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Daily Operations Briefing

Monday, May 18, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations & Monitoring



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Significant Incidents or Threats:

- COVID-19
- Heavy rain and flash flooding possible – [Tennessee Valley to Southeast, Southern Appalachians and Great Lakes](#)
- Critical fire weather – [Southwest to Central Great Basin and Central/Southern Rockies](#)

Tropical Activity:

- Atlantic – Tropical Storm Arthur

Declaration Activity: None

COVID-19 Update



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Situation: Among the 13 (+1) states not presently experiencing a decrease in confirmed cases, 6 (+1) have no stay-at-home orders in place, 3 have stay-at-home advisories, and 4 have statewide stay-at-home orders in place. Nationwide testing: 10,847,778 (+421,901) cumulative as of May 16

Operational Task Forces:

Community Based Testing Sites:

- 191,941 (+1,058) samples collected at CBTS locations since Mar 20
- 260,971 (+14,820) tests processed by Private-Partnership Testing Sites since Apr 5

Lifelines Impacts:

Health and Medical Lifeline

Public Health:

- **Federal/State Assistance:** Over 113.1 million cloth facial coverings are being processed and distributed to state, territorial, tribal, private sector, and federal entities
- **Testing:** FEMA has delivered 5.27 (+.98) million swabs and 3.1 (+.6) million media across all states and territories to supplement supplies that states and health care providers are procuring from the private market

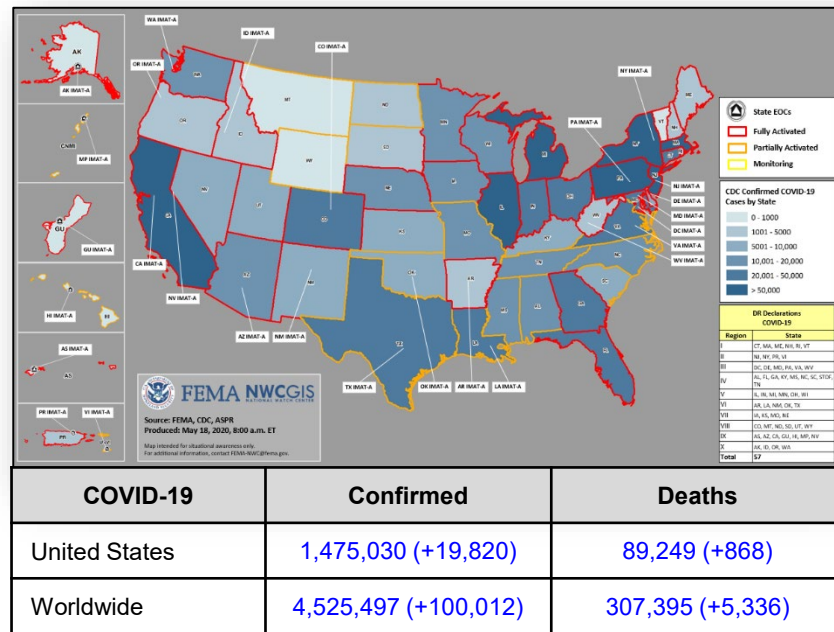
Other Domestic Lifelines

Food, Water, Shelter:

- **Salvation Army** provided 40 pallets of fresh food product, 400 food boxes, 2 pallets of water, and 1 pallet of toys to the Navajo Nation; providing support for AZ and NM rural communities through the distribution of gift cards from a major retailer

Transportation:

- **DC:** The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority will require customers on all trains and buses to wear face masks



