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Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, December 29, 2017

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Dec 28-29



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Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity:

- Western Pacific – No activity affecting U.S. interests

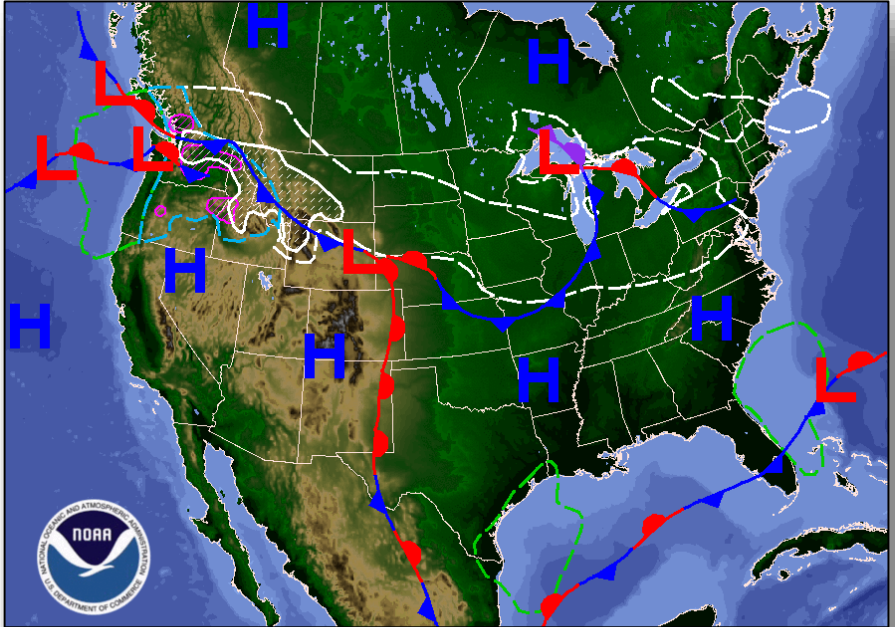
Significant Weather:

- Heavy rainfall and localized flash flooding: Pacific Northwest
- Heavy lake effect snow: Downwind of Great Lakes
- Critical and elevated fire weather conditions in effect for central NM, TX and CO; Red Flag warnings in CO and NM
- Space Weather:
 - Past 24 hours: None observed
 - Next 24 hours: None predicted

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity: None

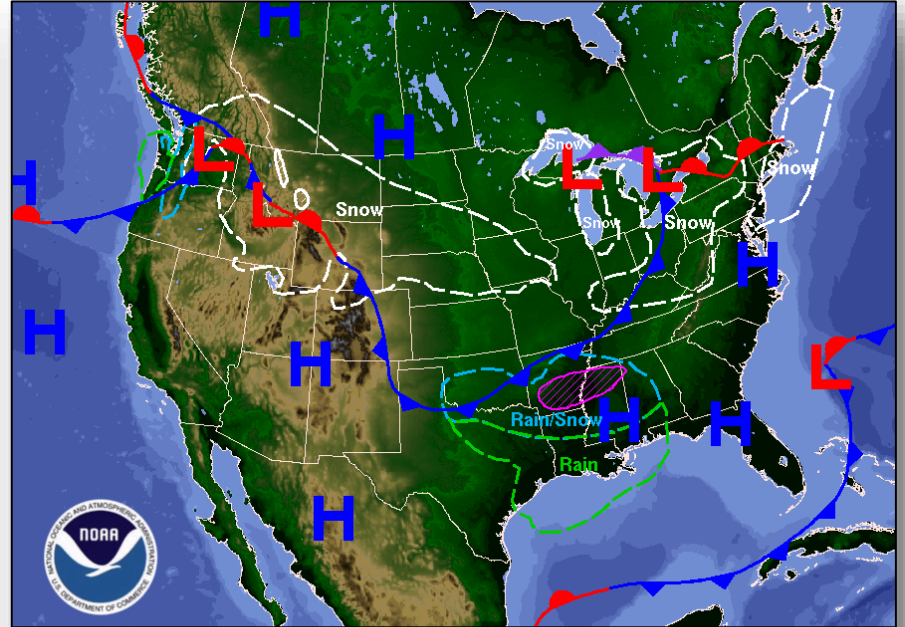
National Weather Forecast



Day 1 National Forecast Chart
 Valid Fri, Dec 29, 2017, issued 3:53 AM EST
 DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
 Prepared by Tate with WPC/SPC/NHC forecasts

