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Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, January 19, 2018

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Jan 18-19



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Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity:

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

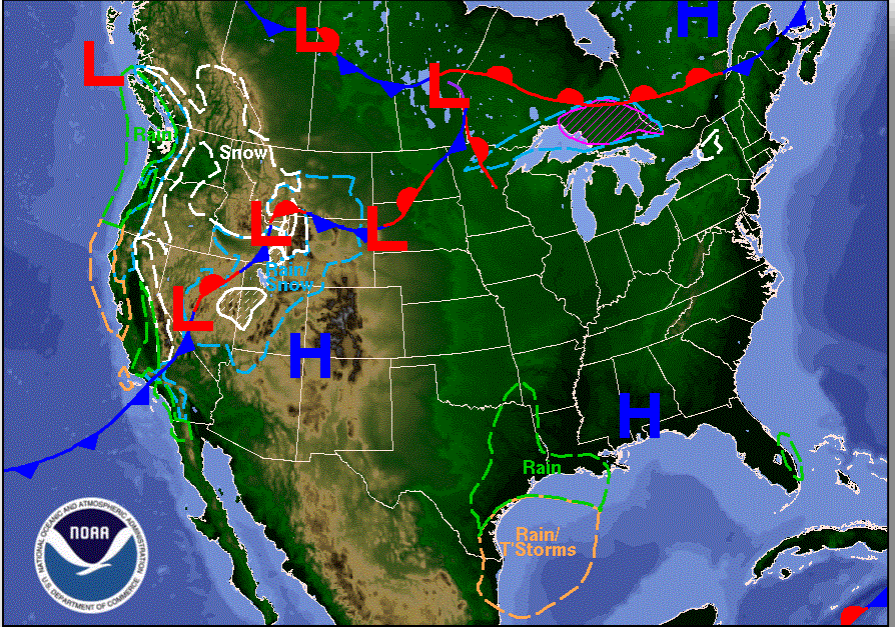
Significant Weather:

- Heavy snow possible - Central Great Basin
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather – Southern Plains
- Space Weather – Past 24 hours: none observed; next 24 hours: none predicted