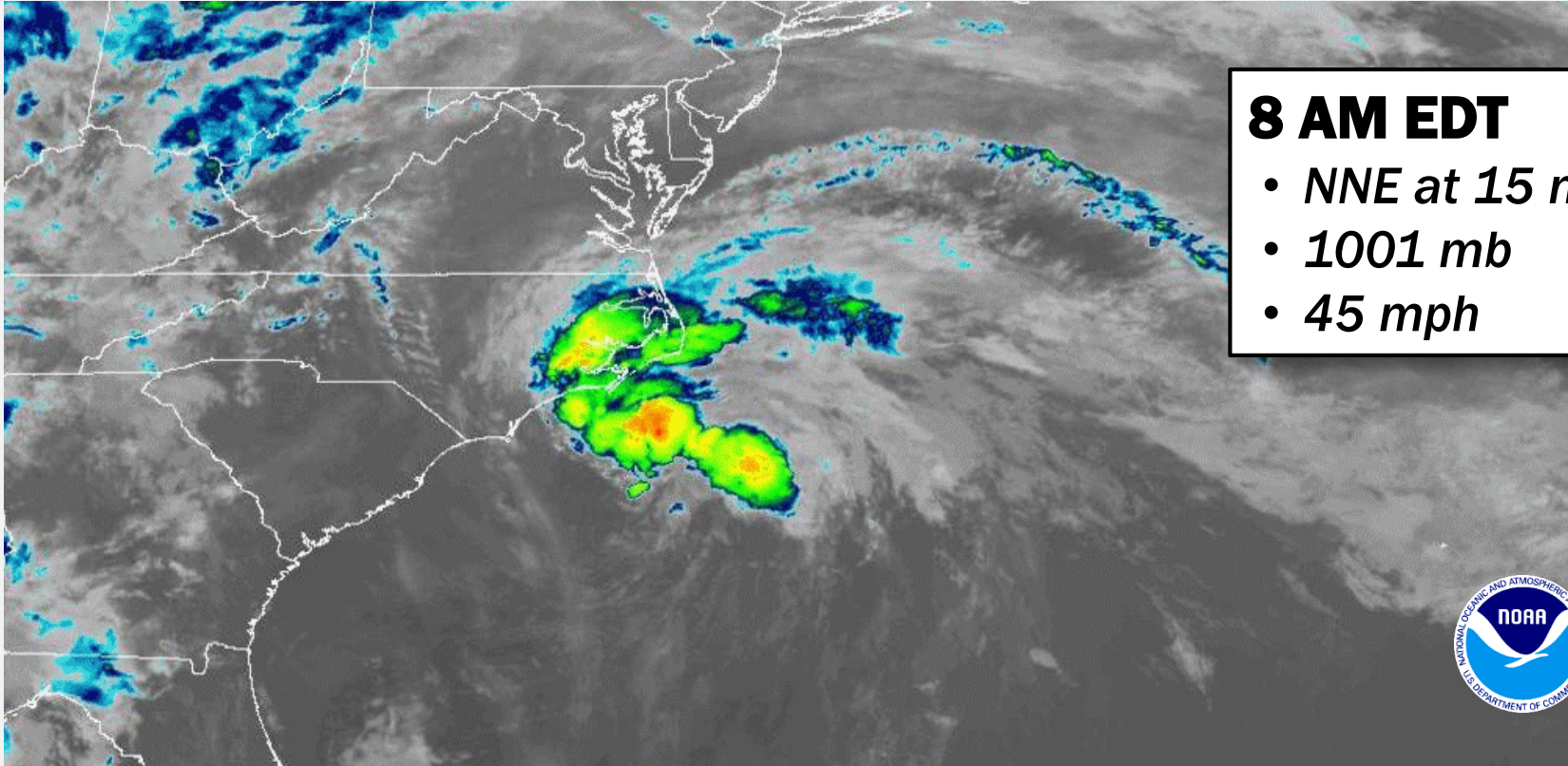
Response:

(FEMA SLB COVID-19, May 17)

- FEMA NRCC activated to Level I; all FEMA RRCCs activated
- 28 FEMA IMAT-A teams deployed (24 actual/ 4 virtual) to states/territories/tribal nations; LNOs deployed to 37 states/territories/tribal nations
- 57 Major Disaster Declarations approved; All State / Territory EOCs activated
- 47,594 (-1,763) FEMA, DoD, HHS, VA, and CDC personnel deployed / activated; 3,136 (-7) FEMA employees deployed

