



# **FEMA**

## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Monday, May 11, 2015**

**8:30 a.m. EDT**

# Significant Activity: May 8-11



**Significant Events:** Severe weather – Central/Southern Plains

**Tropical Activity:**

- Atlantic: Tropical Depression Ana (FINAL)
- Western Pacific: Tropical Storm Dolphin

**Earthquake Activity:** No significant activity

**Significant Weather:**

- Rain & thunderstorms –Southern Plains to Lower Mississippi and Tennessee valleys; Ohio Valley to Great Lakes
- Flash flooding possible – Southern Plains
- Heavy snow possible – Northern Plains
- Red Flag Warnings: AK
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather: none
- Space Weather: past 24 hours – none; next 24 hours – minor, G1 geomagnetic storms likely

**Declaration Activity:**

- Amendment No.1 to FEMA-4213-DR-CT
- Amendment No.2 to FEMA-4210-DR-WV

**FEMA Readiness:** FEMA Region VI RRCC at Level III

# Severe Weather - Central & Southern Plains



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## Current Situation - May 6 and Continuing

- Severe thunderstorms continue across portions of Southern & Central Plains
- ▲ May 10: preliminary reports - 26 tornadoes, 70 wind, 29 hail
- ▲ May 6-10: total of 185 tornado reports
- Downed trees and power lines, ongoing flooding continues
- NWS and local storm damage surveys are underway

## FEMA Region VI

- FEMA Region VI RRCC at Level III (dayshift only)
- 2 LNOs deployed to OK EOC; 2 LNOs deployed to TX EOC
- IMAT deployed to OK EOC; ISB Team identified & on Alert
- PDA Teams on standby for OK
- No requests for FEMA assistance

## Oklahoma

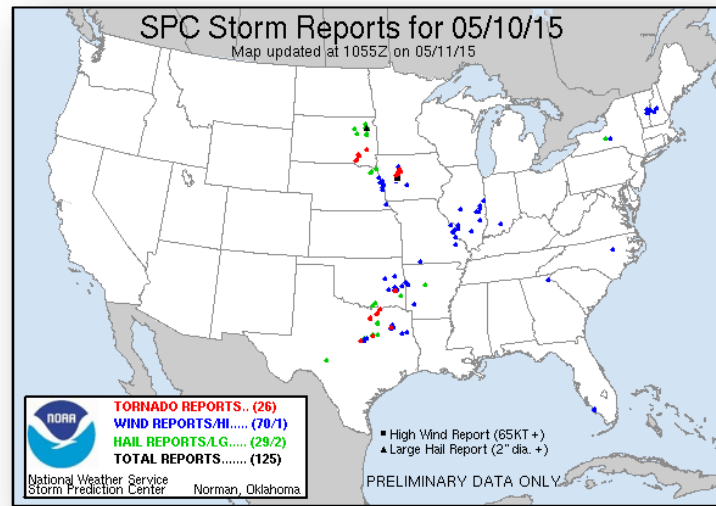
- OK EOC at Level III (monitoring) dayshift only
- Governor declared a Disaster Emergency for 12 counties on May 7
- Local damage assessments continue
- 1 unconfirmed fatality; 30 injuries (*OK Chief Medical Examiner; OK Dept. of Health*)
- ▲ 1 (-2) shelter open with 43 (-10) occupants (*ESF-6, 6:20 am EDT May 11*)

## Arkansas

- AR EOC not activated
- Possible tornado touchdown in Nashville, AR
- 2 confirmed fatalities in mobile home park; unknown number of injuries
- Several reports of damage in Nashville

## Texas

- TX EOC is Level II (Partial Activation); no significant/widespread damage



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## **FEMA Region VII**

- RRCC not activated; RWC returned to Watch/Steady State
- 1 LNO deployed to NE EOC
- RRCC, Regional IMAT & State LNOs on alert

## **Nebraska**

- NE EOC at Level II (Partial Activation)
- Governor declared emergency declaration for storm damaged areas
- 1 confirmed storm-related fatality in Jefferson County
- NE National Guard activated to provide flood support along the Blue River

## **Kansas**

- KS EOC at normal operations; no significant/widespread impacts

## **Iowa**

- IA EOC at Level II (Partial Activation for avian influenza)

## **FEMA Region VIII**

- RRCC not activated; RWC at Watch/Steady State

## **South Dakota**

- SD EOC at Level III (Partial Activation)
- Confirmed EF-2 tornado touchdown in Delmont (pop 243)
- 20 structures damage
- No fatalities; 9 injuries

