### **FEMA National Watch Center**

# Daily Operations Briefing

Wednesday, January 11, 2023 8:30 a.m. ET



# **National Current Ops / Monitoring**

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops  Heavy rain and flooding – California	<ul> <li>Hazard Monitoring</li> <li>Heavy rain and flash flooding -CA</li> <li>Heavy snow - CA</li> <li>Critical fire weather - Southern Plains</li> <li>Freezing rain - WA; Northern/Central Plains, Middle/Uppe Mississippi Valleys; Great Lakes</li> </ul>				
<ul> <li>Disaster Declaration Activity</li> <li>No new declaration activity</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Event Monitoring</li><li>No significant events</li></ul>				



# Heavy Rain / Flooding - California

<u>Situation:</u> Central and southern California continue to experience considerable flood impacts, from all flooding hazards and some rock and landslides. Minor to isolated Major river flooding is ongoing and forecast to continue across much of the state through the end of the week. California has seen much above average rainfall totals over the past several weeks, with totals 400-600% above average values.

### Lifeline Impacts: (FEMA RIX SLB 10:43 p.m. ET, Jan 10)

#### Safety and Security:

- Evacuations in effect for San Benito, Ventura, Santa Cruz,
   Monterey, Santa Barbara, Sacramento, and Solano counties
   (41.7k residents)
- Multiple schools / school districts remains closed

Food, Water, Sheltering: 28 (+13) shelters; 681 (+445) occupants

#### Health and Medical:

- 15 (1+) confirmed storm related fatalities
- 2 nursing homes, San Luis Care Center, evacuated; Stanislaus / Santa Barbara counties

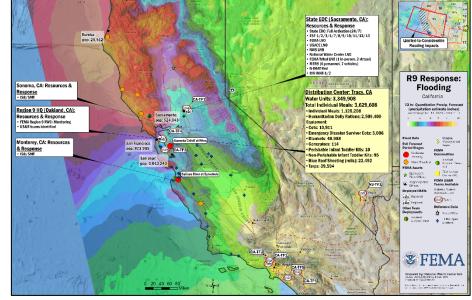
#### Energy: (DOE Eagle-I, as of 6:30 a.m. ET)

59k (+27k)(0.4%) customers without power statewide: Counties most affected: Mendocino: 3k (10%); Santa Cruz:: 8k (7%); Merced: 2k (6%); Monterey: 8k (4%); Santa Clara: 12k (2%)

### Communication: Minimal service outages

#### Transportation:

- 53 (+26) roads closed throughout the impacted area
- Rail services from Seattle to Sacramento remains cancelled
- Santa Barbara Municipal Airport closed due to flooding
- Systemwide light rail disruption due to winds, power outages, and debris obstructing tracks



### State / Local Response:

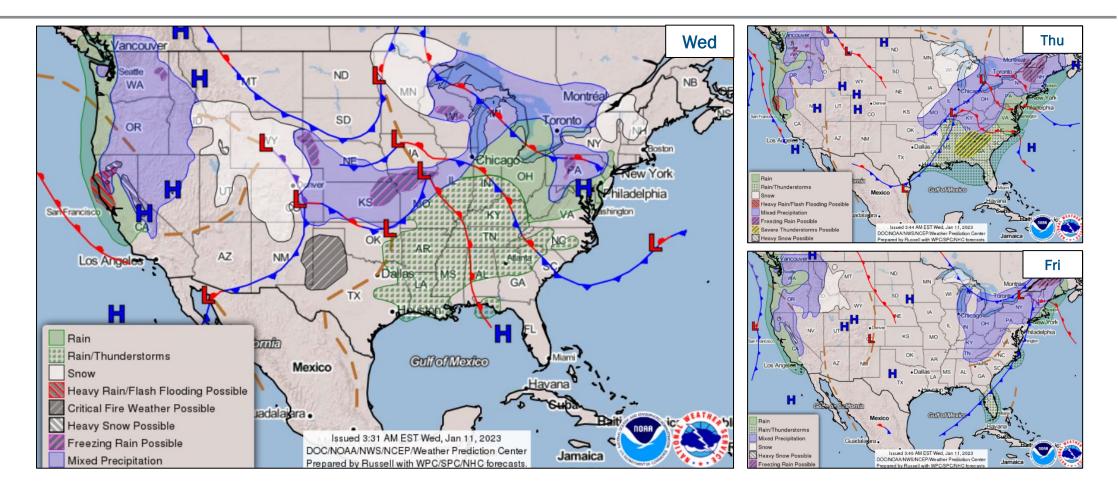
- CA EOC: Full Activation (Flooding); Gov: Declared State of Emergency; CA NG authorized to use high water vehicles
- Flood Operation Center: city of Sacramento activated
- 13 cities / 19 counties have issued Proclamations of Local Emergency; 31 (+5) county EOCs activated
- Tuolumne Band of Mi-Wuk Indians declared State of Emergency

