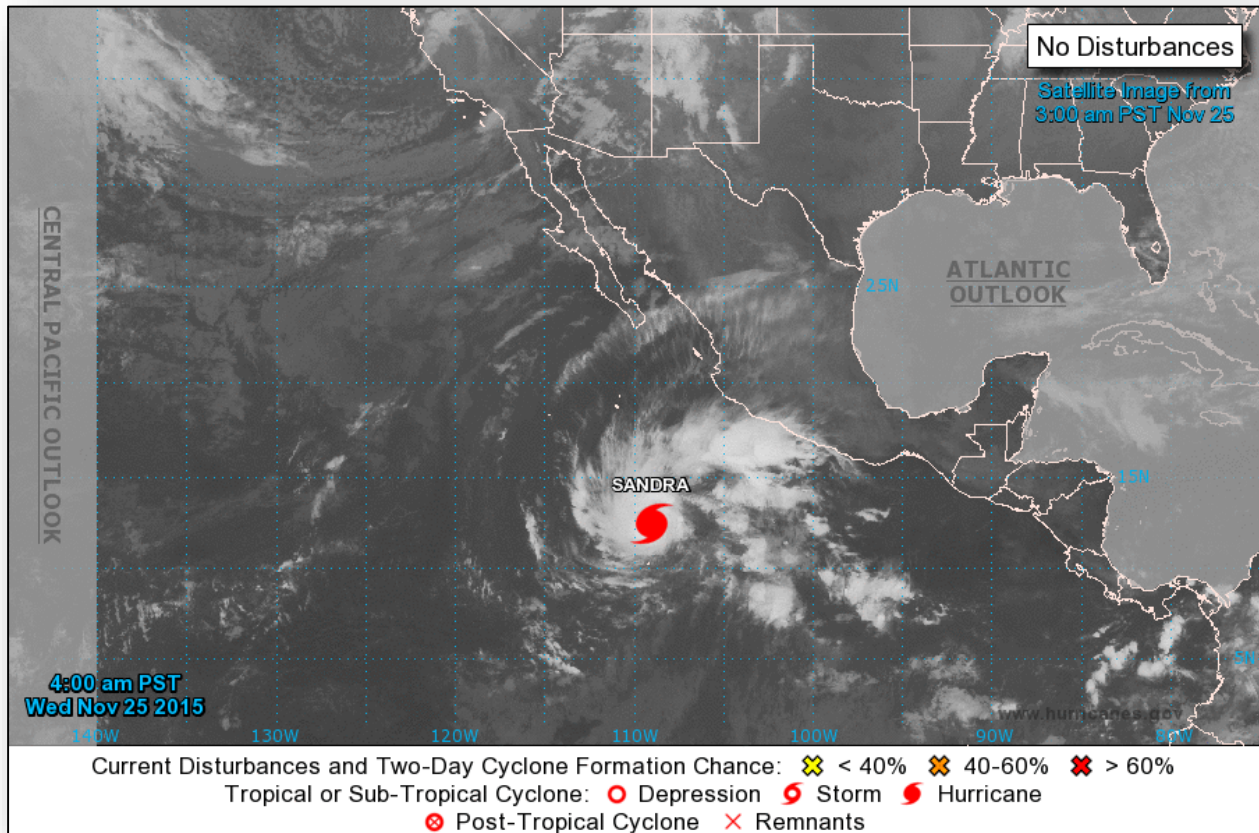
# 2 Day Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



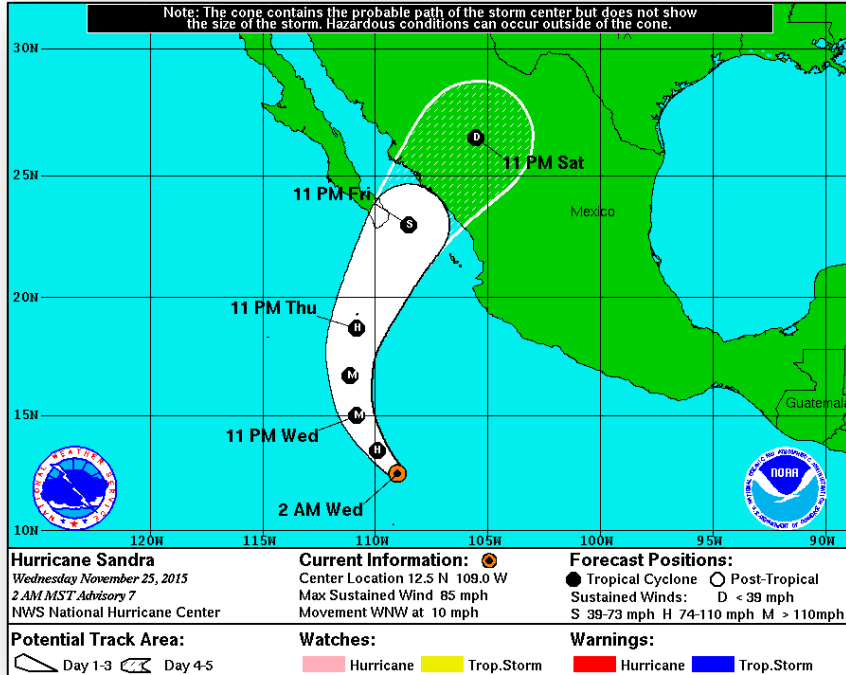
# 2 Day Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