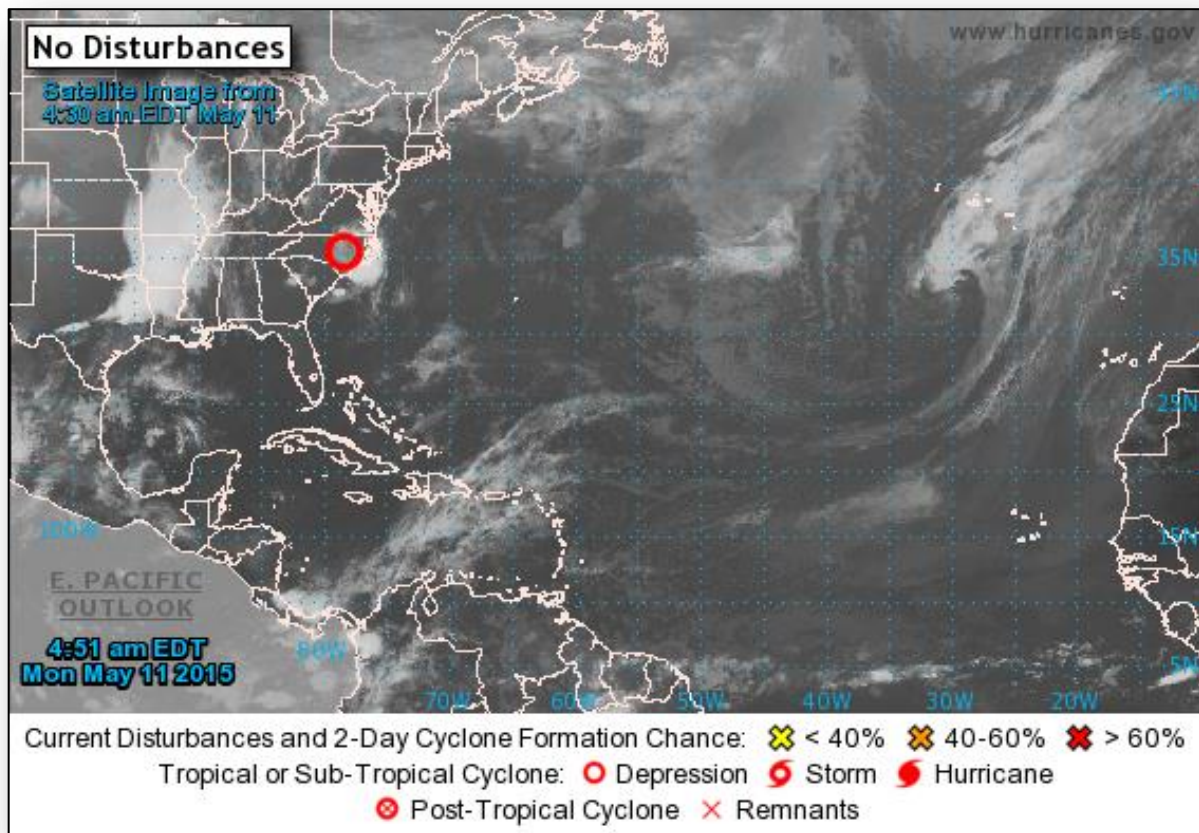
## **FEMA HQ**

- NRCC not activated; **NWC returned to Normal Operations**
- US&R TN-TF1 on Alert for potential deployment

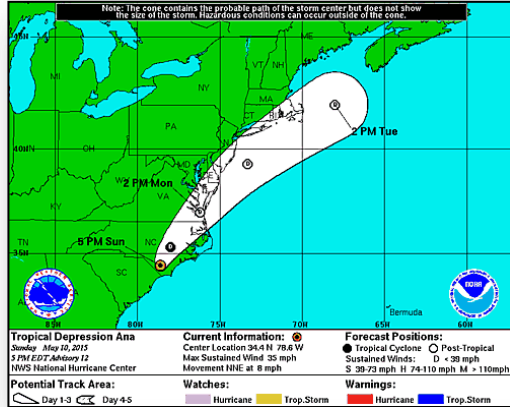
# Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



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# Tropical Depression Ana (Final)

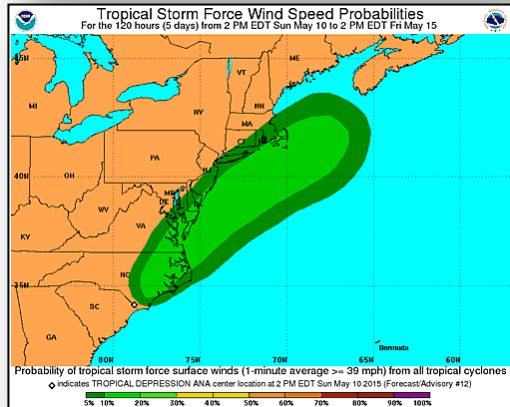


## Tropical Depression Ana (as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

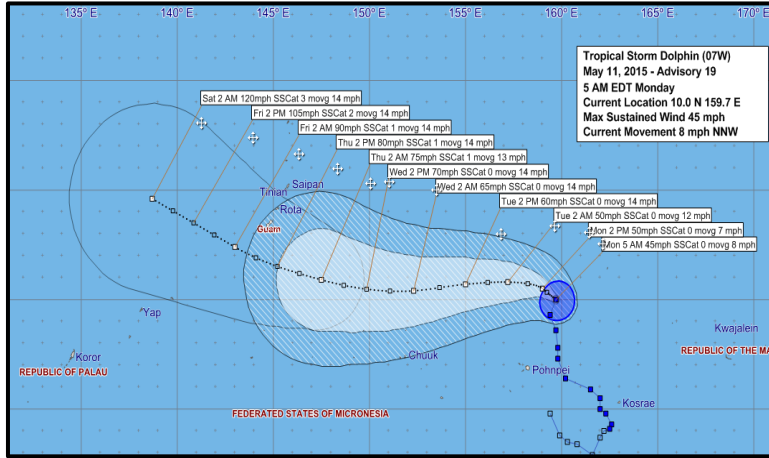
- Located 28 miles NW of Seymour-Johnson AFB, NC
- Maximum sustained winds 15 mph
- Moving NNE at 4 mph
- Continues to weaken
- Flood Watches and Coastal Flood Advisories in effect for central portion of coastal NC
- Expected to produce additional rainfall amounts of up to 2 inches, with isolated storm total amounts of 6 inches across eastern NC through Monday

## Response

- FEMA Region IV RRCC at Normal Operations
- SC EOC is monitoring; all other states remain at Normal Ops



