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Daily Operations Briefing

Monday, December 23, 2013

8:30 a.m. EST

Severe/Winter Weather –Plains to New England



Situation:

- Over the weekend, severe thunderstorms and a winter storm moved across the eastern half of the United States; ice storms, heavy rain, strong winds and a few tornadoes were reported
- Regions I-VII were impacted

Impacts:

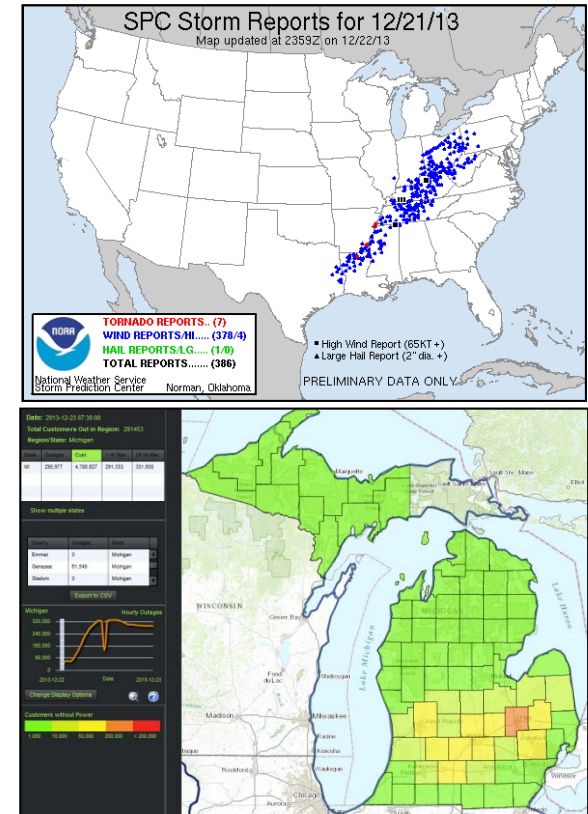
- No significant widespread damage was reported
- As of 7:30 a.m. EST, there were approximately 353,000 customers without power across FEMA Regions (I - VII)
 - Majority of the outages remain in MI (currently 290k, peak 328k); restoration efforts continue
 - Elsewhere, power numbers have decreased drastically; NY currently has 35k (peak of 101k)
- At least 9 fatalities are associated with this weather system; 7 unconfirmed and 2 confirmed
 - Mississippi: 2 confirmed fatalities and several injuries in 15 counties
 - Missouri: 1 unconfirmed fatality due to traffic accident
 - Kentucky: 5 unconfirmed fatalities associated with flooding
 - Arkansas: 1 unconfirmed fatality associated with possible tornado
- Arkansas: 2 tornados were reported; destroyed 5 homes in southeast and several homes damaged in northeast
- MS: High winds destroyed several homes in the northwest portion of the state
- Reports of scattered damage due to strong winds and heavy rain from east Texas to Indiana
- Shelters: MI – 9 open, 155 occupants; VT – 3 open, 39 occupants

State Response:

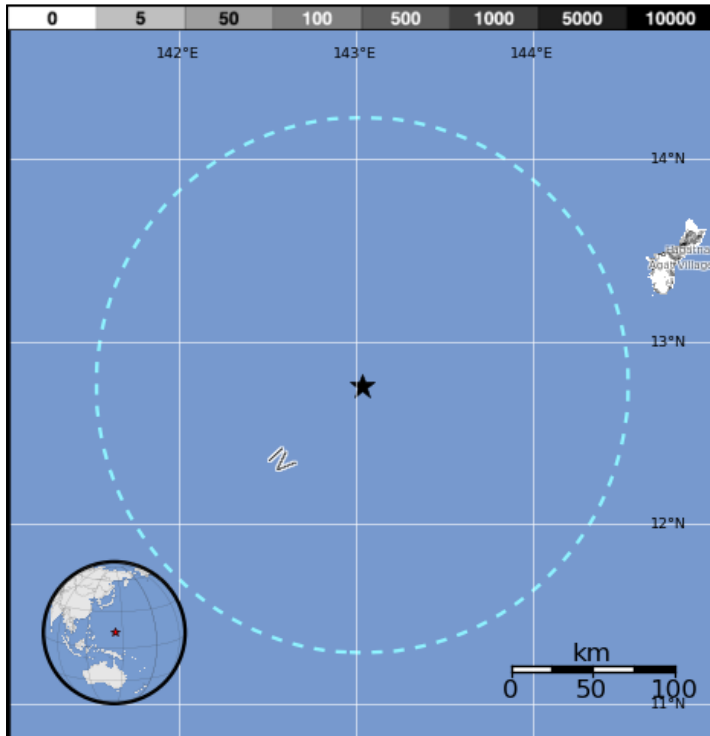
- Several State EOCs were partially activated through the weekend; all except NY have return to Normal Ops
- No requests for FEMA assistance

