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Daily Operations Briefing

Sunday, May 19, 2019

8:30 a.m. EDT

Significant Activity – May 18-19



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Significant Events: None

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic: Disturbance 1: [Medium \(40%\)](#)
- Eastern Pacific: Disturbance 1: Low (30%)
- Central Pacific: No significant activity affecting U.S. interests
- Western Pacific: No significant activity affecting U.S. interests

Significant Weather:

- Moderate risk for severe thunderstorms (Monday) – Texas and Oklahoma
- Severe thunderstorms possible – [Ohio Valley to Great Lakes and Mid-Atlantic](#)
- Heavy rain and flash flooding possible – [Lower Mississippi Valley; Upper Mississippi Valley to Great Lakes](#)

Declaration Activity: [Major Disaster Declaration approved - California](#)

Space Activity: None

**Hurricane Season begins in
[12 days](#)**

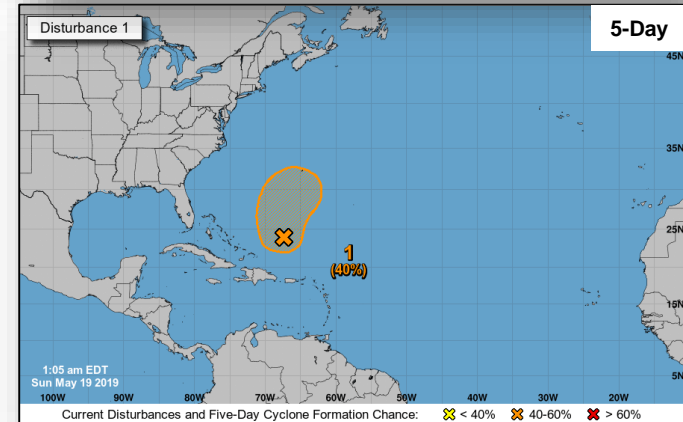
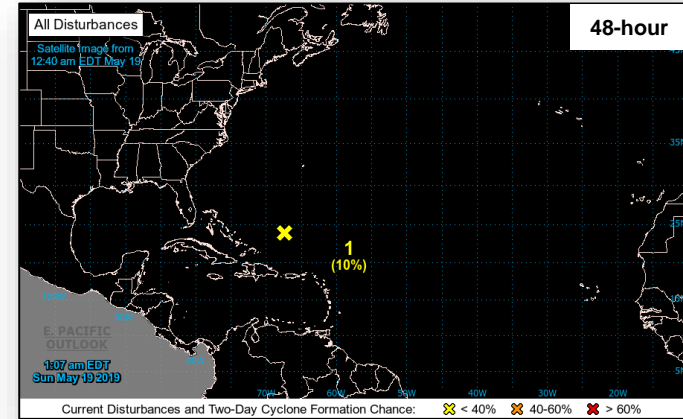
Tropical Outlook – Atlantic



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Disturbance 1 (as of 1:00 a.m. EDT)

- Expected to form several hundred miles SW of Bermuda during the next couple of days
- Moving N or NE
- Could gradually develop into a tropical or subtropical cyclone through Tuesday; conditions are forecast to become unfavorable for further development by the middle of the week
- Does not pose a threat to U.S. or U.S. interests
- Formation chance through 48 hours: **Low (10%)**
- Formation chance through 5 days: **Medium (40%)**

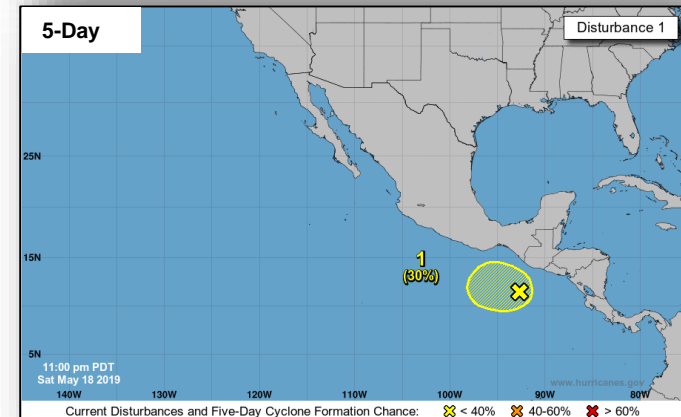
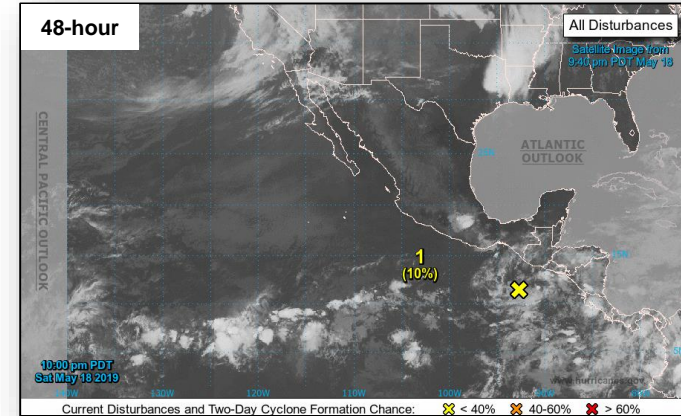