# Tropical Storm Dolphin – Western Pacific



## Tropical Storm Dolphin (Advisory #19 as of 5:00 a.m. EDT)

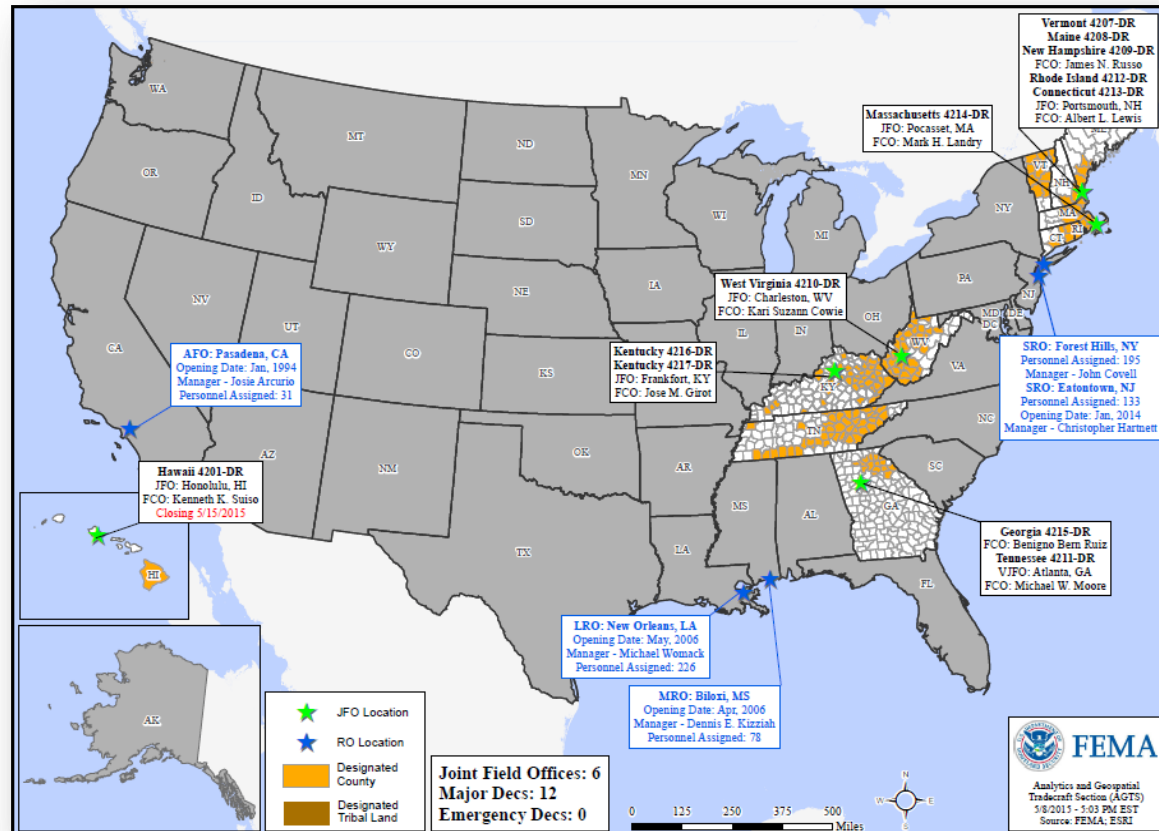
- Located 235 miles NNE of Pohnpei, and 1,040 miles ESE of Guam
- Moving NNW at 8 mph, maximum sustained winds 45 mph
- Expected to slowly intensify, become a typhoon Wed night (EDT)
- Forecast to continue W to WNW, staying well north of Chuuk
- Forecast to pass S of Guam Wed & Thurs (EDT) as a Cat 1 Typhoon
- Tropical Storm Warning cancelled for Pohnpei

## Response

- FSM Department of Emergency Management is monitoring
- Guam EOC remains at normal operations
- FEMA Region IX
  - RWC at Enhanced Watch
  - RRCC will activate at 11:00 am EDT (SoCal Exercise and TS Dolphin)
  - IMAT deployed to Guam/CNMI; LNOs deployed to Guam & CNMI EOCs
  - Region IX Hurricane Liaison working with NWS & JTWC in Guam
- FEMA ISB Alpha Team: (30 people) deploying to DC Moffett, CA:
  - 6 staging team members to deploy with Region IX IMAT to Guam
  - 6 staging team members to Hickam AFB, HI
  - 12 staging personnel to divide between Moffett and/or Travis AFB
- ISBs activated: Anderson AFB, GU; Hickam, AFB, HI; Moffet Field, CA



# Open Field Offices as of May 11





# Disaster Requests & Declarations



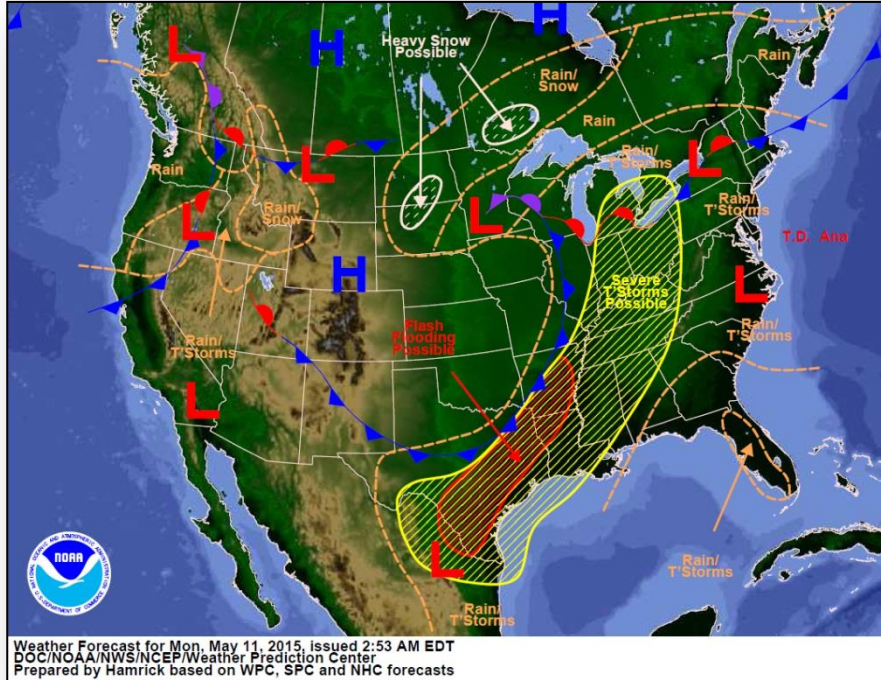
Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
2	Date Requested	0	0
KY – DR Severe Winter Storm, Snowstorm, Flooding, Landslides & Mudslides	April 27, 2015		
WV – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides & Mudslides	April 30, 2015		

# Disaster Amendments

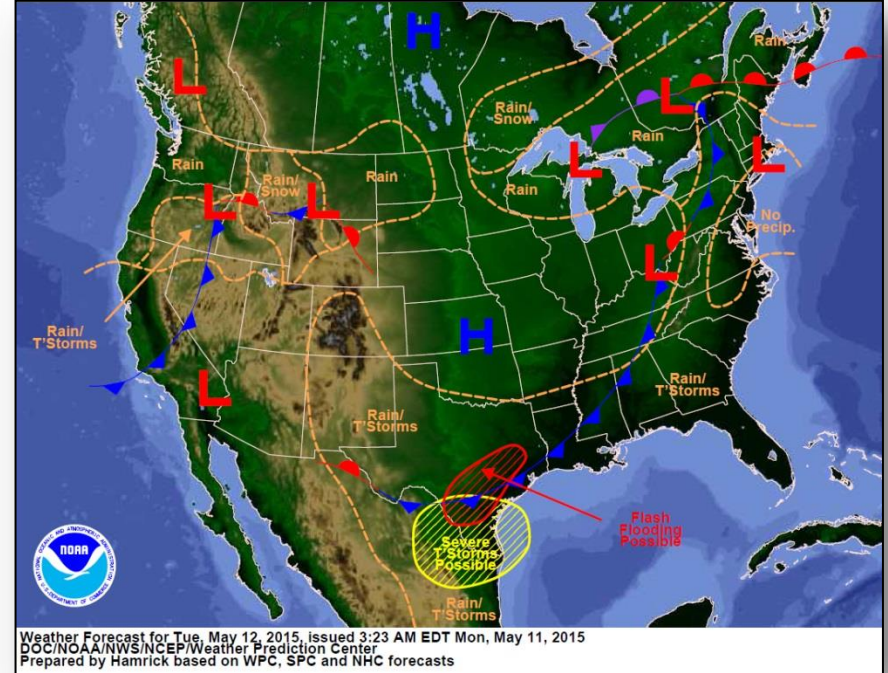


Amendment	Effective Date	Action
Amendment No. 1 to FEMA-4213-DR-CT	May 8, 2015	Adds 1 county for Public Assistance & snow assistance (48 hour period)
Amendment No. 2 to FEMA-4210-DR-WV	May 8, 2015	Establishes incident period as March 3 through 14, 2015