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SATELLITE LOOP



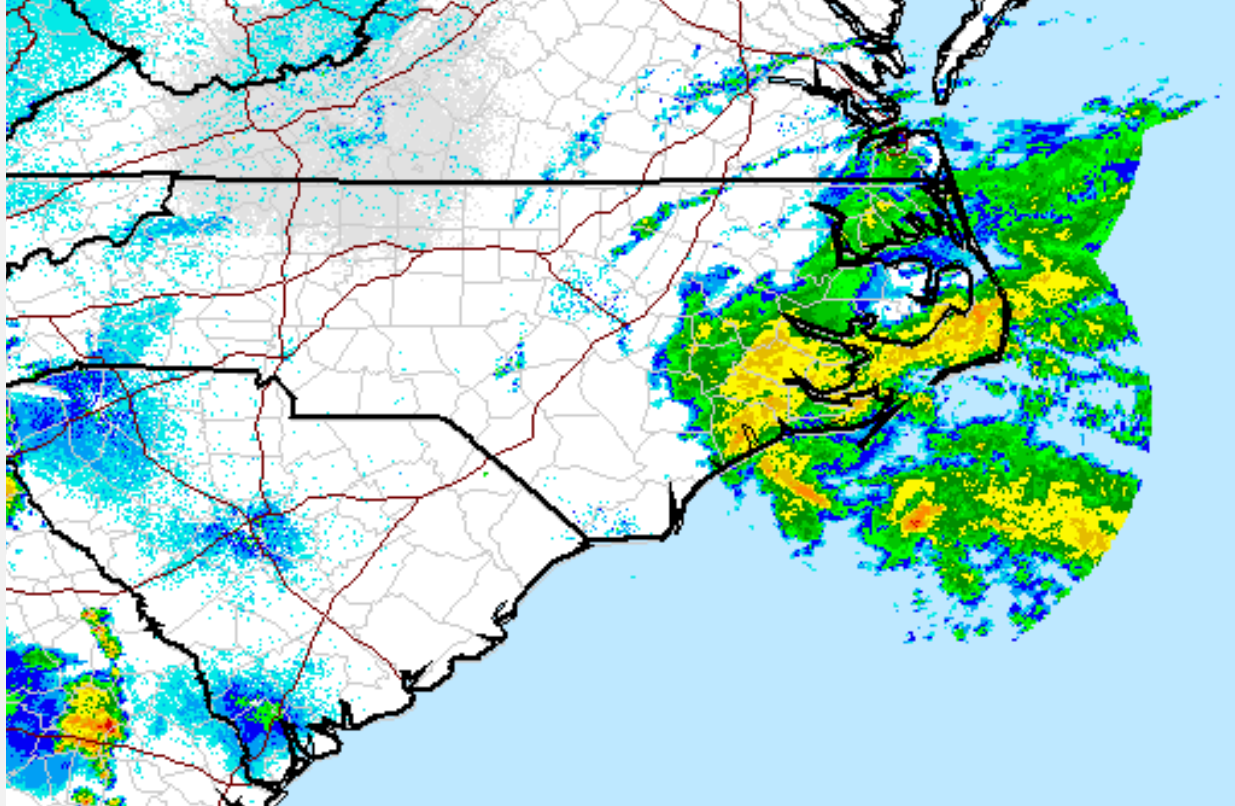
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RADAR LOOP



