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Daily Operations Briefing

Saturday, April 13, 2019

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – April 12-13



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Significant Events: Southwest Border Support

Tropical Activity: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Severe thunderstorms and flash flooding possible – Southern Plains to the Lower/Middle Mississippi and Tennessee valleys; heavy rain, large hail, damaging straight line winds and tornadoes are the largest threats
- Elevated fire weather – Southern TX

Declaration Activity: None

FEMA support to IBEC



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Current Situation:

FEMA continues to support DHS and the Interagency Border Emergency Cell (IBEC) with operations on the southwest border.

FEMA Headquarters Actions

- Interagency Border Emergency Cell (IBEC) established & operating in FEMA NRCC
 - ESF representatives (except ESF-3 and ESF-9) represented
 - **Task Forces offering solutions to RFA's focused on critical ICE and CBP needs**
- FEMA NRCC Response Operations Cell (ROC) activated
 - Aligns/coordinates Region VI, Region IX, NWC and HQ programs and actions
- Field Operations Directorate (FOD) / Volunteer Force Coordination Cell (VFCC):
 - 39 FEMA Employees registered for DHS Volunteer Force
 - **FEMA provided deployment course for volunteers deploying to the SWB**
 - Interagency volunteer Deployment Tracking System (DTS)
 - Privacy Threshold Analysis not approved yet – Privacy Impact Analysis triggered; FEMA OCC is working with Privacy on solutions
 - Interagency Reimbursable Work Agreement completed and submitted

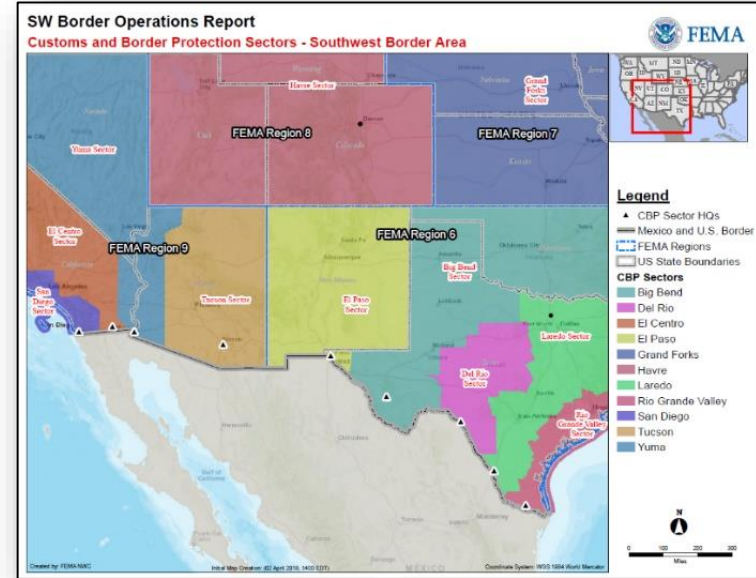
FEMA Regional/Field Support

FEMA Coordination Team (FEMA Region VI and HQ) – Rio Grande Valley and El Paso Sectors:

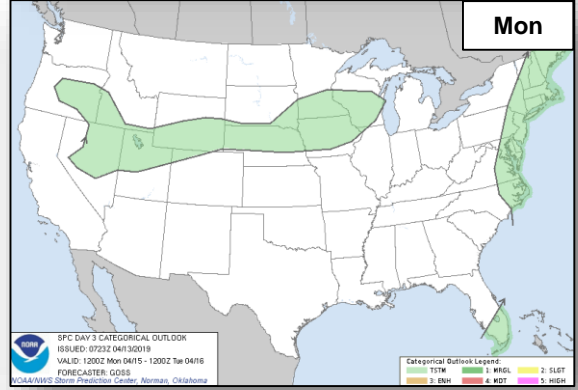
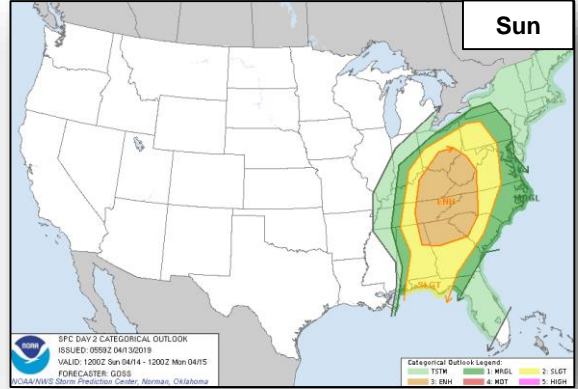
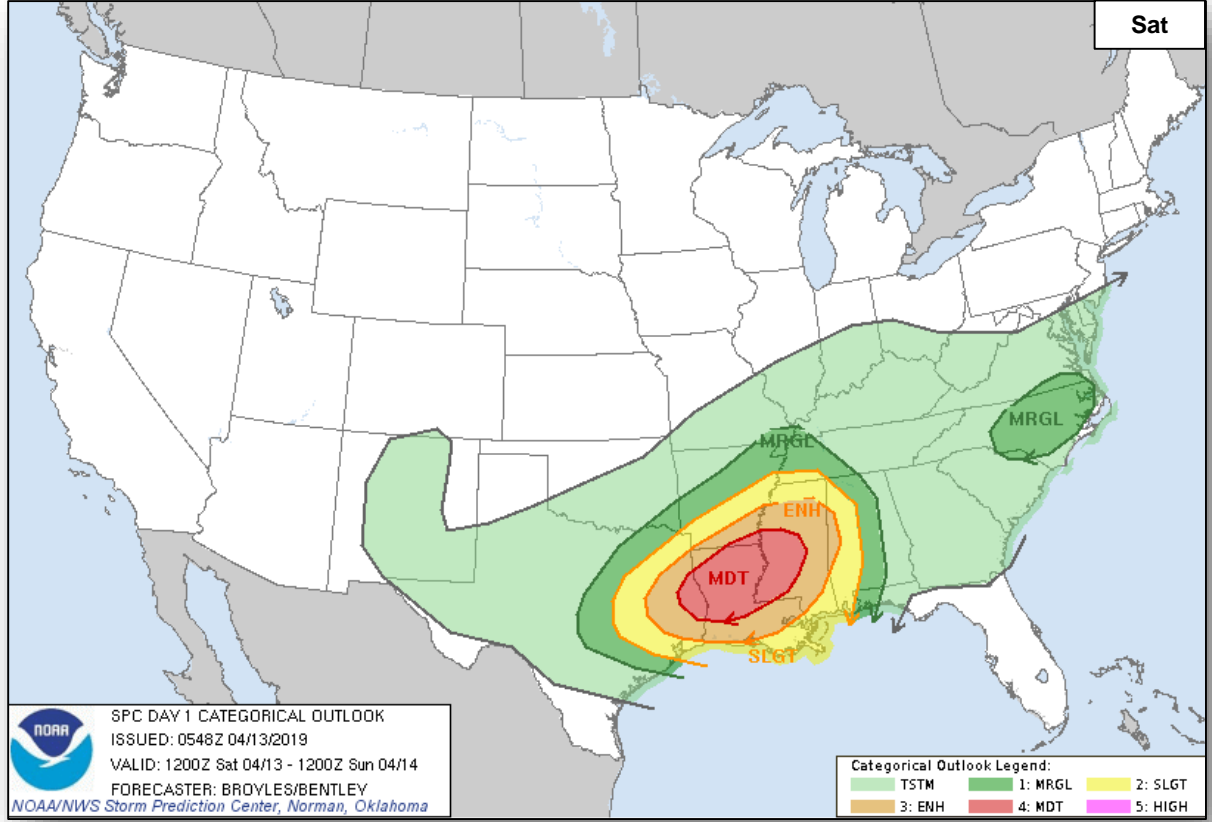
- Deployed to El Paso, TX; liaisons to CBP
- Elements of Region VI IMAT I deployed to McAllen, TX
- Assess/coordinate CBP sector and local emergency management requirements
- Demobilization/transition plan completed to facilitate deliberate transfer of contacts and activities from FEMA to CBP

FEMA Region IX – San Diego, Yuma, and El Centro Sectors:

