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FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Sunday, March 10, 2019

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – Mar 9-10



Significant Events: Severe Weather/Tornadoes – Texas to Ohio Valley

Tropical Activity: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Heavy snow, strong winds, and blizzard conditions Lower Great Lakes and New England
- Freezing rain possible Mid-Atlantic to Northeast

Declaration Activity: None

Severe Weather – Texas to Ohio Valley (FINAL)



Current Situation

- A line of severe thunderstorms moved from Texas to the Ohio Valley overnight, delivering strong winds, large hail, locally heavy rain, and some tornadoes
- Tornado touchdowns reported in AR, LA, TX, MS, and TN; preliminary reports of three EF-1 tornado touchdowns in LA and one EF-0 tornado touchdown in TX
- Lingering thunderstorms in the impacted area are not expected to be severe

Lifeline Impacts

Safety and Security

- Damage assessments ongoing; widespread reports of downed trees and power lines
- AR: Multiple homes and businesses damaged/destroyed, damage to a fire department, and airplane hangars damaged/destroyed
- LA/TX: Minor damage reported to homes/businesses

Food, Water, and Shelter

No shelters open for this event (ARC Midnight Shelter Report, March 10)

Health and Medical

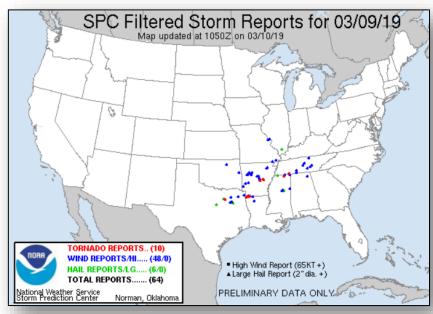
Two injuries reported in AR (Pulaski County)

<u>Energy</u>

- Power restored to most impacted areas (peak of 35k outages across AR, LA, and TX)
 <u>Transportation</u>
- Local roads and one highway in AR temporarily closed due to debris/damage

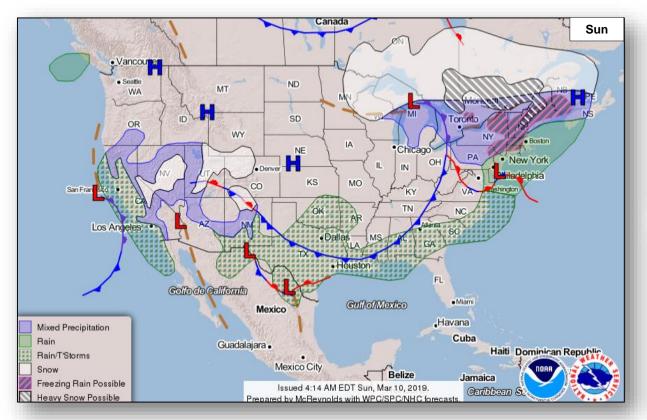
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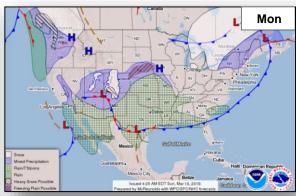
- Response handled by State/local authorities; no request for FEMA assistance
- State EOCs at Normal Operations
- · Region VI at Steady State, continues to monitor
 - o Region VI IMAT-1 is Available; IMAT-2 is deployed to TX (FEMA-4416-DR)
- FEMA NWC at Steady State, continues to monitor



