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## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Saturday, January 13, 2018**

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

# Significant Activity – Jan 12-13



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**Significant Events:** Mudslides – CA

**Tropical Activity:** None

**Significant Weather:**

- Freezing Rain and Heavy Snow for portions of the Northeast
- Space Weather
  - Past 24 hours: None
  - Next 24 hours: None

**Earthquake Activity:** No significant activity

**Declaration Activity:** None

# Southern California – Mudslides



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## Situation

Rescue and cleanup efforts continue in Southern California. No rain forecast for the next several days, risk of additional damage from mudslides in burn scar areas continue.

## Impacts

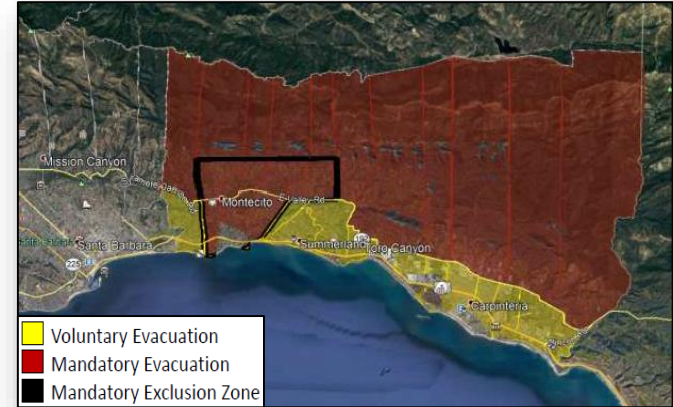
- 17 confirmed fatalities / 28 injuries
- Evacuations lifted for Ventura and Los Angeles counties
- Mandatory evacuations for 29k, voluntary for 3-5k remain in effect for Santa Barbara County; may take 1-2 weeks before evacuations are lifted
- 2 shelters open (NC) with 37 occupants (NC) *(ARC Midnight Shelter Count as of 5:26 am EST)*
- Portions of US 101 remain closed between Santa Barbara and Ventura due to rock and mudslides
- Natural gas and water shut off to Montecito (Santa Barbara County) affecting 13.5k; 75% of these customers have limited water service due to low pressure
- 2.5K customers without power\* *(As of 5:30 am EST)*

## State and Local Response

- CA EOC at Full Activation (24/7), Southern Region EOC at Partial Activation
- Santa Barbara County EOC at Full Activation; county declared a local emergency
- US&R elements of CA-TF2, CA-TF5, and CA-TF8 deployed as state assets

## FEMA Response

- Amendment No. 1 to FEMA-4353-DR-CA expands the incident to include flooding, mudflows and debris flows caused by the recent wildfires
- FEMA Region IX RWC at Steady State and continues to monitor; LNOs deployed to Santa Barbara and Ventura county EOCs



Source: FEMA Region IX



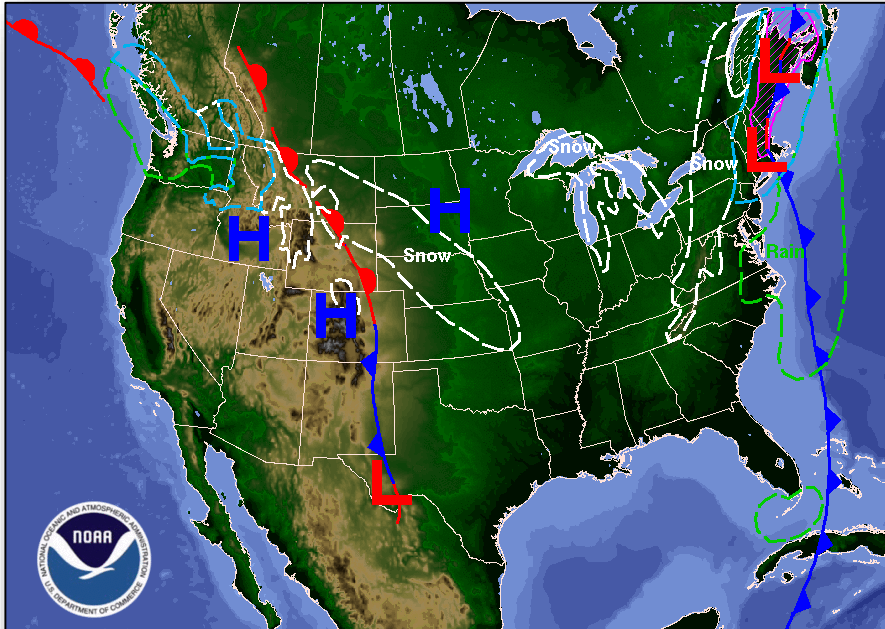
Source: Santa Barbara County Fire (U.S. Highway 101)

