

FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, December 8, 2017

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Dec 7 - 8



Significant Events: Wildfires Southern California

Tropical Activity:

Western Pacific – No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather conditions and Red Flag Warnings CA and Central/Southern Plains
- Heavy Snow possible Southern TX and Lower Mississippi Valley up through the Mid-Atlantic
- Severe Thunderstorms possible FL
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours: none; next 24 hours: none

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity:

- FMAG Approved Lilac 5 Fire, CA
- Emergency Declaration Request California

Wildfires – Southern California



Current Situation

Region IX continues to monitor seven large fires in southern California, five of which have FMAGs. The Thomas Fire is the largest with over 115k acres burned. Critical to extreme fire weather conditions expected to persist into the weekend.

Impacts

- Shelters statewide: 13 open / 617 occupants (ARC as of 5:36 a.m. EST)
- Widespread mandatory evacuations are in effect: 203.7k

State/Local Response

- Governor declared a State of Emergency; Emergency Declaration request for five counties received on December 7, 2017
- CA National Guard deployed
- CA EOC remains at Full Activation

FEMA Response

- Region IX RWC at Steady State; RRCC not activated
- Region IX IMAT-2 deployed CA EOC in Sacramento, CA
- Region IX LNO deployed to Southern Regional EOC in Los Alamitos, CA; Defense Coordinating Element activated
- FMAG approved for the Lilac 5 Fire on December 7, 2017

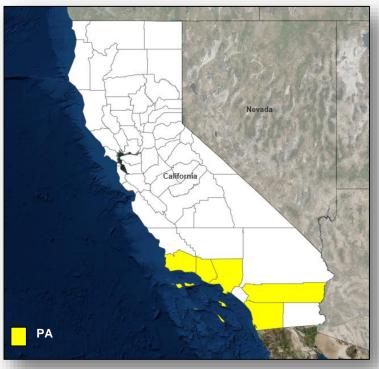


Emergency Declaration Request



California

- Governor requested an Emergency Declaration on December 7, 2017
- For wildfires beginning on December 4, 2017, and continuing
- Requesting:
 - Emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct federal assistance under the Public Assistance program for five counties



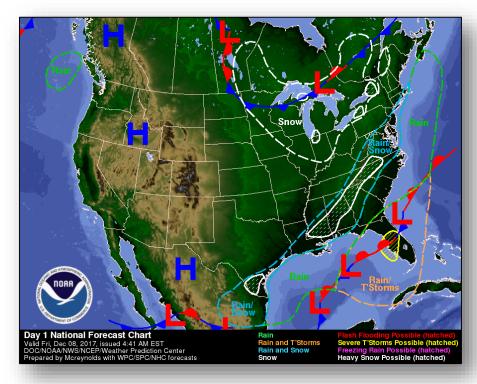
Wildfire Summary

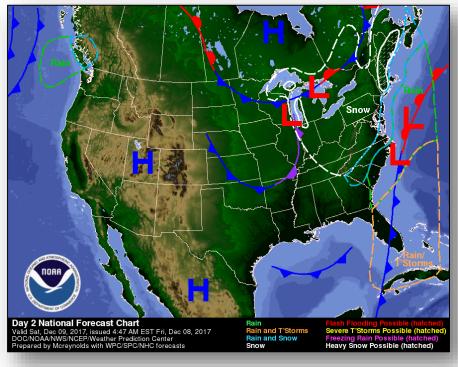


Fire Name	FMAG #	Acres	Percent	Evacuations		Fatalities			
(County)	(Approved Date)	Burned	Contained	(Residents)	Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	/ Injuries	
Thomas (Ventura and Santa Barbara)	5224-FM-CA Dec 5, 2017	115,000 (+19k)	5%	Mandatory (87k)	15,000 homes	81 homes	401 homes 38 other	0/0	
Creek (Los Angeles)	5225-FM-CA Dec 5, 2017	12,605	10% (+5)	Mandatory (99k)	2,500 homes	8 homes 7 other	5 homes 10 other	0/2	
Rye (Los Angeles)	5226-FM-CA Dec 5, 2017	7,000	25% (+15)	Mandatory (2k)	5,090 homes	0	1 other	0/1	
Skirball (Los Angeles)	5227-FM-CA Dec 6, 2017	475	19% (+9)	Mandatory (2k)	1,000 homes	11 homes	4 homes	0/1	
Lilac 5 (San Diego)	5228-FM-CA Dec 7, 2017	3,000	0%	Mandatory (5.5k)	1,500	17 homes	5 homes	0/2	