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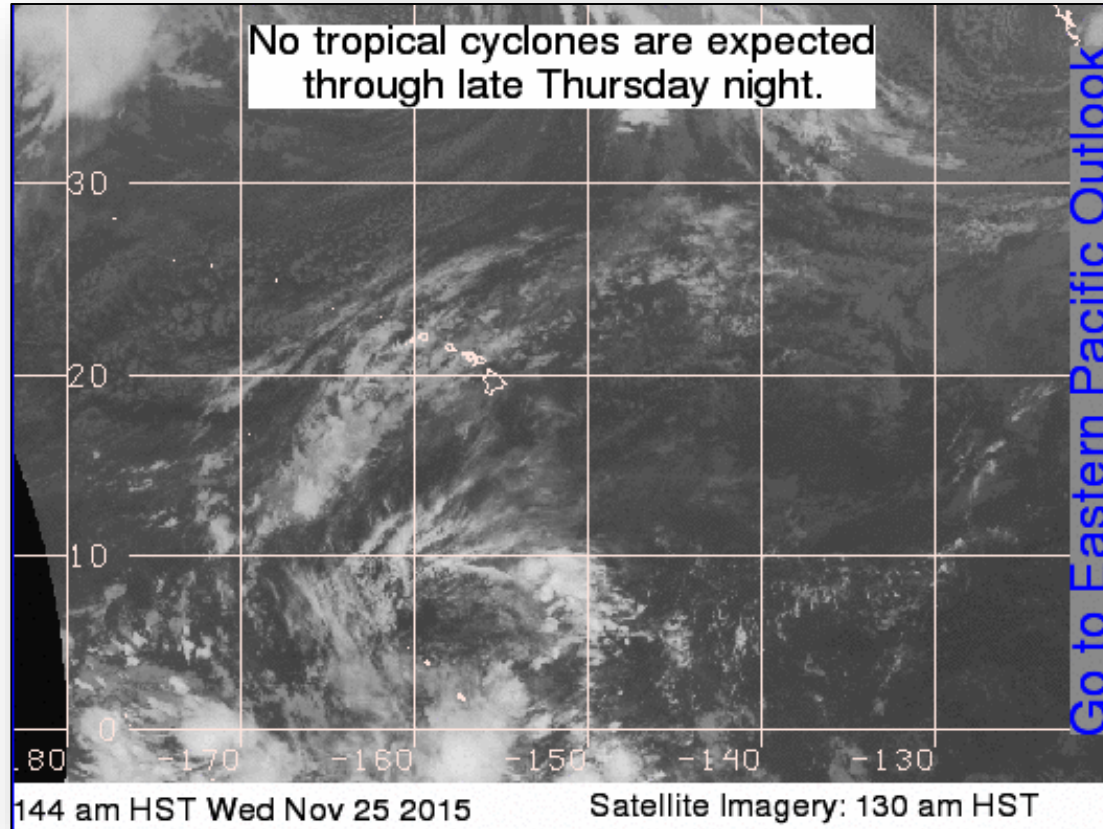
# Eastern Pacific Hurricane Sandra



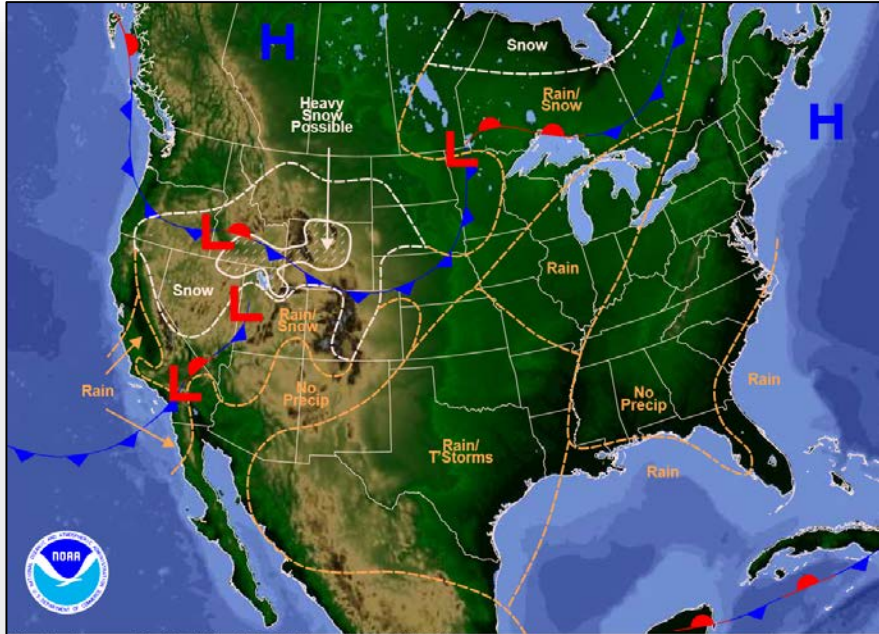
## Hurricane Sandra Advisory #7 (as of 8:00 a.m. EST)

- Located 545 miles SW of Manzanillo, Mexico
- Moving WNW at 10 mph
- Category 1 hurricane; Maximum sustained winds at 85 mph
- Hurricane force winds extend outward up to 15 miles
- Tropical storm force winds extend outward up to 80 miles
- Additional strengthening is forecast and will become major hurricane later today or Thursday