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity: None

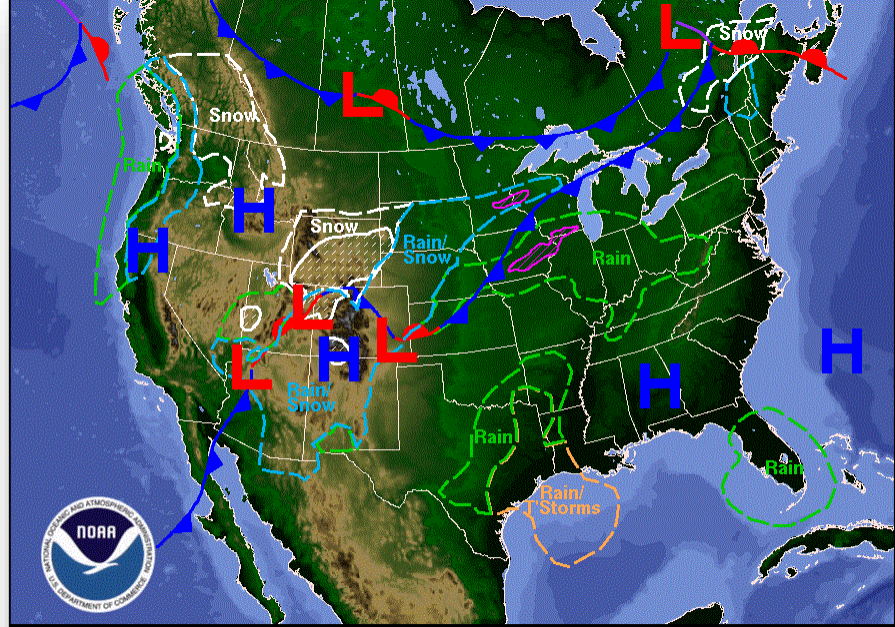
National Weather Forecast



Day 1 National Forecast Chart
 Valid Fri, Jan 19, 2018, issued 3:25 AM EST
 DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
 Prepared by Kong 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 2 National Forecast Chart
 Valid Sat, Jan 20, 2018, issued 3:59 AM EST Fri, Jan 19, 2018
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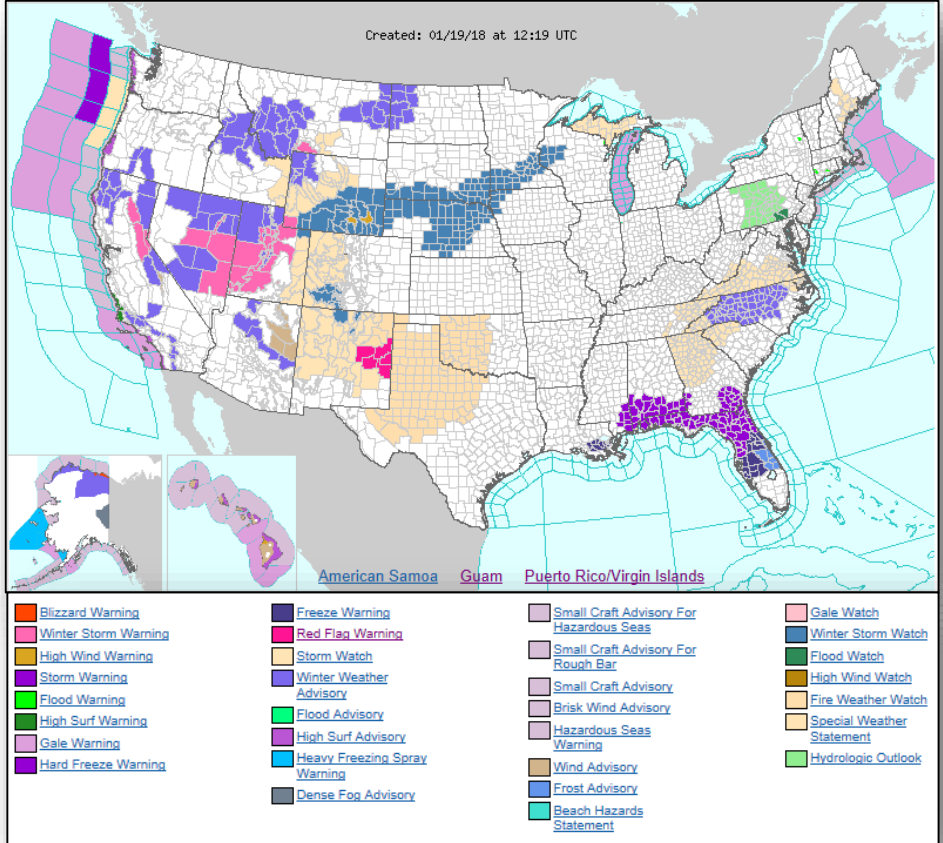
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Active Watches and Warnings



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Eastern Region

- OWP, RFCs, and WFOs collaborated this week to identify areas affected by ice jams across the Northeast for targeted Airborne Snow Survey imagery collection.
- Eastern Region offices are providing IDSS to partners and Emergency Managers. This will continue through the upcoming weekend into next week.