Tropical Outlook – Eastern Pacific



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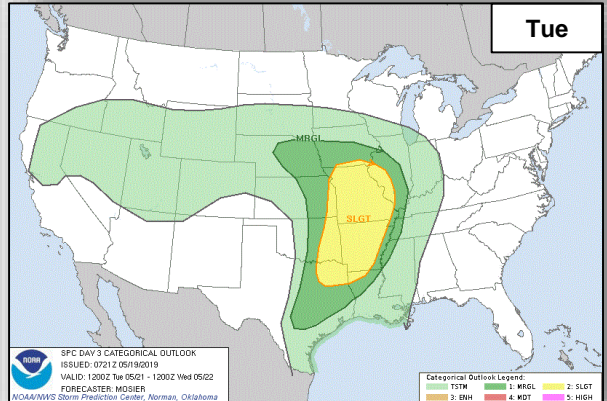
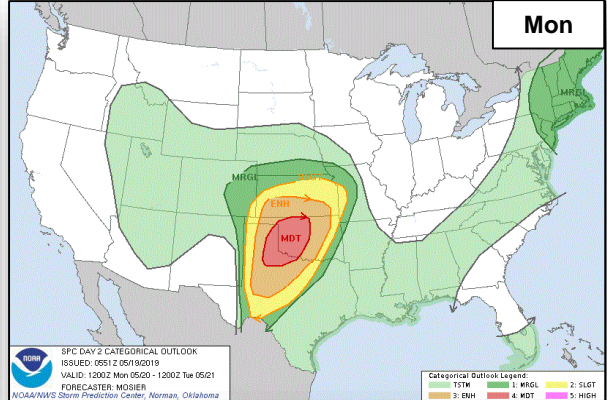
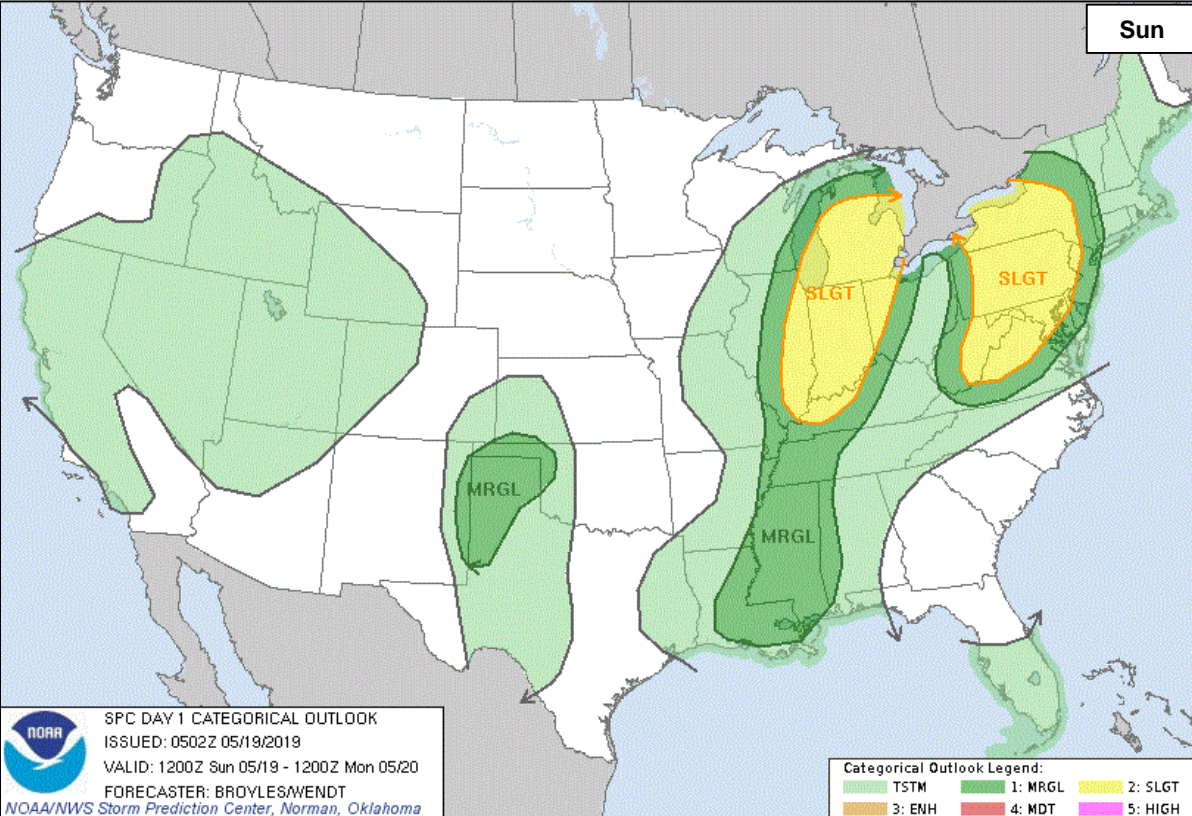
- 200 miles SSW of the Mexico-Guatemala border
- Environmental conditions expected to be only marginally conducive for development during the next few days
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (30%)