# National Weather Forecast



*Today*

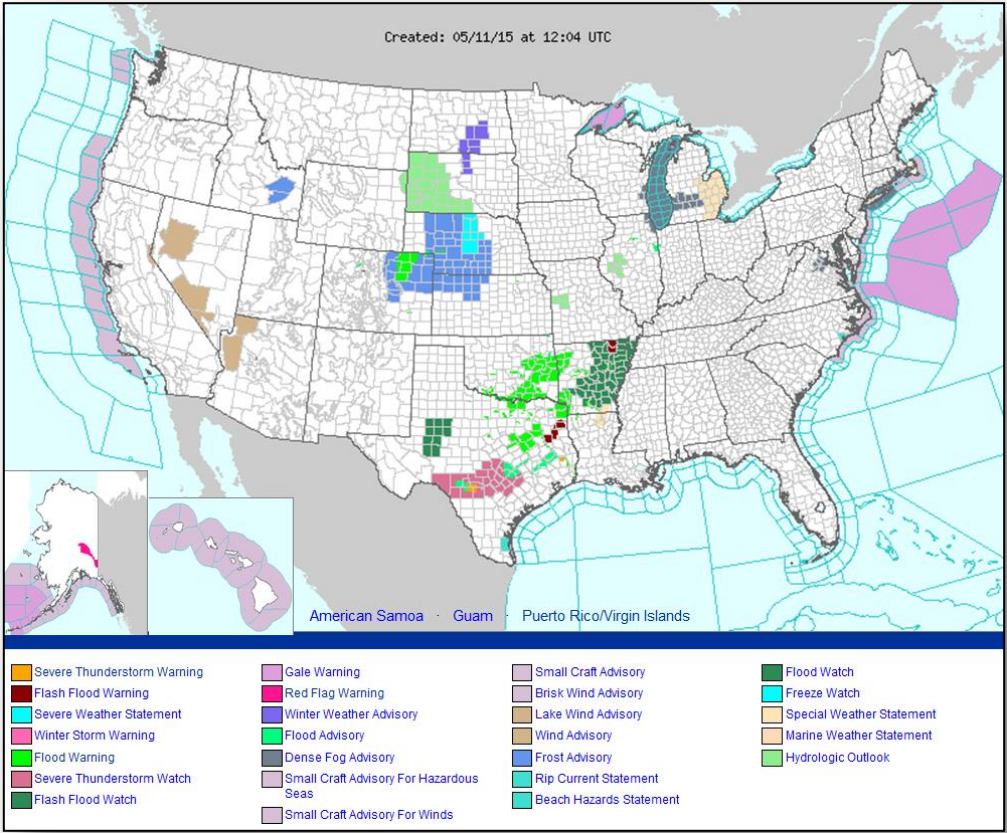


*Tomorrow*

# Active Watches/Warnings



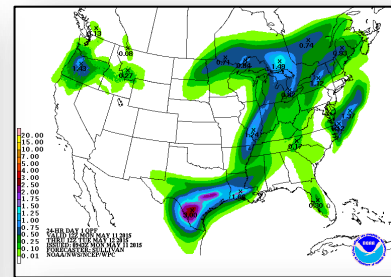
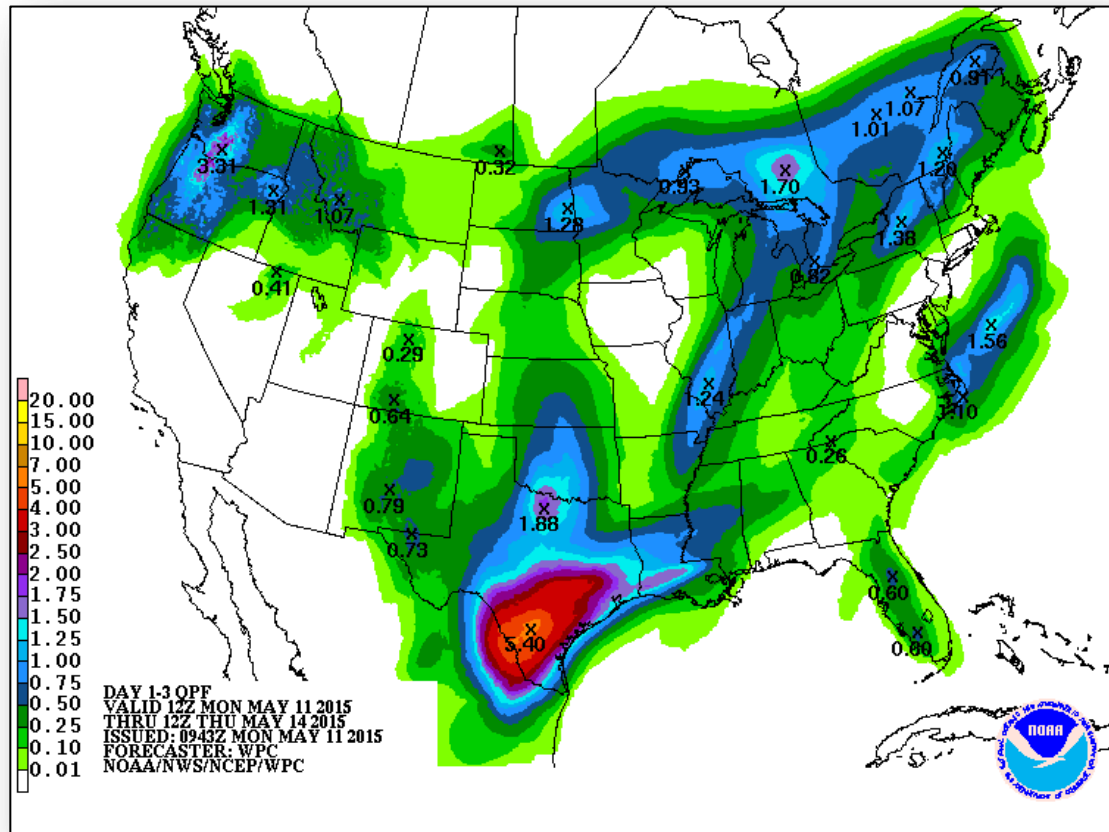
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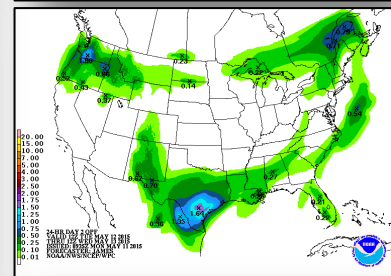
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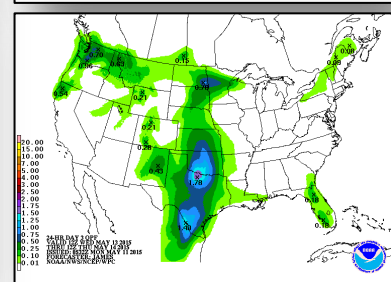
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Day 1



