

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, December 14, 2023

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops/Monitoring

New Significant Incidents/Ongoing Ops

- No new incidents / ongoing ops

Hazard Monitoring

- Heavy Snow – Central/Southern Rockies
- Mixed Precipitation – Pacific Northwest to Northern Intermountain, and Great Basin to Central Plains

Disaster Declaration Activity

- Approved: Major Disaster Declaration – FEMA-4751-DR-TN

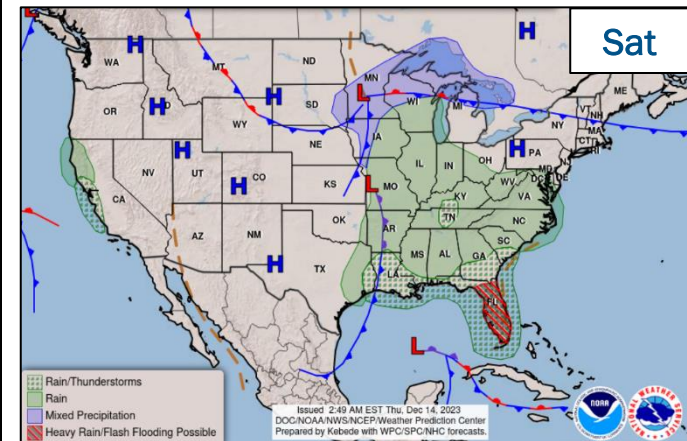
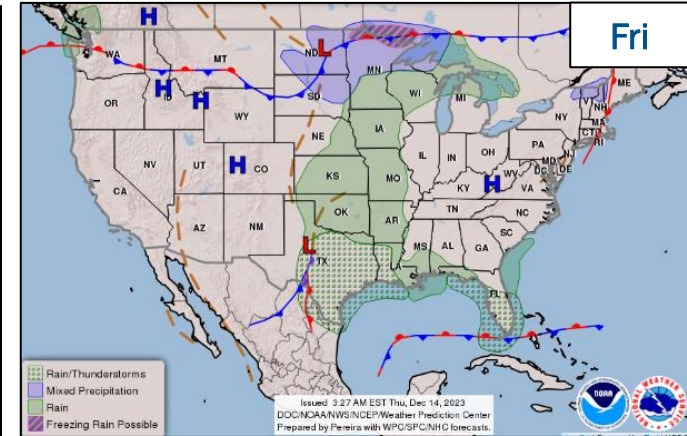
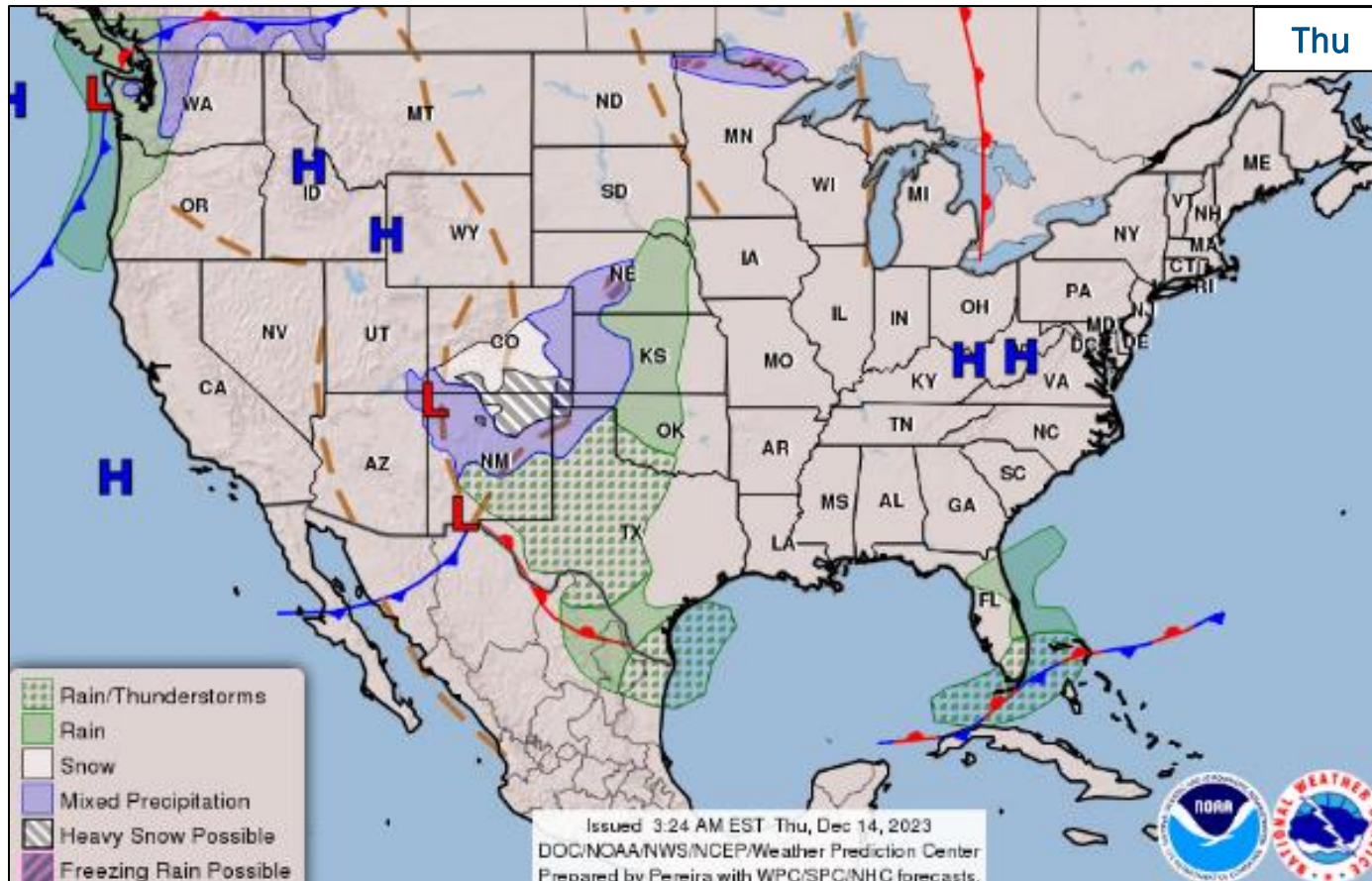
Event Monitoring