Severe Weather Outlook



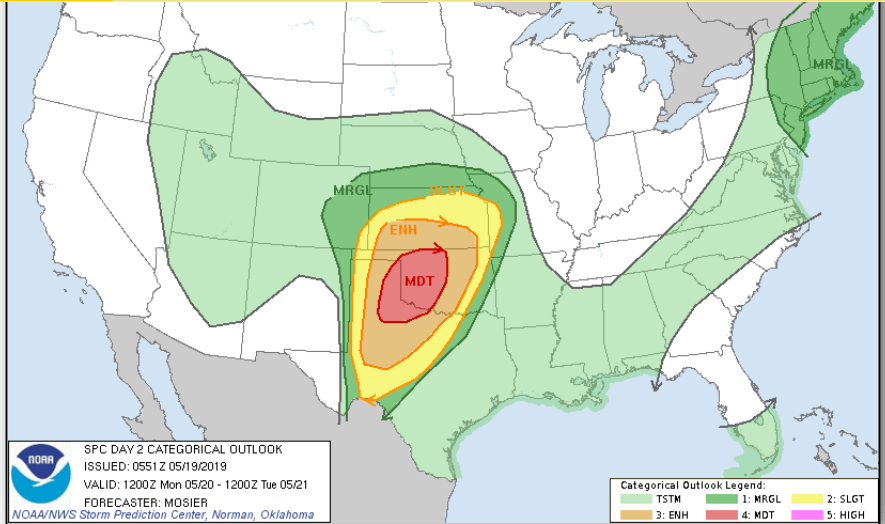
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Severe Weather Outlook – Monday

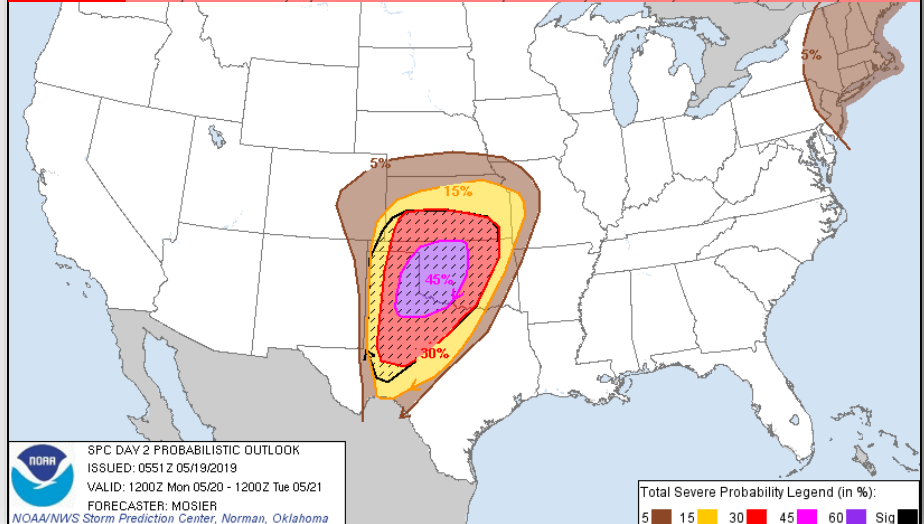


Day 2 Risk	Area (sq. mi.)	Area Pop.	Some Larger Population Centers in Risk Area
MODERATE	42,628	1,673,288	Oklahoma City, OK...Lawton, OK...Edmond, OK...Midwest City, OK...Moore, OK...
ENHANCED	94,929	3,937,916	Tulsa, OK...Wichita, KS...Lubbock, TX...Amarillo, TX...Abilene, TX...