\* Customer outage data is provided by the Department of Energy's EAGLE-I system. Comprehensive National coverage of all electrical service providers is not available

# National Weather Forecast



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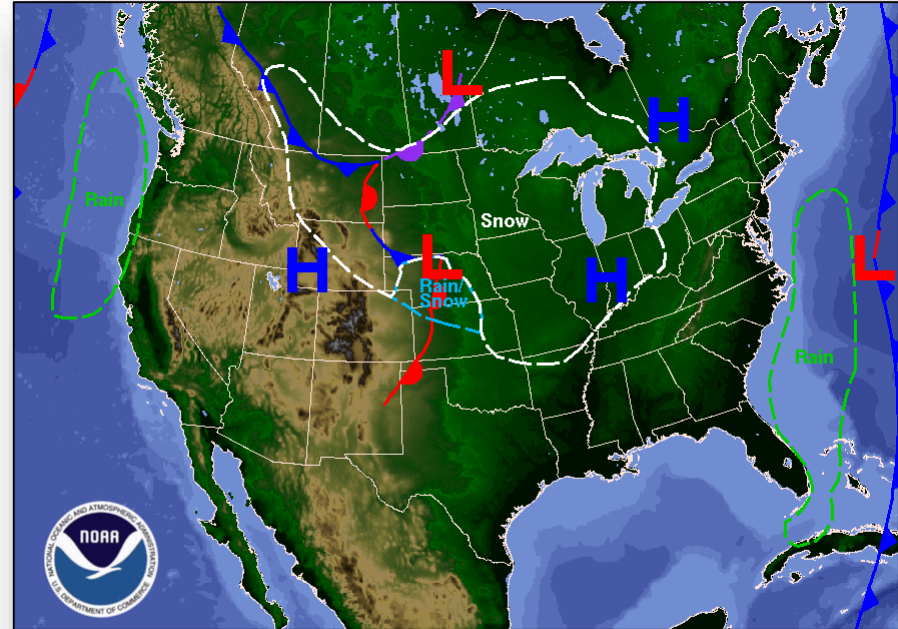


## Day 1 National Forecast Chart

Valid Sat, Jan 13, 2018, issued 3:47 AM EST  
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center  
Prepared by Hurlley with WPC/SPC/NHC forecasts

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

*Today*



## Day 2 National Forecast Chart

Valid Sun, Jan 14, 2018, issued 4:10 AM EST Sat, Jan 13, 2018  
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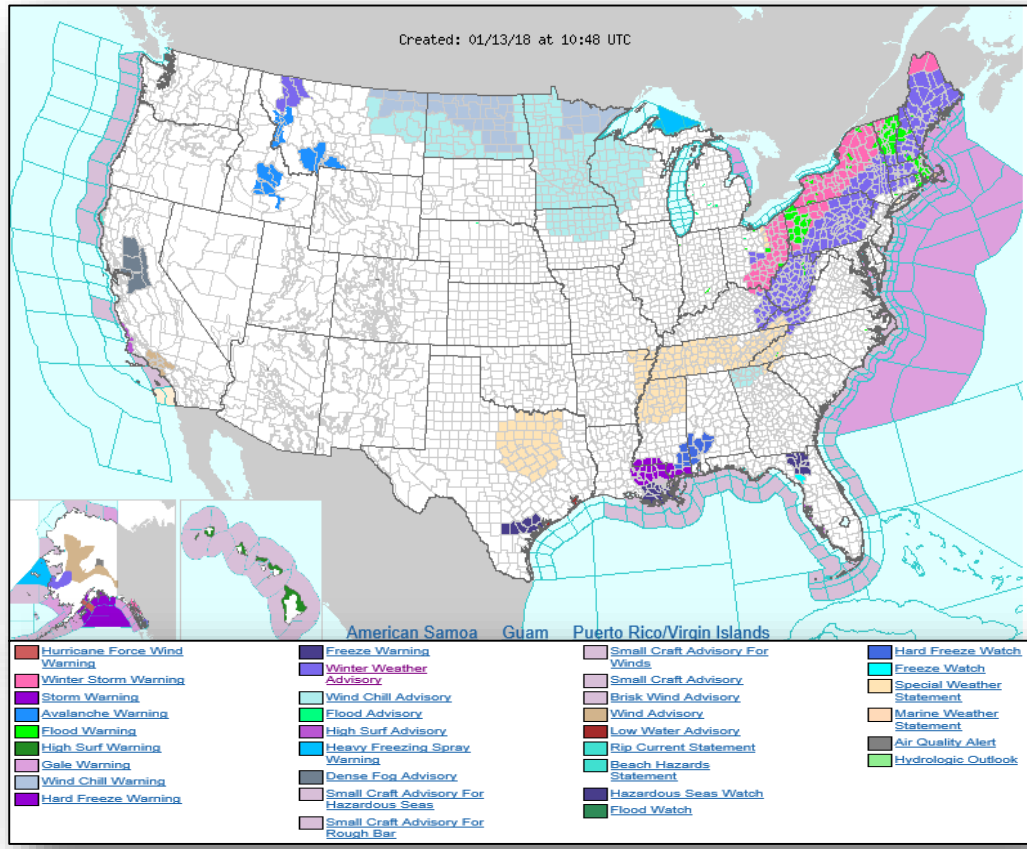
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- Heavy Snow Possible (hatched)