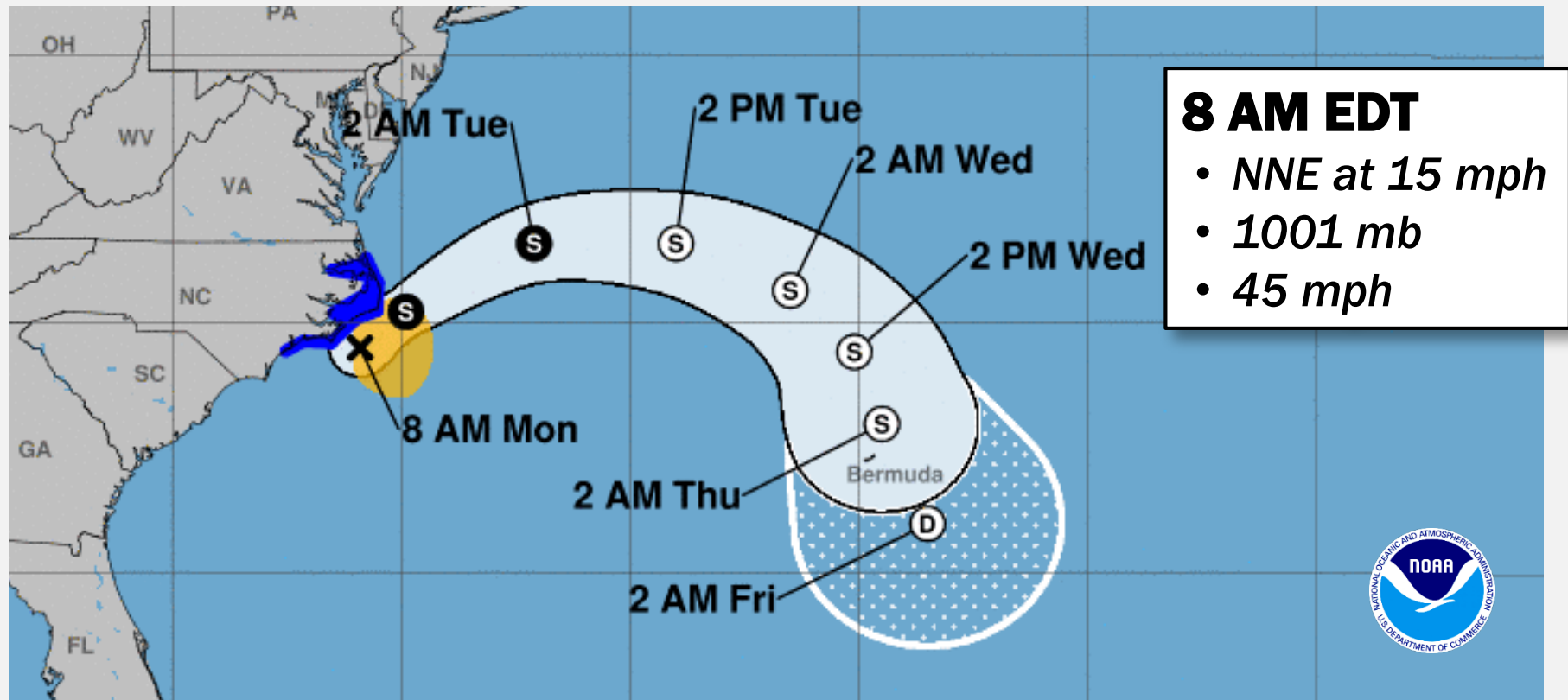
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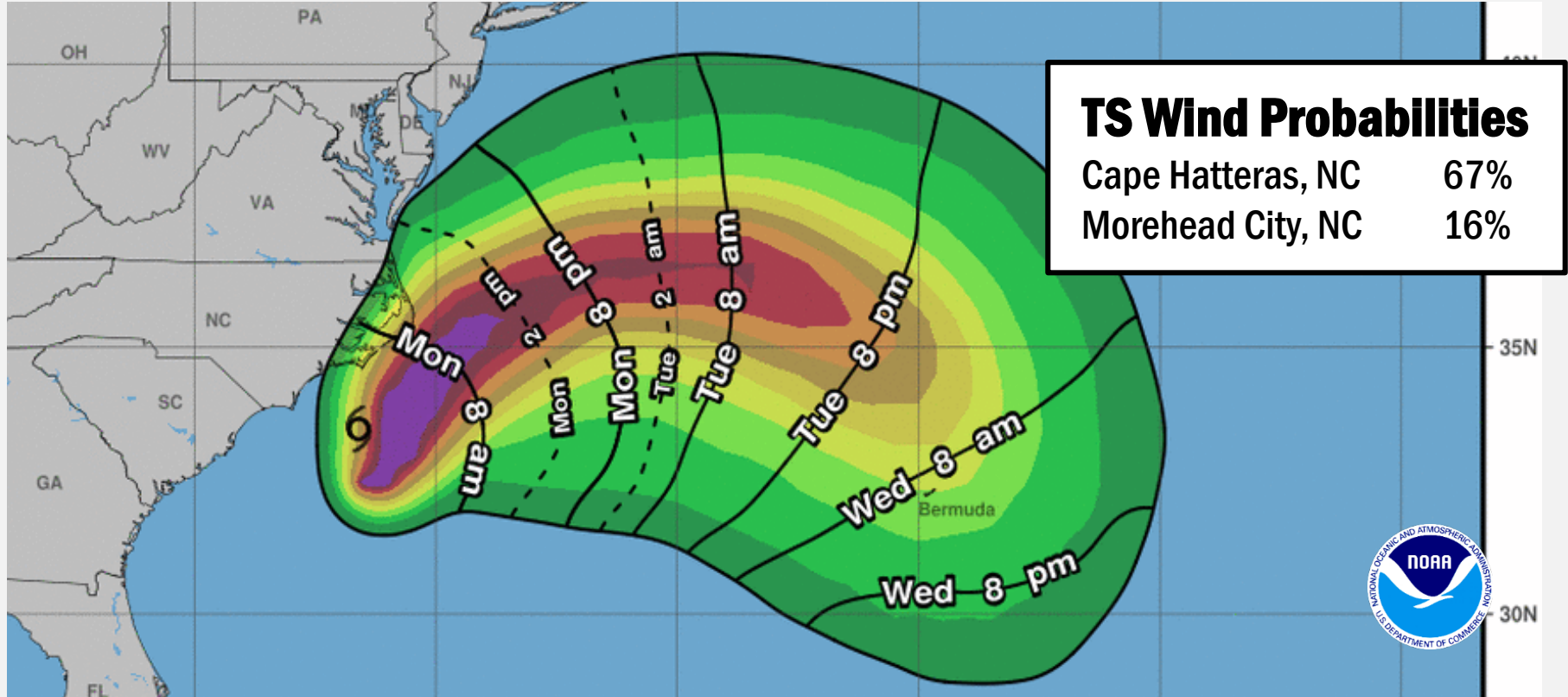
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FORECAST TRACK