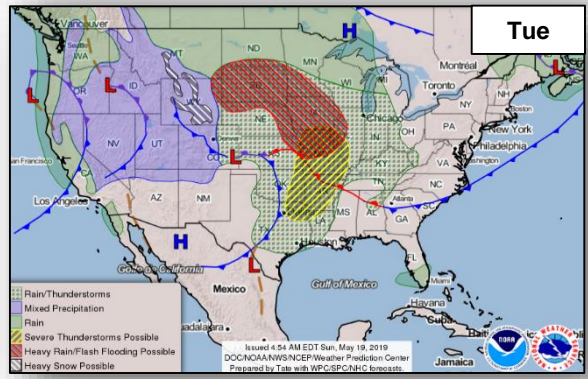
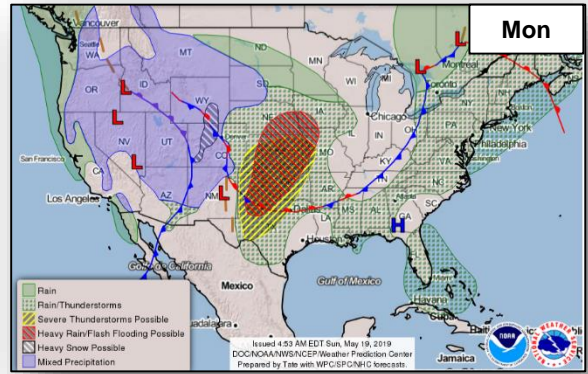
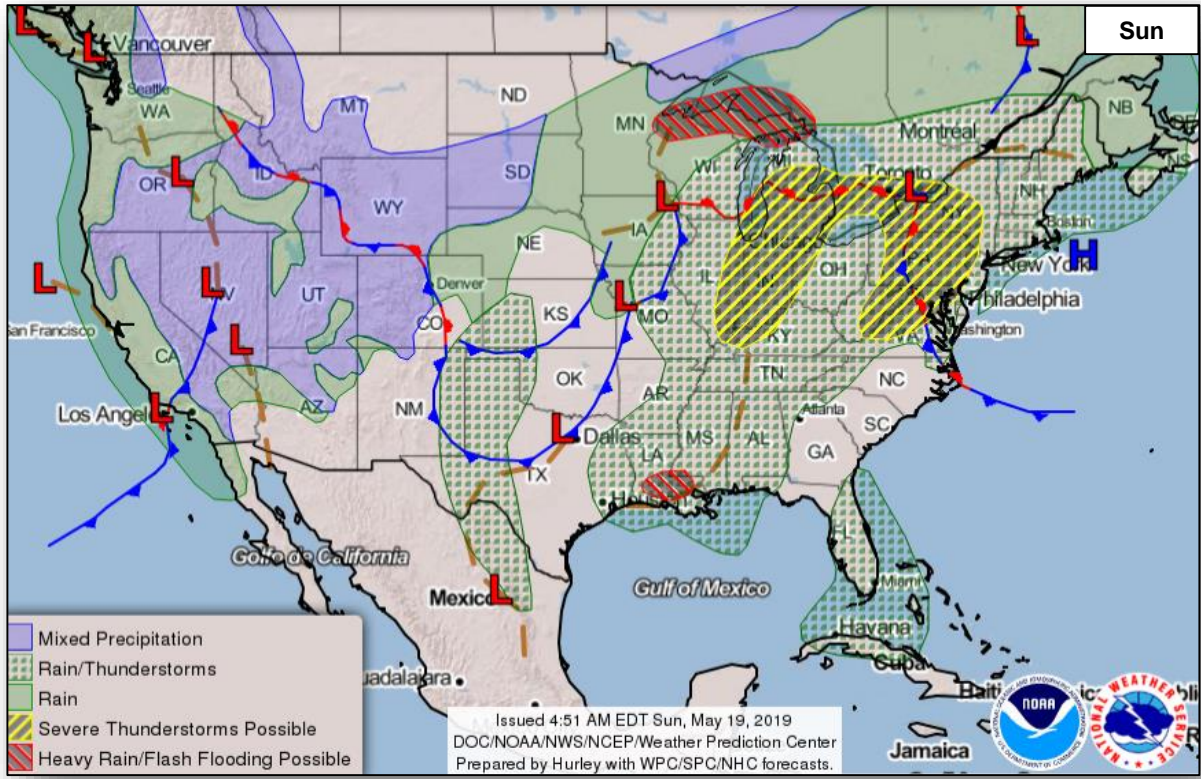
Categorical Outlook

Day 2 Prob. Risk	Area (sq. mi.)	Area Pop.	Some Larger Population Centers in Risk Area
SIG SEVERE	161,122	5,956,677	Oklahoma City, OK...Tulsa, OK...Wichita, KS...Lubbock, TX...Amarillo, TX...
45 %	42,628	1,673,288	Oklahoma City, OK...Lawton, OK...Edmond, OK...Midwest City, OK...Moore, OK...
30 %	94,929	3,937,916	Tulsa, OK...Wichita, KS...Lubbock, TX...Amarillo, TX...Abilene, TX...