Rain	Flash Flooding Possible (hatched)
Rain and T'Storms	Severe T'Storms Possible (hatched)
Rain and Snow	Freezing Rain Possible (hatched)
Snow	Heavy Snow Possible (hatched)

Today



Day 3 National Forecast Chart
 Valid Sat, Dec 30, 2017, issued 4:00 AM EST Thu, Dec 28, 2017
 DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
 Prepared by Kong with WPC/SPC/NHC forecasts

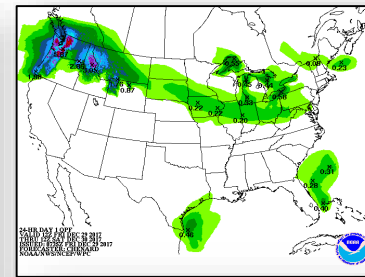
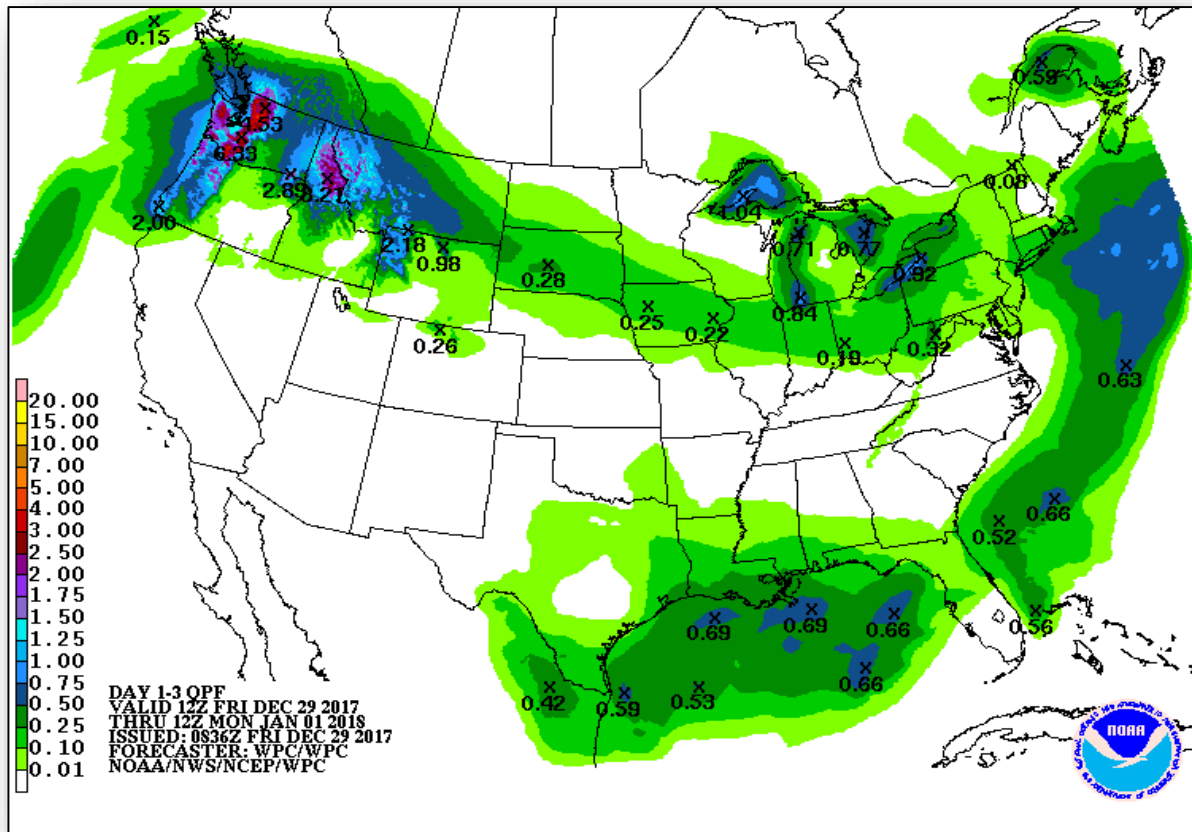
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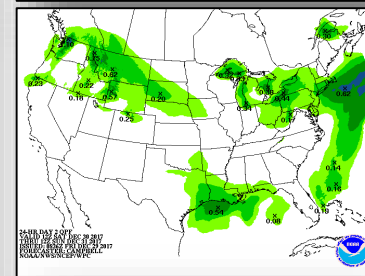
Precipitation Forecast



