

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Friday, May 28, 2021

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- COVID-19
- Spur Fire - AZ

Hazard Monitoring

- Tropical Activity:
 - Eastern Pacific: Disturbance 1: Low (30%); Disturbance 2: Low (30%)
- Severe thunderstorms possible – Southern Plains; Mid-Atlantic and Central Appalachians
- Heavy rain and flash flooding possible – Southern Plains

Disaster Declaration Activity

- 2 Amendments Issued
- FMAG approved – Spur Fire, AZ

Event Monitoring

- None



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Spur Fire – Arizona

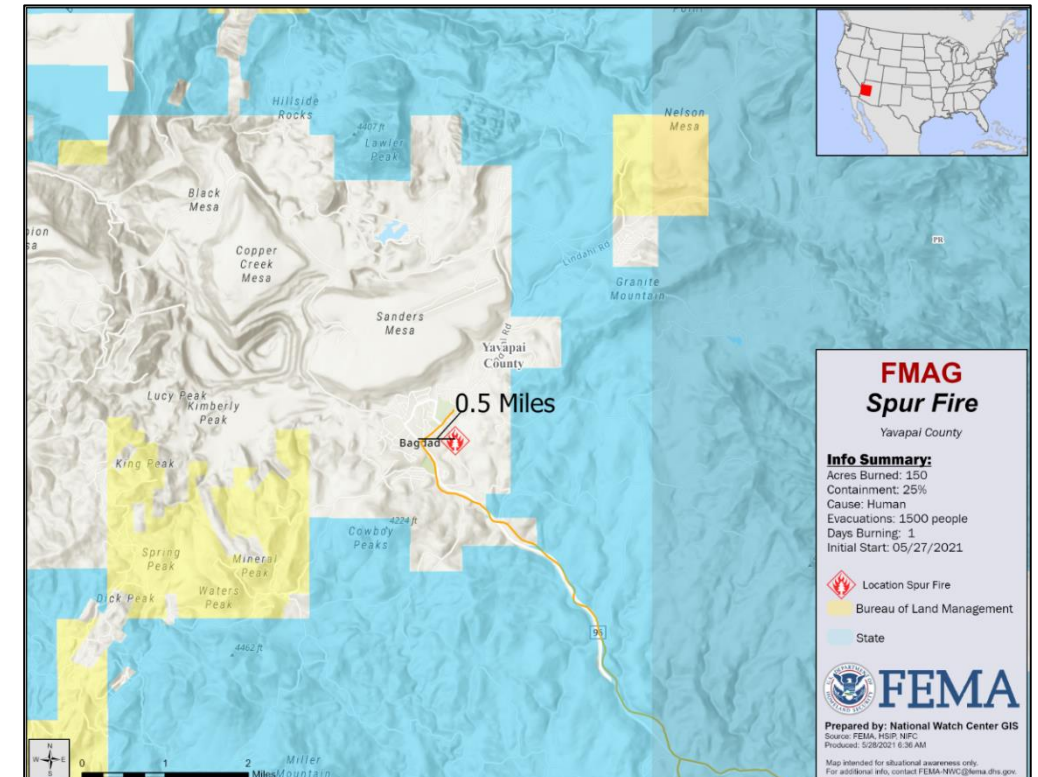
Fire Name (County, ST)	FMAG #	Acres Burned	Percent Contained	Evacuations	Structures (Homes / Other)			Fatalities / Injuries
					Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed	
Spur (Yavapai County, AZ)	XXXX-FM-AZ	150	25%	M: 1,500	H: 500	H: 0	H: 25	0 / 0
				V: 0	O: 220	O: 0	O: 10	

Situation:

- Fire began May 27 and is burning on local and private land in and around Bagdad, AZ (pop 1774)
- Winds are blowing the fire towards the threatened homes; all of the threatened homes are primary residences
- Also threatening 15 businesses, a fire station, a school, and transmission lines
- Power lines were de-energized and power is out in Bagdad; 911 services were restored following an outage

Response:

- FMAG approved May 27
- AZ EOC at Full Activation (COVID-19)
- Region IX RWC and the NWC continue to monitor