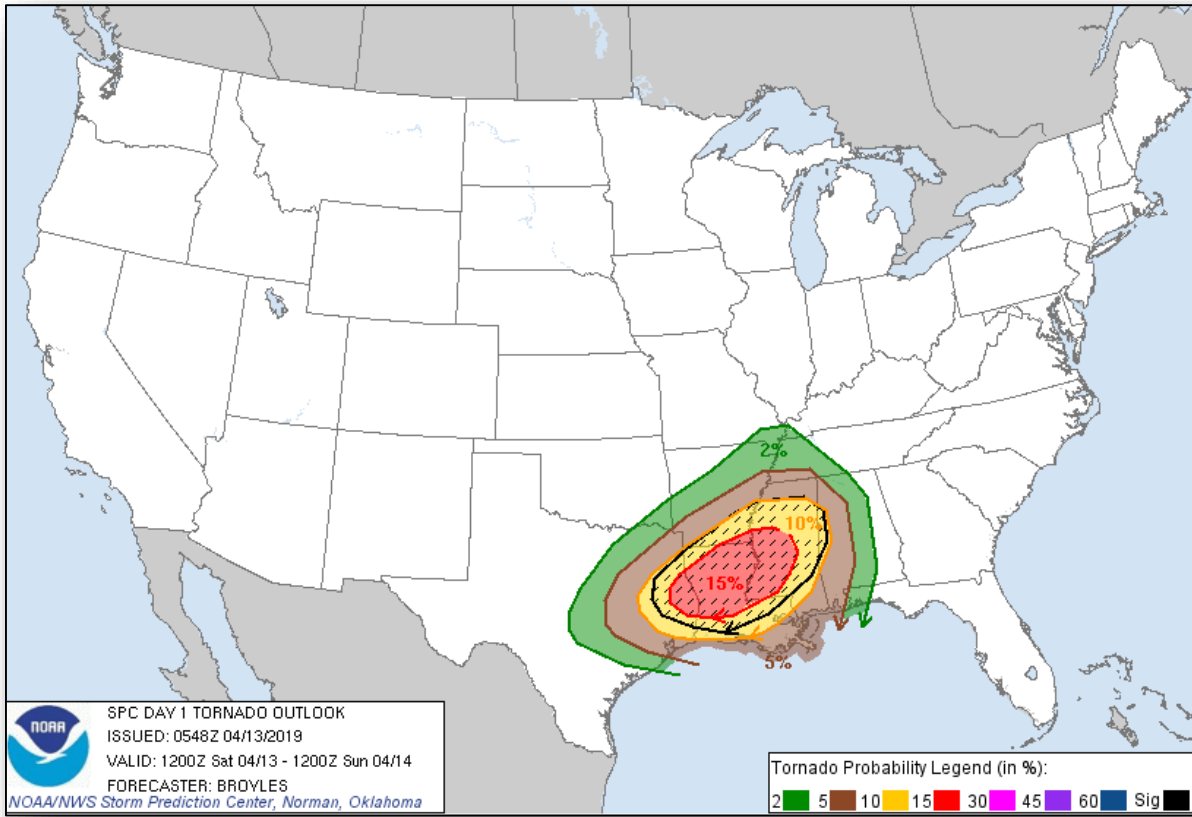
- Scoping team (RA, Ops, Mass Care, and VOAD) completed initial assessments;