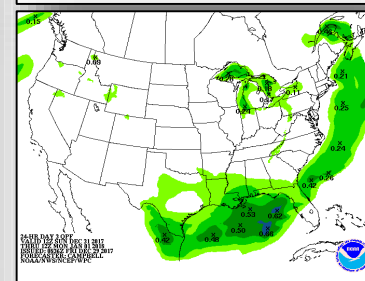
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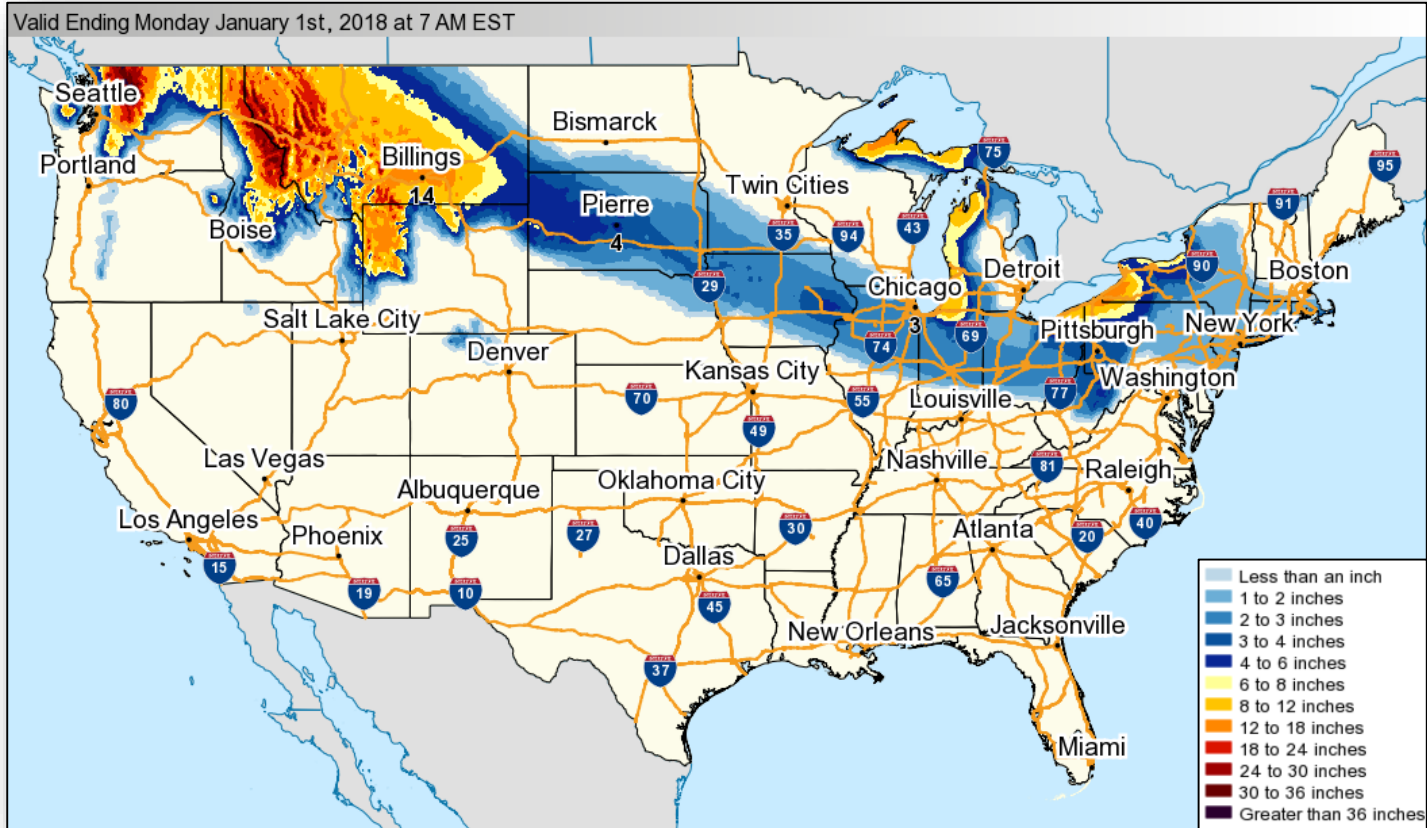