- No new significant events



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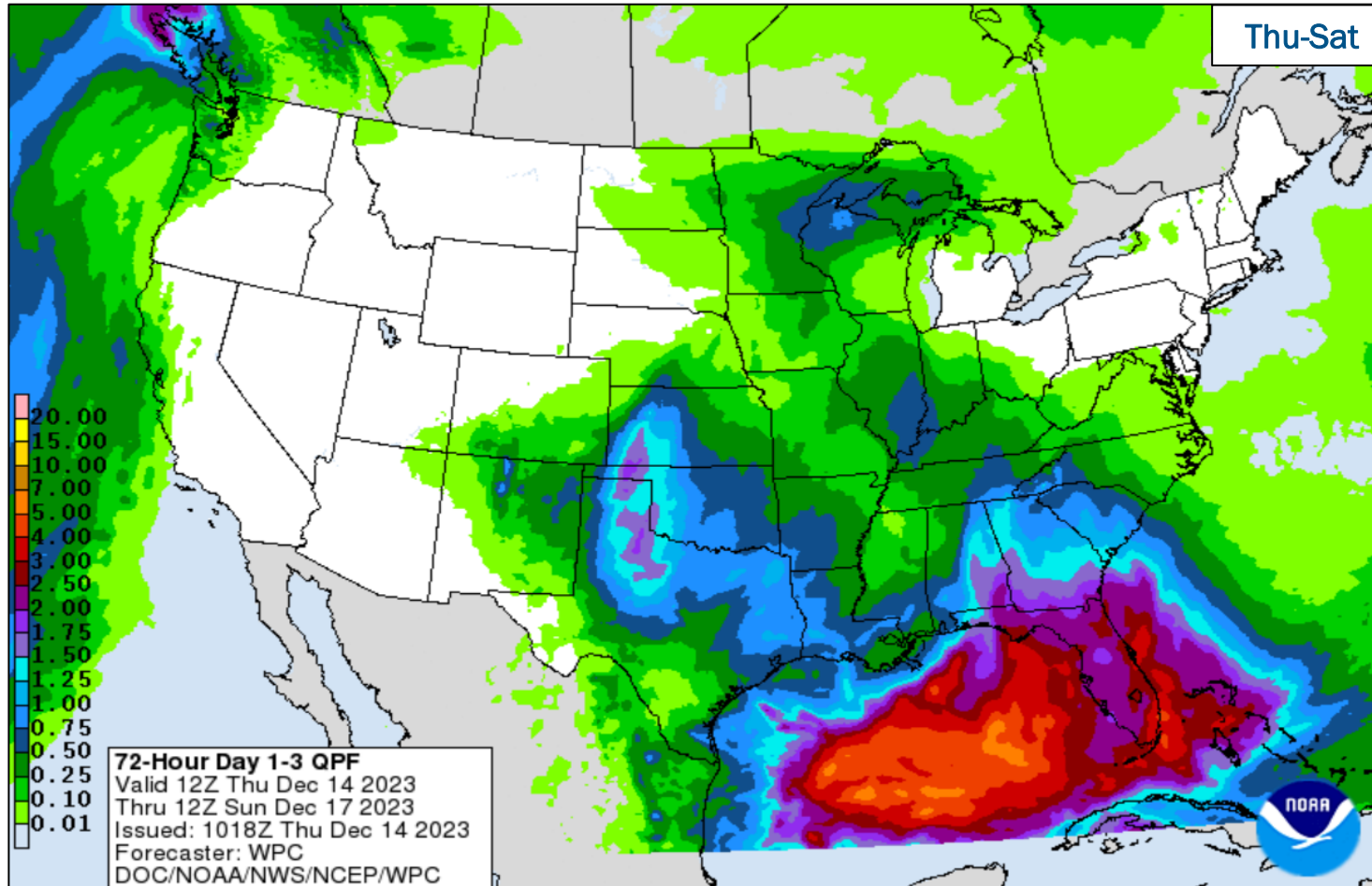
National Weather Forecast



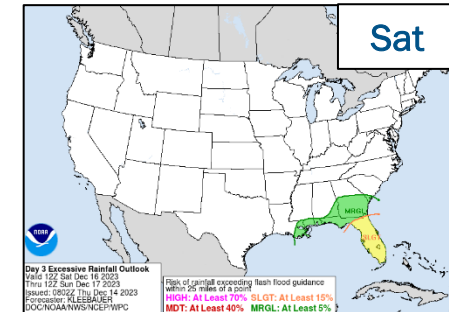
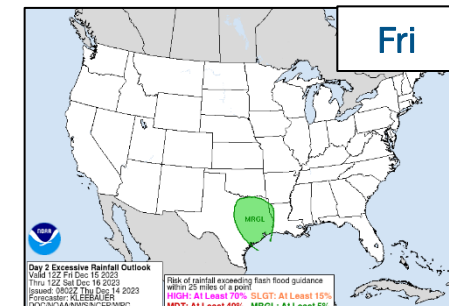
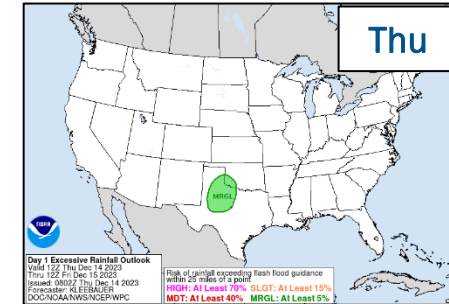
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Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