FEMA Response:

- NRCC is not activated; the NWC remains at Watch/Steady State
- Region I RRCC is at (Virtual) Enhanced Monitoring; All other RRCCs and RWCs are at Watch/Steady State
 - Region I LNO was deployed to VT EOC Dec 21-22 and has since demobilized



Earthquake Activity



M5.8 – Offshore, Guam

- Occurred at 4:12 a.m. EST on December 23, 2013
 - 126 miles WSW of Hagatna, Guam
 - Depth of 64 miles
- USGS issued a green PAGER alert indicating:
 - Low likelihood of casualties and damage
 - No population exposed to earthquake shaking
- No reports of injury or damage; no tsunami generated

Estimated Modified Mercalli Intensity	I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X
Est. Population Exposure	--*	152k*	36k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k	0k
Perceived Shaking	Not Felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
Potential Structure Damage	Resistant	none	none	none	V.Light	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy
	Vulnerable	none	none	none	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V.Heavy

Estimated exposure only includes population within calculated shake map area. (k = x1,000)

Disaster Requests & Declarations



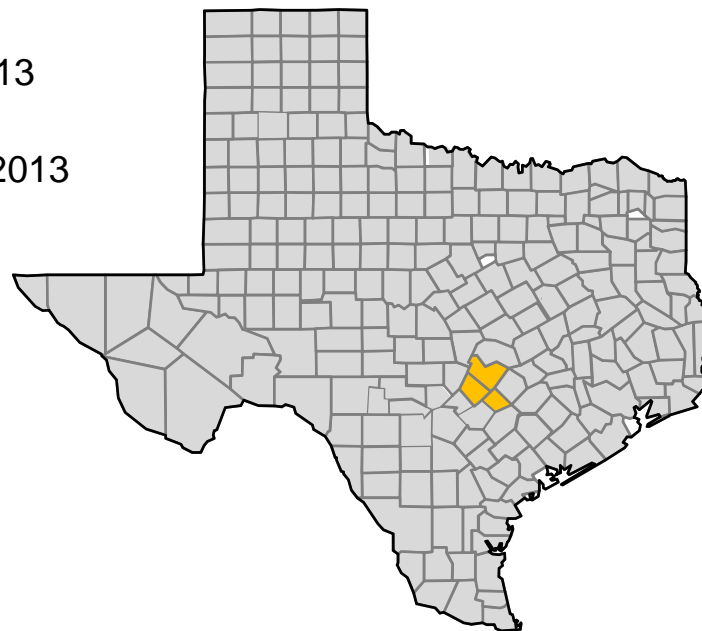
Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
0	Date Requested	1	0
TX – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	December 12, 2013	Declared December 20, 2013	

Major Disaster Declaration – TX



FEMA-4159-DR-TX

- Major Disaster Declaration was declared on December 20, 2013 for the State of Texas
- For severe storms and flooding that occurred October 30-31, 2013
- Providing:
 - Public Assistance for 3 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is William J. Doran III