*Tomorrow*

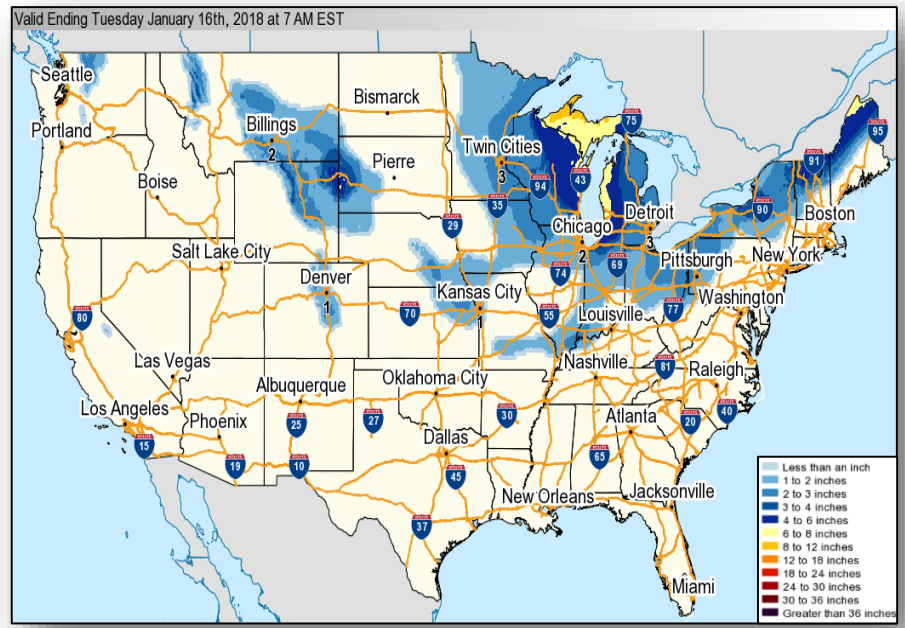
# Active Watches and Warnings



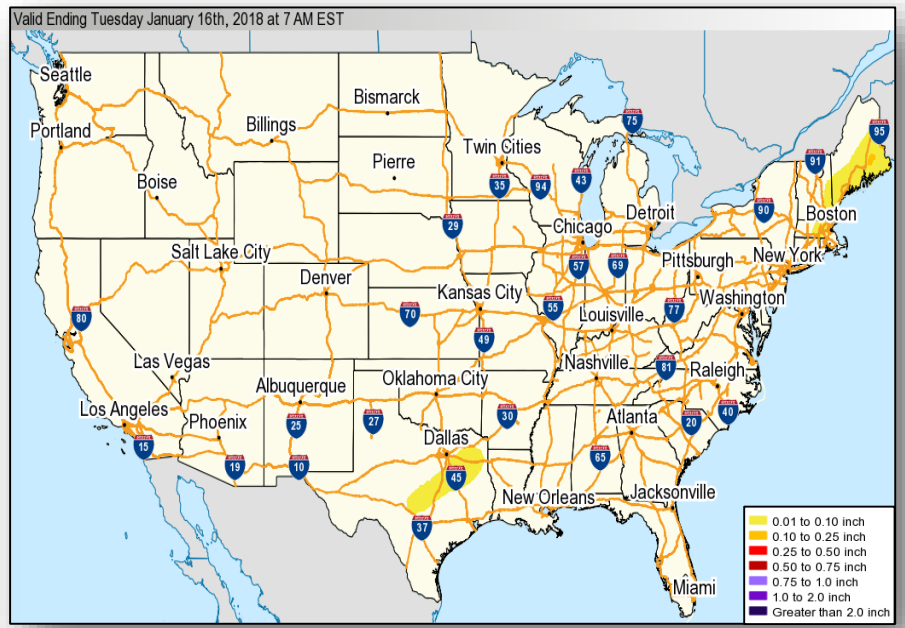
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