Severe Weather Outlook



Significant Severe WX Outlook



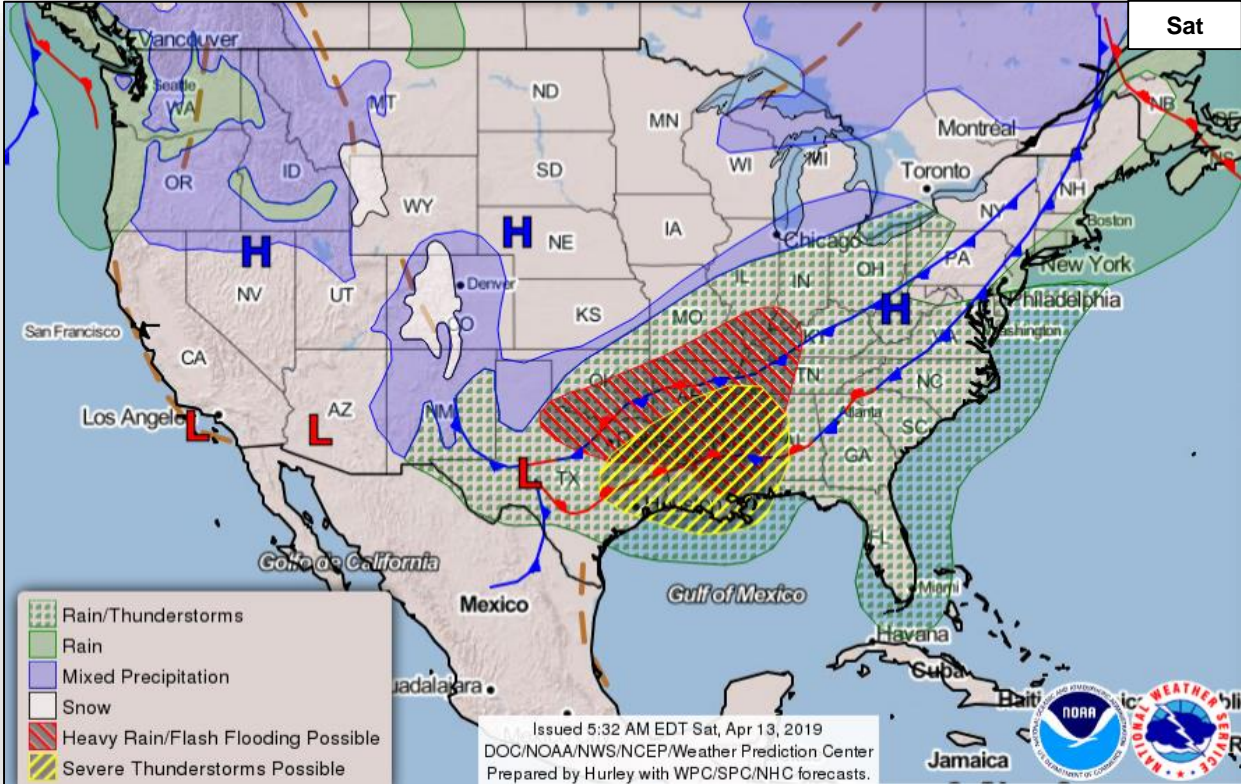
Severe Weather Probabilities

Probability for Severe Weather within 25 miles of a point

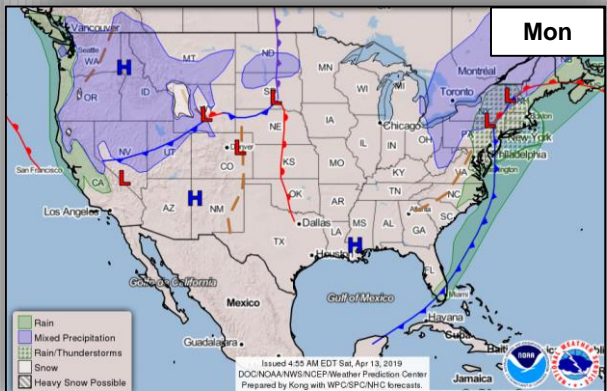
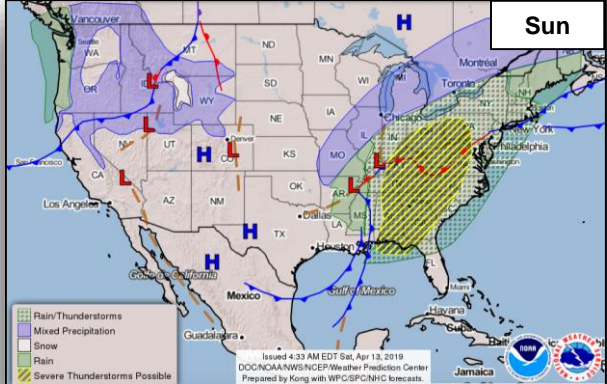
- 5%
- 15%
- 30%
- 45%
- 60%
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10%+ Probability for Significant Severe Wx

National Weather Forecast



- Rain/Thunderstorms
- Rain
- Mixed Precipitation
- Snow
- Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding Possible
- Severe Thunderstorms Possible