■ = Declared counties

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

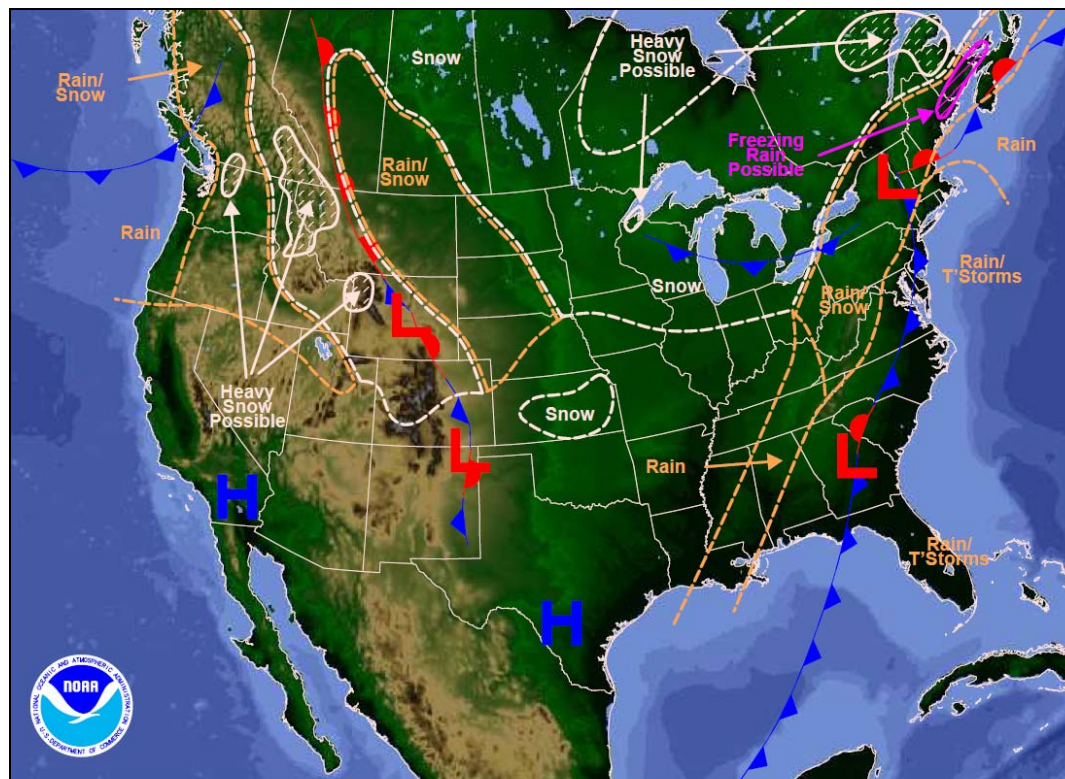


Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
VI	OK	Winter Weather Dec 5, 2013	PA	6 (+2)	6 (+6)	12/19-12/20

National Weather Forecast



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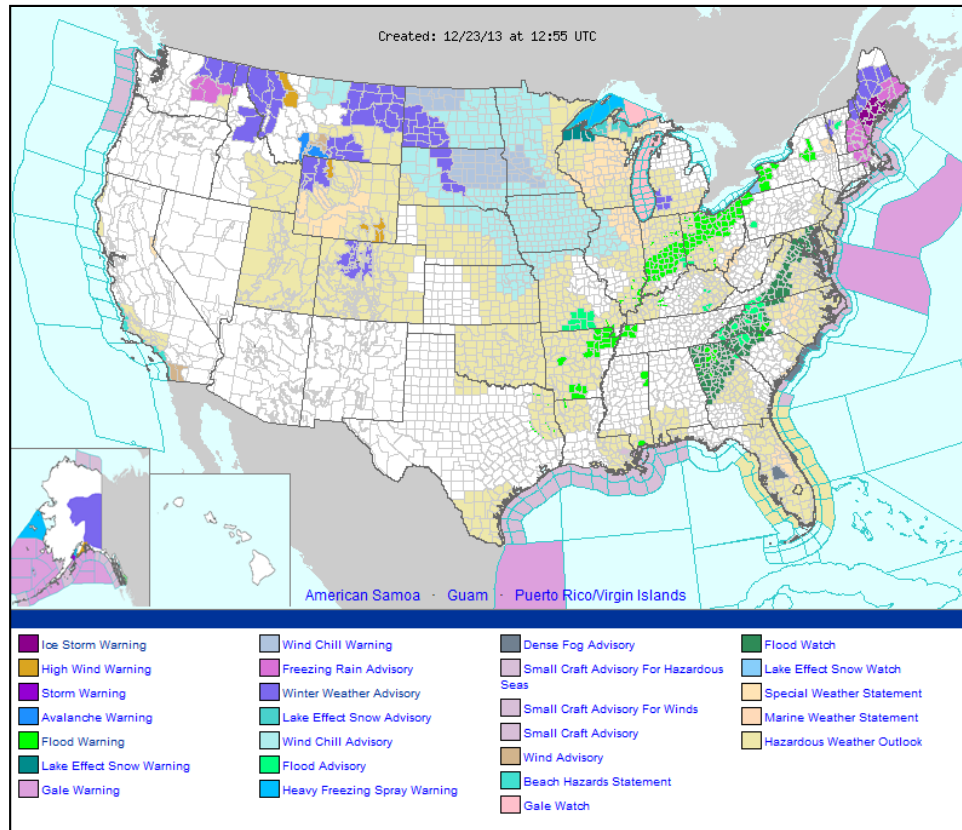
Weather Forecast for Mon, Dec 23, 2013, issued 2:53 AM EST
DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center
Prepared by McCreynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts



Active Watches/Warnings



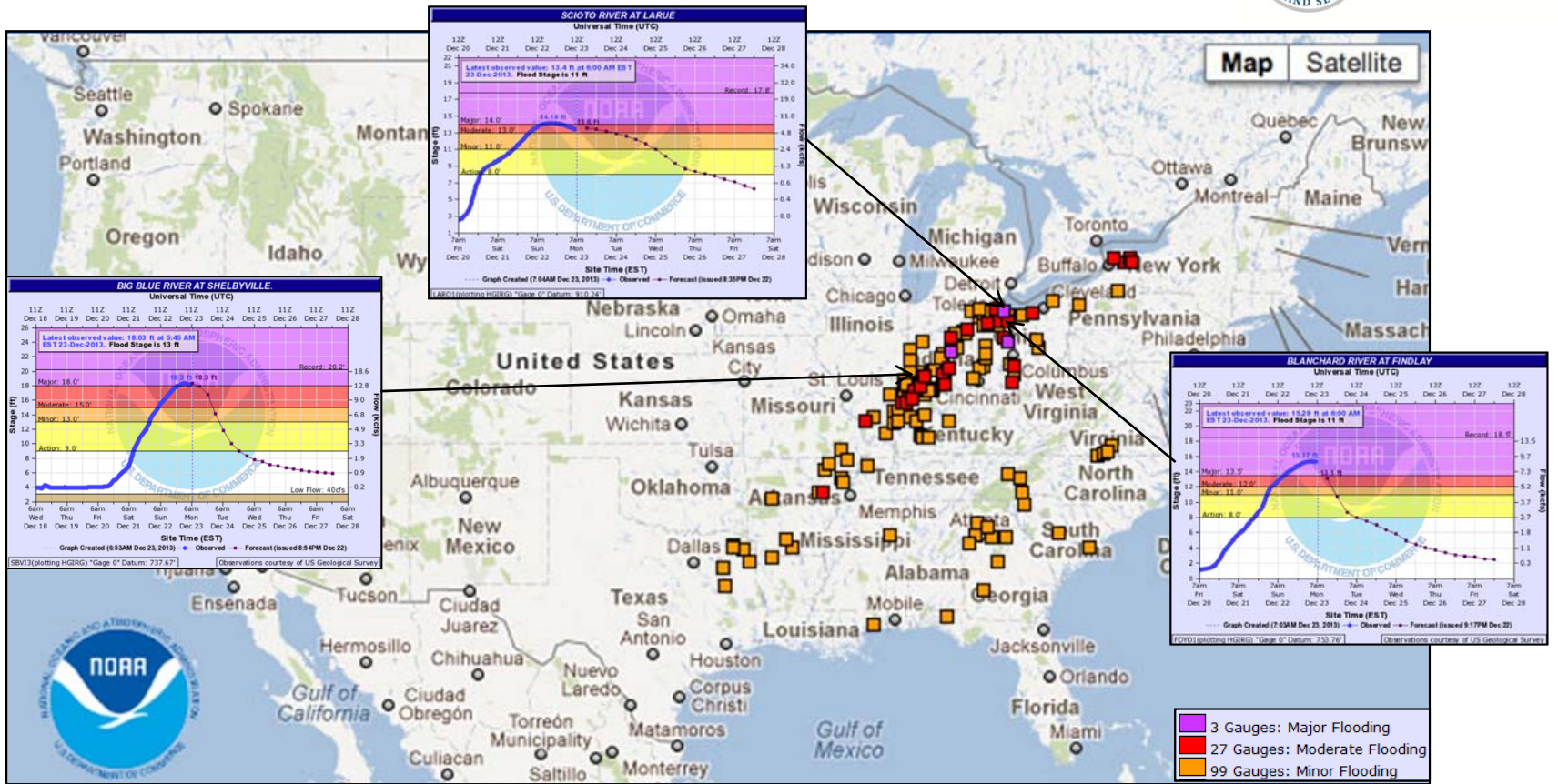
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River Forecast – 7 Day



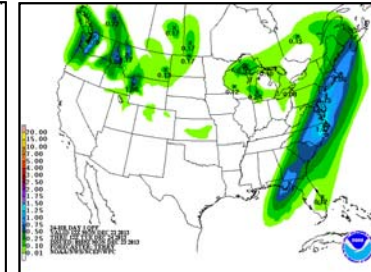
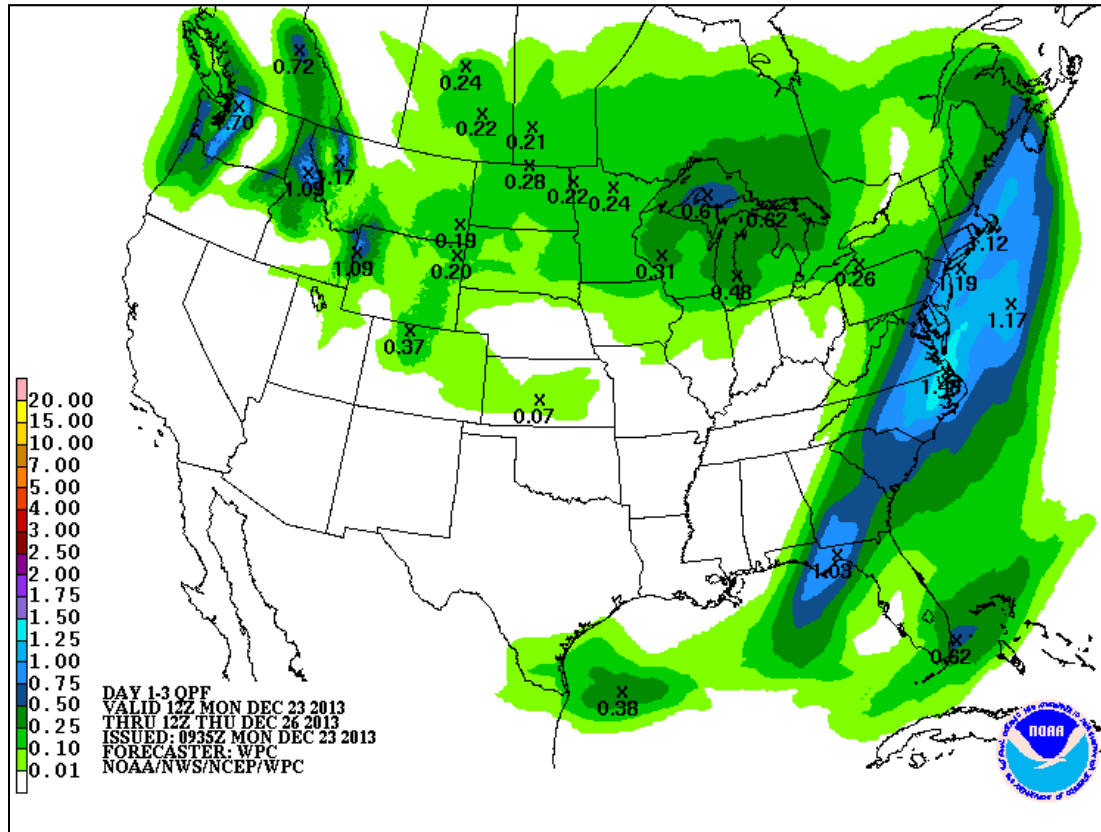
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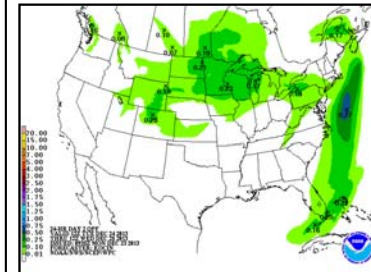
Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