# 2 Day Tropical Outlook – Central Pacific

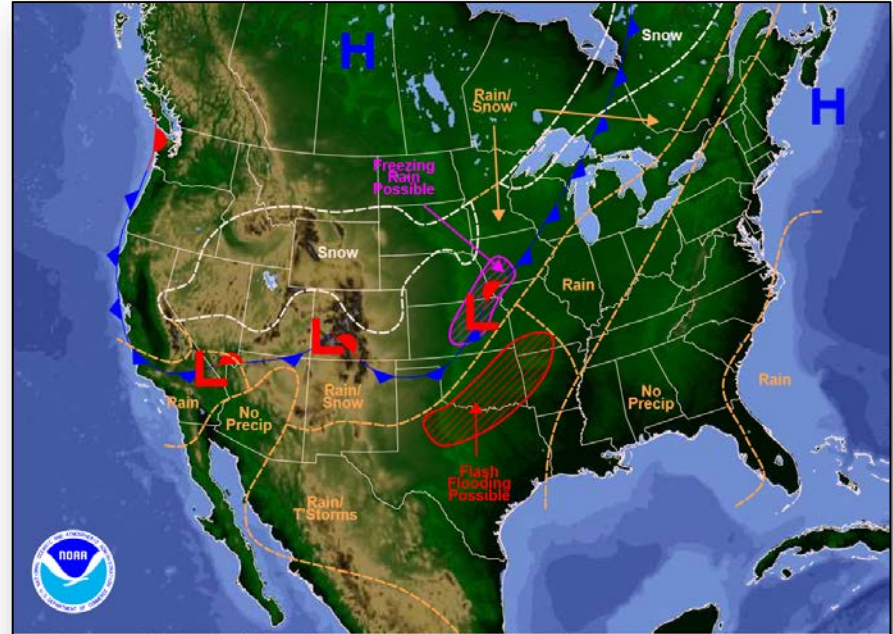


# National Weather Forecast



Weather Forecast for Wed, Nov 25, 2015, issued 4:34 AM EST  
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center  
Prepared by McCreynolds based on WFC, SFC and NHC forecasts

*Today*

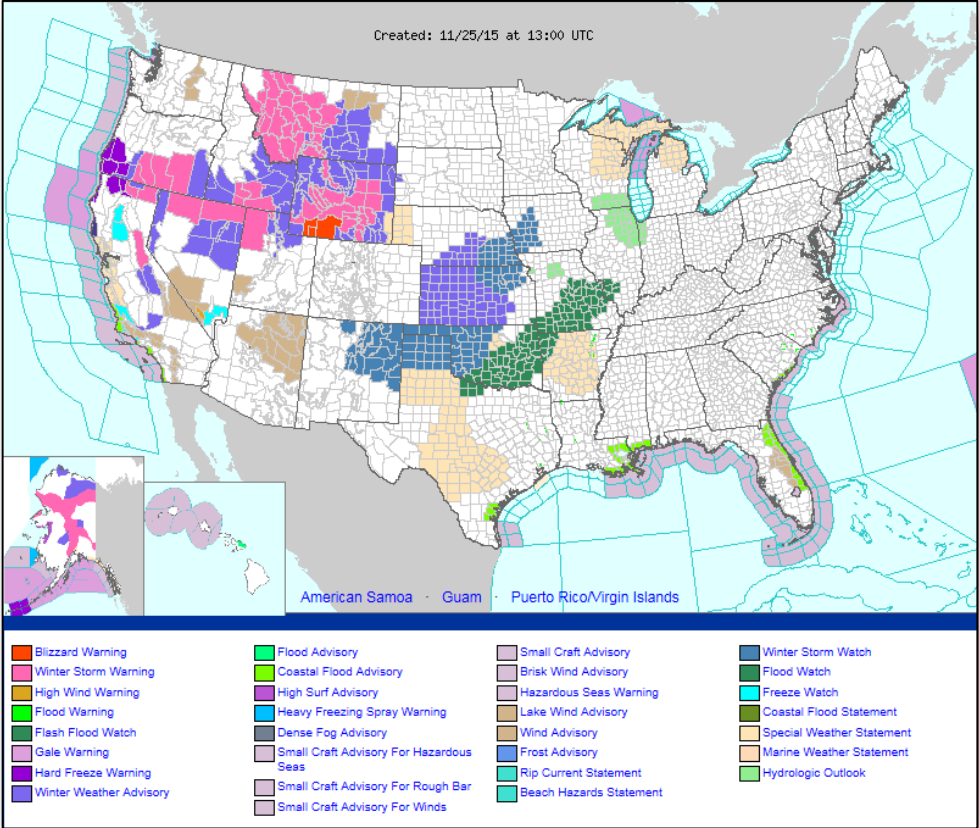


Weather Forecast for Thu, Nov 26, 2015, issued 4:49 AM EST Wed, Nov 25, 2015  
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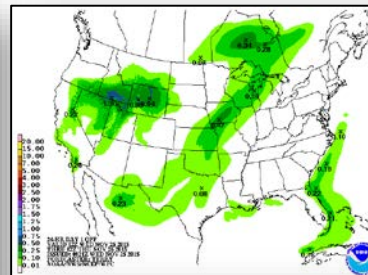
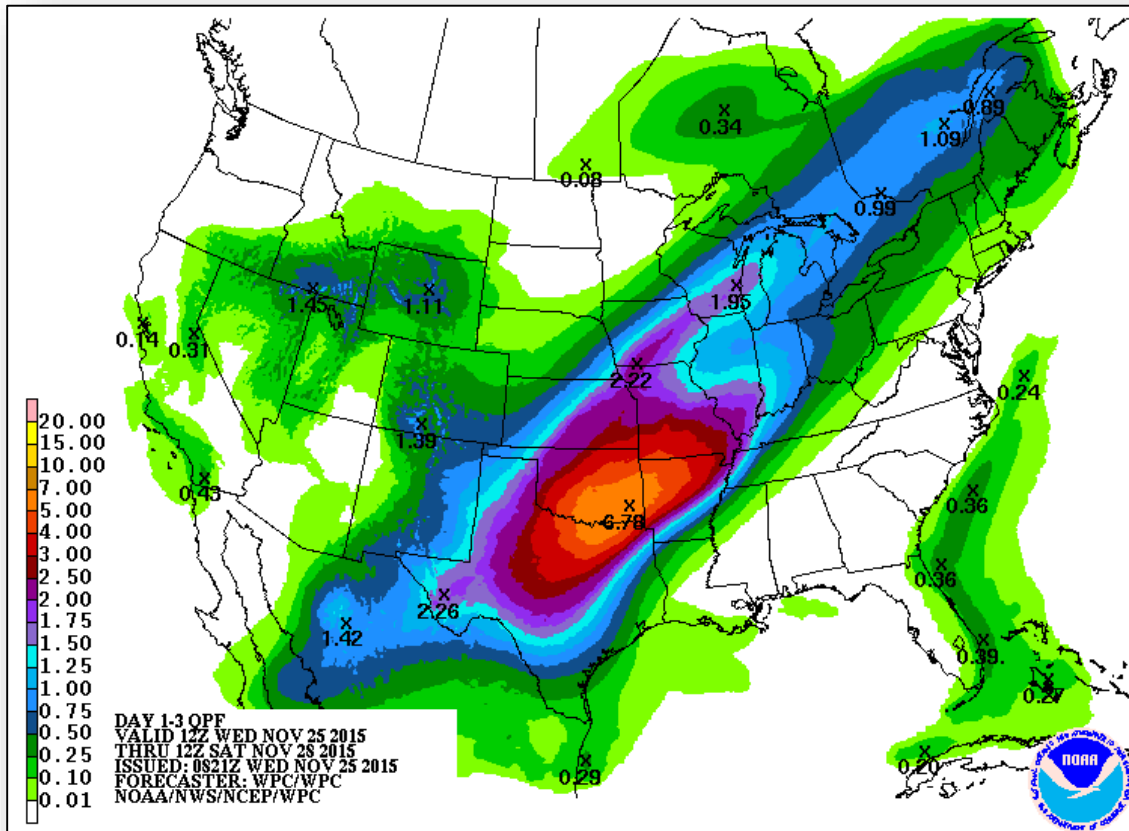
*Tomorrow*