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Forecast Snowfall



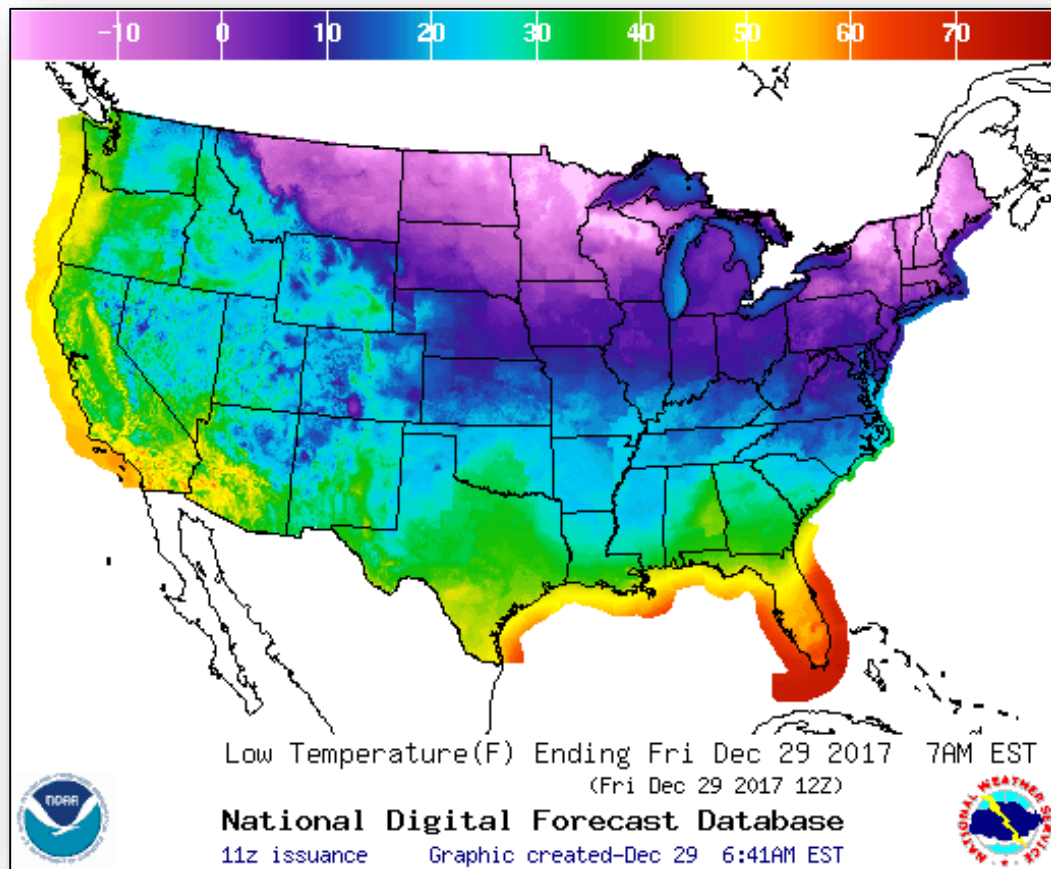
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Low Temperatures