Near Kent, CT

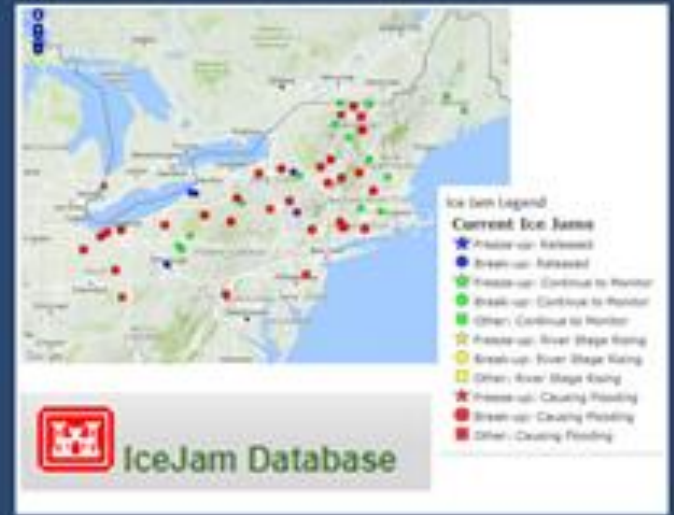


Near Orange, MA



Near Augusta, ME

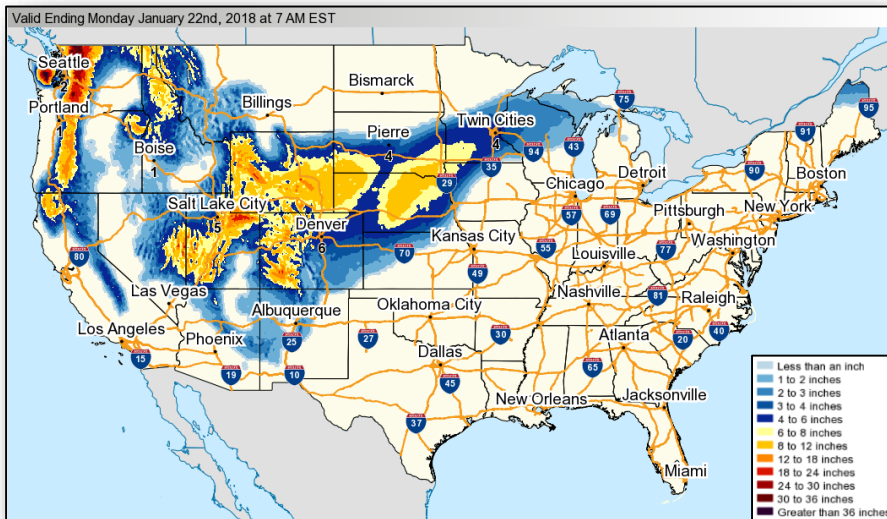
Imagery from Airborne
Snow Survey Program:
January 18, 2018