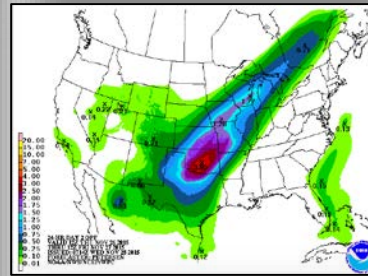
# Active Watches/Warnings



# Precipitation Forecast, 1-3 Day



Day 1

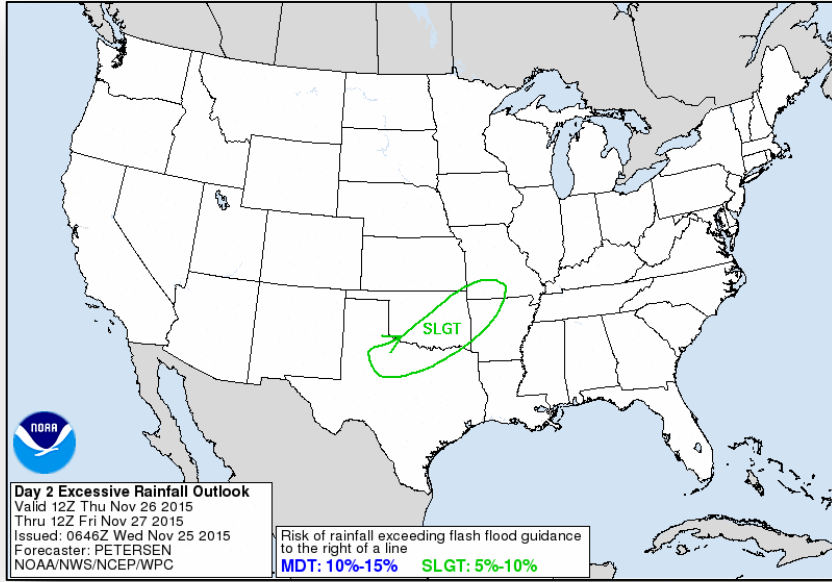


Day 2

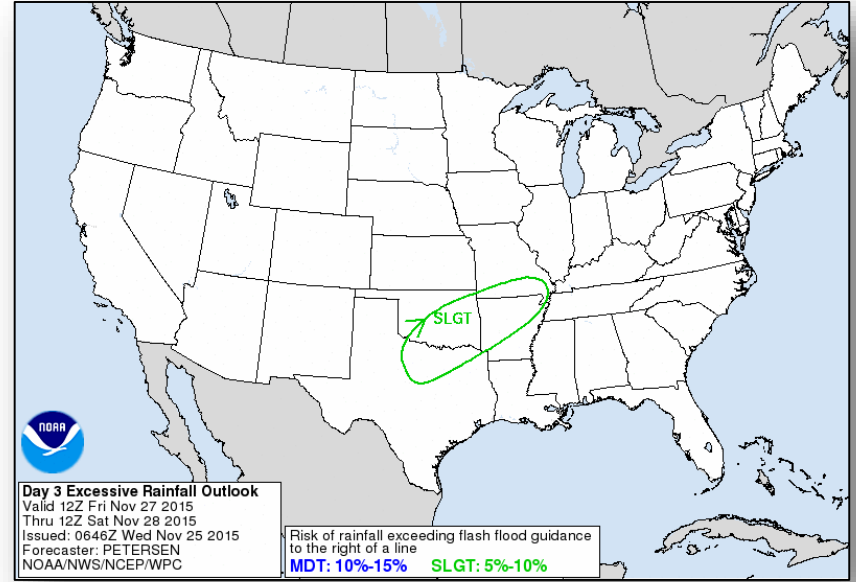


Day 3