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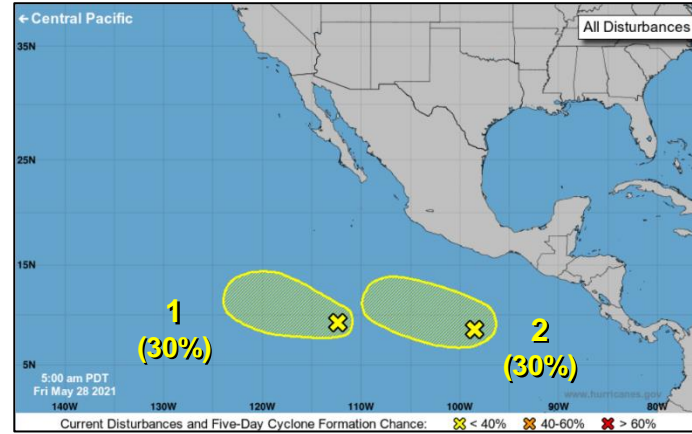
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Tropical Outlook – Five Day

Central Pacific



Eastern Pacific



Atlantic



Disturbance 1 (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- 950 miles SSW of southern tip of Baja California peninsula
- Moving W or WNW at 10 mph
- Some slow development is possible next few days
- 48-hour formation chance: Low (20%)
- 5-day formation chance: Low (30%)

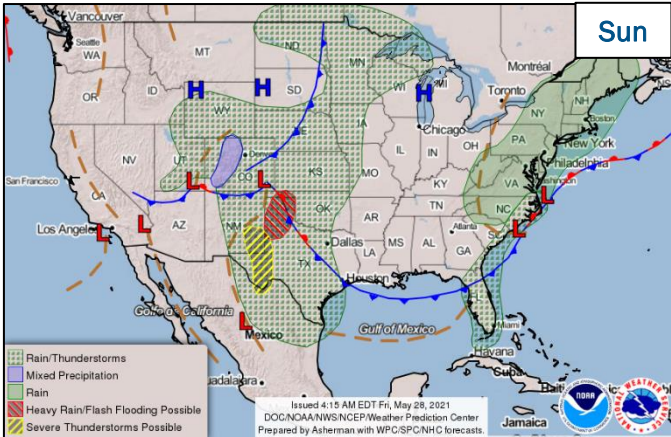
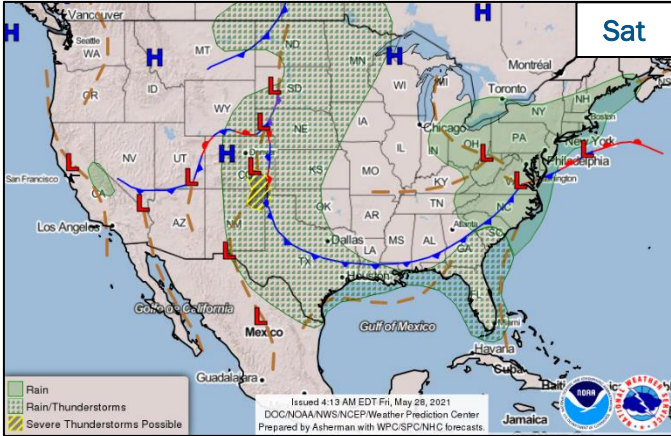
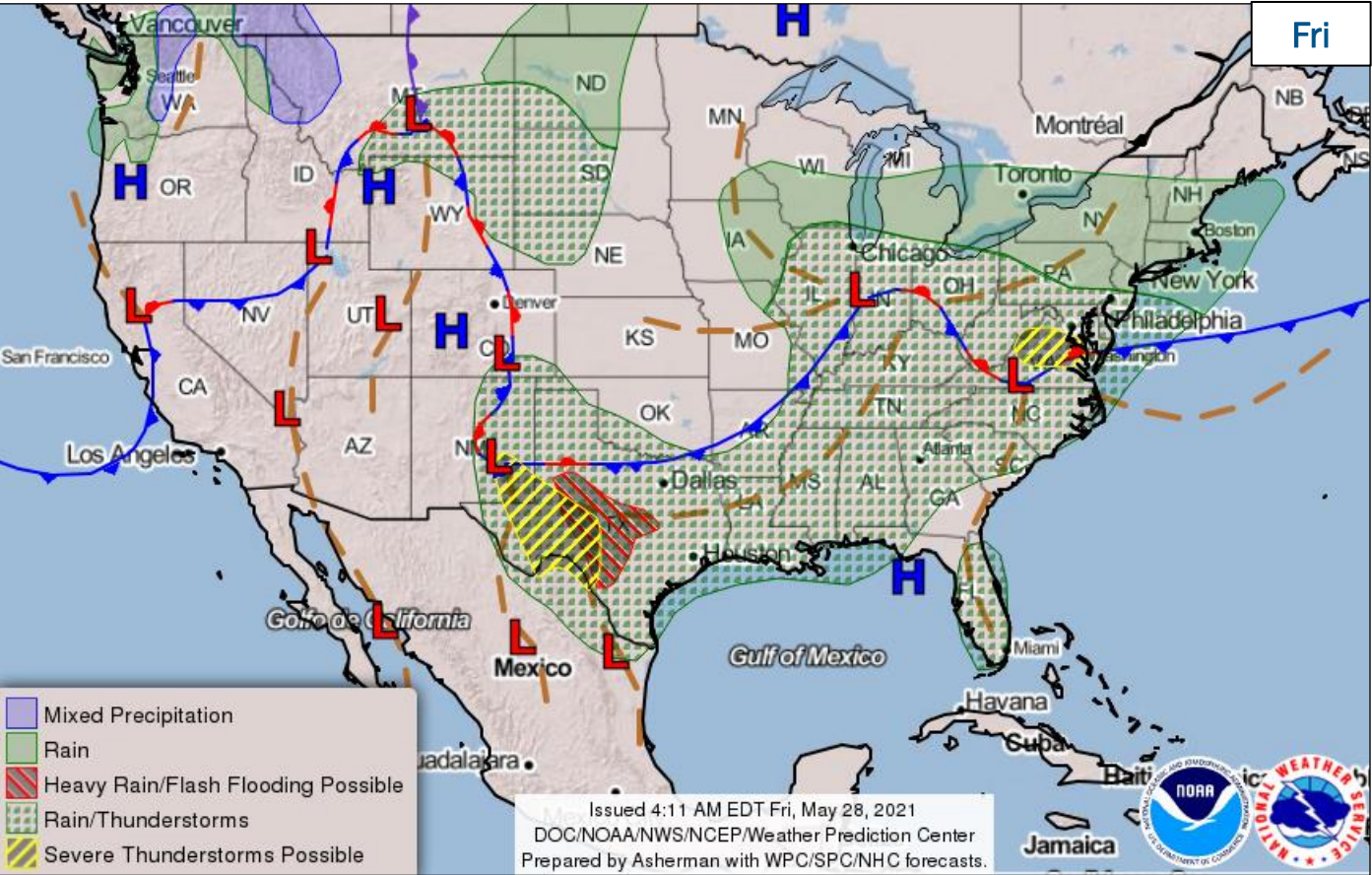
Disturbance 2 (as of 8:00 a.m. ET)