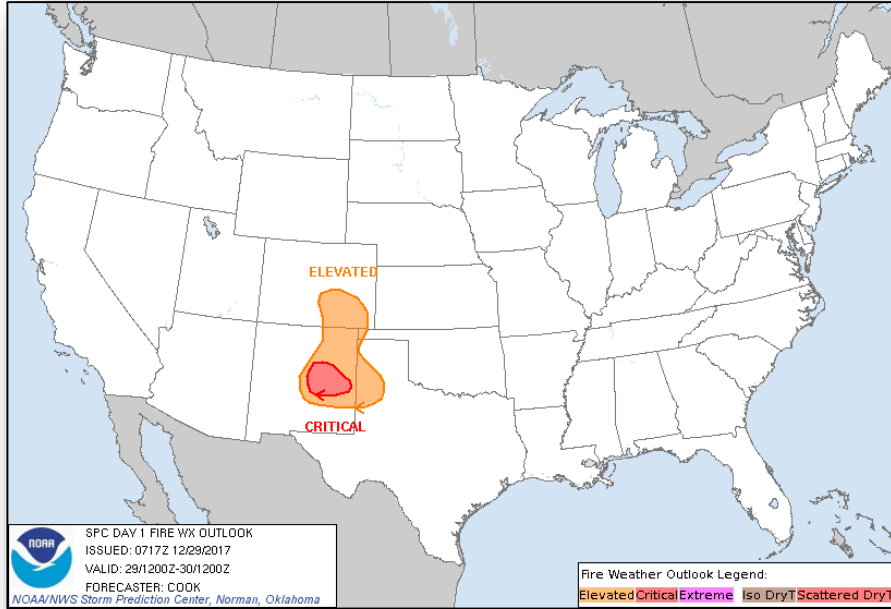
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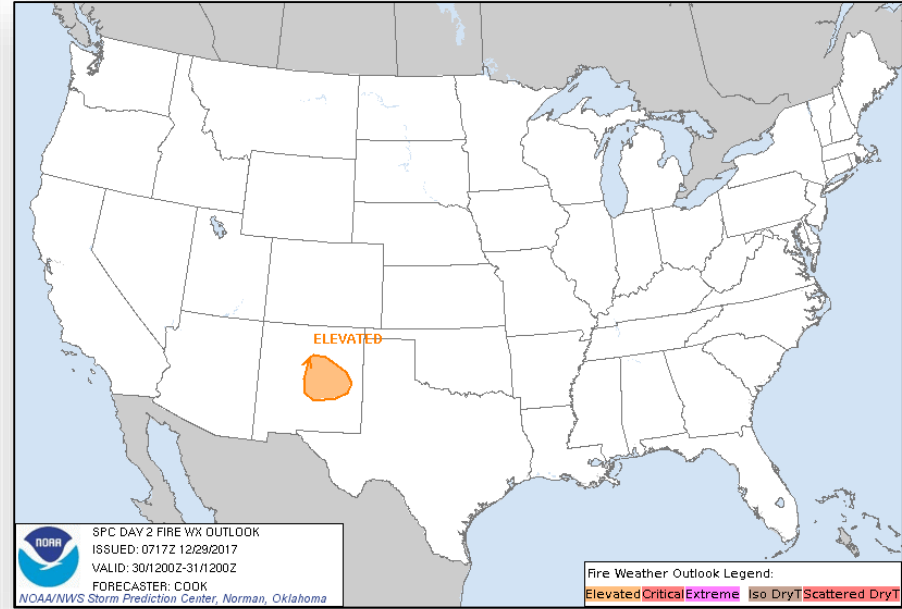
Fire Weather Outlook