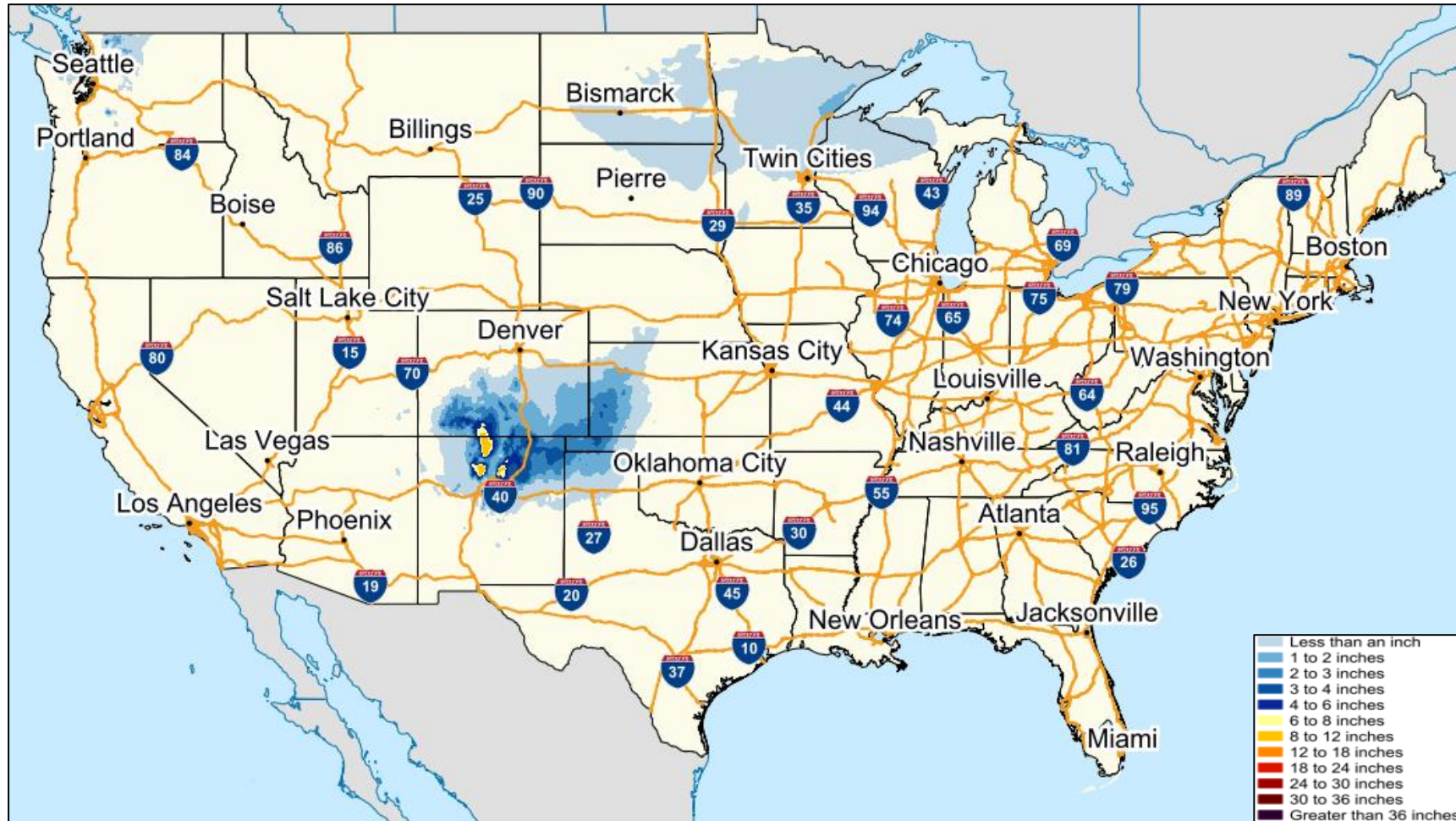
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