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ONSET OF TS WINDS

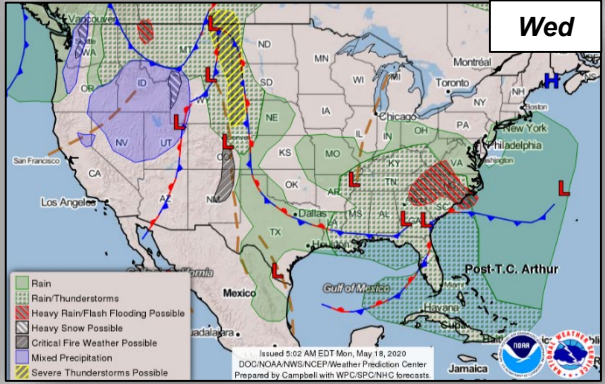
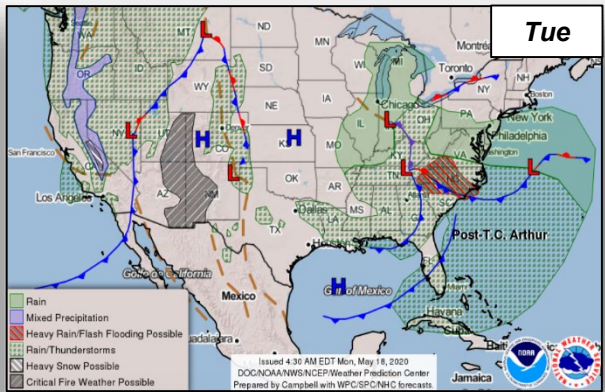
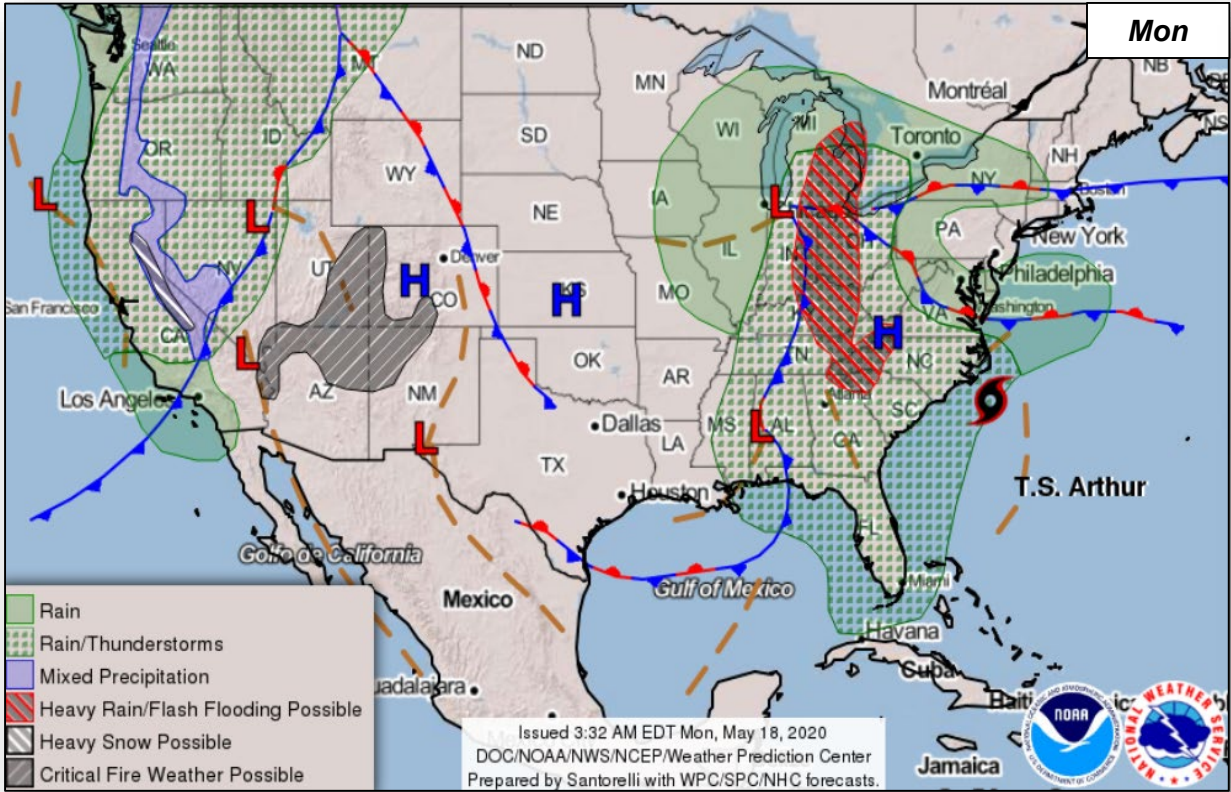