#### **FEMA / Federal Response:**

- FEMA-3591-EM approved Jan 9
- Region IX IMAT 1 & 2 and National IMAT RED deployed to CA EOC
- ISB and SMT teams deployed to Monterey and Sonoma counties
- US&R: Team White rostered / prepared to deploy in 2hrs
- 3 FEMA Tribal LNOs / 1 FEMA LNO deployed to CA EOC
- 1 USACE LNO and 1 NWS LNO deployed to CA EOC
- 6 Bothell MERS personnel deployed to CA EOC
  - 1 IRV and 1 MCOV are at CA EOC; 1 MEOV and 1 additional MCOV arriving today
- National Watch Center and Region IX RWC continue to monitor
- FEMA NRCC is rostered
- Tribal LNO coordinating with Kaisha Band of Pomo Indians for federal support

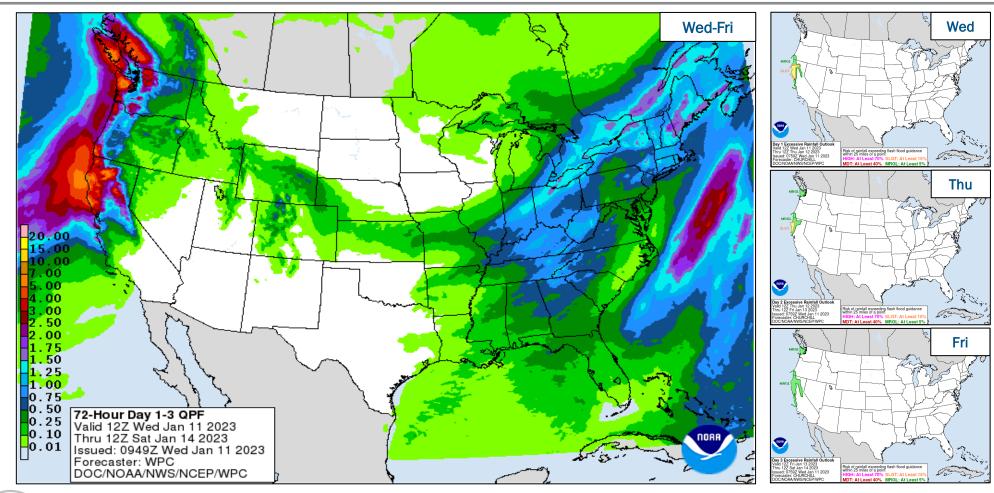


### **National Weather Forecast**



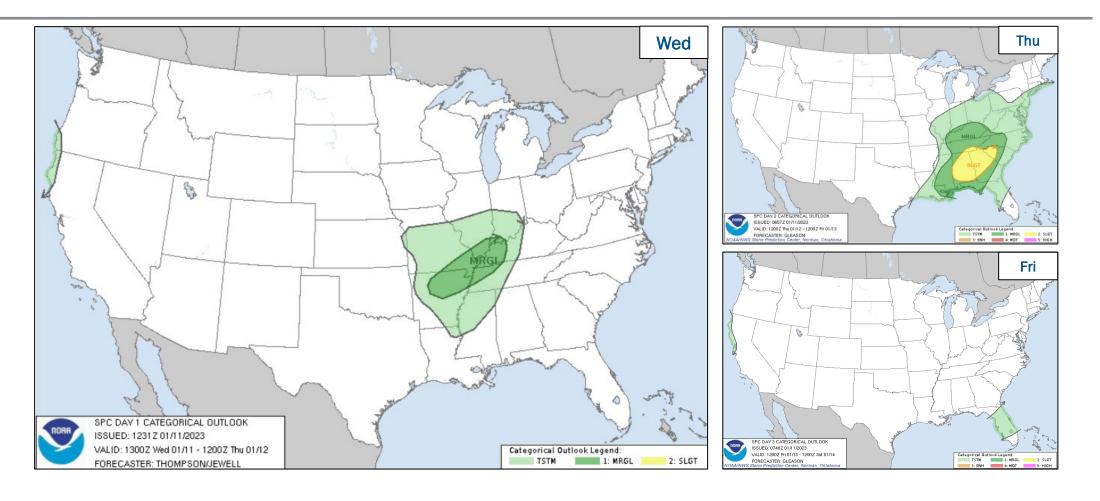


# **Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall**



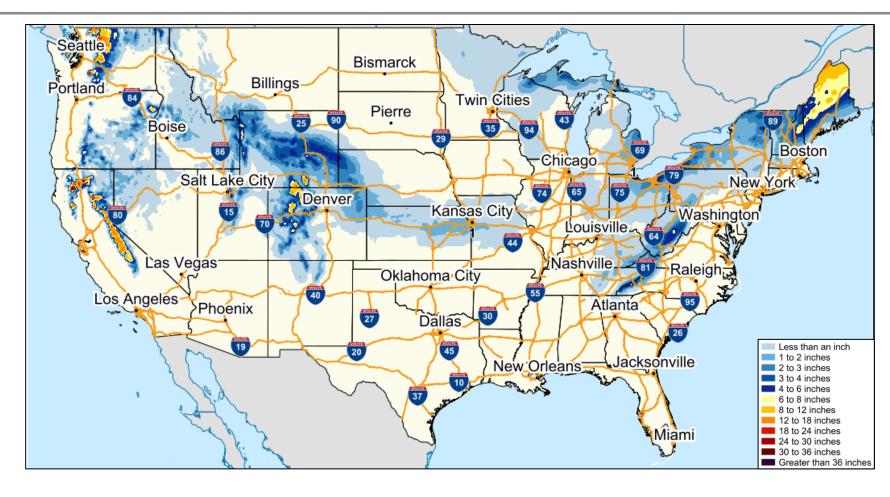


### **Severe Weather Outlook**



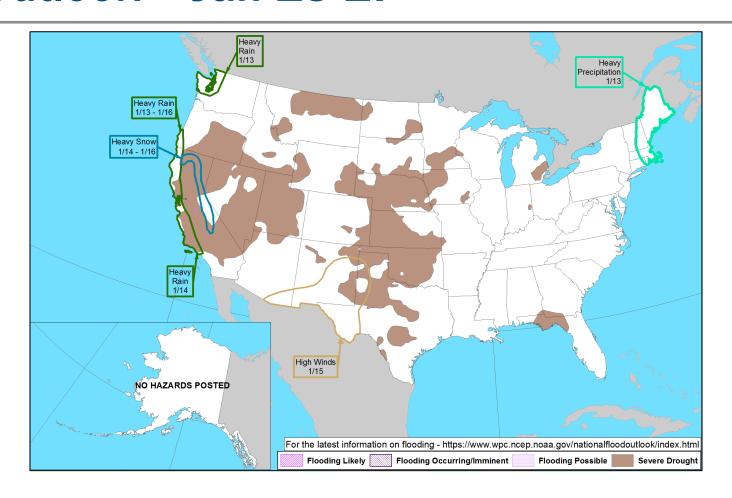


### **Snowfall Forecast**





## Hazards Outlook – Jan 13-17

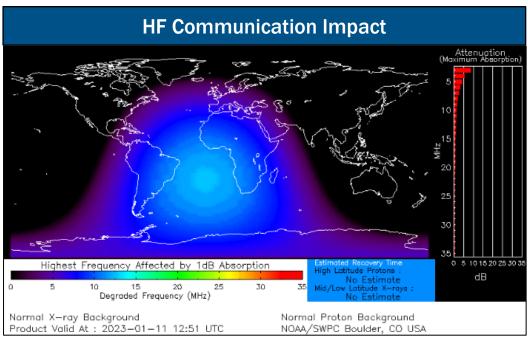


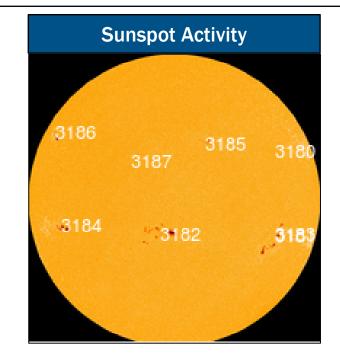


# **Space Weather Outlook**

	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts	
Past 24 Hours	Strong	None	None	R3	
Next 24 Hours	Moderate	None	None	R2	