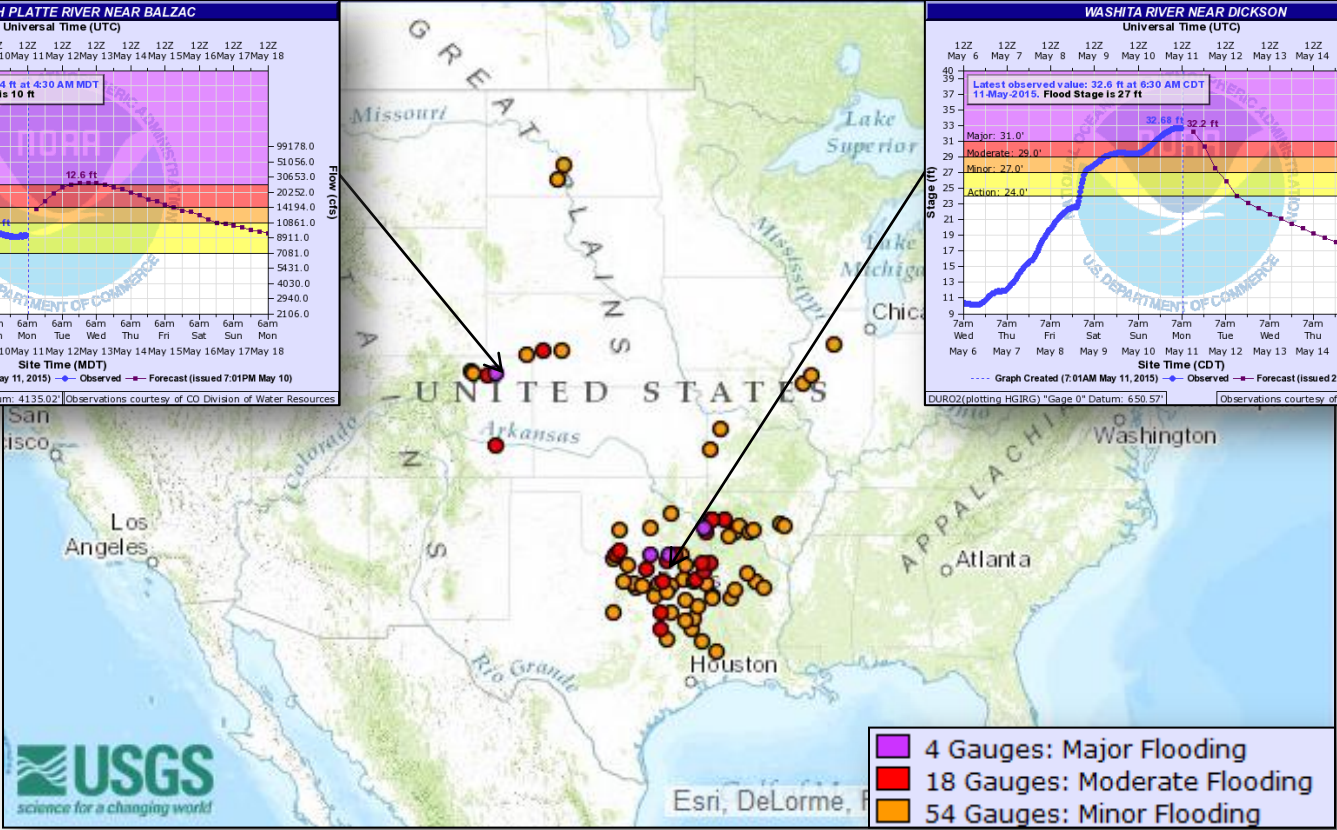
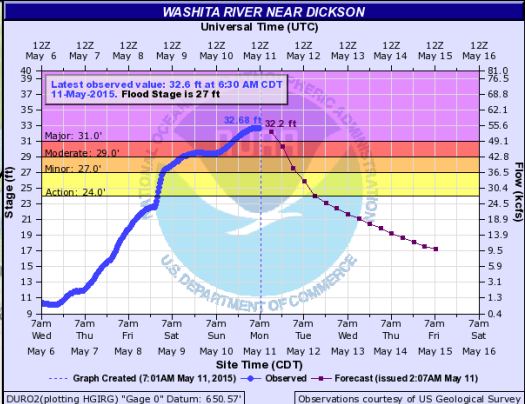
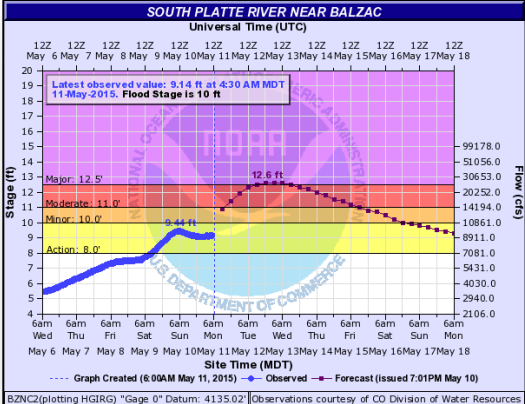
Day 2