# Winter Precipitation Outlook



**Forecast Snowfall**

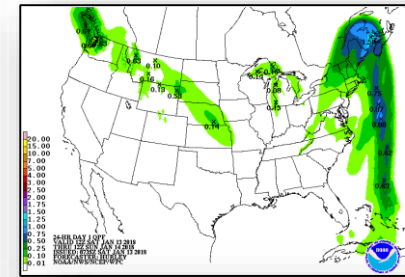
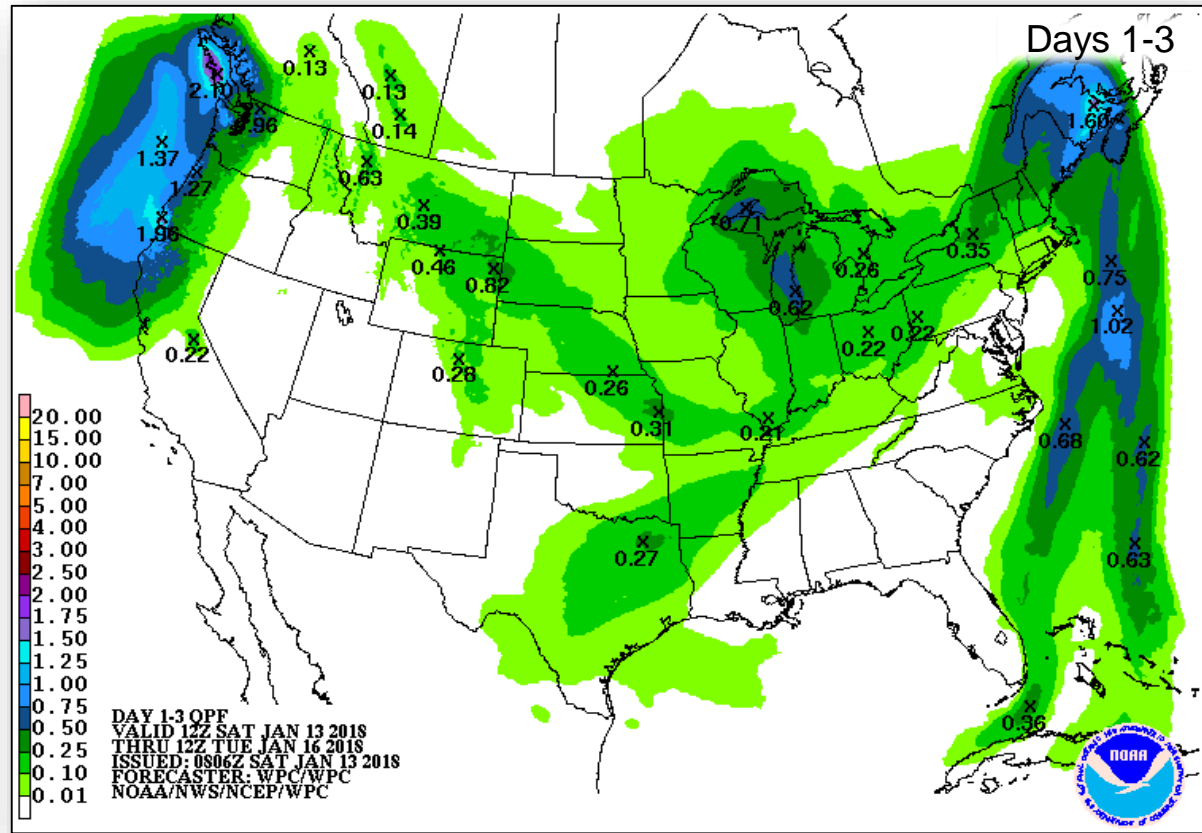