- Several hundred miles S of the coast of Acapulco, Mexico
- Moving slowly W or WNW
- Some gradual development possible next several days
- 48-hour formation chance: Low (near 0%)
- 5-day formation chance: Low (30%)



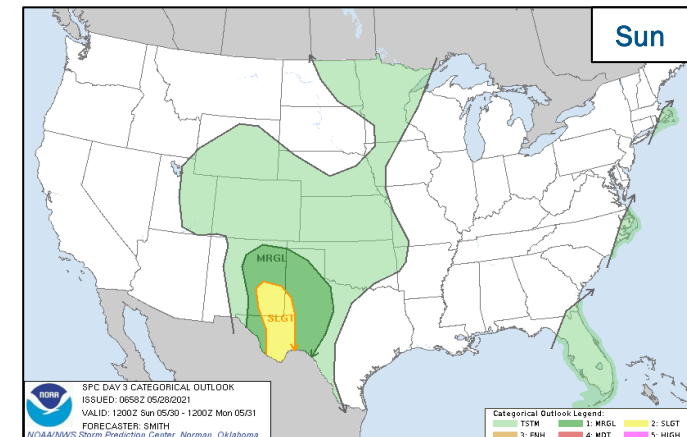
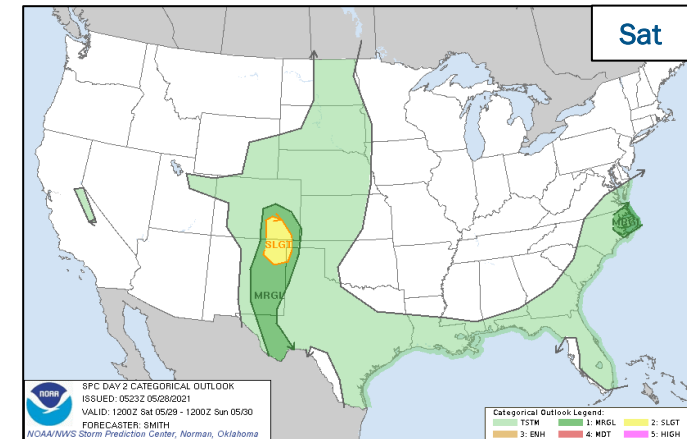
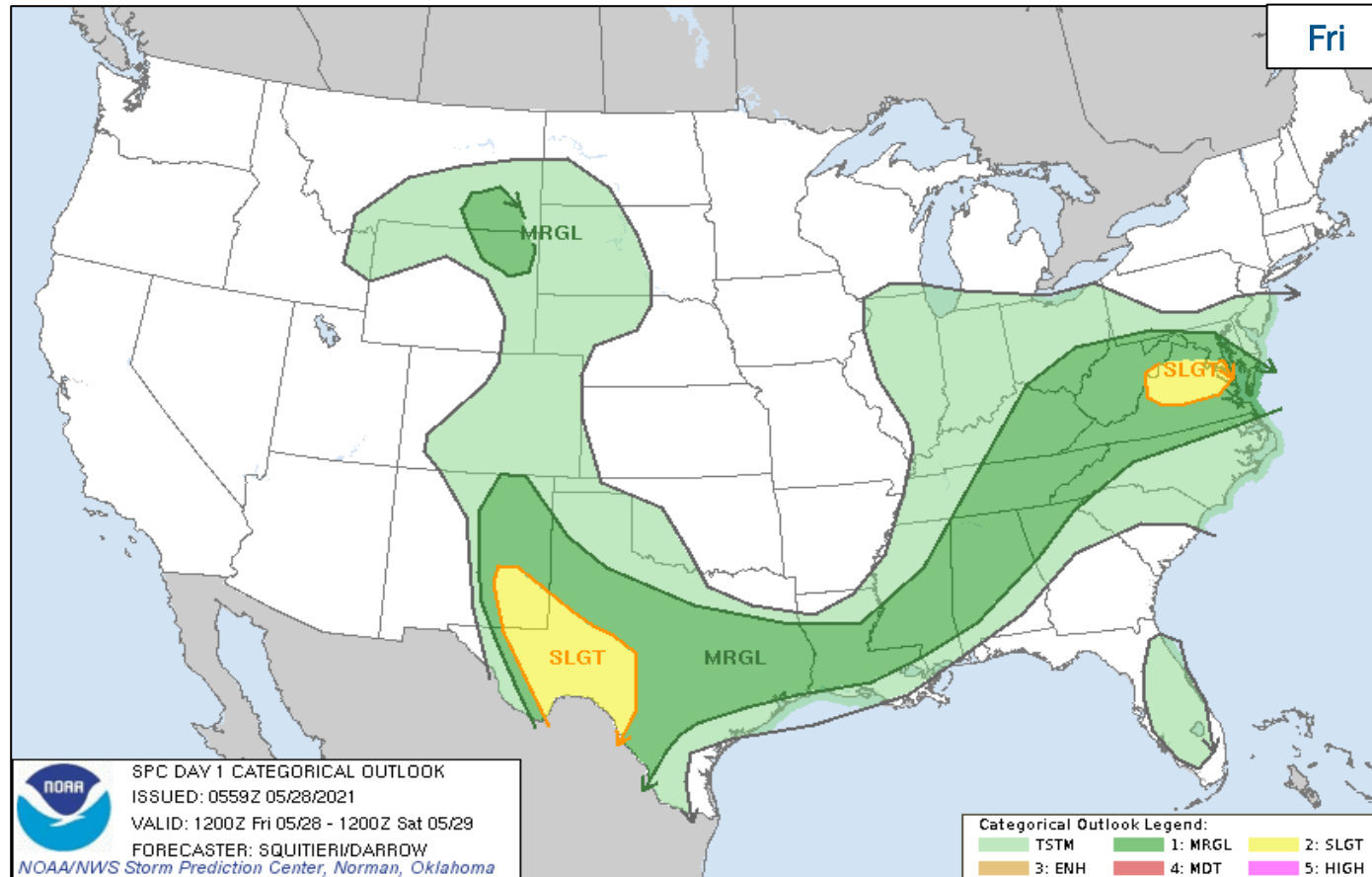
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National Weather Forecast