# Excessive Rainfall Forecast

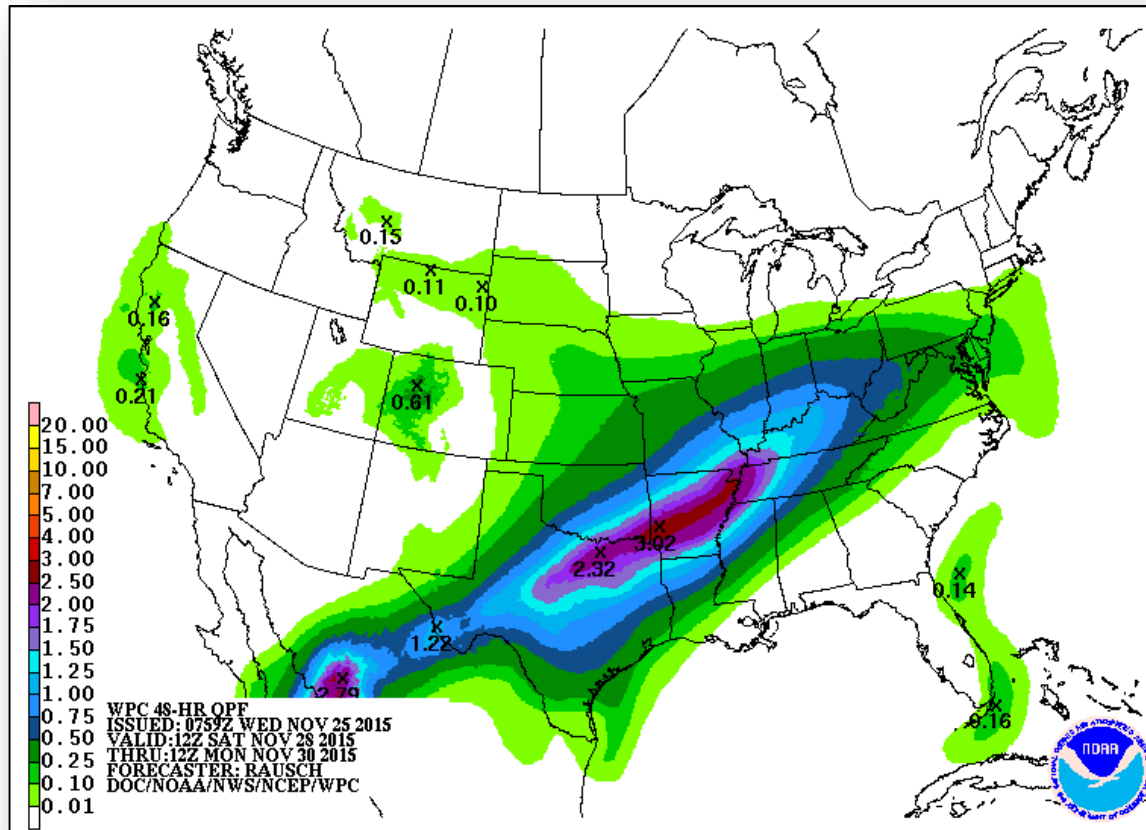


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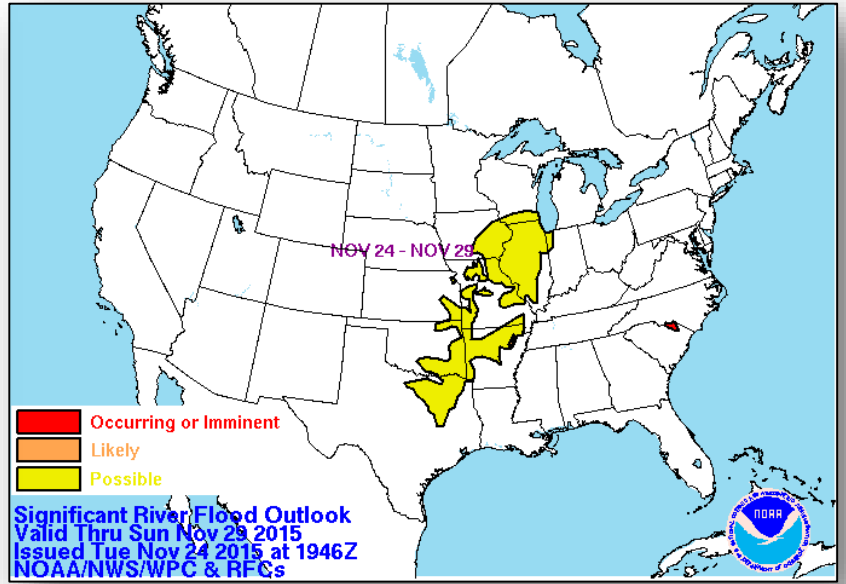
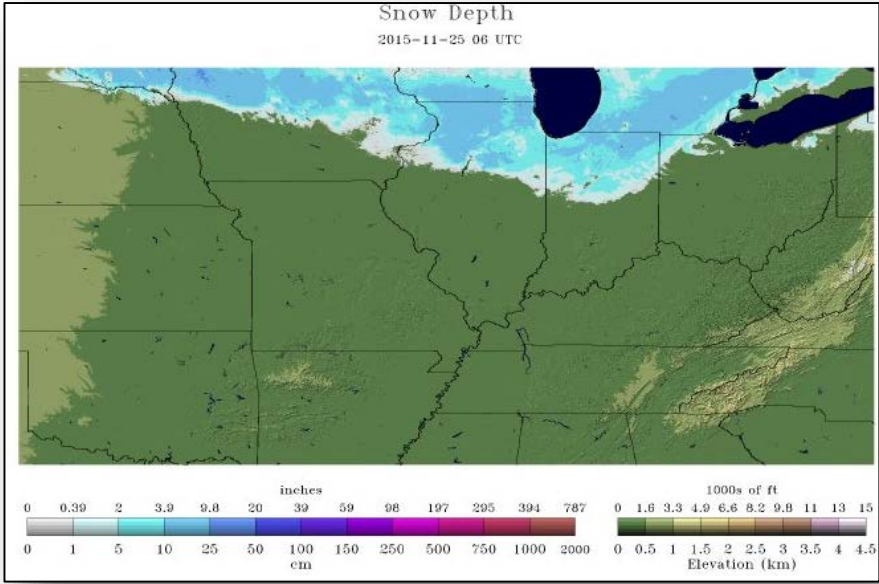