Day 3



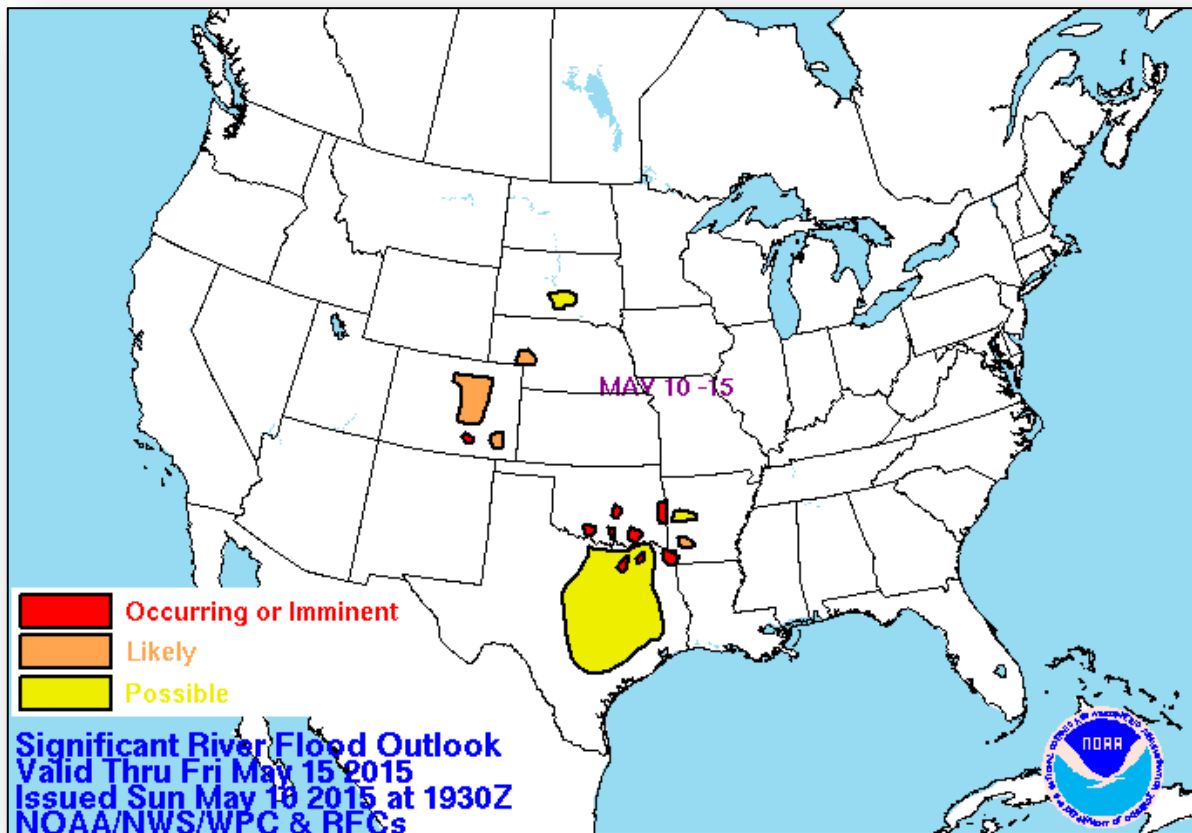
# River Forecast



# Significant River Flood Outlook

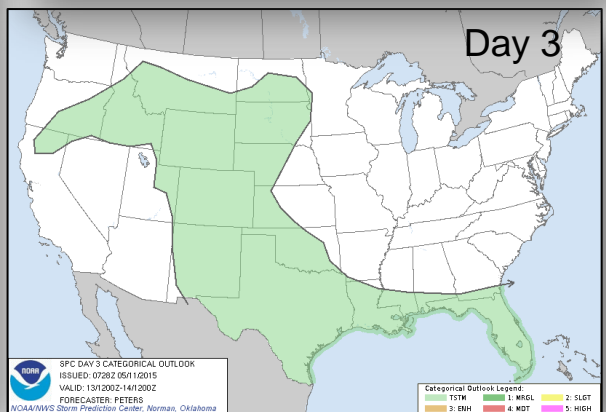
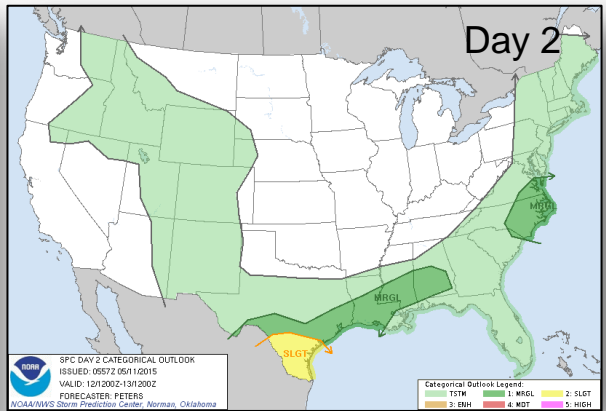
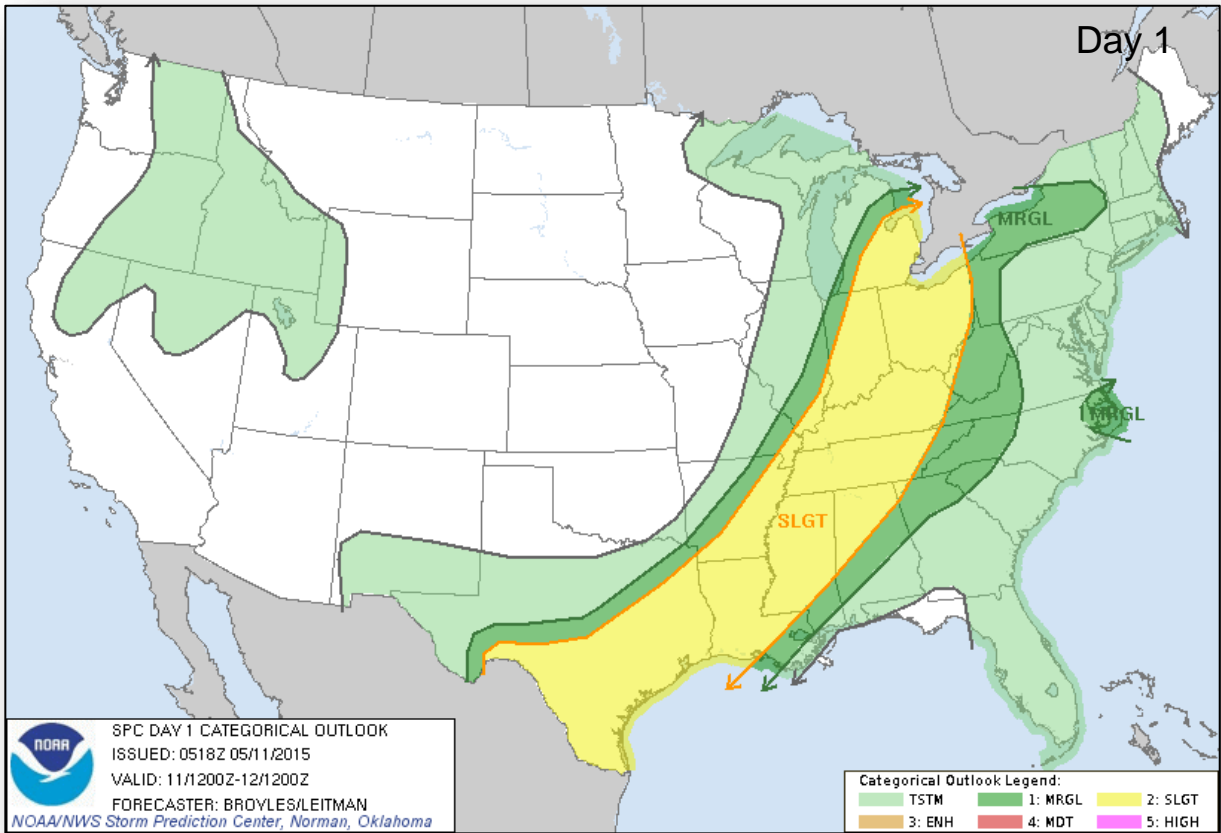