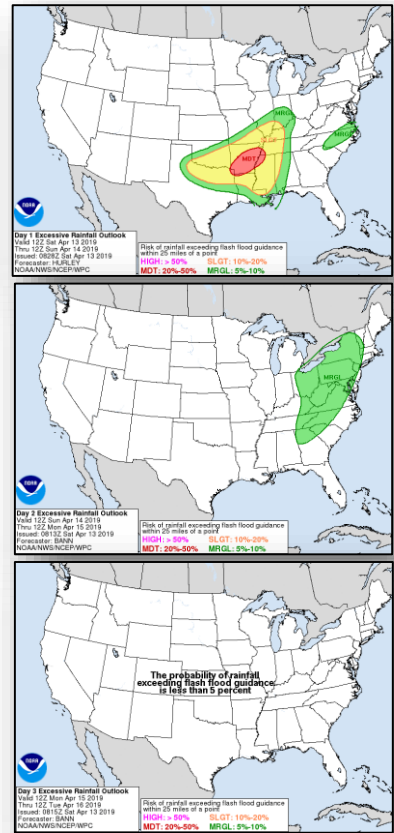
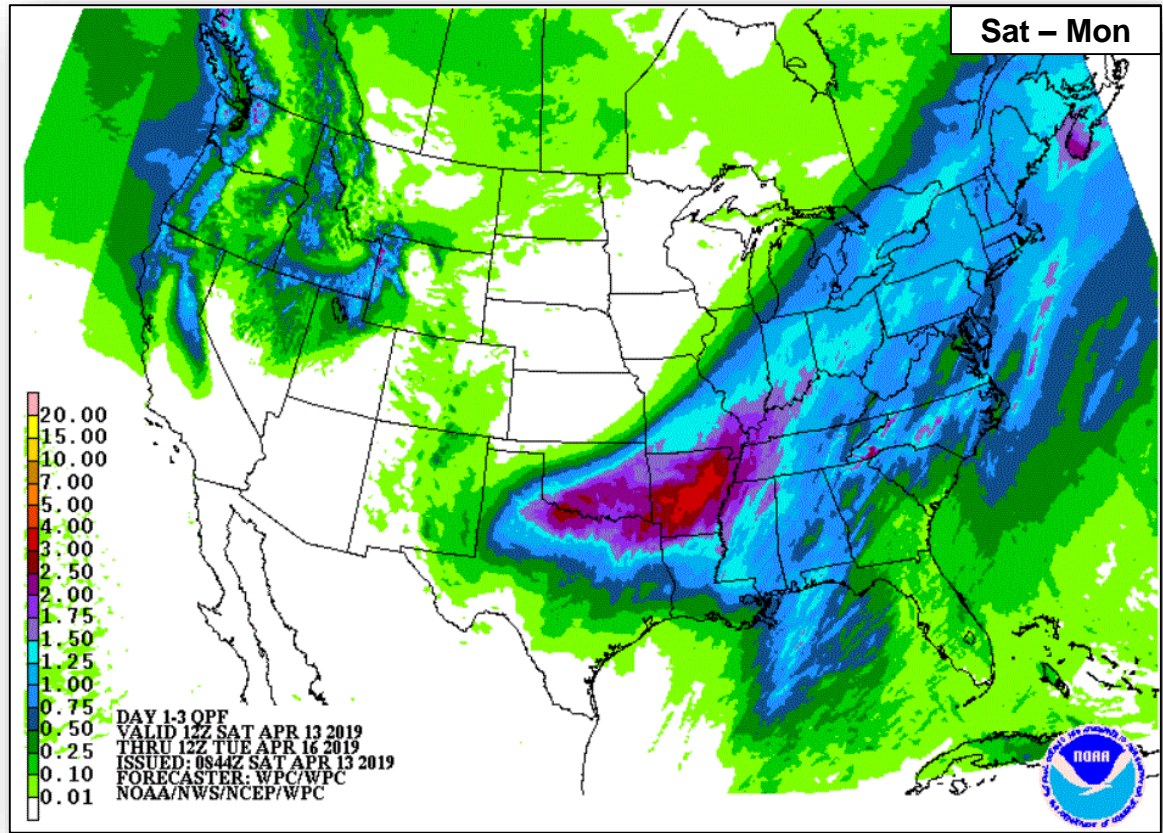