National Weather Forecast



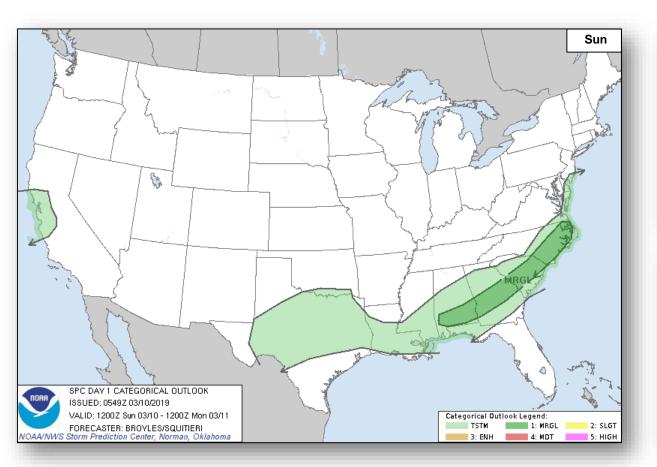


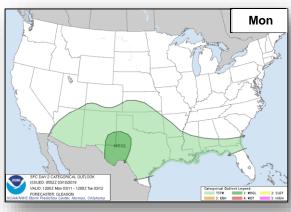




Severe Weather Outlook



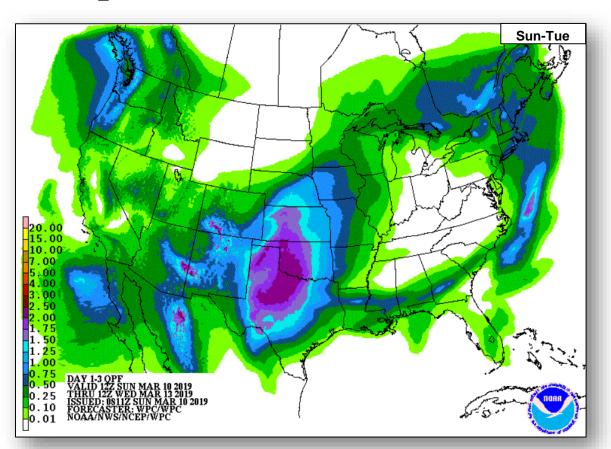


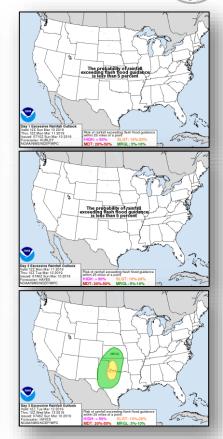




Precipitation Forecast







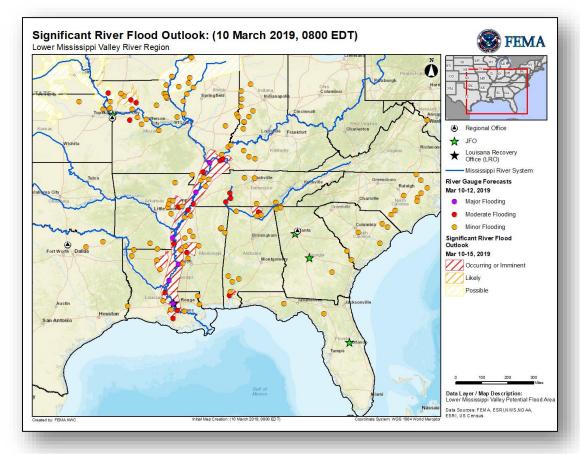
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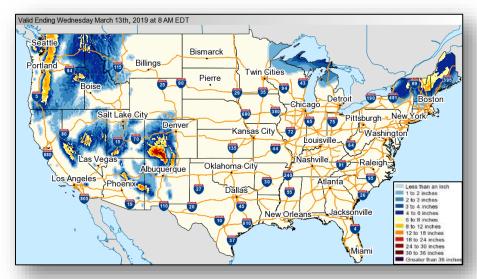
Significant River Flood Outlook





Winter Precipitation Outlook





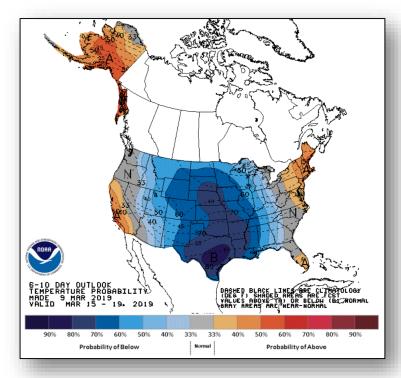
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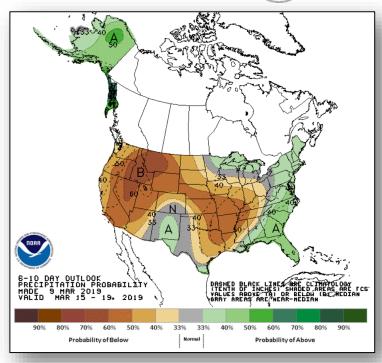
Forecast Ice Accumulation