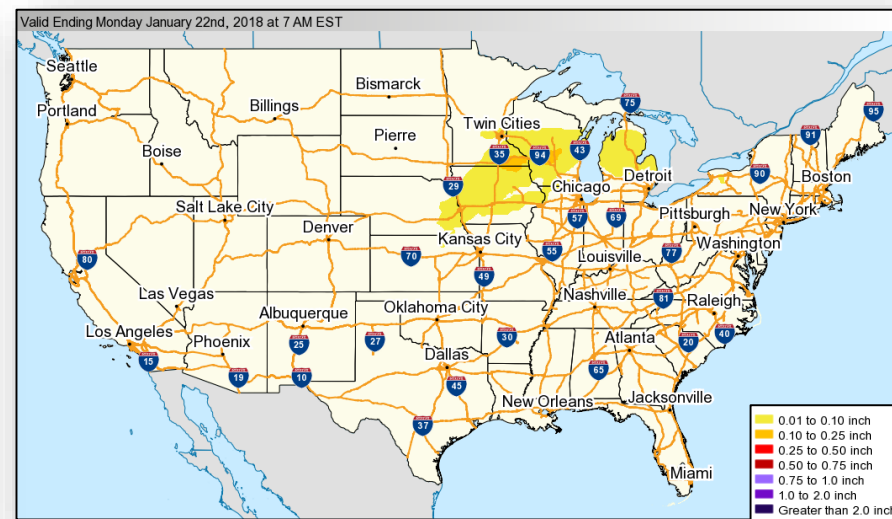
Winter Precipitation Outlook



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Forecast Snowfall

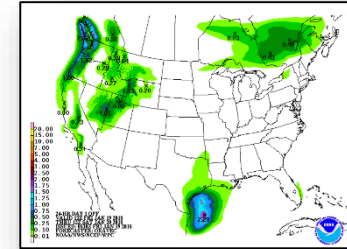
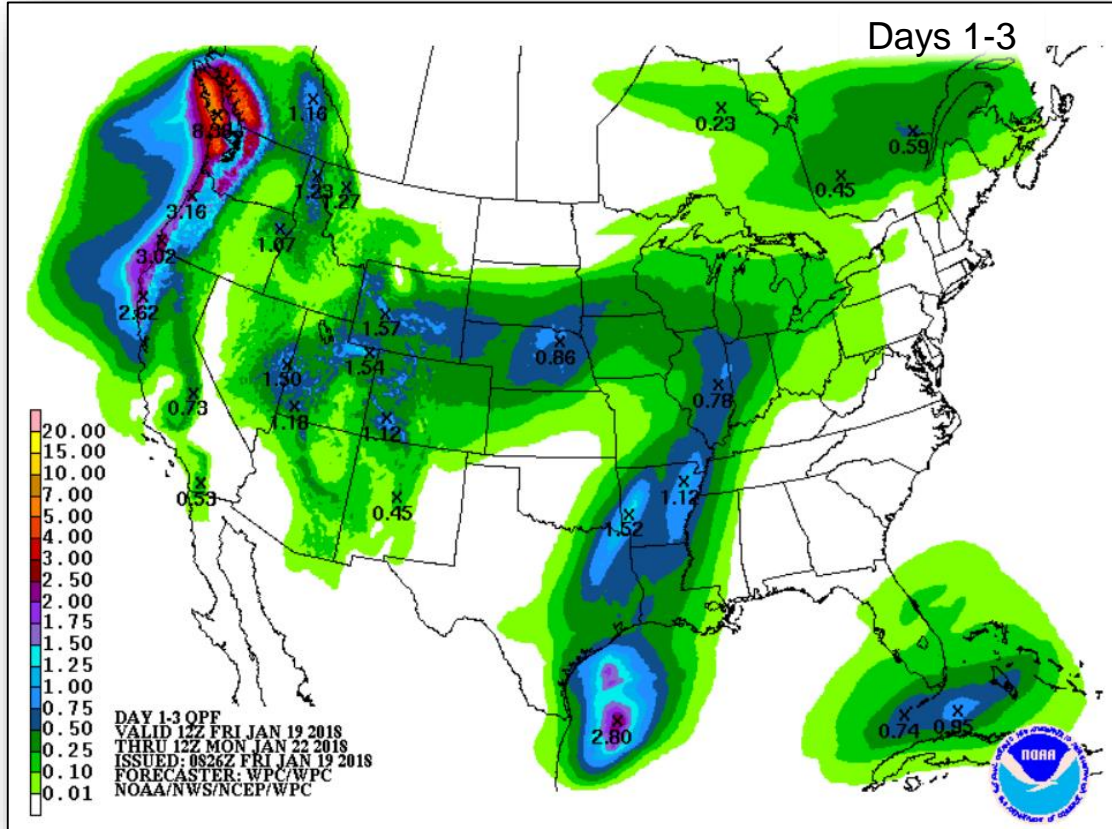


Forecast Ice Accumulation

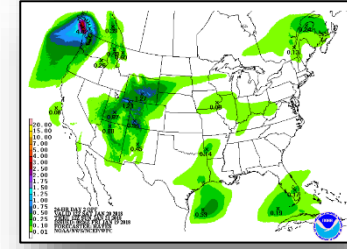
Precipitation Forecast



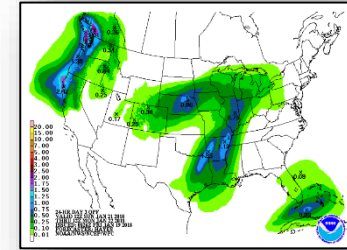
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Day 1