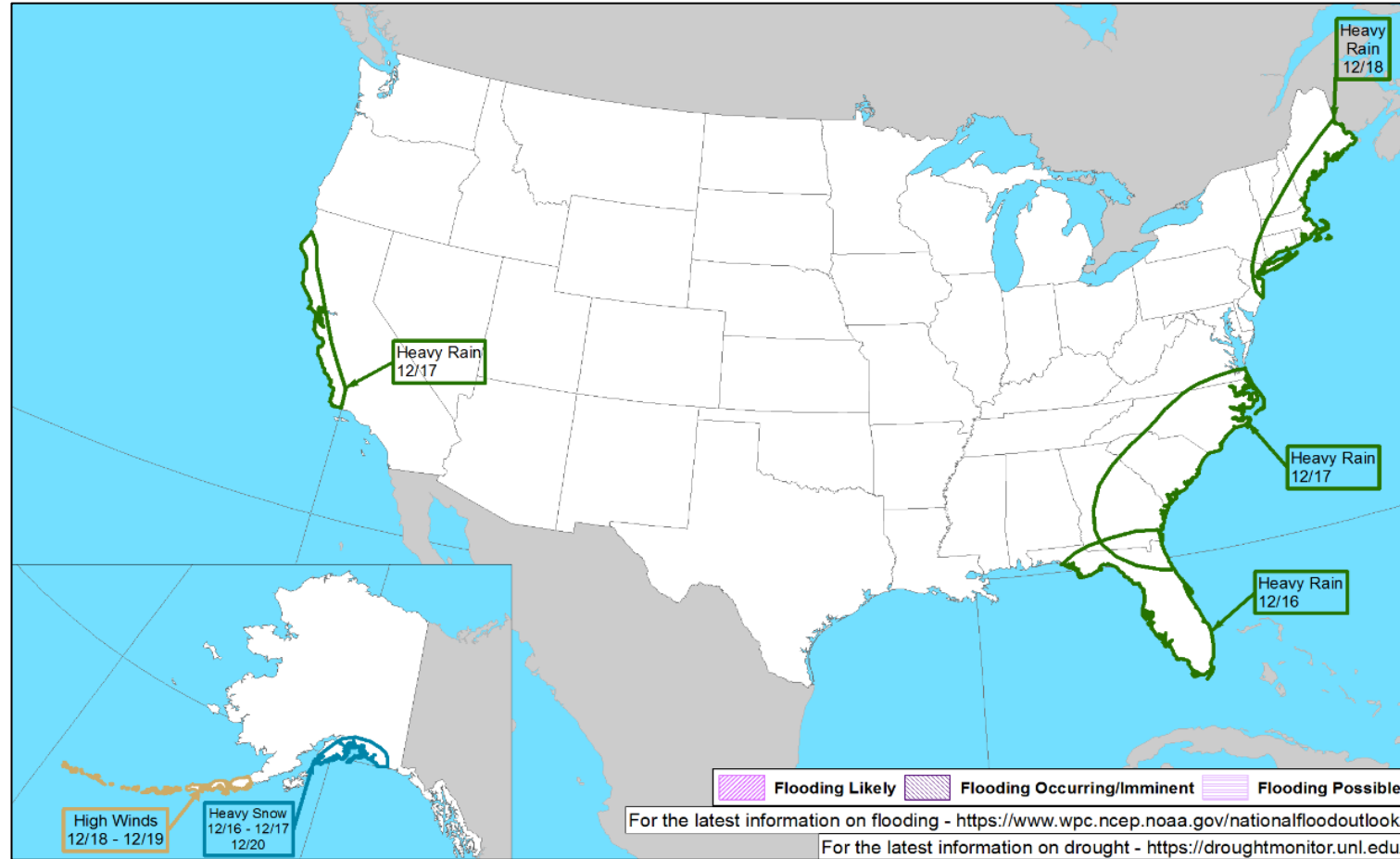
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Snowfall Forecast