Probabilistic Outlook

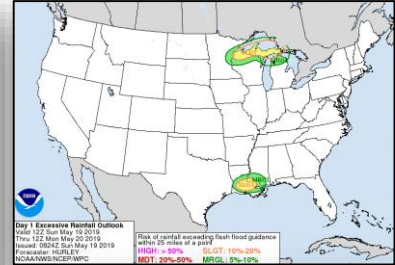
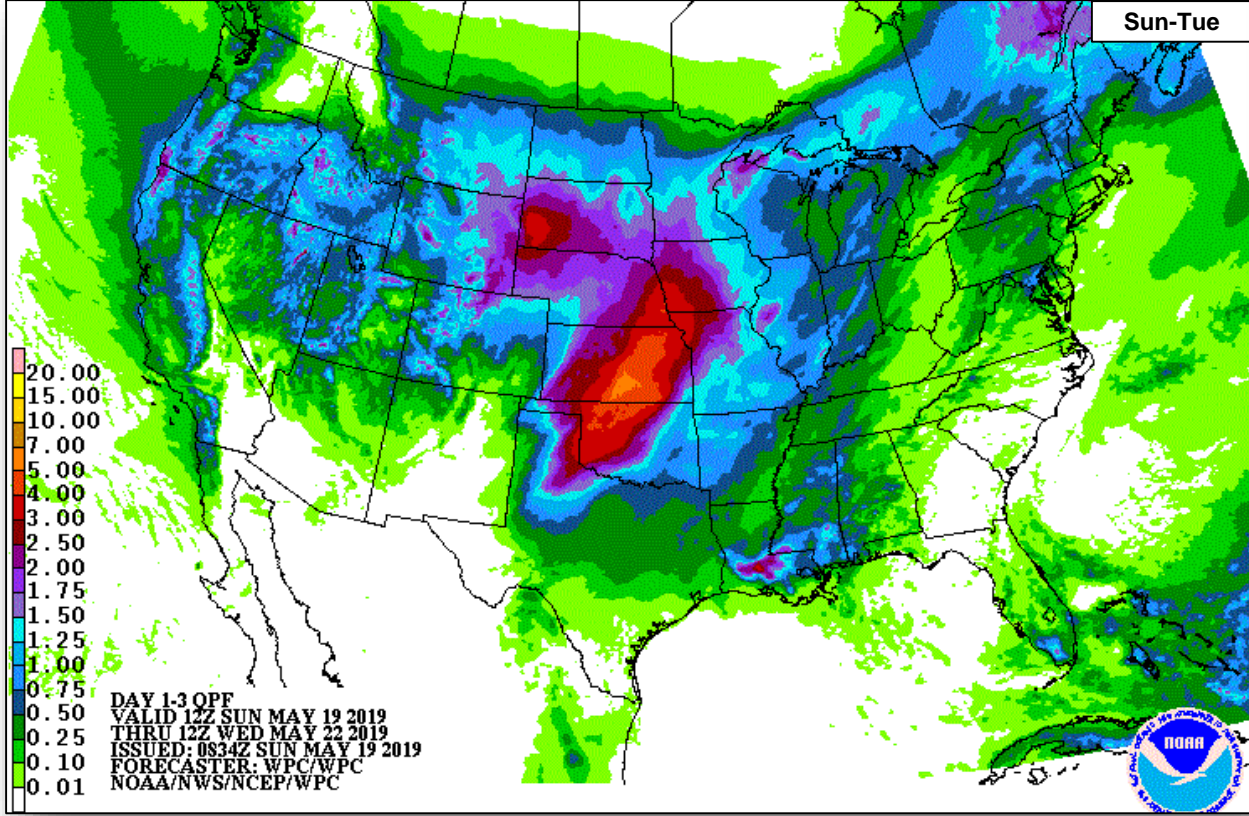
National Weather Forecast



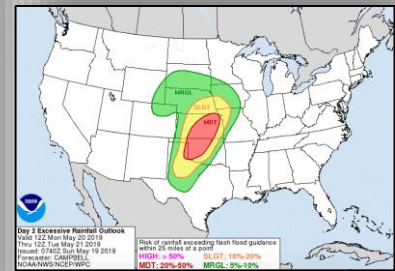
Precipitation Forecast



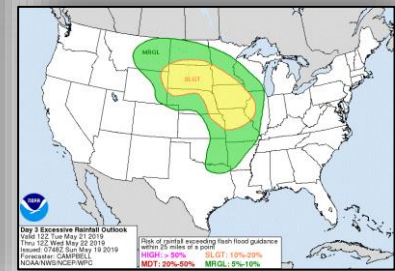
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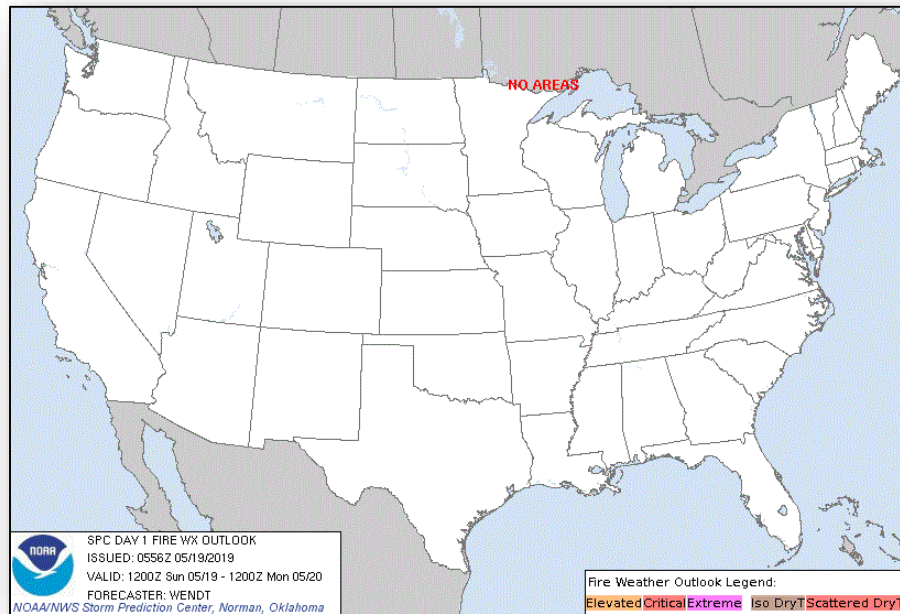