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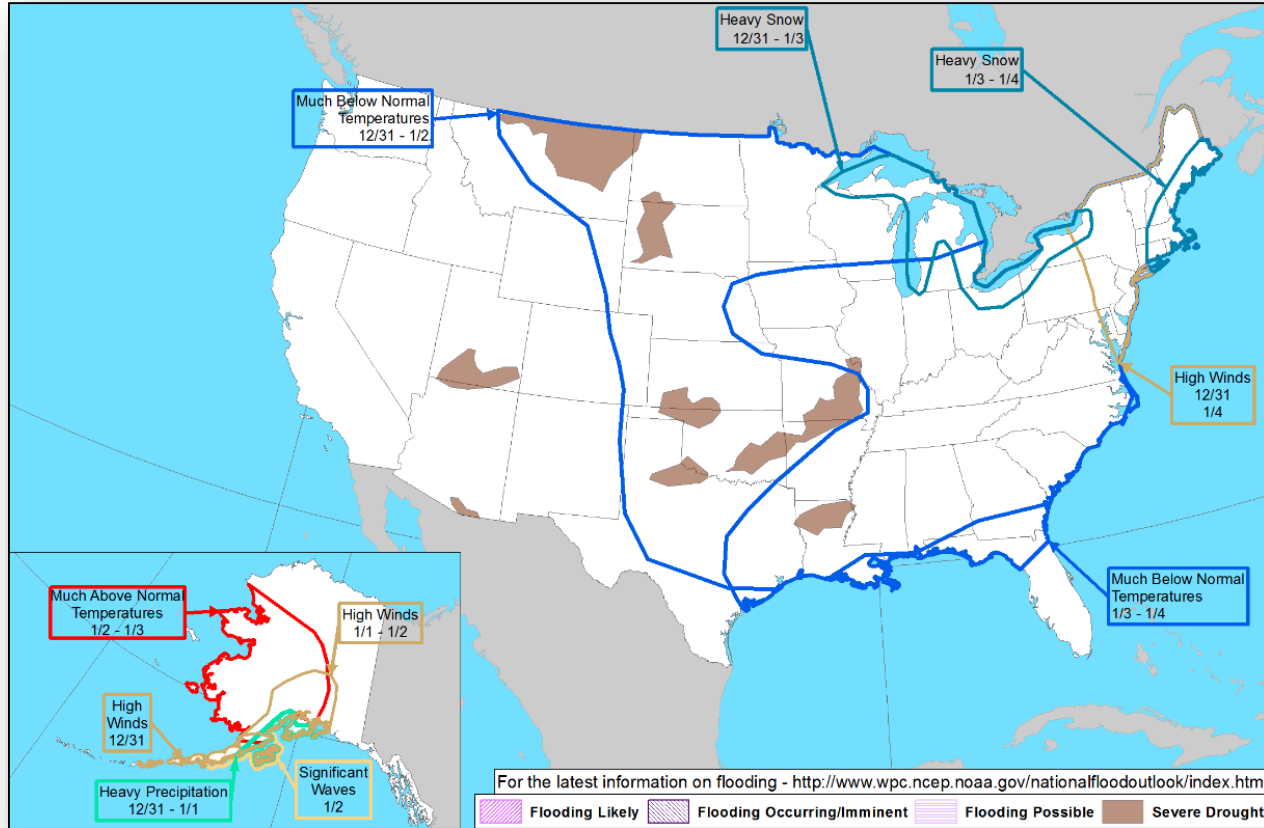


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Hazards Outlook – Dec 31 – Jan 4



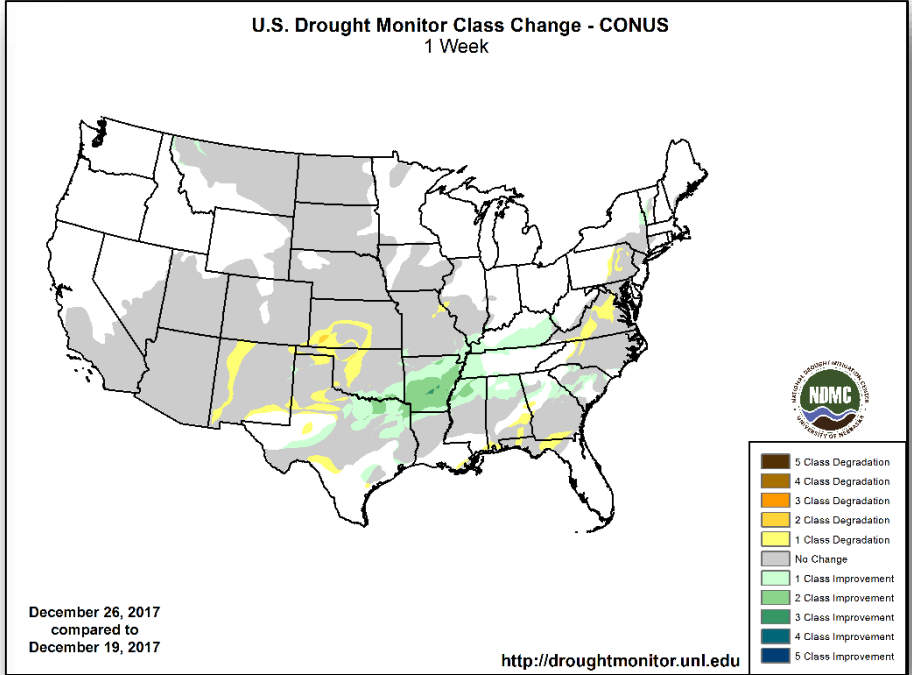
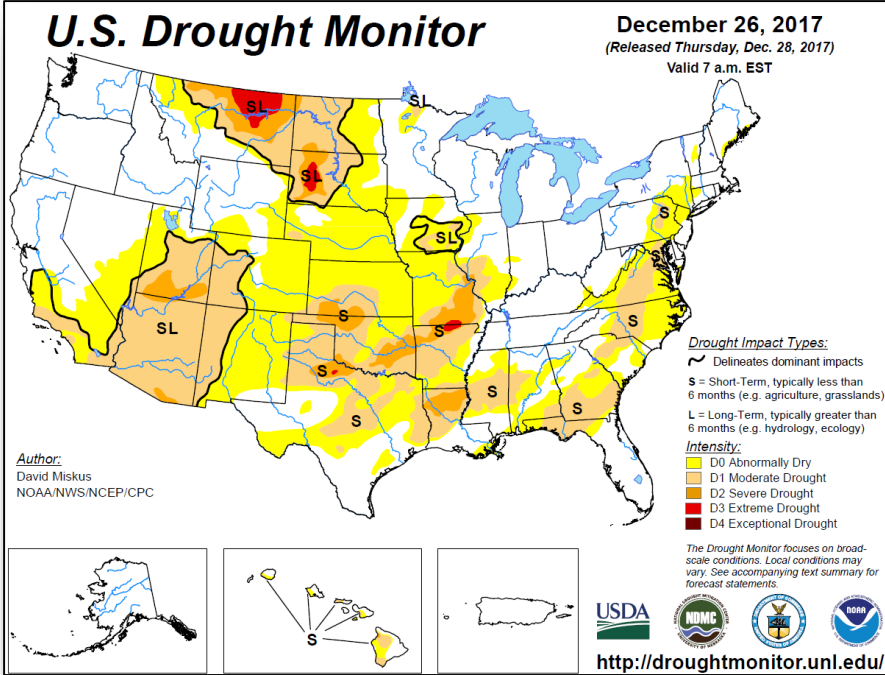
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U.S. Drought Monitor