National Weather Forecast



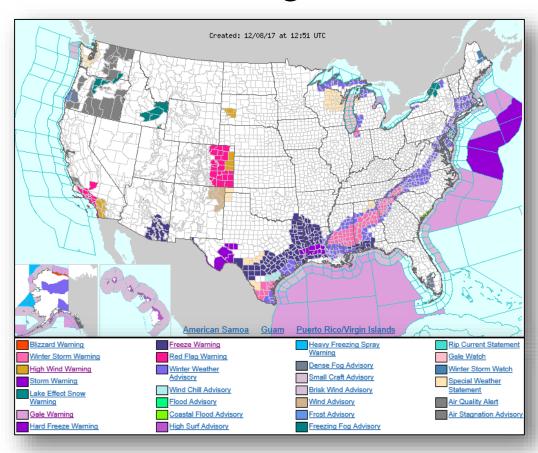




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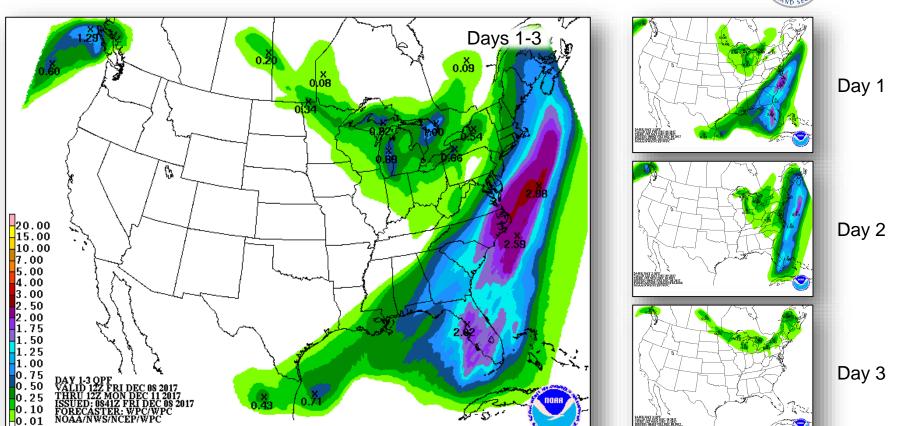
Active Watches and Warnings