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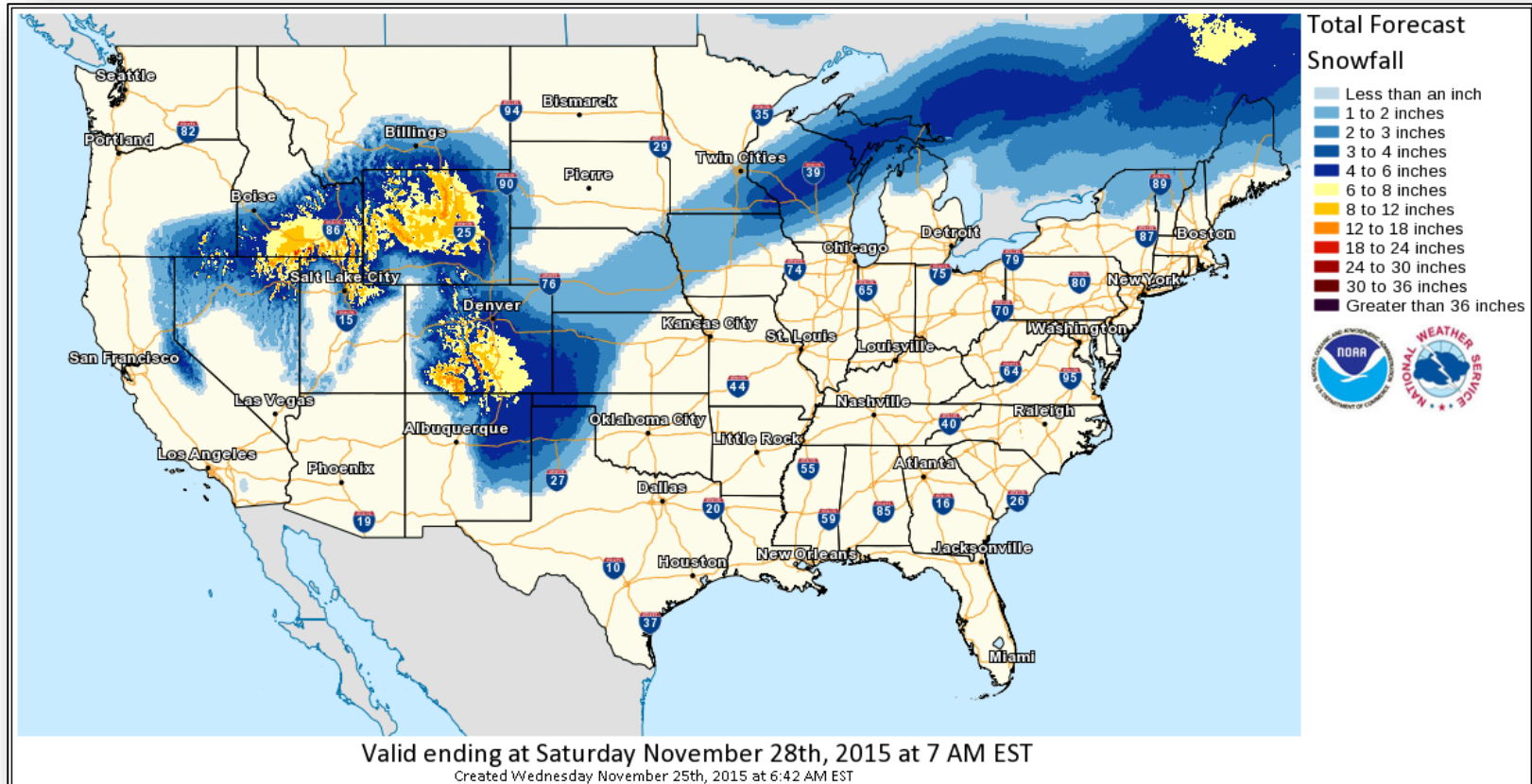
# Precipitation Forecast, 4 – 5 Day