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# Severe Weather Outlook, Days 1-3



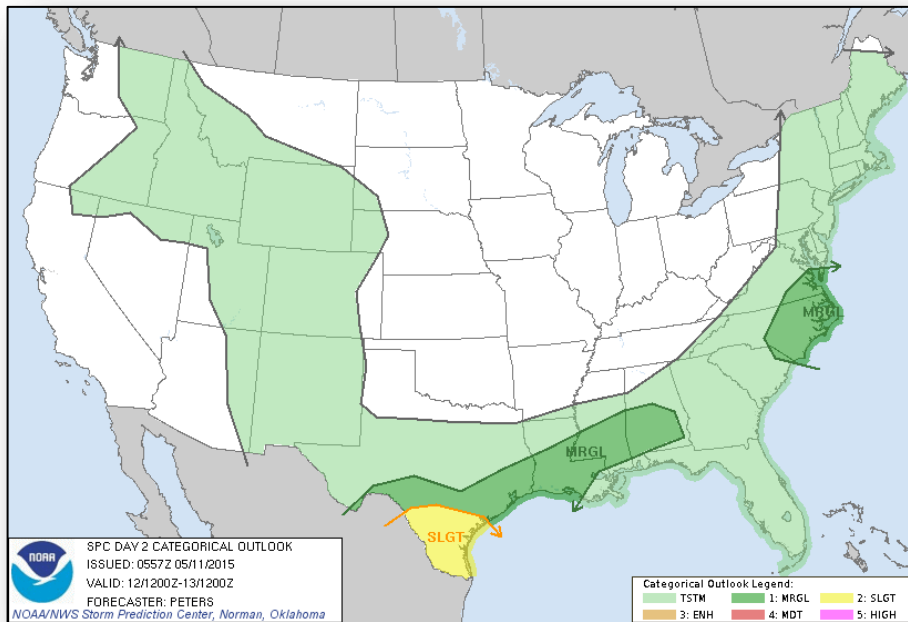
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- Thunderstorms
- Marginal Risk
- Slight Risk
- Enhanced Risk
- Moderate Risk
- High Risk