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Precipitation Forecast



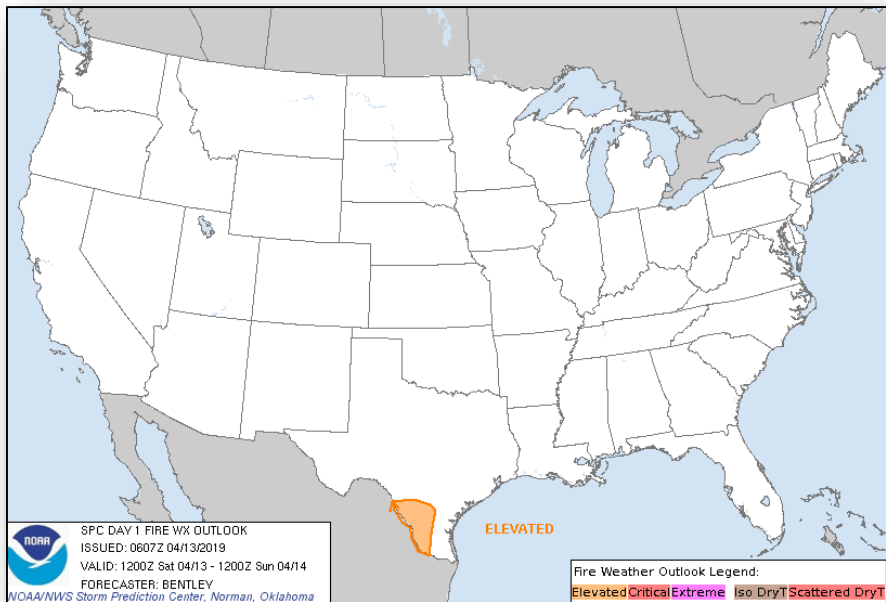
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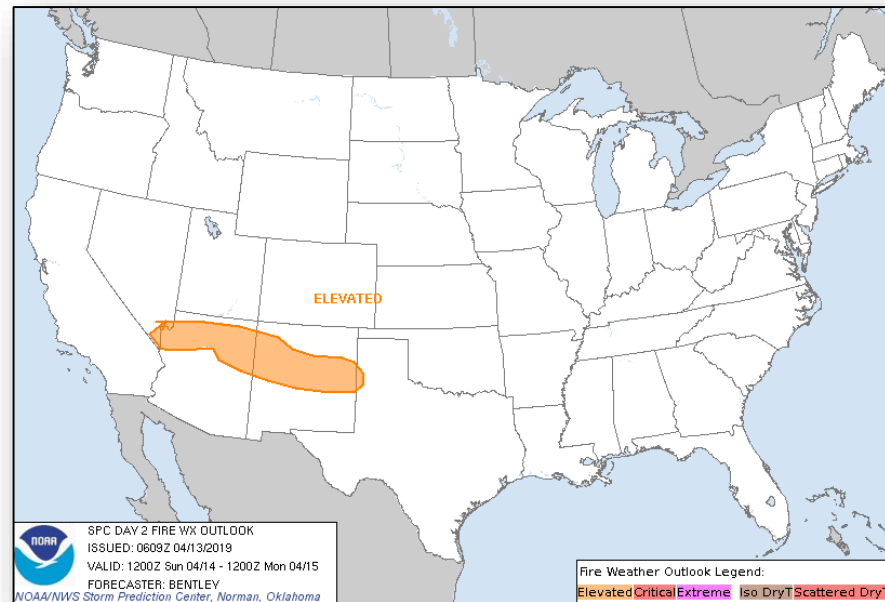
Fire Weather Outlook