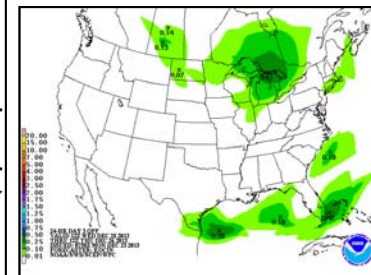
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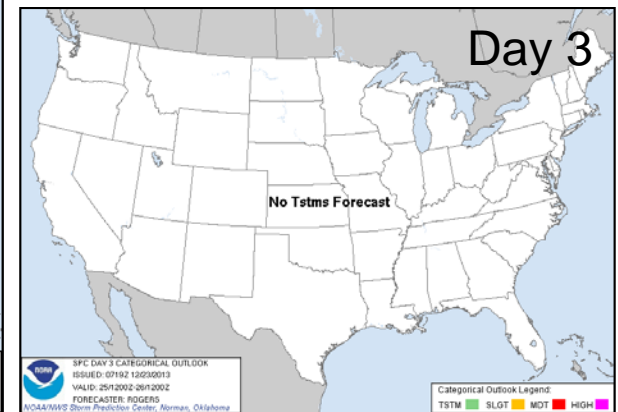
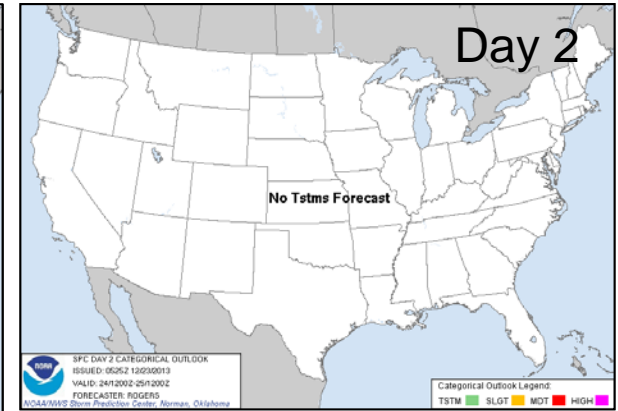
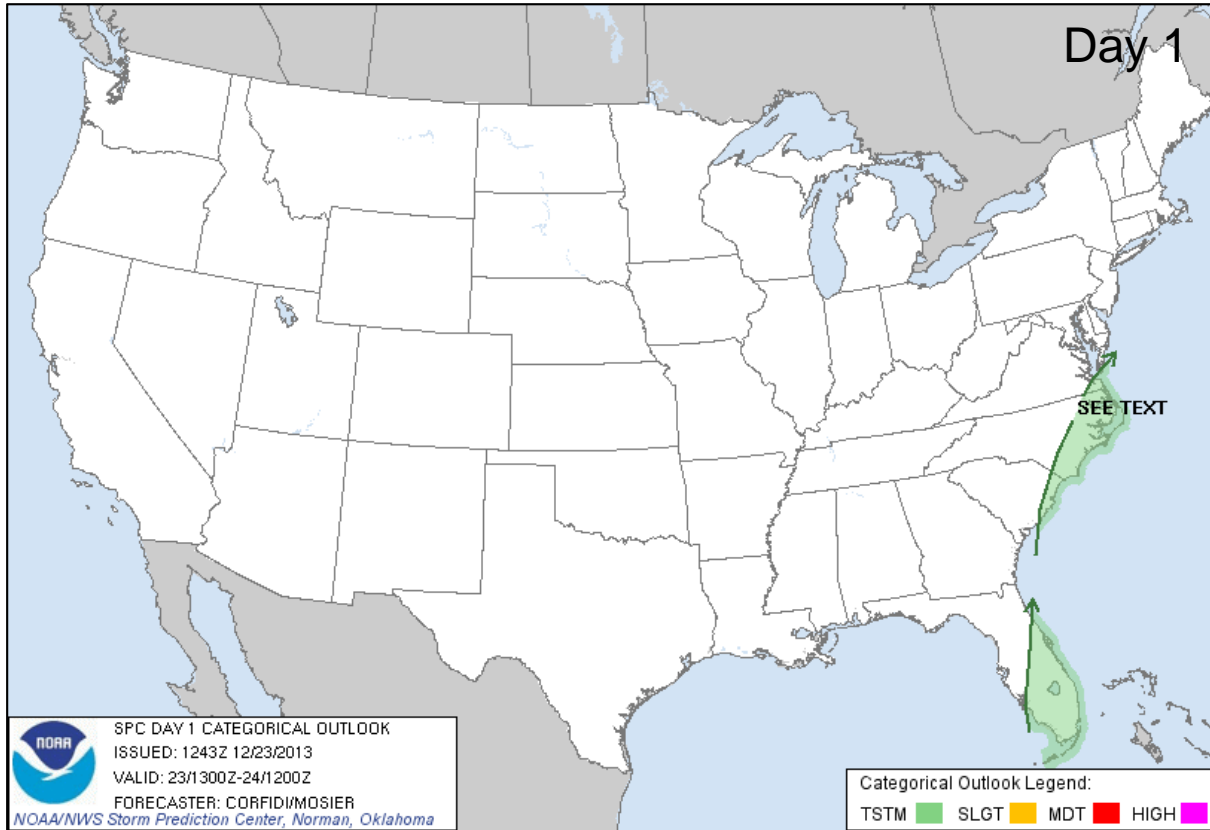