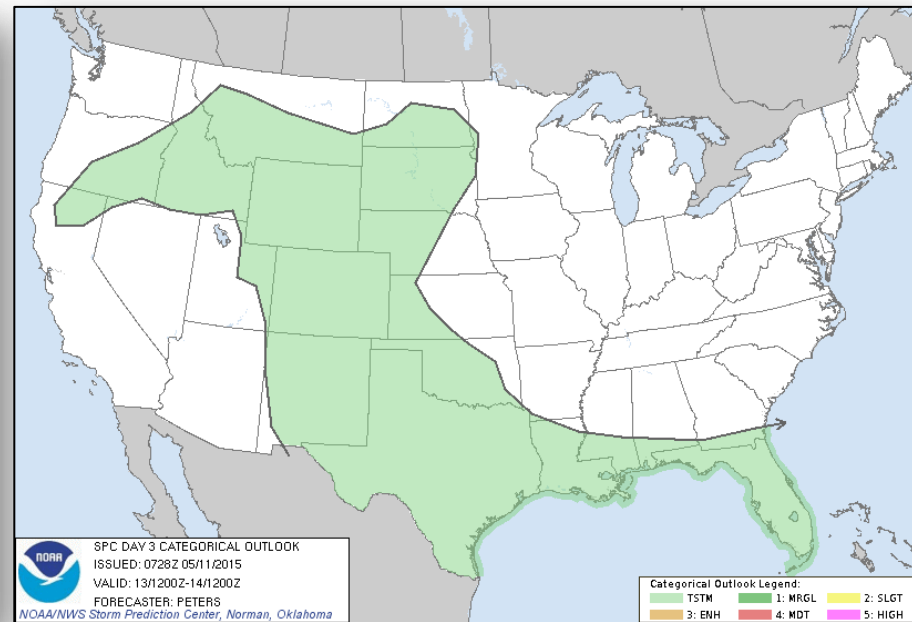
# Severe Weather Outlook: Days 2-3



Day 2



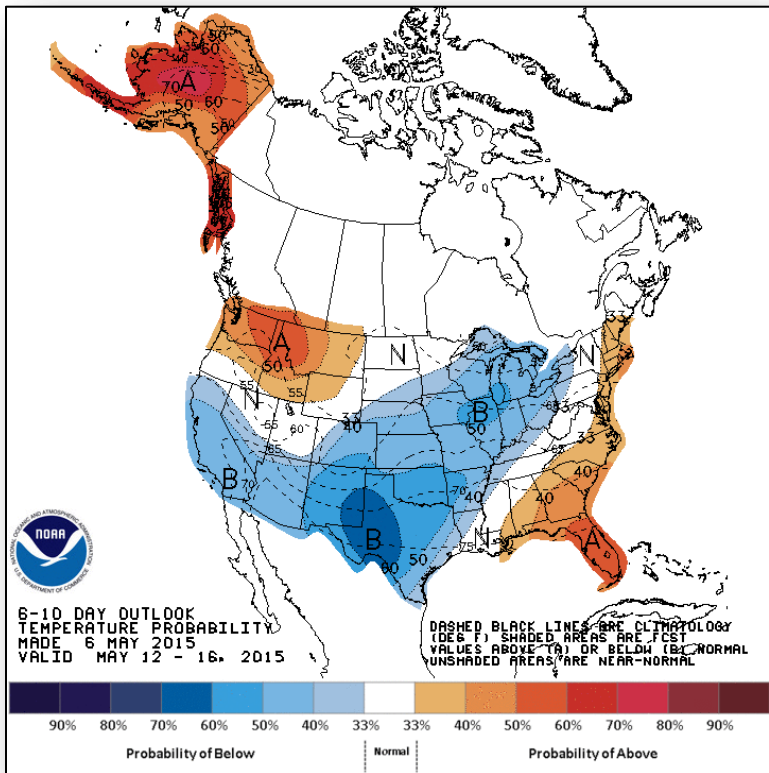
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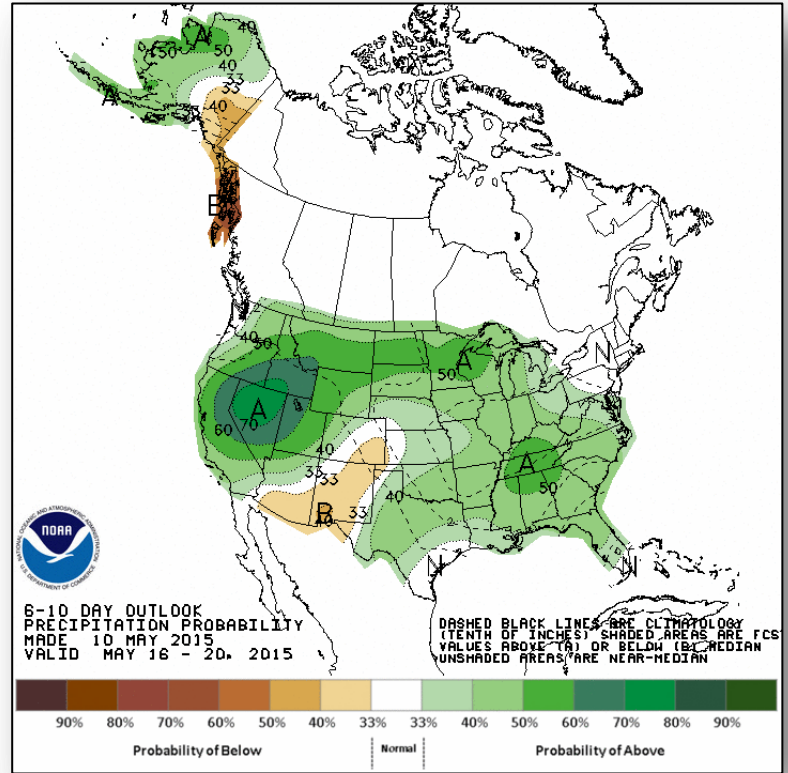
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# 6-10 Day Outlooks



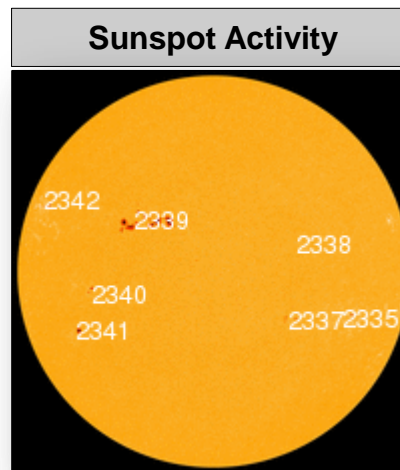
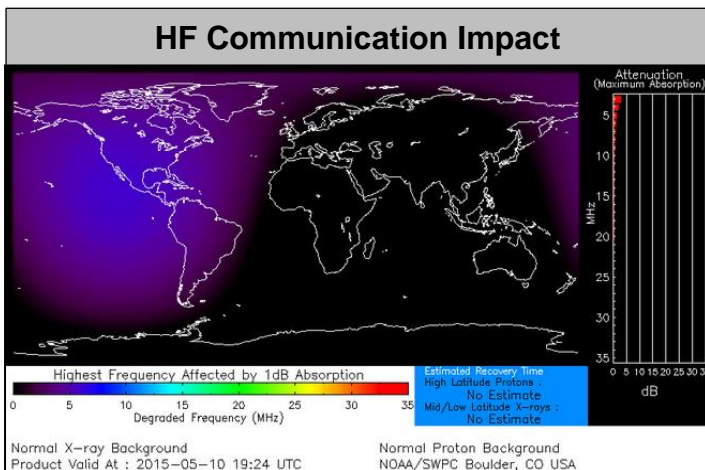
*Temperature Probability*



*Precipitation Probability*

# Space Weather

None	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	None	None	Minor
• Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	G1
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	None	None	None



# FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams /Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets									
Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		37	17	46%	0	1	19		OFDC Readiness: FCO   Green   Yellow   Red Type 1   3+   2   1 Type 2   4+   3   2 Type 3   4   3   2
FDRC		9	9	100%	0	0	0		FDRC   3   2   1
US&R		28	24	86%	3	1	0	• NM-TF1 (Red) – Personnel shortages • VA-TF1 & CA-TF2 (Yellow) – Deployed (Type 3 capability remains in U.S.) • TN-TF1 (Yellow) on Alert for Severe Storms	• Green = Available/FMC • Yellow = Available/PMC • Red = Out-of-Service • Blue = Assigned/Deployed
National IMAT		3	2	66%	0	0	1	IMAT East 2 – Demobilizing	• 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	7	54%	0	3	3	Region III (Blue) – Deployed to WV Region VI (Blue) – Deployed to OK Region IX (Blue) – Deploying to Guam/CNMI today <u>Not Mission Capable (NMC)</u> • Regions IV-3, VI-3 & IX-1	• 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 & has no qualified replacement
MCOV		60	56	93%	0	4	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	Not Activated	Returned to Watch/Steady State	• Green = FMC • Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC
NRCC		2	344	89%	0	44	Not Activated		
HLT		1	N/A	N/A	0	0	Not Activated		
DEST							Not Activated		
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Activated	RVI RRCC at Level III (dayshift only) RIX RRCC will activate at 11:00 am EDT	
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated	RVII RWC returned to Watch/Steady State RIX RWC at Enhanced Watch	



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