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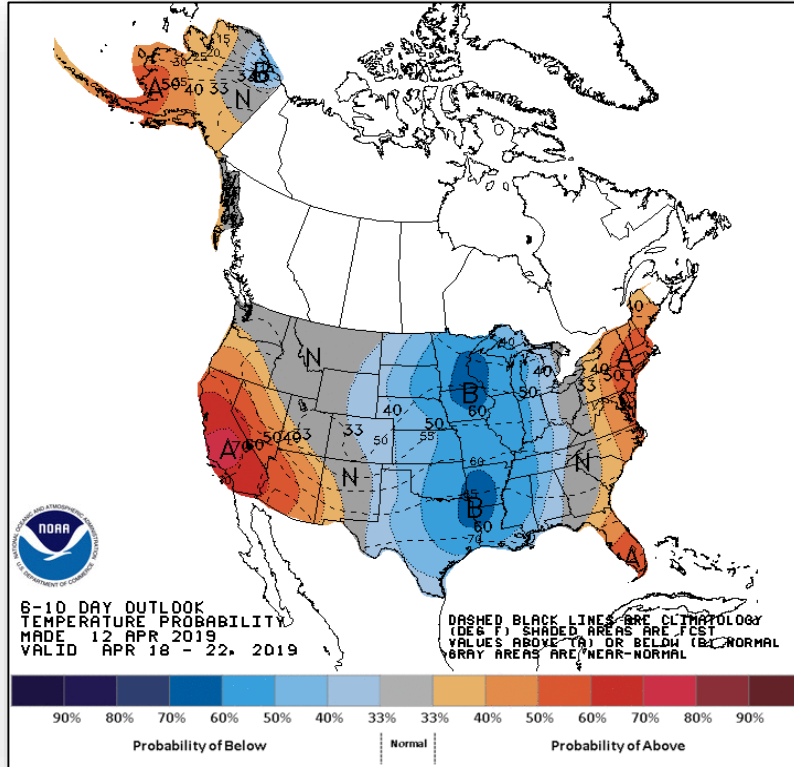


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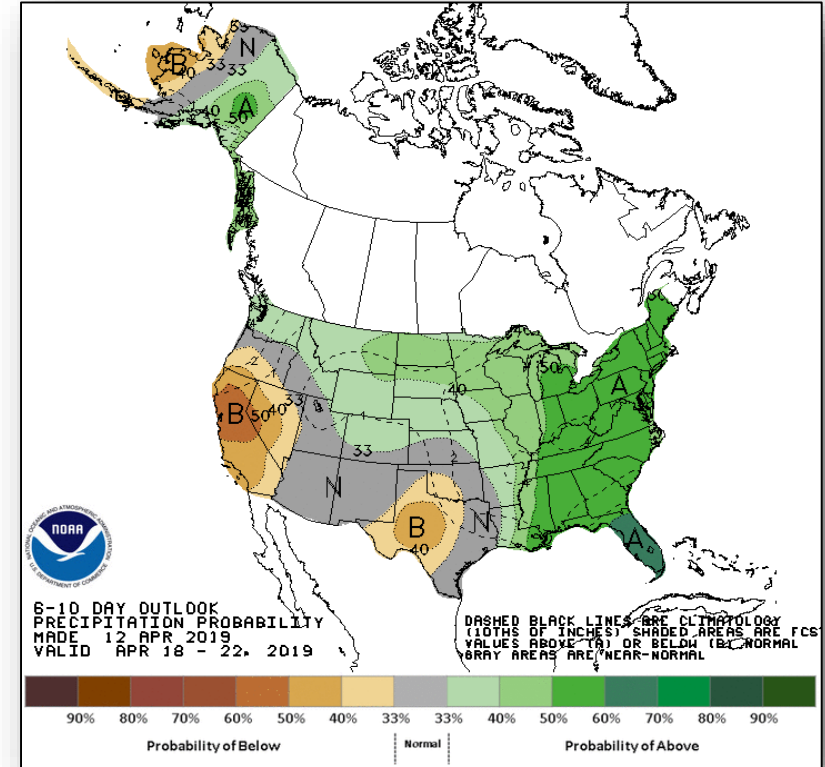
Long Range Outlooks – April 18 – 22



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6 - 10 Day Temperature Probability