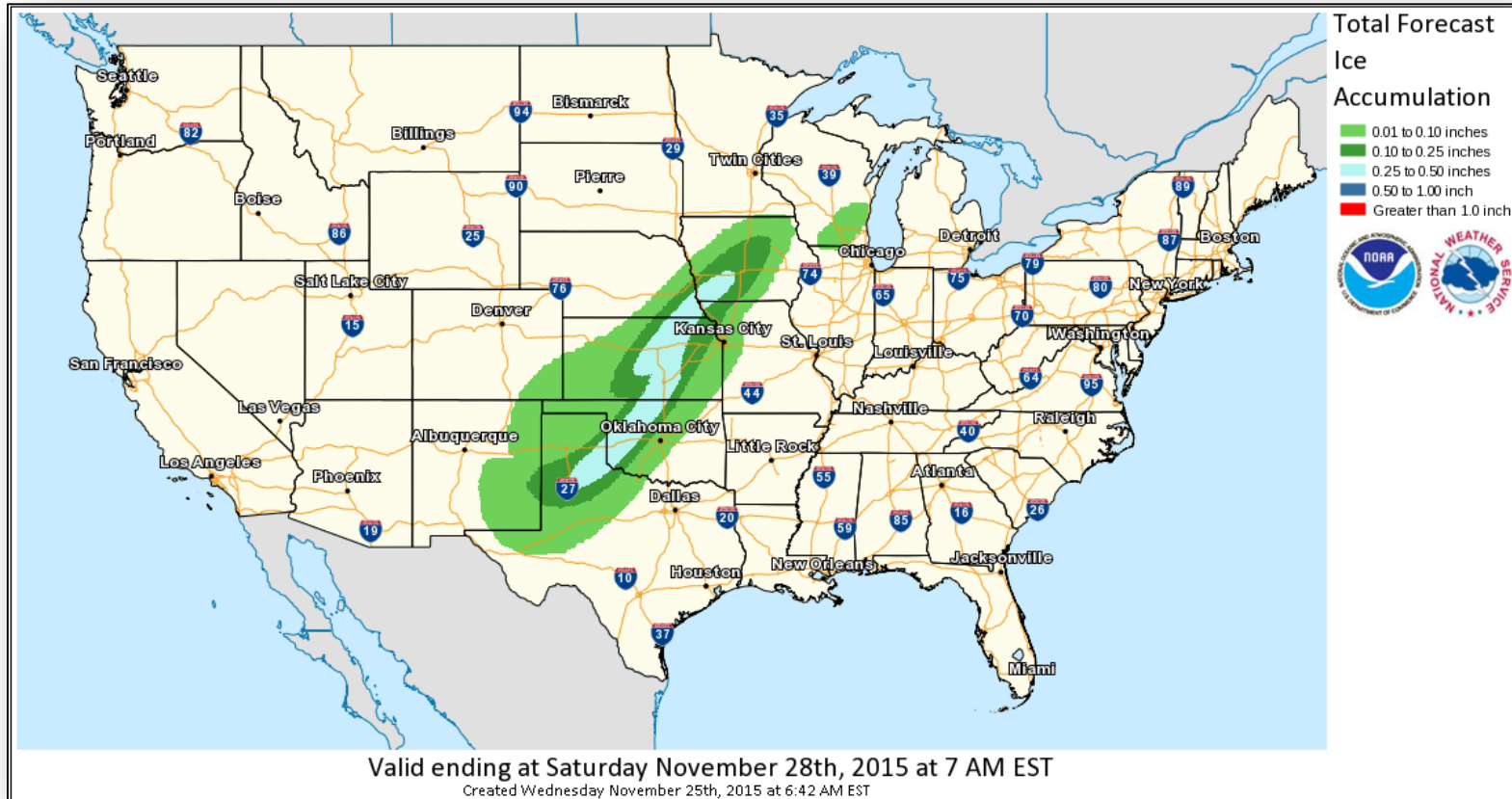
# Snow Depth & Sig River Flood Outlook



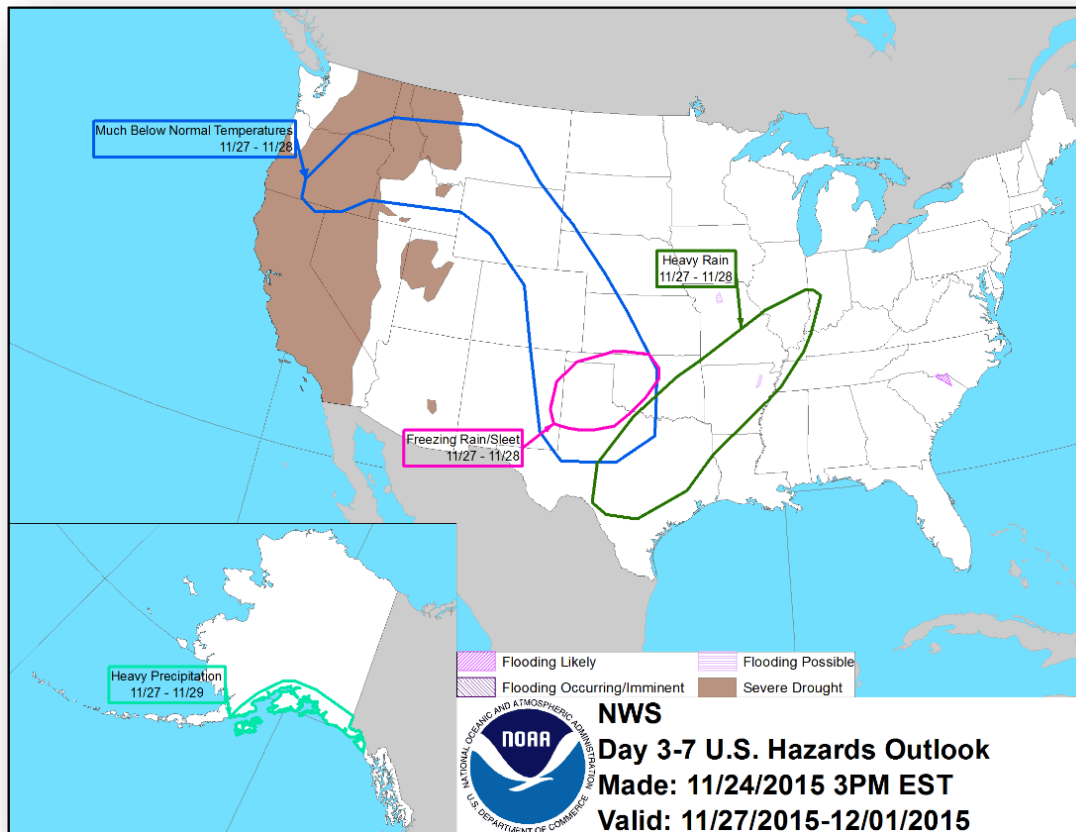
# Total Forecast Snowfall



# Total Forecast Ice Accumulation



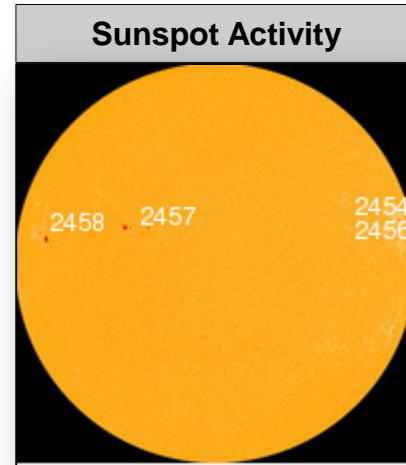
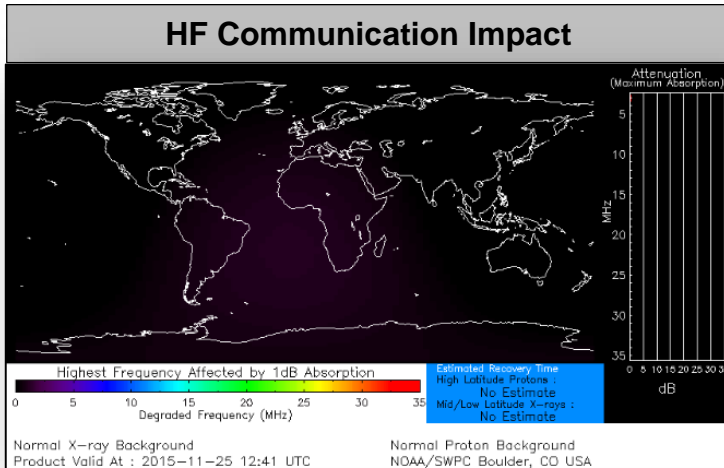
# Hazard Outlook, Nov 27 – Dec 1