Day 2

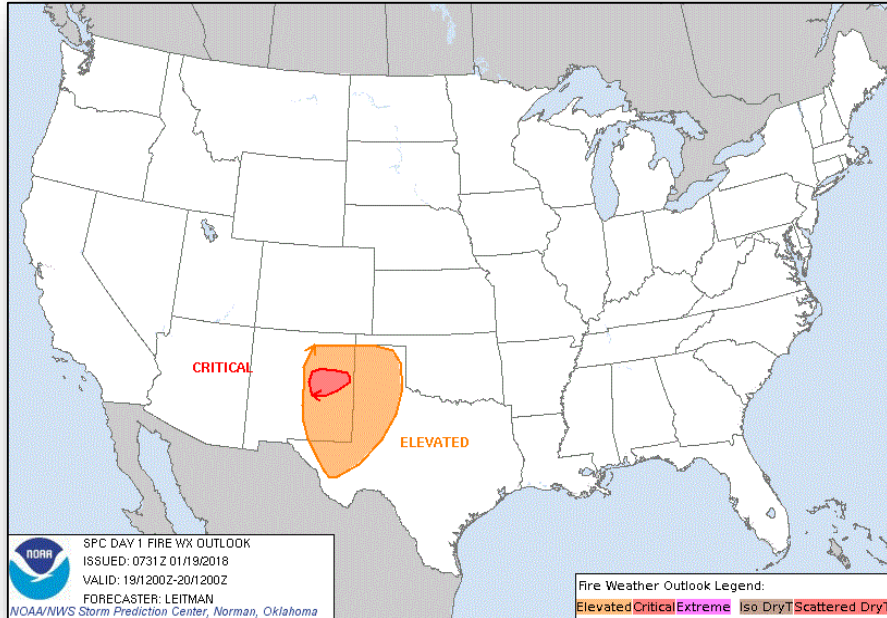


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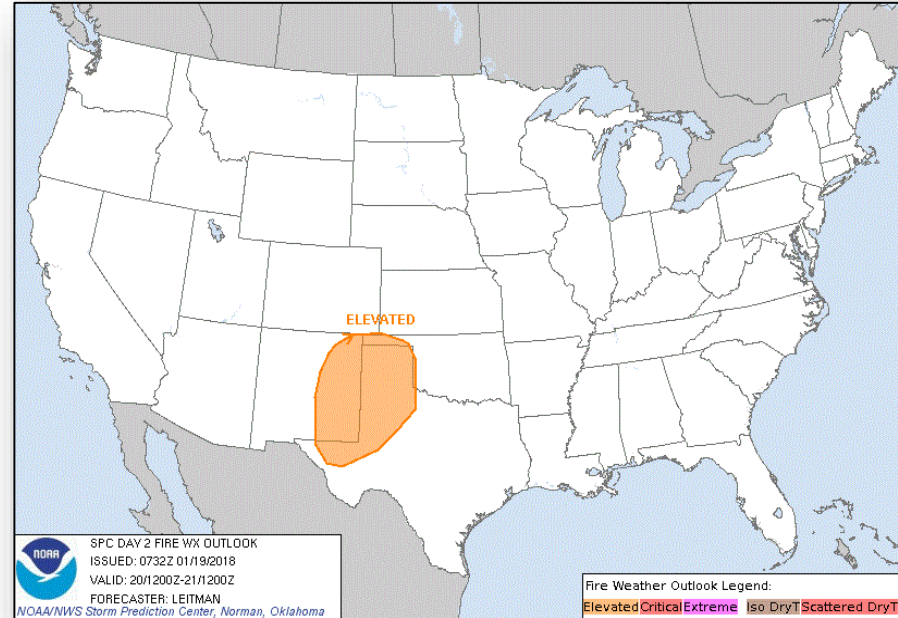
Fire Weather Outlook



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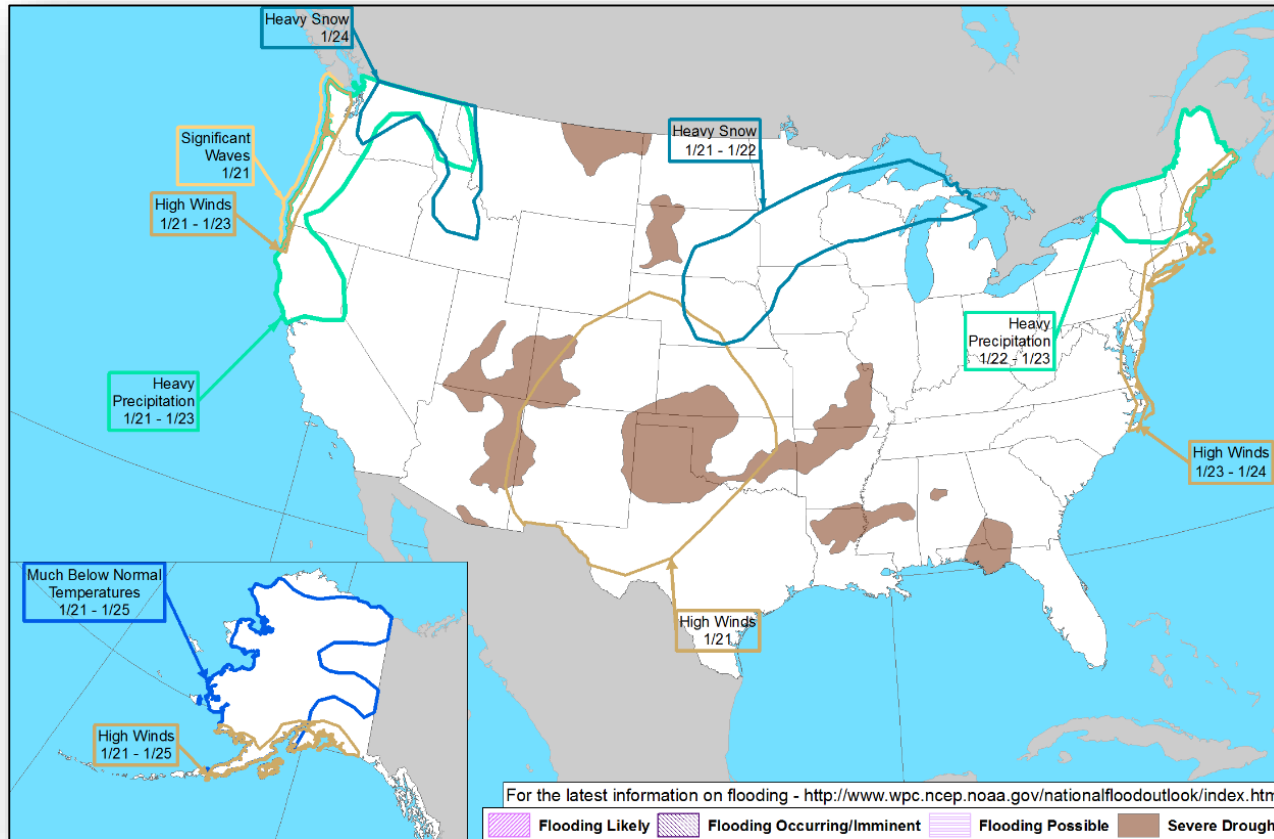