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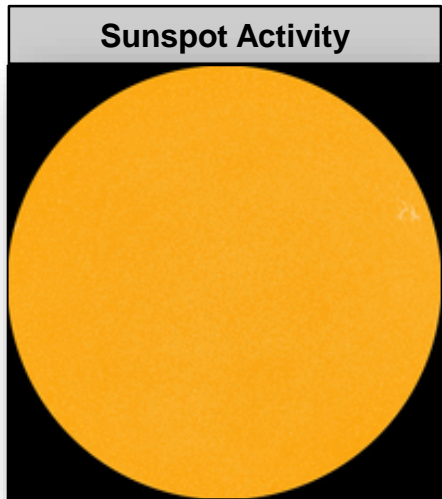
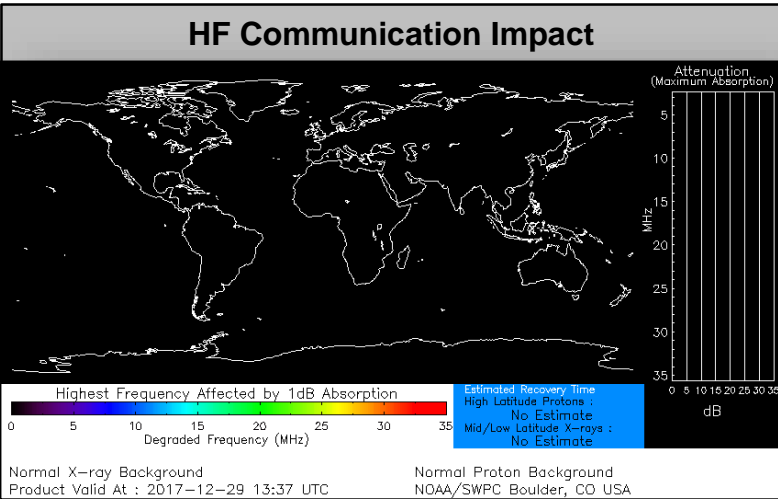
Space Weather



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	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	State / Location	Event	IA / PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
IX	CA	Wildfires December 4, 2017 and continuing	IA	4	4	12/15 – 12/19
			PA	4	4	12/21 – 12/28

Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
5	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	0	0
MT – DR Wildfires		X	X	November 15, 2017		
NH – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	November 27, 2017		
VT – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	November 28, 2017		
ME – DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	November 29, 2017		
CA – DR Wildfires	X	X	X	December 20, 2017		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability		
Total Workforce	11,498 ▼	4,212 ▲ 36%	5,196 ▼	2,090	DI 13% (10/80); EHP 14% (48/339); IT 18% (111/629); LOG 25% (297/1208); SEC 6% (6/99)		
National IMATs* (1-2 Teams)	East 1:	Reconstituting Charlie					<p>4342-DR-ID 4351-DR-AK VJFO: Bothell, WA FCO: Thomas J. Dargan</p> <p>4327-DR-WY VJFO: Denver, CO FCO: Jon Huss</p> <p>4321-DR-NE 4325-DR-NE* FCO: DuWayne W. Tewes</p> <p>4334-DR-IA FCO: Keith D. DuPont VJFO: Kansas City, MO *R-VII IMAT (R-VII HQ)</p> <p>4317-DR-MO VJFO: Jefferson City, MO</p> <p>4319-DR-KS 4347-DR-KS VJFO: Kansas City, MO FCO: C. Johnson-Cage</p> <p>4343-DR-WI VJFO: Chicago, IL FCO: Janet M. Odeshoo</p> <p>4348-DR-NY VJFO: Albany, NY FCO: Seamus K. Leary</p>
	East 2:						
Regional IMATs (0-3 Teams)	West:	B-2					
	Assigned:	13					
	Available:	3					
	PMC / NMC:	2					
US&R (>66%)	Deployed:	8	<p>4344-DR-CA VJFO: Sacramento, CA FCO: William Roche</p> <p>R-IX IMAT-1 (JFO)</p> <p>2018 NYE Celebration San Francisco, CA MERS: Bothell</p> <p>Rose Parade/Bowl Support Pasadena, CA MERS: Bothell</p> <p>3396-EM-CA JFO: TBD FCO: Mark Armstrong R-IX IMAT-2 (R-IX HQ)</p> <p>2018 NYE Celebration Las Vegas, NV MERS: Bothell</p> <p>4352-DR-Pueblo of Acoma Tribe JFO: TBD FCO: Gerard M. Stolar</p>				
	Assigned:	28					
	Available:	28					
	PMC / NMC:	0					
MERS (>66%)	Deployed:	0	<p>4332-DR-TX JFO: Austin, TX FCO: Kevin L. Hannes</p> <p>R-VI IMAT-2 MERS: Denton</p> <p>4345-DR-LA 4277-DR-LA 3392-EM-LA JFO: Baton Rouge, LA FCO: William J. Doran III</p> <p>LA Recovery Office Baton Rouge, LA Manager: M. Womack</p> <p>4336-DR-PR 4339-DR-PR JFO: Guaynabo, PR FCO: Michael F. Byrne</p> <p>R-III & V IMAT (JFO) MERS: Bothell, Denton, Denver, Frederick, Maynard, Thomasville.</p>				
	Assigned:	36					
	Available:	25					
	NMC:	0					
FCO (≤1 Type I)	Deployed:	11	<p>4331-DR-VT 4316-DR-NH 4329-DR-NH VJFO: Maynard, MA FCO: James N. Russo</p> <p>4331-DR-WV JFO: Charleston, WV FCO: Steven S. Ward</p> <p>VJFO: Atlanta, GA</p> <p>4346-DR-SC 3389-EM-AL 4349-DR-AL FCO: Warren J. Riley 4350-DR-MS FCO: Manny J. Toro</p> <p>4338-DR-GA JFO: Warner Robins, GA FCO: Thomas J. McCool</p> <p>DR Support: 4339-PR Thomasville, GA MERS: Frederick, Maynard</p> <p>3395-EM-FL 4337-DR-FL* JFO: Orlando, FL</p> <p>4341-DR-STOPI JFO: Hollywood, FL FCO: Willie G. Nunn</p> <p>*R-IV IMAT-1 (JFO)</p>				
	Assigned:	37					
	Available:	5					
	PMC / NMC:	8					
FDRC (≥3)	Deployed:	24	<p>4335-DR-USVI 4340-DR-USVI JFO: St. Croix, USVI FCO: William L. Vogel</p> <p>R-II IMAT (St. Croix)</p>				
	Assigned:	14					
	Available:	4					
	PMC / NMC:	1					
Deployed:	9		<p>As of 3:00 a.m. EST December 29, 2017</p>				

*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



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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				

Backup Regions: VIII & X



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FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.