Long Range Outlooks – Mar 15-19





6 - 10 Day Temperature Probability



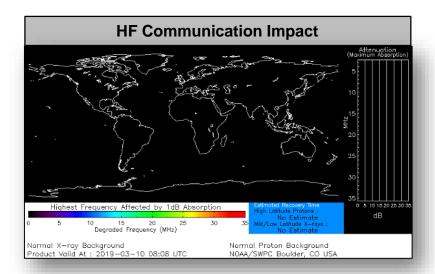
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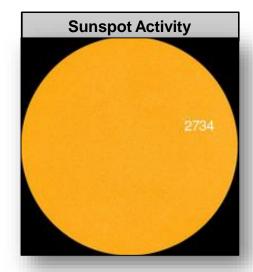
Space Weather



	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None
Next 24 Hours	4 Hours None None		None	None

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation





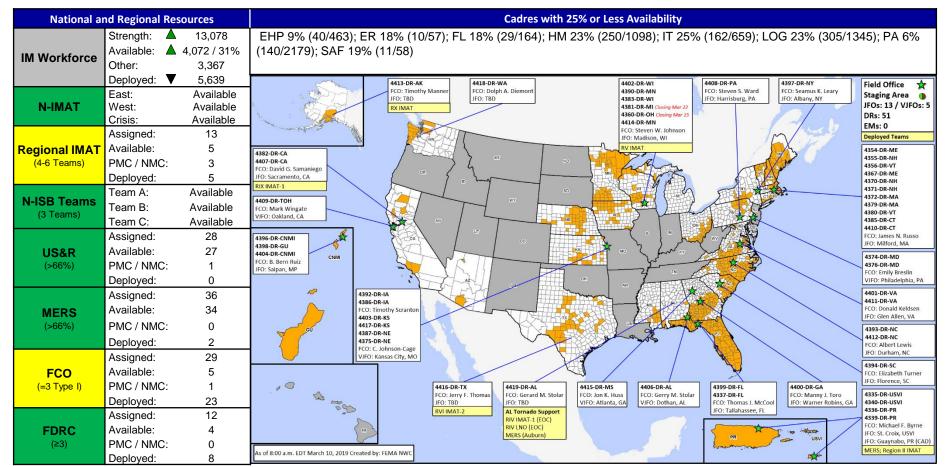
Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Region	State /	Front	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Ctout Food
	Location	Event		Requested	Completed	Start – End
IV	GA	Severe Weather and Tornadoes		3	3	3/7 - 3/8
		March 3, 2019	PA	0	0	N/A
	KY	Severe Weather and Flooding	IA	0	0	N/A
		February 6, 2019	PA	28	0	3/11 – TBD
	MS	Severe Weather and Flooding	IA	1	0	3/12 – TBD
		February 22, 2019	PA	7	0	3/12 – TBD
	TN	Severe Weather and Flooding	IA	7 (+1)	0	3/12 – TBD
		February 6, 2019	PA	46	0	3/12 – TBD
V	ОН	Flooding and Severe Storms	IA	0	0	N/A
		February 5-13, 2019	PA	20	0	3/11 – TBD
IX	CA	Winter Storms	IA	1	1	3/5 – 3/7
		January 31, 2019 and continuing	PA	23	14	3/5 – TBD
	Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians	Winter Storms	IA	0	0	N/A
		January 31, 2019	PA	1	0	3/11 – TBD
	lipay Nation of Santa Ysabel	Winter Storms	IA	0	0	N/A
		January 31, 2019	PA	1	0	3/11 – TBD

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				Primary – Gold Team
HLT	Available				
RWC / MOCs (10 Regions)	Available				
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available				

Backup Regions: VIII, VI, and II



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