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Hazards Outlook – Jan 21-25



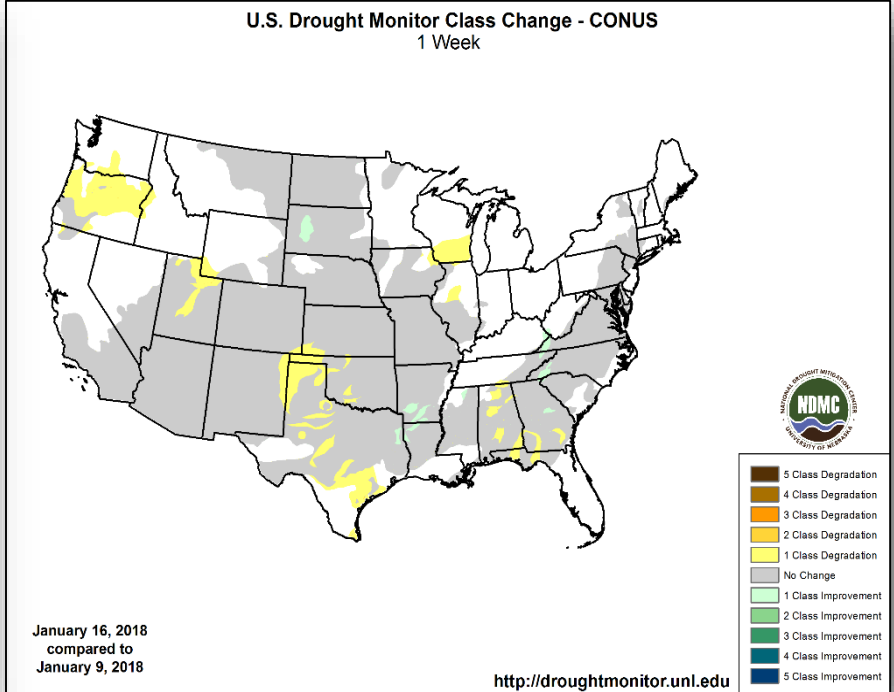
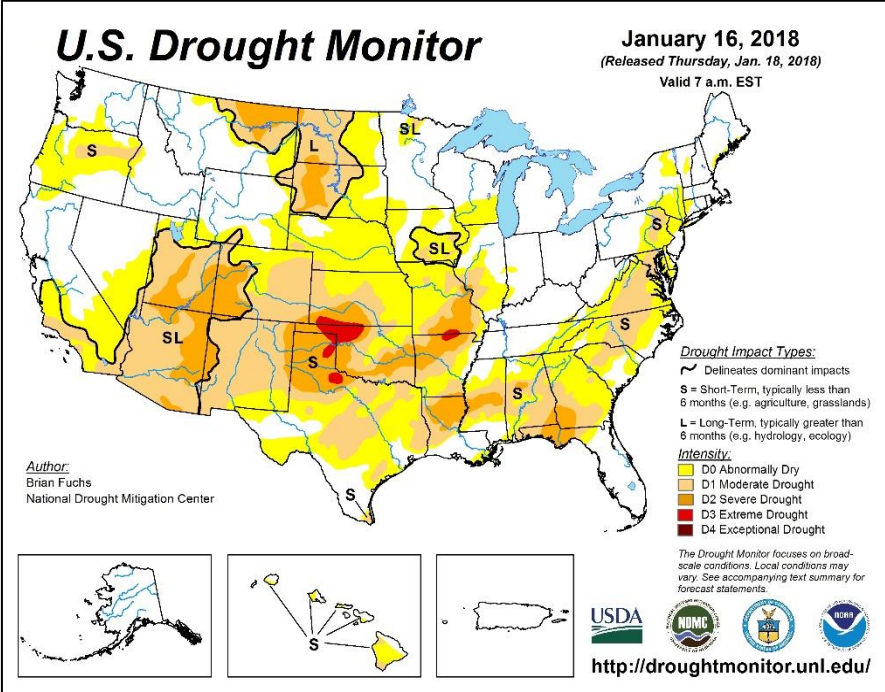
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U.S. Drought Monitor