**Forecast Ice Accumulation**

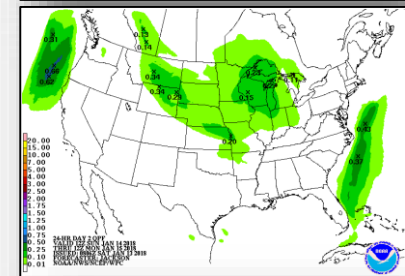
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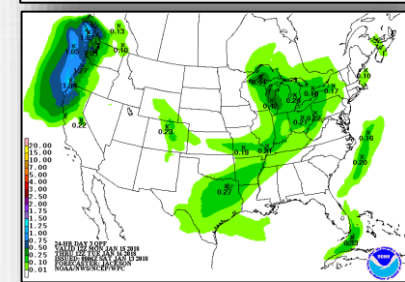
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Day 2

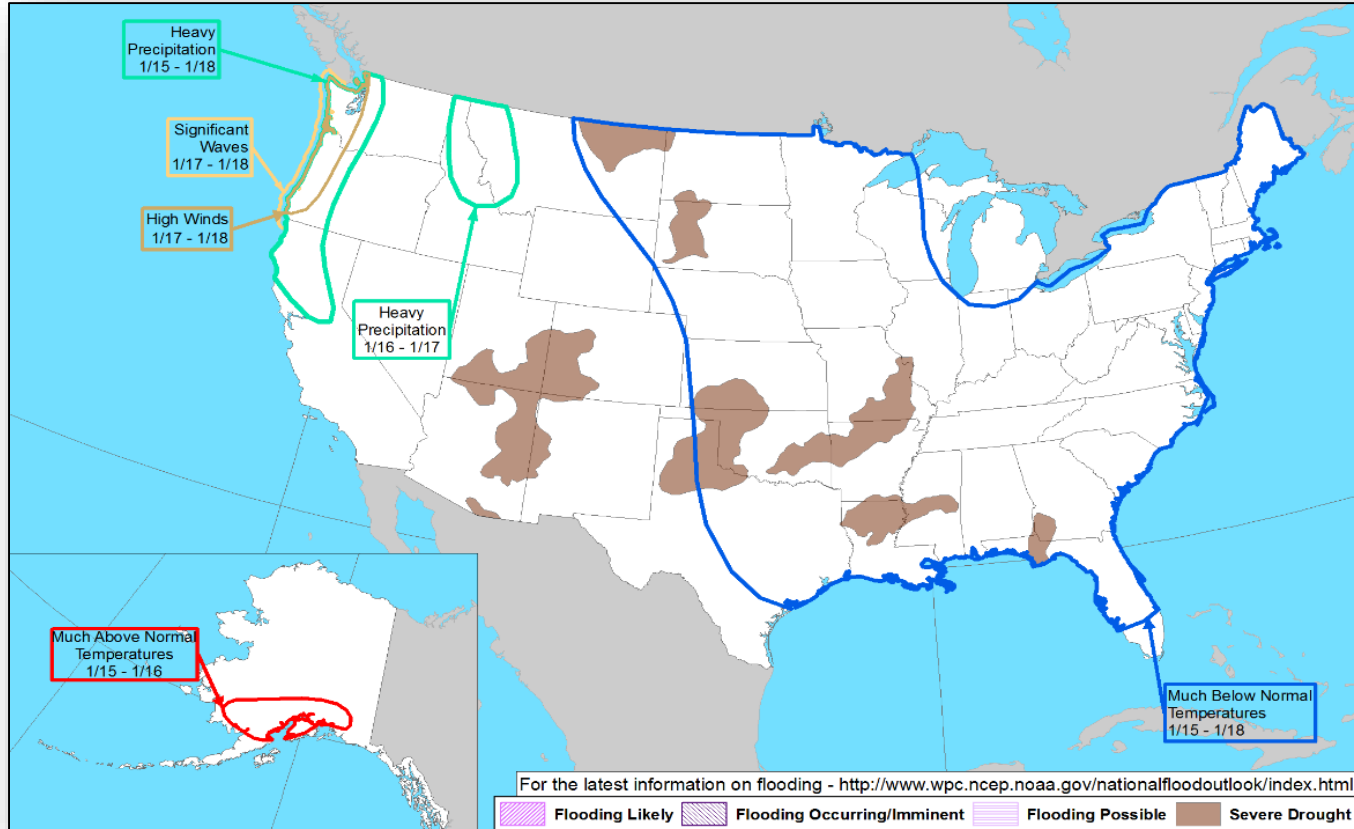


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# Hazards Outlook – Jan 15-19



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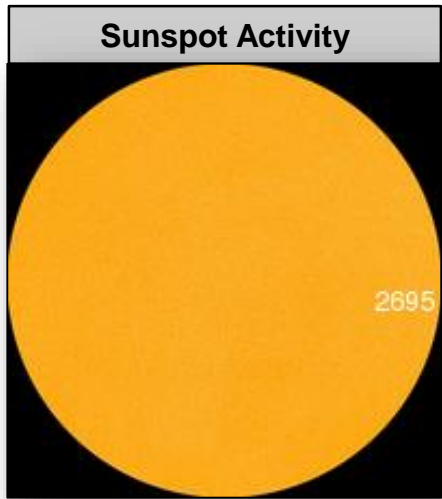
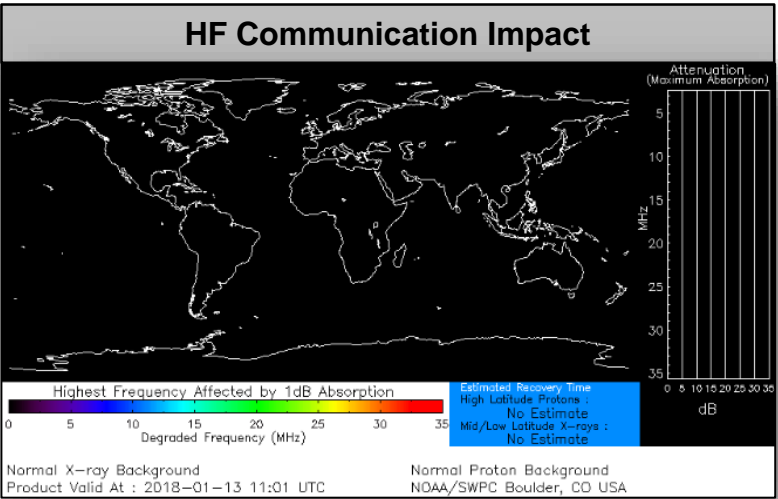
# Space Weather



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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>



# Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
1	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	0	0
NY – DR (Appeal) Severe Storms and Flooding	X	X	X	January 2, 2018		

# Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force Strength	Available	Deployed	Other	Cadres with 25% or Less Availability
<b>Total Workforce</b>	11,509 <span>HC</span>	4,930 <span>HC</span> 42%	5,188 <span>HC</span>	1,391	DI 23% (18/79) EHP 15% (52/351), PA 25% (375/1496), SEC 23% (23/100)
<b>National IMATs*</b> (3 Teams)	East 1: East 2: West:	<b>B-2</b> <b>B-48</b> <b>Charlie</b>			
<b>Regional IMATs</b> (0-3 Teams)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	<b>13</b> <b>2 (-1)</b> <b>2 (+1)</b> <b>9</b>			
<b>US&amp;R</b> (>66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	<b>28</b> <b>25 (+1)</b> <b>3 (-1)</b> <b>0</b>			
<b>MERS</b> (>66%)	Assigned: Available: NMC: Deployed:	<b>36</b> <b>33</b> <b>0</b> <b>3</b>			
<b>FCO</b> (≤1 Type I)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	<b>37</b> <b>4</b> <b>7</b> <b>26</b>			
<b>FDRC</b> (=2)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	<b>14</b> <b>2</b> <b>1</b> <b>11</b>			

\*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	Available				
HLT		1	Available				
RWCs/MOCs		10	Steady State				
RRCCs		10	Available				

Backup Regions: VIII, X, & III



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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.**