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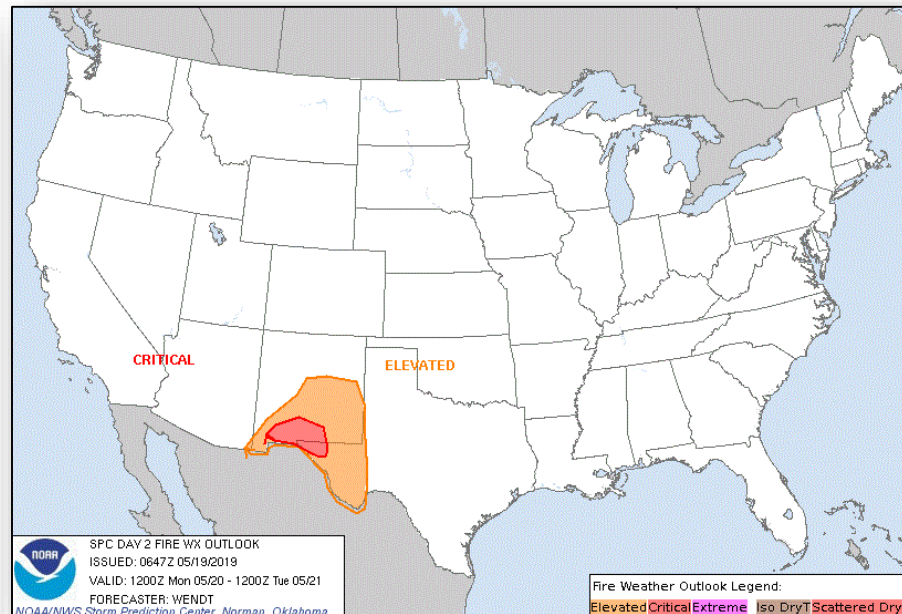
Fire Weather Outlook