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: <a href="http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation">http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation</a>
For further information on Sunspot Activity refer to: <a href="https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle">https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle</a>







# FEMA Common Operating Picture

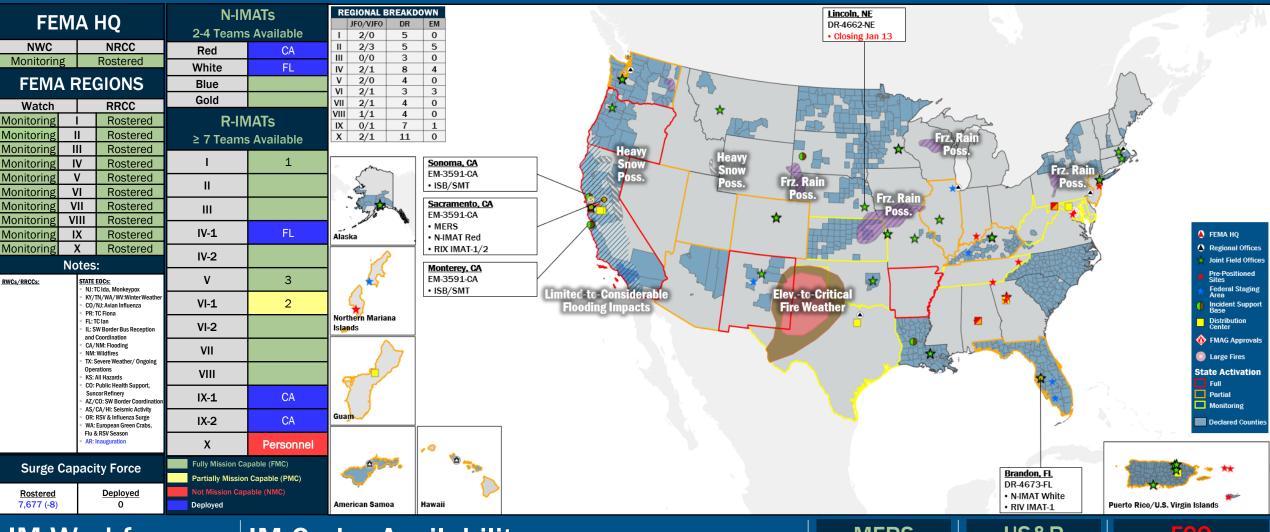
Joint Field Offices

Virtual Joint Field Offices

Major **Disasters** 

**Emergency Declarations** 

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### **IM Workforce**

13,313 (+9) Assigned 3,510 (+28) Unavailable 5,247 (+87) Deployed

34% (-1) / 4.556 (-106) Available

### IM Cadre Availability ≤ 25% Availability

Disability Integration: 23% (15/64); Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 22% (184/833); Field Leadership: 23% (32/141); Hazard Mitigation: 23% (283/1229); Operations: 25% (92/370); Public Assistance: 18% (388/2,190); Planning: 19% (89/476) Safety 8% (6/74)

### **MERS**

36 Assigned 0 Unavailable 1 Deployed

35 Available

### **US&R**

28 Assigned 3 Unavailable 0 Deployed

25 Available

50 Assigned 2 Unavailable 43 (26 FCOR) Deployed

5 Available

# **Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments**

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number o	Chart Frad	
			PA	Requested	Complete	Start - End
	VT	Winter Storm Dec 23 and continuing	IA	0	0	N/A
	VI		PA	9	0	1/13 - TBD
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	Dec 23-25	PA	8	0	N/A	
	ME	Winter Storm Dec 23-24	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	7	0	1/9 - TBD
IX	НІ	Mauna Loa Volcanic Eruption Nov 27 – Dec 16	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	1	0	1/5 - TBD



# **Declaration Requests in Process – 4**

State / Tribe / Territory - Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
UT – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		Χ	Х	Oct 19
CA - Heat Dome and Wildfires	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Oct 26
WA – Severe Winter Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR		Х	Х	Dec 28
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma - Tornadoes	DR		Х	Х	Jan 3





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