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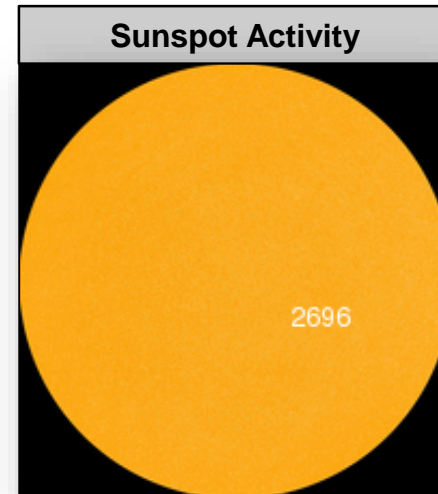
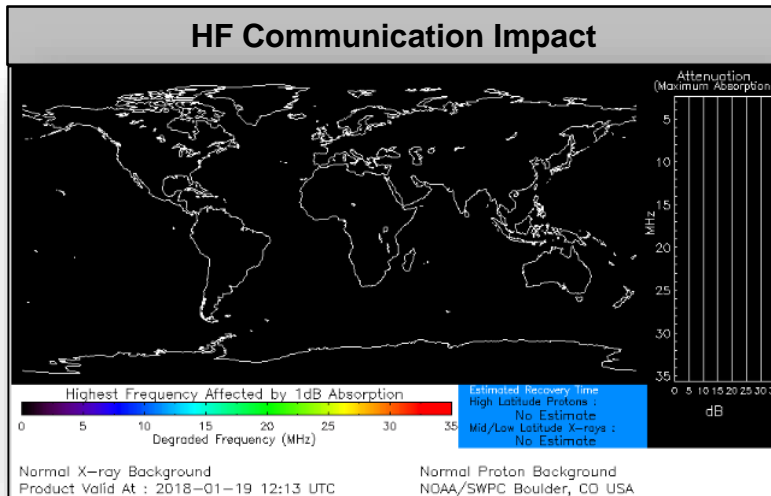
Space Weather



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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 Boroughs		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
X	AK	Coastal Storm Dec 4, 2017	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	1	0	1/18 – TBD

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	
Total Workforce	11,504 ▼	4,974 ▼ 43%	5,087 ▼	1,443	DI 20% (16/79), EHP 17% (59/351), SEC 15% (15/100)	
National IMATs* (3 Teams)	East 1: East 2: West:	B-2 B-48 Charlie				Field Offices* JFOs: 17 DRs: 34 EMs: 4 Deployed Teams (Location)
Regional IMATs (0-3 Teams)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	13 2 2 9				
US&R (>66%)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	28 27 1 0				
MERS (>66%)	Assigned: Available: NMC: Deployed:	36 33 0 3				
FCO (≤1 Type I)	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	37 5 7 25				
FDRC	Assigned: Available: PMC / NMC: Deployed:	14 3 (+1) 1 10 (-1)				

*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, & V



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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.