6 - 10 Day Precipitation Probability

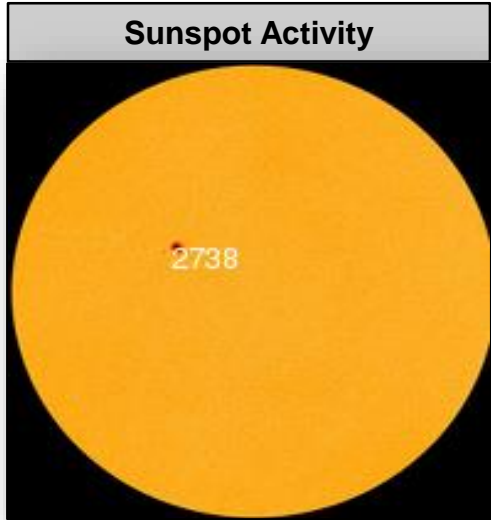
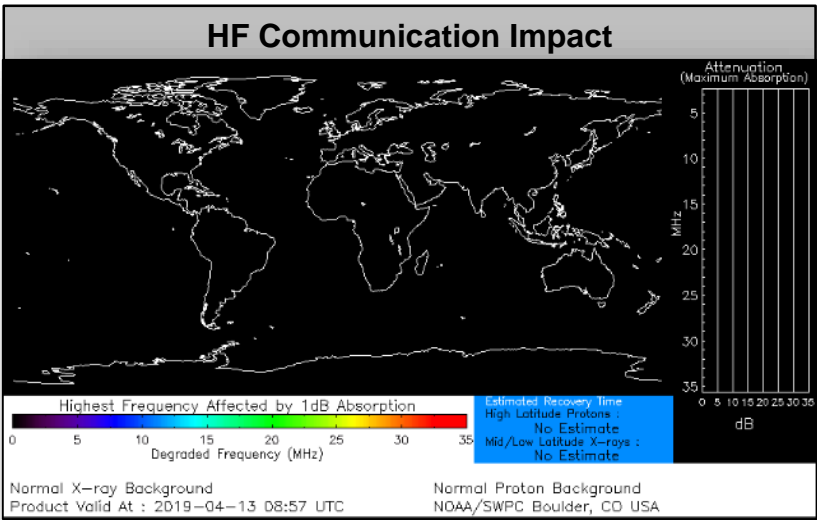
Space Weather



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	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



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
IV	AL	Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding February 19 – March 20, 2019	IA	3	3	3/20 – 3/28
			PA	13	11	3/20 – TBD
	MS	Severe Storms, Tornado, Straight-line winds and Flooding February 22 and continuing	IA	3	3	3/12 – 4/10
			PA	20	20 (+6)	3/12 – 4/12
VII	MO	Severe Storms and Flooding March 11, 2019 and continuing	IA	5	0	4/10 – TBD
			PA	13	8 (+4)	4/10 – TBD
IX	FSM*	Typhoon Wutip February 19-22, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	2	0	3/20 – TBD
X	OR	Winter Storms February 24-26, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	5	0	4/8 – TBD

*Federated States of Micronesia

Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
6	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	0	0
MS – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornado, and Flooding	X	X	X	March 21, 2019		
TN – DR Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	X	X	X	March 22, 2019		
U.S. Territory of Guam – DR Super Typhoon Wutip		X	X	March 25, 2019		
AL – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornado, and Flooding	X	X	X	March 26, 2019		
KY – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides		X	X	April 3, 2019		
Sac & Fox Tribe of the Mississippi in Iowa - DR Severe Storms and Flooding		X	X	April 11, 2019		

Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



National and Regional Resources		Cadres with 25% or Less Availability	
IM Workforce	Strength: ▼ 13,067	EHP 8% (36/459); ER 12% (7/58); FL 14% (21/154); FM 24% (68/288); HM 17% (188/1106); LOG 21% (278/1340); OPS 18% (48/267); PA 8% (175/2234); PLAN 19% (74/387); SAF 7% (4/55); SEC 17% (21/123)	
	Available: ▲ 3,567 / 27%		
	Other: 3,572		
	Deployed: ▲ 5,971		
N-IMAT	East: Available West: Available Crisis: Available		
Regional IMAT (4-6 Teams)	Assigned: 13 Available: 4 (+1) PMC / NMC: 2 (-1) Deployed: 7		
N-ISB Teams (3 Teams)	Team A: Available Team B: Available Team C: Available		
US&R (>66%)	Assigned: 28 Available: 27 PMC / NMC: 1 Deployed: 0		
MERS (>66%)	Assigned: 36 Available: 36 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 0		
FCO (≤1 Type I)	Assigned: 29 Available: 4 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 25		
FDRC (≥3)	Assigned: 12 Available: 3 PMC / NMC: 0 Deployed: 9		

FEMA Readiness – Activation Teams



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Status		Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason / Comments
NWC (5 Teams)	Steady State				
NRCC (2 Teams)	Activated	NRCS	ROC	Day shift	DHS Support Primary – Blue Team
HLT	Available				
RWC/MOCs (10 Regions)	Available				
RRCCs (10 Regions)	Available				

Backup Regions: VIII, I, & II



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