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# **FEMA**

# **Daily Operations Briefing**

Thursday, February 7, 2019 8:30 a.m. EST

# Significant Activity – Feb 6-7



Significant Events: None

#### Significant Weather:

- Freezing rain possible Middle Mississippi Valley to Great Lakes and Northeast
- Heavy snow possible Great Lakes
- Severe thunderstorms possible Lower Mississippi Valley to Ohio Valley
- Heavy rain and flash flooding possible Tennessee Valley to Central Appalachians
- Elevated fire weather Southern Plains

Tropical Activity: Western Pacific – Invest 90P

**Declaration Activity: None** 

# Tropical Outlook – Western Pacific



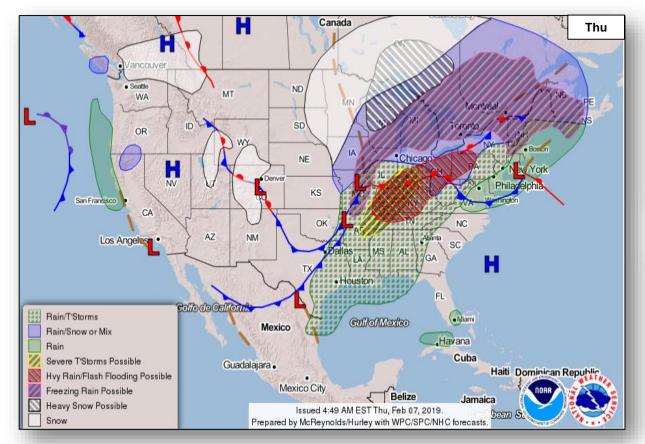
#### Invest 90P (as of 4:30 pm EST Feb 6)

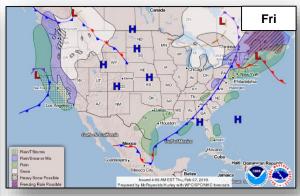
- Heavy rain, flash flooding, and high surf possible through the rest of the week; not expected to bring widespread significant impacts to American Samoa
- Located 339 miles west-northwest of American Samoa
- Forecast to move south of the Samoan islands
- Maximum sustained winds 23-32 mph
- Formation chance through 24 hours: High
- The last tropical system to impact the island was Tropical Storm Gita (Feb 2018) which brought high winds and heavy rains, resulting in a Major Disaster Declaration; current forecasts will not pose this level of threat
- Next update from Joint Typhoon Warning Center will be issued at 4:30 pm EST