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Hazards Outlook – Dec 16-20



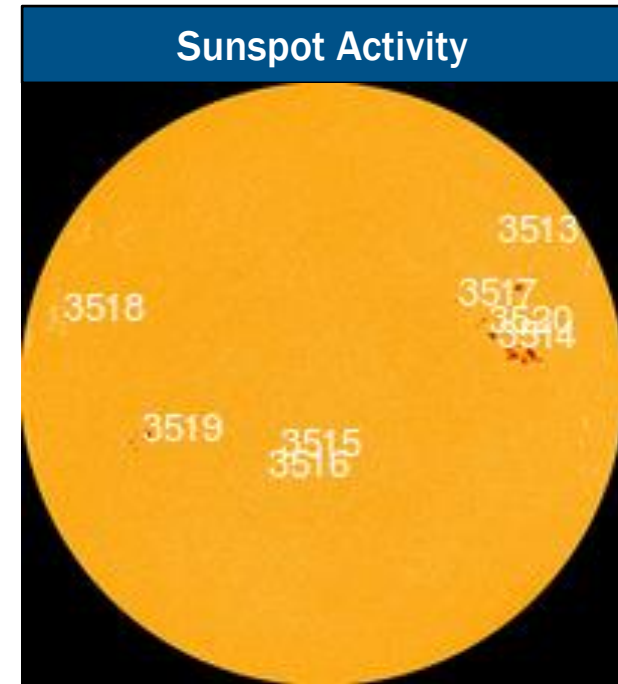
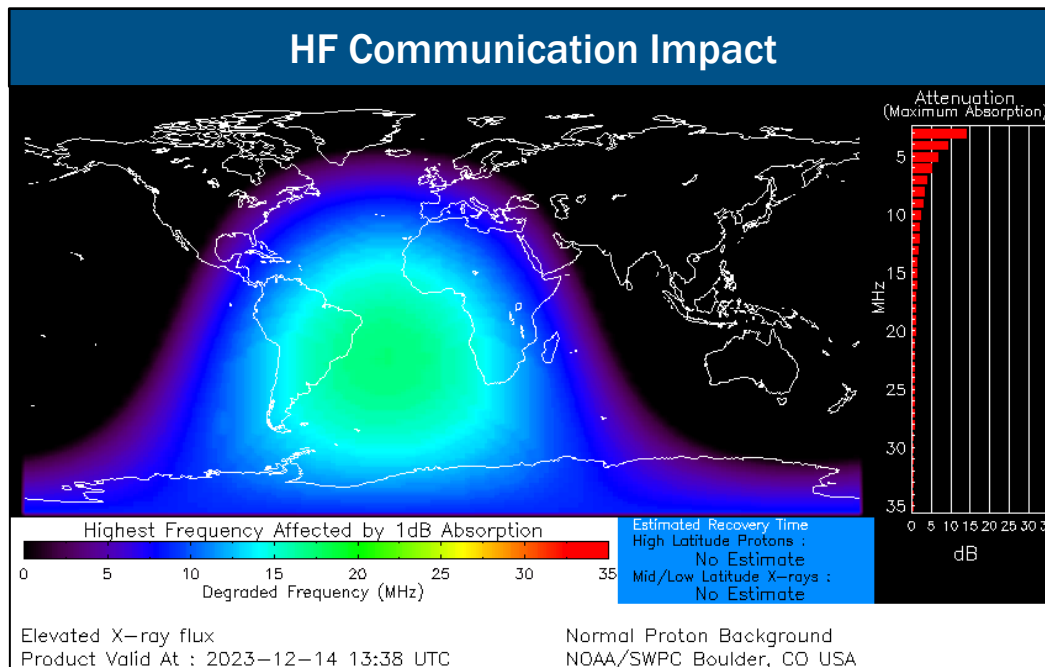
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Space Weather Outlook

Minor	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	Moderate	None	None	R2
Next 24 Hours	Minor	G1	None	None

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



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FEMA Common Operating Picture