East Pacific Overview

TROPICAL OUTLOOK



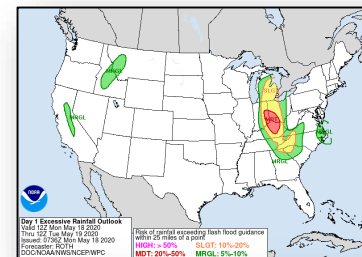
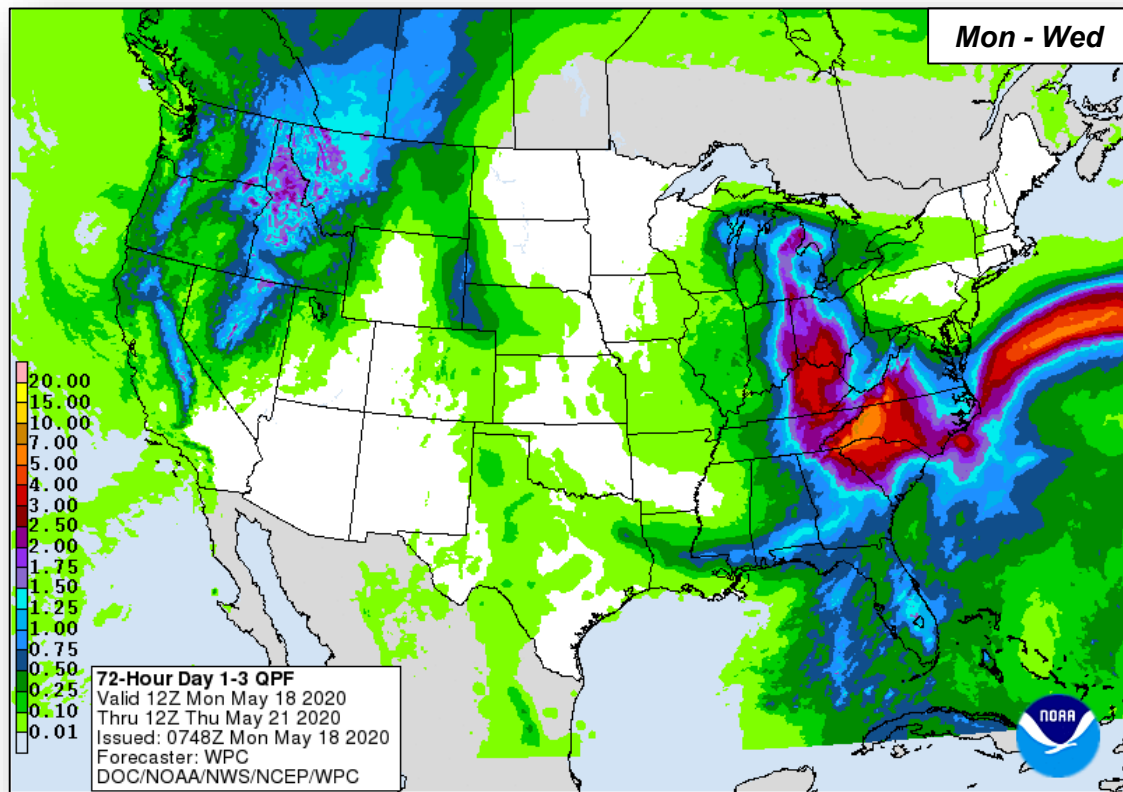
National Weather Forecast