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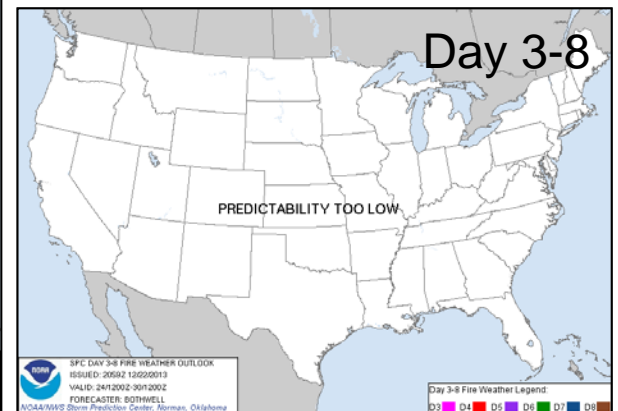
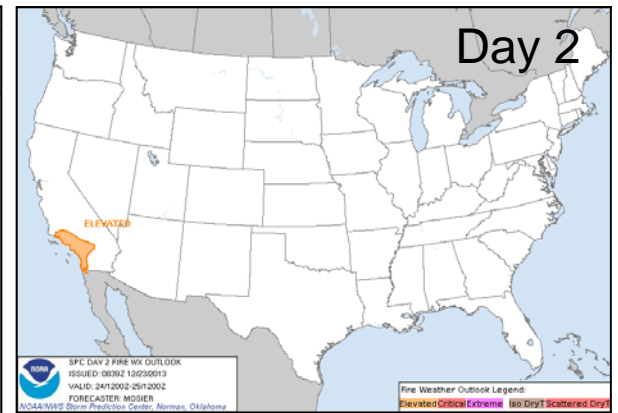
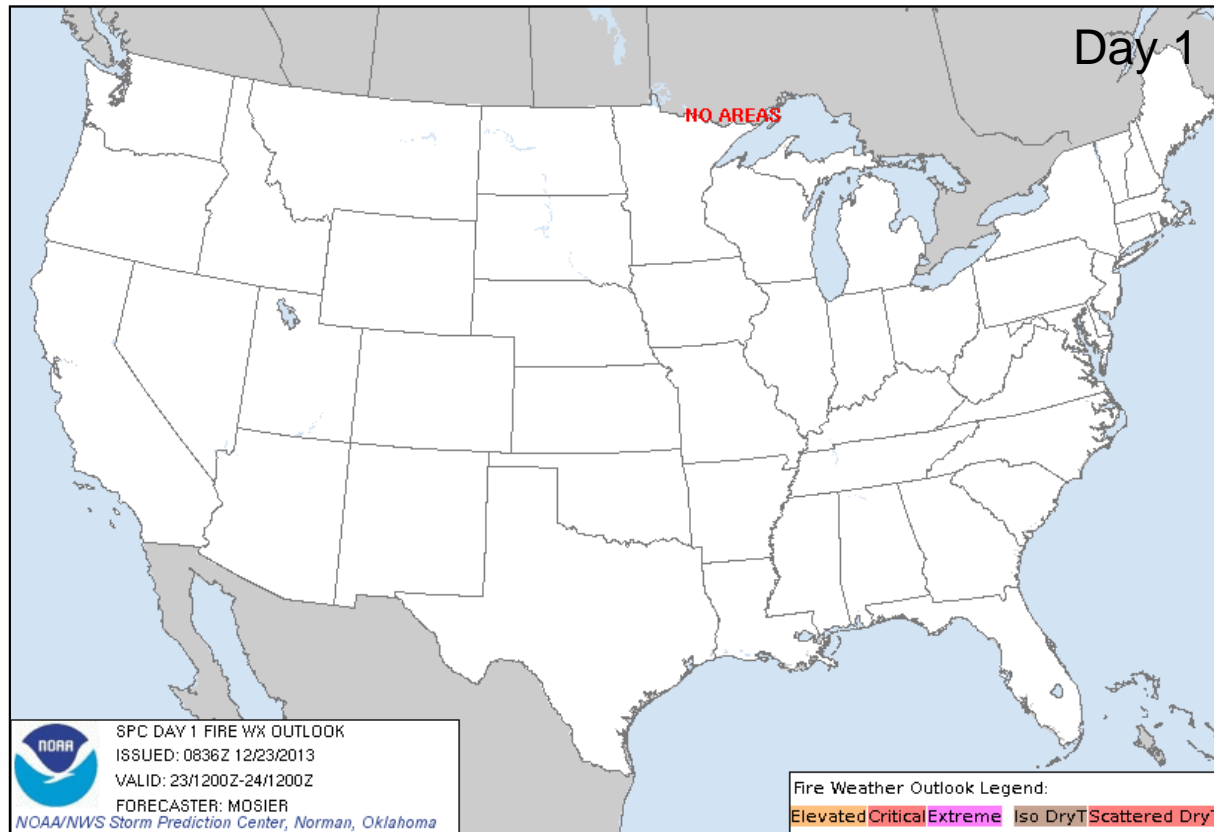