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Sunday

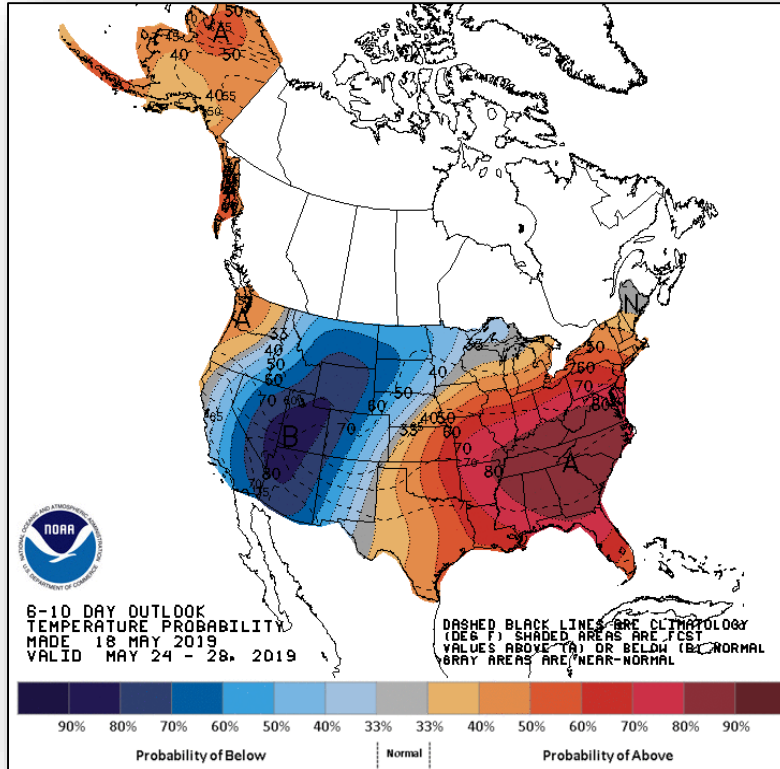


Monday

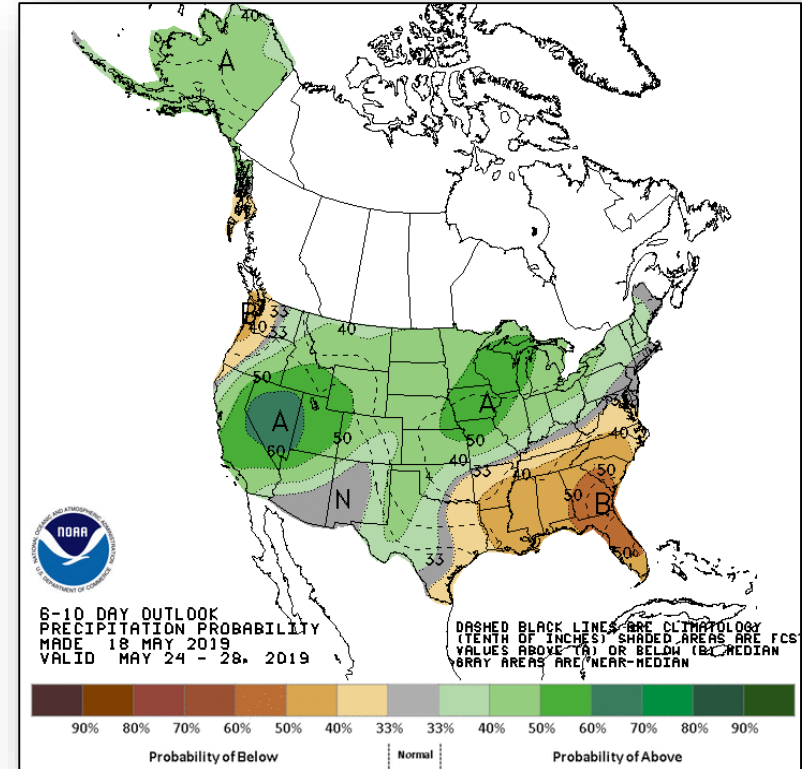
Long Range Outlooks – May 24 - 28



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6 - 10 Day Temperature Probability



6 - 10 Day Precipitation Probability

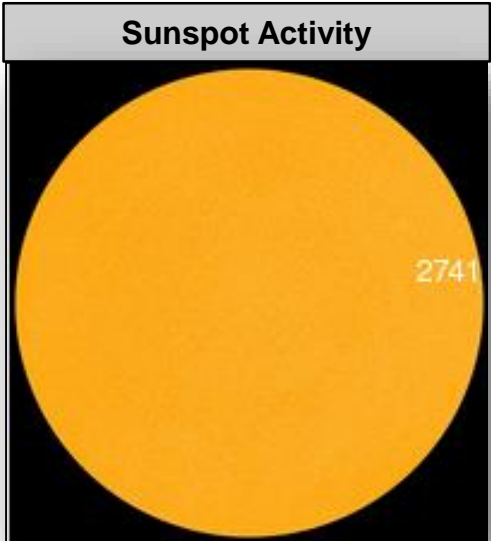
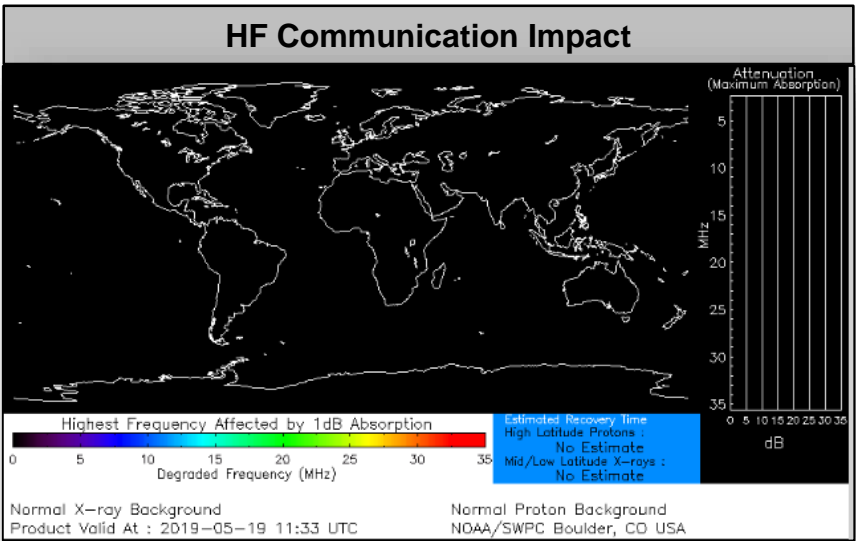
Space Weather