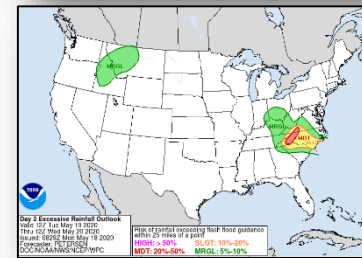
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



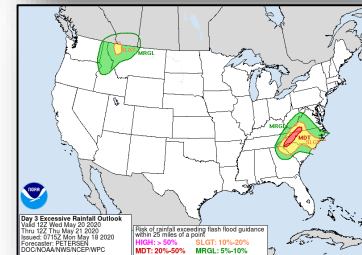
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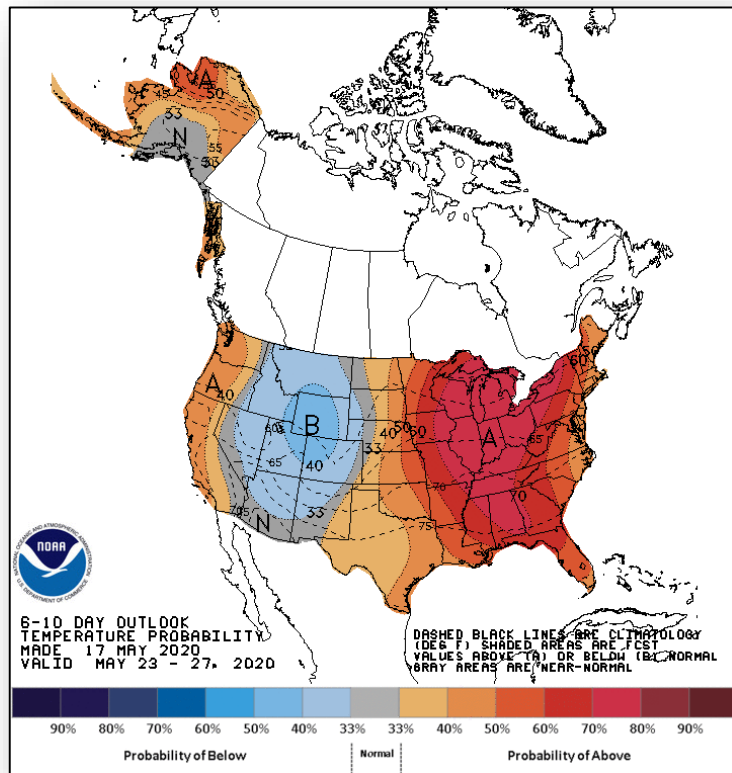


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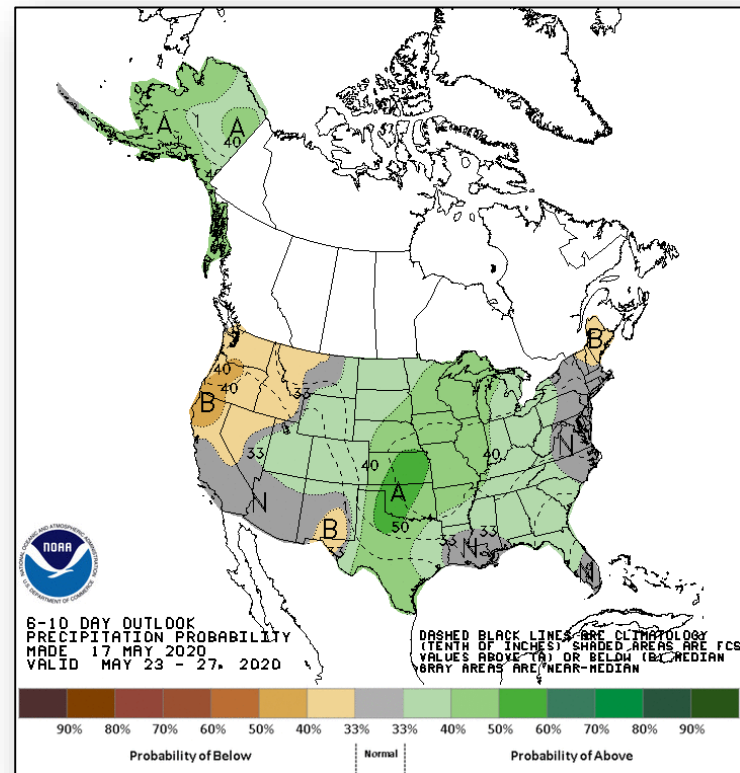
Long Range Outlooks – May 23-27