17 + **5** Supporting
 Joint Field Offices Virtual Joint Field Offices

69 + **4**
 Major Disasters Emergency Declarations

8 **26**
 Direct Housing Missions RSF-Supported Disasters

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FEMA HQ		
NWC	NRCC	
Monitoring	Activated	
FEMA REGIONS		
Watch	RRCC	
Monitoring	I	Rostered
Monitoring	II	Rostered
Monitoring	III	Rostered
Enhanced	IV	Rostered
Monitoring	V	Rostered
Monitoring	VI	Rostered
Monitoring	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Rostered
Notes:		
RWCs/RRCCs/IMATs: • NRCC: Sustained Ops. • RIV: Severe Weather	STATE EOCs: • TN/MS/CO: Severe Weather • FL: TC Idalia • TX: Ongoing Threats • ND: Avian Influenza • AZ/CO: SW Border • HI/CO: Wildfires • USVI: Potable Water • AK: Wrangell Landslide • ND: Boil Order Support • WA/ME: Winter Weather	
Volunteer Force		
Rostered 7,457	Deployed 113 (-2)	
Surge Capacity Force		
Rostered 8,403	Deployed 0	

N-IMATs	
2-5 Teams Available	
Red	
White	
Blue	
Gold	
HS	Reconstituting
R-IMATs	
≥ 7 Teams Available	
I	
II	1
III	
IV-1	
IV-2	TN
V	
VI-1	
VI-2	
VII	
VIII	2
IX-1	Personnel
IX-2	
X	3

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN			
	JFO/VJFO	DR	EM
I	3/0	10	2
II	2/1	3	1
III	0/0	0	0
IV	5/1	21	1
V	1/0	2	0
VI	1/0	2	0
VII	2/0	3	0
VIII	1/0	3	0
IX	1/1	17	0
X	1/2	8	0