# 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

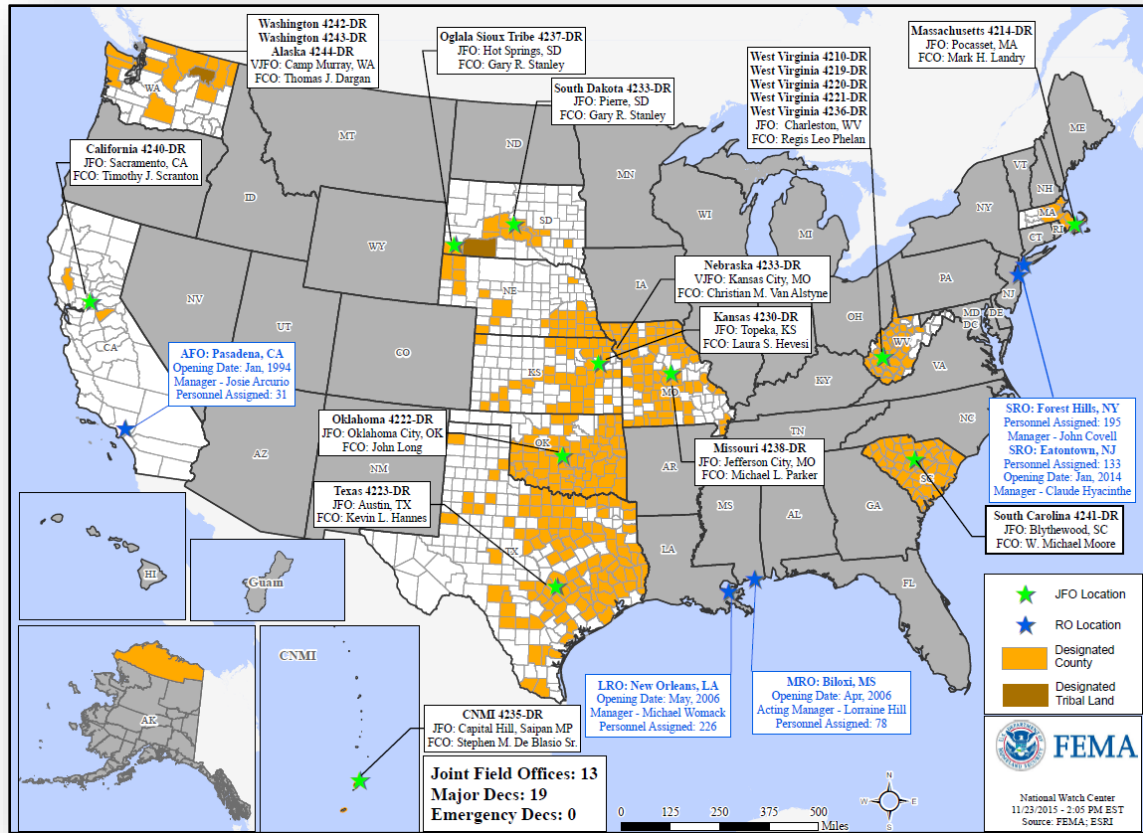


# Disaster Requests & Declarations



<b>Declaration Requests in Process</b>		<b>Requests APPROVED (since last report)</b>	<b>Requests DENIED (since last report)</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>Date Requested</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>TX – DR Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding</b>	<b>November 20, 2015</b>		

# Open Field Offices as of November 25



# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State / Location	Event	I/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
VI	TX	Heavy Rain & Flooding October 30-31, 2015	PA	15 (+5)	1	11/19 - TBD

# FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets									
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		35	13	38%	0	4	18		OFDC Readiness: FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4 3 2  FDRC 3 2 1
FDRC		7	3	43%	0	0	4		
US&R		28	27	96%	0	1	0	NM-TF1 (Red) – Personnel shortages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green = Available/FMC</li> <li>Yellow = Available/PMC</li> <li>Red = Out-of-Service</li> <li>Blue = Assigned/Deployed</li> </ul>
National IMAT		3	2	66%	1	0	0	N-IMAT East-1 Reconstituting; will be FMC on 11/30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green: 3 avail</li> <li>Yellow: 1-2 avail</li> <li>Red: 0 avail (<i>Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.</i>)</li> </ul>
Regional IMAT		13	5	38%	0	1	7	<b>Deployed:</b> RII (Team 1) Demobilized from SC 11/24 RIV (Team 1) Deployed to SC RVI (Team 2) Deployed to TX RVII Deployed to MO RIX (Team 1) Deployed to Saipan; (Team 2) Deployed to CA RX Deployed to WA  <b>NMC:</b> RV (Team 1) Red – Personnel Shortages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green: 7 or more avail</li> <li>Yellow: 4 - 6 teams available</li> <li>Red: &gt; 8 teams deployed/unavailable</li> </ul> R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement
MCOV		59	39	66%	0	10	10	10 MCOVs deployed to SC (FEMA-4241-DR)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green = 80 – 100% avail</li> <li>Yellow = 60 – 79% avail</li> <li>Red = 59% or below avail</li> <li>Readiness remains 95%</li> </ul>

# 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"> <li>• Green = FMC</li> <li>• Yellow = PMC</li> <li>• Red = NMC</li> </ul>
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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