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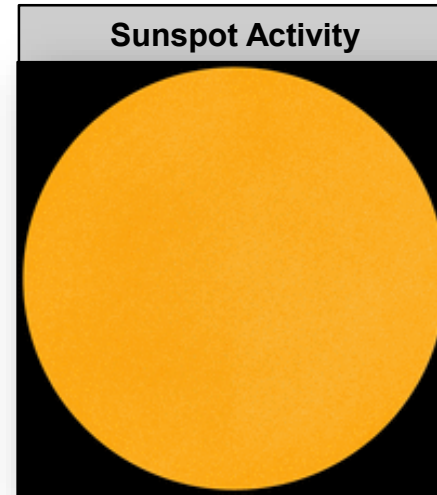
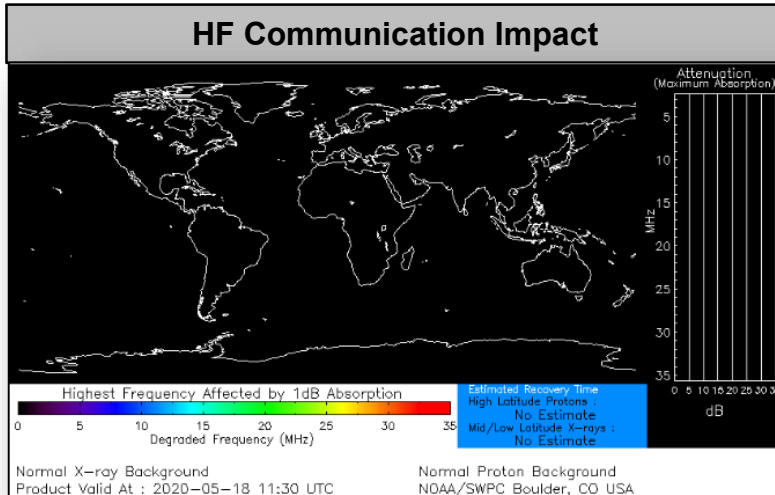
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Space Weather



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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				



Wildfire Summary



Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
*36 th Ave. SE Fire (Collier, FL) FINAL	5309-FM-FL	8,663	50% (+10)	M: Lifted	H: 30	H: 0	H: 12 (+5)	0 / 0
				V: Lifted	O: 0	O: 0	O: 33 (+10)	

* 36th Ave. Fire merged with 26th Ave. Fire
Evacuations: M = Mandatory / V = Voluntary
Structures: H = Homes / O = Other

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



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Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Completed	
IV	AL	Severe Storms, Strong Winds, Tornadoes, and Hail Apr 19	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	10	0	5/15 – TBD
		Severe Storm Apr 12	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	7	0	5/14 – TBD
	MS	Severe Storms, Flooding, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds Apr 22-23	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	11	3	5/14 – TBD
	TN	Severe Storms May 3-4	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	19	0	5/14 – TBD
VI	AR	Severe Storms Apr 4	IA	8	0	5/1 – TBD
			PA	11	0	5/1 – TBD
	TX	Tornado Apr 22	IA	5	0	4/30 – TBD
			PA	0	0	N/A
VII	MO	Severe Storms May 3-4	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	19	0	5/14 – TBD

Declaration Requests in Process – 4



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State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
AL – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Apr 25
HI – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Apr 27
TX – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes (Appeal)	DR		X	X	Apr 27
UT – Earthquake and Aftershocks	DR	X	X	X	May 15



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