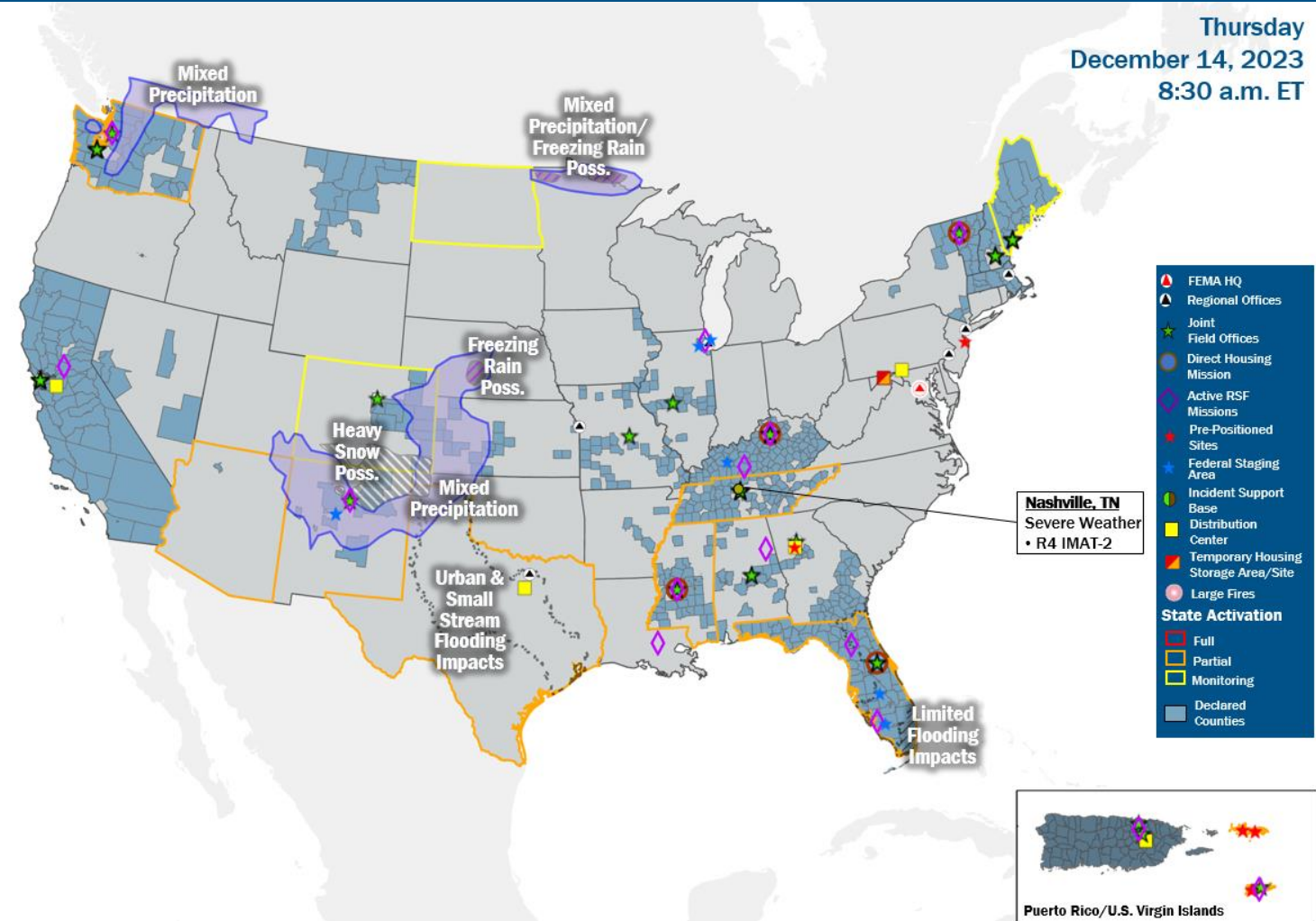
Alaska: Small Stream Flooding Impacts

Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands

Guam

American Samoa

Hawaii



IM Workforce

13,657 (-17) Assigned
 4,543 (+14) Unavailable
 5,044 (-26) Deployed

30% / 4,070 (-5) Available

IM Cadre Availability

10 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 19% (151/810); Field Leadership: 20% (29/146); Hazard Mitigation: 20% (246/1,210); Human Resources: 22% (39/176); Interagency Recovery Coordination: 16% (47/287); Operations: 17% (61/349); Public Assistance: 13% (275/2,175); Planning 13% (60/468); Safety: 20% (17/85); Security: 21% (27/129)

MERS

> 66%

36 Assigned
 0 Unavailable
 0 Deployed

36 Available

US&R

> 66%

28 Assigned
 1 Unavailable
 0 Deployed

27 Available

FCO

≤ 1 Type I

50 (+1) Assigned
 9 (+1) Unavailable
 36 (-1)(24(+2)FCOR) Deployed

5 (+1) Available

Declaration Approved – Tennessee

Declaration: Major Disaster Declaration – FEMA-4751-DR-TN

Date Requested: Dec 12

Date Approved: Dec 13, 2023

Incident: Severe Storms and Tornadoes

Incident Period: Dec 9

Provides:

- **IA & PA Only:** 4 counties
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide

FCO: Yolanda J. Jackson



■ IA/PA



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Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties		Start - End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
X	AK	Extreme Weather and Land slides Nov 20 - TBD	IA	4	0	12/11 - TBD
			PA	4	0	12/11 - TBD



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Declaration Requests in Process – 13

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
MI – Flooding (Appeal)	DR		X	X	Oct 18
OH – Train Derailment	DR	X	X	X	Jul 3
UT – Flooding	DR		X	X	Aug 11
Inupiat Community of the Arctic Slope (ICAS) – Severed Undersea Fiber Optic Line (Appeal)	EM		X		Aug 23
NH – Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm (Appeal)	DR		X	X	Sep 6
WA – Wildfires	DR	X	X	X	Oct 4
MI – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Oct 18
KY – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-Line Winds, and Flooding (Appeal)	DR	X		X	Oct 23
WV – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	X		X	Oct 25
RI – Severe Storms, Flooding, and Tornadoes	DR	X			Nov 9
PA – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Nov 9
NY – Severe Storm and Flooding	DR		X	X	Nov 29
MA – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR	X	X	X	Dec 11
TN – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes - APPROVED	DR	X	X	X	Dec 12



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