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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	MS	Severe weather, tornadoes and flooding April 13-14, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	8	0	5/21 - TBD
V	MN	Severe storms and flooding March 12 – April 29, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	51 & 4 Tribes	51 & 4 Tribes	5/7 – 5/17
VI	OK	Severe weather April 30, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	25	8	5/16 – TBD
	TX	Severe weather May 7, 2019	IA	1	0	5/7 – TBD
			PA	0	0	N/A
VII	PTN*	Severe storms and flooding March 13, 2019 – April 1, 2019	IA	1	0	4/18 – TBD
			PA	1	1	4/17 – 4/17
VIII	SD	Severe winter storms and flooding March 13 – April 26, 2019	IA	6	6	5/6 – 5/11
			PA	59	52	5/17 – TBD
	ND	Severe winter storms and flooding March 13 – April 26, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	20	0	5/7 – TBD

*Ponca Tribe of Nebraska

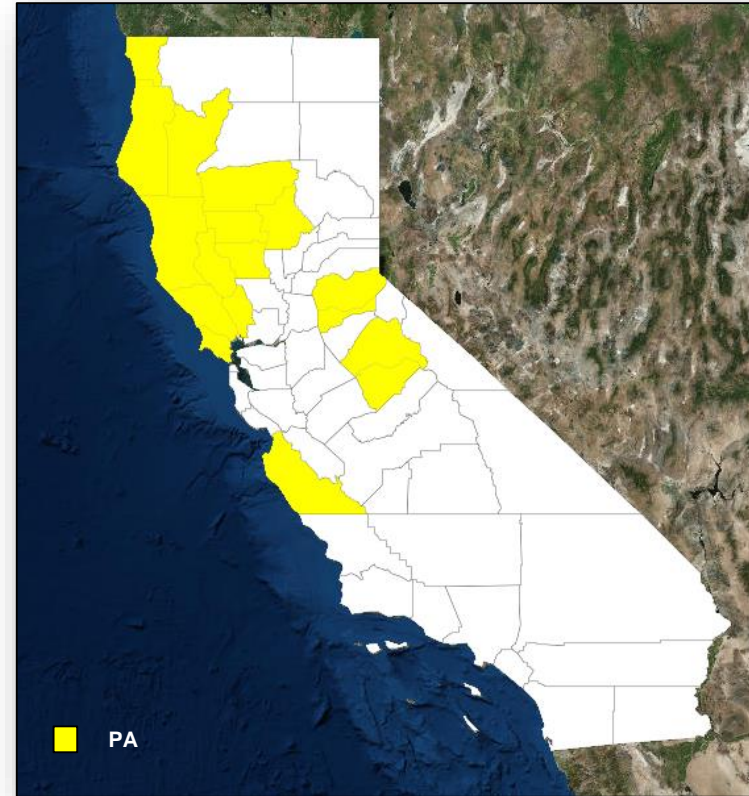
Declaration Approved



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FEMA-4434-DR-CA

- Major Disaster Declaration was approved on May 18, 2019 for the State of California
- For severe winter storms, flooding, landslides, and mudslides that occurred February 24 – March 1, 2019
- Provides:
 - Public Assistance for 17 counties
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is Benigno Bern Ruiz



Disaster Requests & Declarations



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Declaration Requests in Process					Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
3	IA	PA	HM	Date Requested	1	0
CA – DR Severe Winter Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides		X	X	April 13, 2019	May 18, 2019	
MO – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	X	X	X	April 24, 2019		
Navajo Nation – DR Snowstorms and Flooding		X	X	April 29, 2019		
MT – DR Snowstorms and Flooding		X	X	May 9, 2019		

FEMA Common Operating Picture



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NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	GOLD Team

FEMA REGIONS		
WATCH	RRC	
Monitoring	I	Rostered
Monitoring	II	Rostered
Monitoring	III	Rostered
Monitoring	IV	Rostered
Monitoring	V	Rostered
Monitoring	VI	Rostered
Monitoring	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Rostered

Activation Details
No activations

N-IMATs = 3 Teams	
East	
West	
Crisis	
R-IMATs 7 + Teams	
I	
II	
III	
IV-1	
IV-2	
V	
VI-1	
VI-2	TX
VII	Reconstituting
VIII	
IX-1	CA
IX-2	
X	AK
FMC	PMC
NMC	Deployed

Team:	US&R	MERS	FCOs	FDRCS	IM WORKFORCE	IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY	
Status	(>66%)	(>66%)	(≤1 Type 1)	(=2)		Cadres with 25% or Less Availability	
Assigned:	28	36	29	12	13,262	EHP 9% (45/492); ER 7% (4/60); FL 13% (20/153); HM 19% (210/1,118); IT 23% (153/661); LOG 19% (253/1,324); OPS 22% (56/260); PA 6% (144/2,453); PLAN 18% (69/386); SAF 13% (7/53); SEC 19% (24/125)	
Unavailable:	0	0	0	0	3,775		
Deployed:	0	0	25	10	5,783		
Available:	28	36	4	2	3,704 / 28%		

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