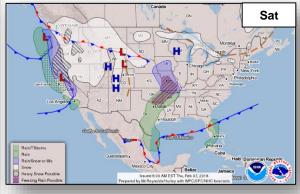


#### National Weather Forecast



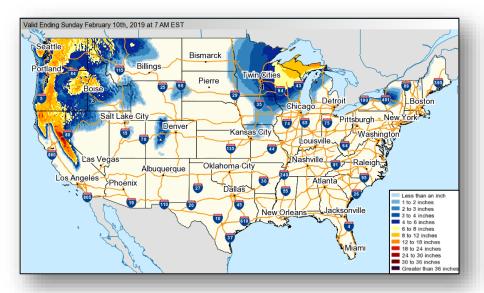


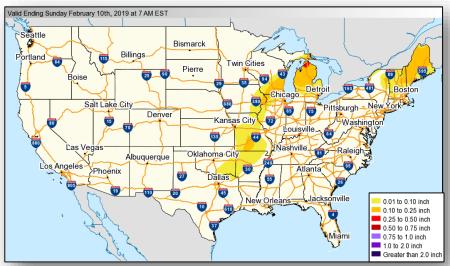




## Winter Precipitation Outlook





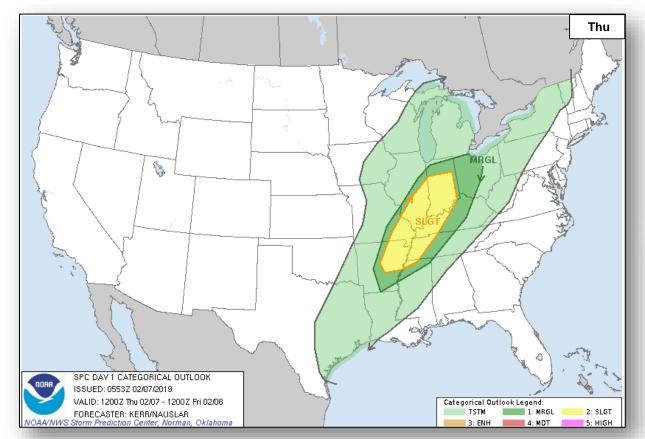


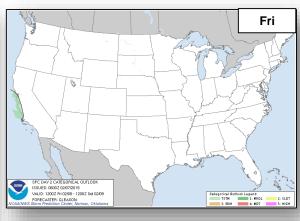
Forecast Snowfall

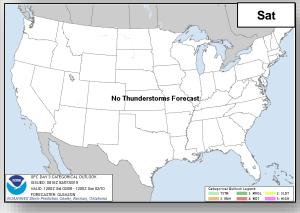
Forecast Ice Accumulation

### Severe Weather Outlook







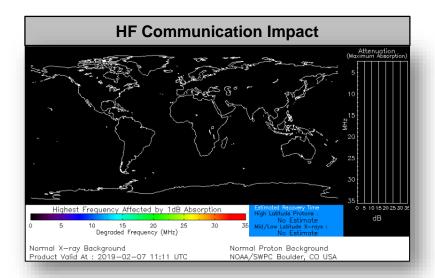


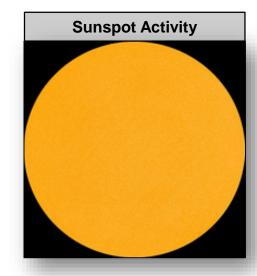
# Space Weather



	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



Dogion	State / Location	Event	IA / PA	Number of Counties		Ctout Fuel
Region				Requested	Completed	Start – End
V	WA	Winter storms, high winds, flooding, mudslides, landslides, and tornado December 10 - 25, 2018	IA	0	0	N/A
X			PA	14	0	1/30 – TBD

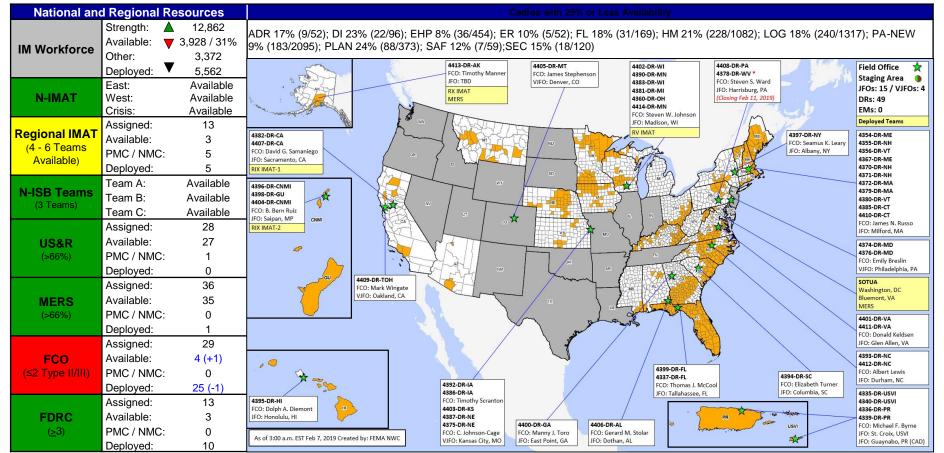
# Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Pr	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)				
4	IA	PA	НМ	Date Requested	0	0
LA – (Appeal) DR Flooding		Х	Х	October 26, 2018		
TX – DR Severe Storms and Flooding	Х	Х	Х	October 30, 2018		
KS – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding		Х	Х	November 14, 2018		
VT – DR Severe Winter Storm		Х	Х	January 4, 2019		

## Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets





### FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



Status		Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments
NWC (5 Teams)	Steady State				
NRCC (2 Teams)	Available				Blue Team on standby
HLT	Available				
RWC / MOCs (10 Regions)	Steady State				
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available				

Backup Regions: VI, VIII and I



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