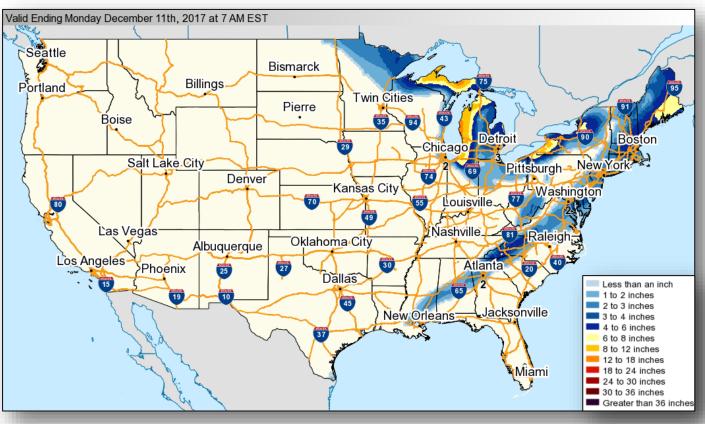
Precipitation Forecast





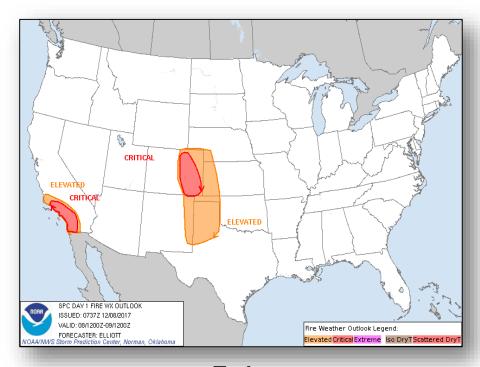
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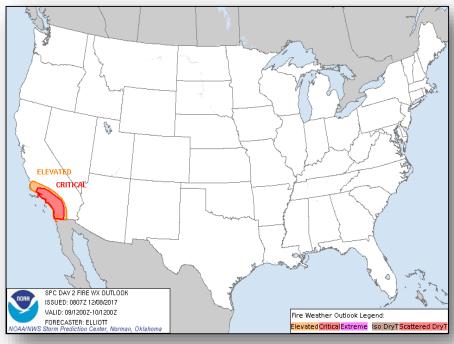




Fire Weather Outlook



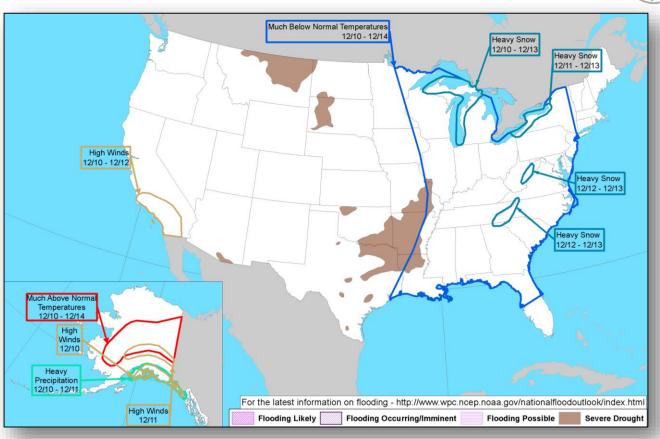




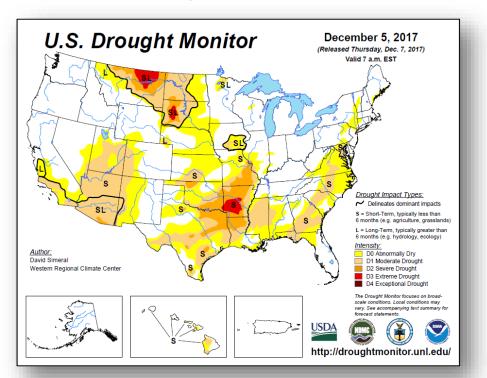
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Hazards Outlook – Dec 10-14

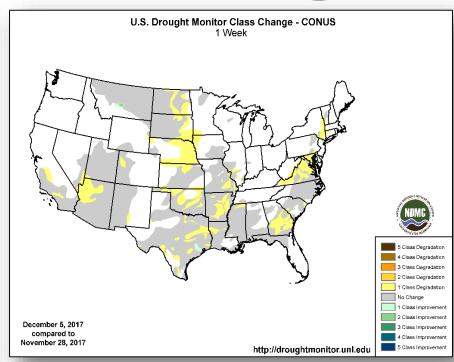




U.S. Drought Monitor





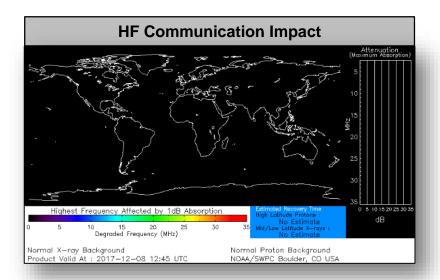


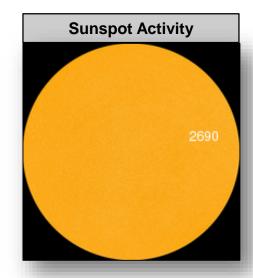
Space Weather



	Space Weather Geomagnet Activity 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





Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Pro	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)				
7 IA PA HM Date Reques				Date Requested	0	0
NH – DR Severe Storms and Flooding			Х	November 27, 2017		
VT – DR Severe Storms and Flooding			Х	November 27, 2017		
AK – DR Severe Storm			Х	November 27, 2017		
ME – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		Х	Х	November 30, 2017		
Pueblo of Acoma – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		Х	Х	November 30, 2017		
MT – DR Wildfires			Х	November 15, 2017		
CA – EM Wildfires				December 7, 2017		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force	Available	Deployed	Other			es with 25% or l			
Total Workfor	Strength	3,578 🛕 31%	6,074	1,790		EHP 11% (35/327 9/202); PA 24% (35				(206/1,195)
	East 1:	Deployed	0,014	4342-DR-ID	4327-DR-WY	4321-DR-NE	4317-DR-MO	4343-DR-WI	4348-DR-NY	Field Offices
National	East 2:	Charlie / PMC		VJFO: Bothell, FCO: Thomas J			JFO: Jefferson City, MO 4319-DR-KS 4347-DR-KS	VJFO: Chicago, IL FCO: Janet M. Odeshoo	JFO: Albany, NY FCO: Seamus K. Leary	JFOs: 17 DRs: 28
IMATs* (0 Teams)	West:	B-2 / Deployed				FCO: Keith D. DuPont VJFO: Kansas City, MO	VJFO: Kansas City, MO FCO: C. Johnson-Cage		narleston, WV	EMs: 3 Deployed Teams
, ,	Assigned:	13			S. A.	*R-VII IMAT (R-VII HQ)		/ FCO: SI	teven S. Ward	(Location)
Regional	Available:	2			Manual	MI	Thomas		/ //	4330-DR-VT 4316-DR-NH
IMATs (0-3 Teams)	PMC / NMC:	1			OR A	A		W. T.	A CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF TH	4329-DR-NH VJFO: Maynard, MA FCO: James N. Russo
(0-3 Teams)	Deployed:	10				原治 江 。				4346-DR-SC
	Assigned:	28	4344-DR-CA JFO: Sacramento, CA				V PA		VJFO: Atlanta, GA 3389-EM-AL	
US&R	Available:	28	R-IX IM	illiam Roche AT-1 (JFO) AT-2 Wildfires	***	UP UP		IN OH		4349-DR-AL FCO: Warren J. Riley
(>66%)	PMC / NMC: Deployed:	0	MERS:		(A)			June -	1	4338-DR-GA JFO: Warner Robins, GA
	Assigned:	36			2 h			S III	3	FCO: Thomas J. McCool R-IV IMAT-2 (JFO)
MERS	Available:	30 (-1)			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	MM NM	A2 /			DR Support: 4339-PR & 4340-USVI
(>66%)	NMC:	0						The second second		Thomasville, GA MERS: Denton,
	Deployed:	6 (+1)			100			The state of		Frederick, Maynard
	Assigned:	38					3 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	6/		3395-EM-FL 4337-DR-FL* JFO: Orlando, FL
FCO	Available:	7						\ \ \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\		4341-DR-STOF JFO: Hollywood, FL
(≤1 Type I)	PMC / NMC:	5			JFO: Austin, TX FCO: Kevin L. Har	4345-DR-LA 4277-DR-LA 3392-EM-LA	JFO:	TBD : Manny J. Toro	,	FCO: Willie G. Nunn *R-I IMAT (JFO)
	Deployed: Assigned:	26 14			N-IMAT-W R-VI IMAT-2	JFO: Baton Rouge, LA FCO: William J. Doran III		S-DR-PR		*R-IV IMAT-1 (JFO) 4335-DR-USVI
FDRC	Assigned. Available:	2			R-VIII IMAT MERS: Denton	LA Recovery Office Baton Rouge, LA	4339	9-DR-PR San Juan, PR	PR USVI	4340-DR-USVI JFO: St. Croix, USVI
(=2)	PMC / NMC:	0				Manager: M. Womack		: Michael F. Byrne MAT E1, R-III IMAT (JFO)	**	FCO: William L. Vogel R-II IMAT (St. Croix)
	Deployed:	12	As of 3:00 a.m. EST De	cember 8, 2017				S: Bothell, Denton, Denver, erick, Maynard, Thomasville		

^{*}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	Not Activated				
RWCs/MOCs		10	Steady State				
RRCCs		10	Not Activated				

Back-up Regions: V and VI



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