Day 3

Convective Outlooks Days 1 – 3



Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 – 8

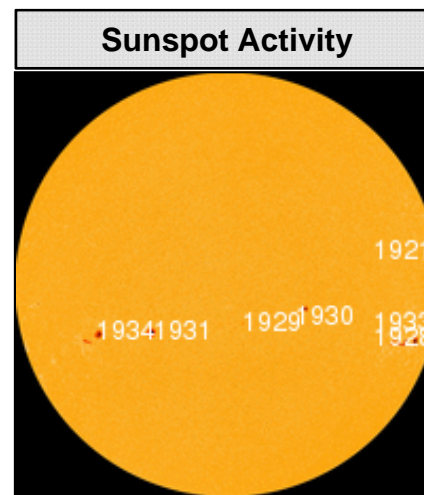
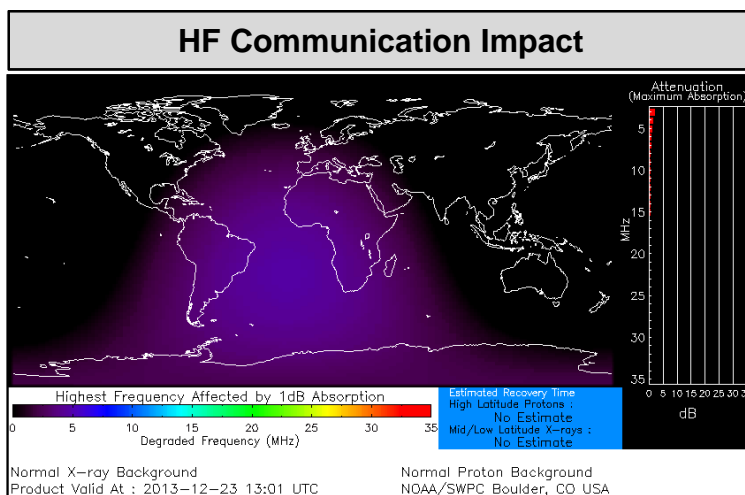


Space Weather



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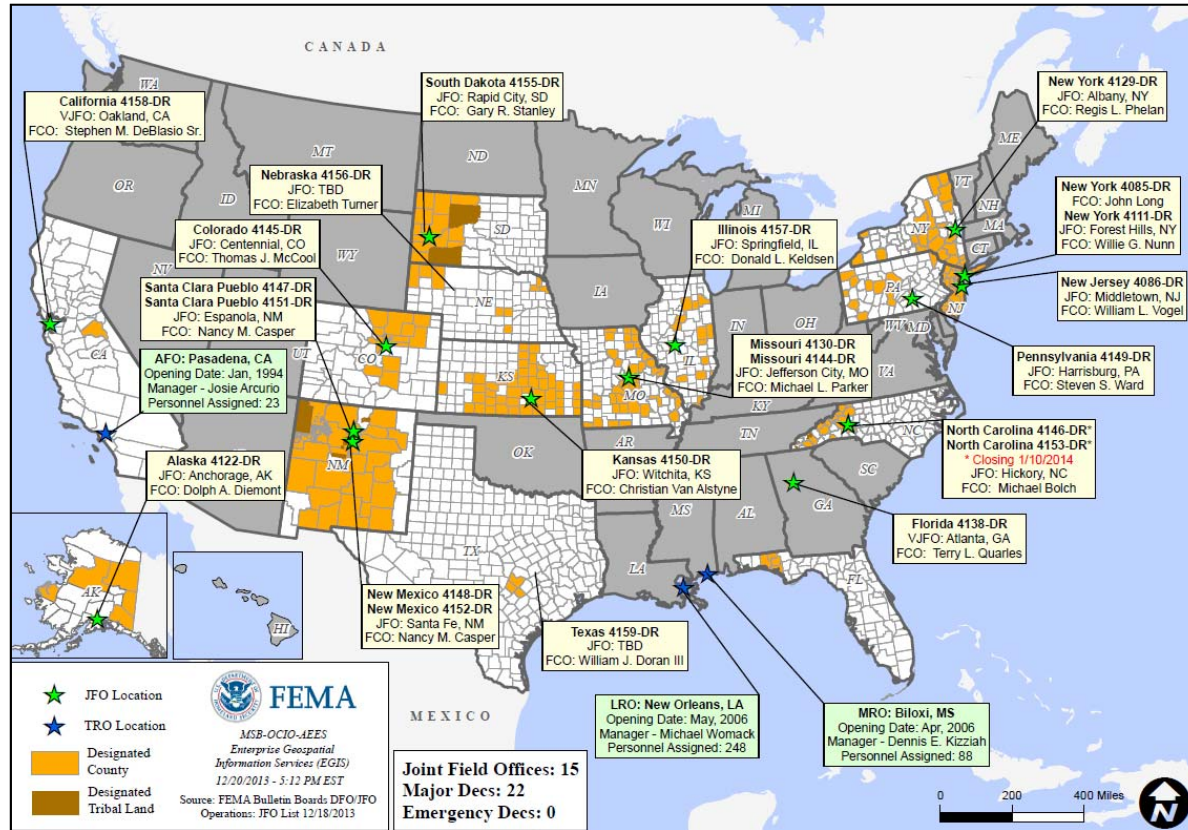
NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	Minor	None	Minor
• Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	None
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	R1	None	R1



Open Field Offices as of December 23, 2013



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FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams/Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets																									
Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion																
FCO	Red	40	13	33%	N/A	2	25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FCOs - Red due to insufficient Type 1 FCOs FDRCs – Yellow due number available 	OFDC Readiness: <table border="1"> <tr> <td>FCO</td> <td>Green</td> <td>Yellow</td> <td>Red</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Type 1</td> <td>3+</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Type 2</td> <td>4+</td> <td>3</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Type 3</td> <td>4</td> <td>3</td> <td>2</td> </tr> </table>	FCO	Green	Yellow	Red	Type 1	3+	2	1	Type 2	4+	3	2	Type 3	4	3	2
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US&R	Green	28	26	92%	2	0	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NV-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional) NM-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed 																
National IMAT	Green	3	3	100%	0	0	0		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green: 3 avail Yellow: 1 avail Red: 0 avail Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.																
Regional IMAT	Yellow	13	6	46%	0	1	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deployed team locations: PA, NC, NM, SD, CO & CA Region VII (KS) reconstituting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green: > 6 avail Yellow: 4-6 teams available Red: > 8 teams deployed/unavailable R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable and has no qualified replacement.																
MCOV	Green	55	51	90%	0	2	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 in CO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green = Available/FMC Yellow = Available/PMC Red = Out-of-Service Blue = Assigned/Deployed 																

FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



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Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC	Green	5	5	100%	0	0	Steady State		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green = FMC • Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC
NRCC	Green	0	360	92%	0	0	Not Activated	• NRCC# represents FEMA personnel on Roster	
HLT	Green	1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
DEST	Green						Not Activated		
RRCCs	Green	10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated	• Region I at virtual RRCC – Enhanced Monitoring - at 7:00 a.m. EST Dec 23	
RWCs/MOCs	Green	10	10	100%	0	0	24/7		



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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.