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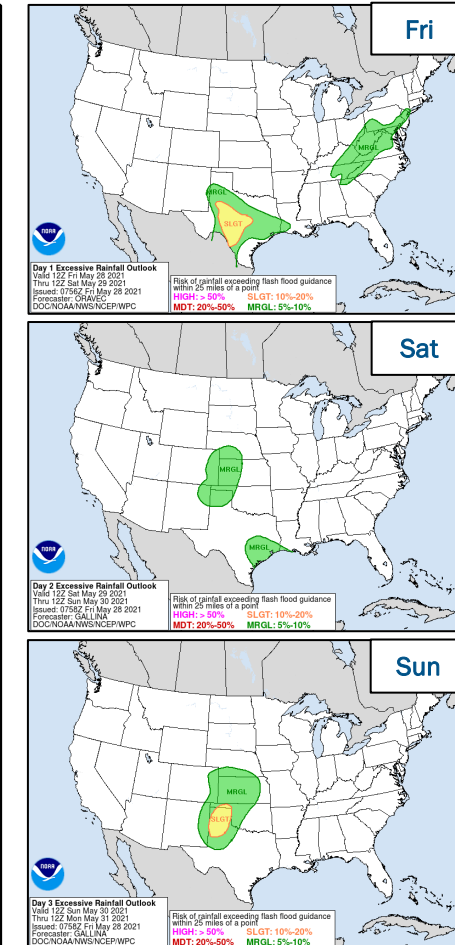
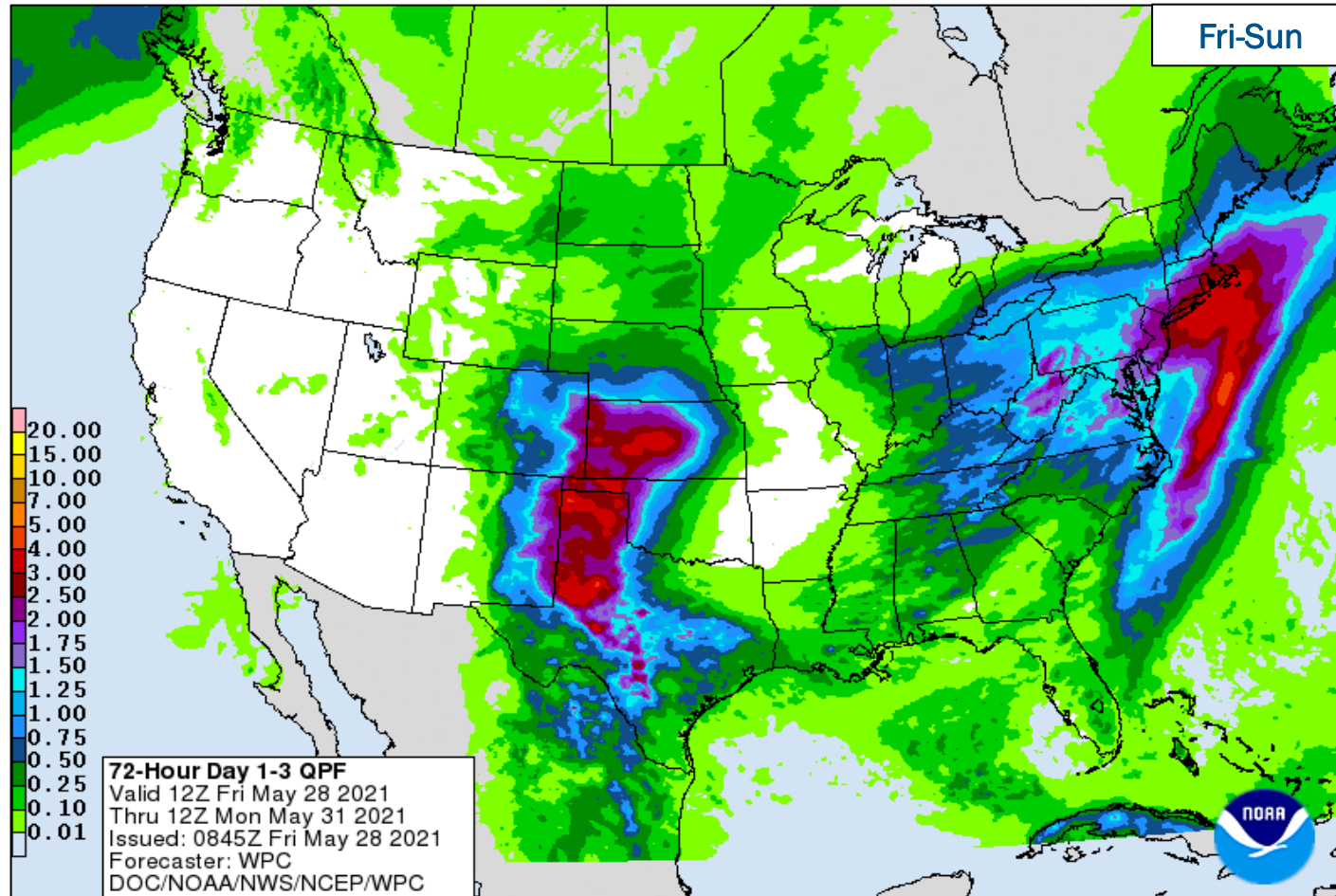
Severe Weather Outlook



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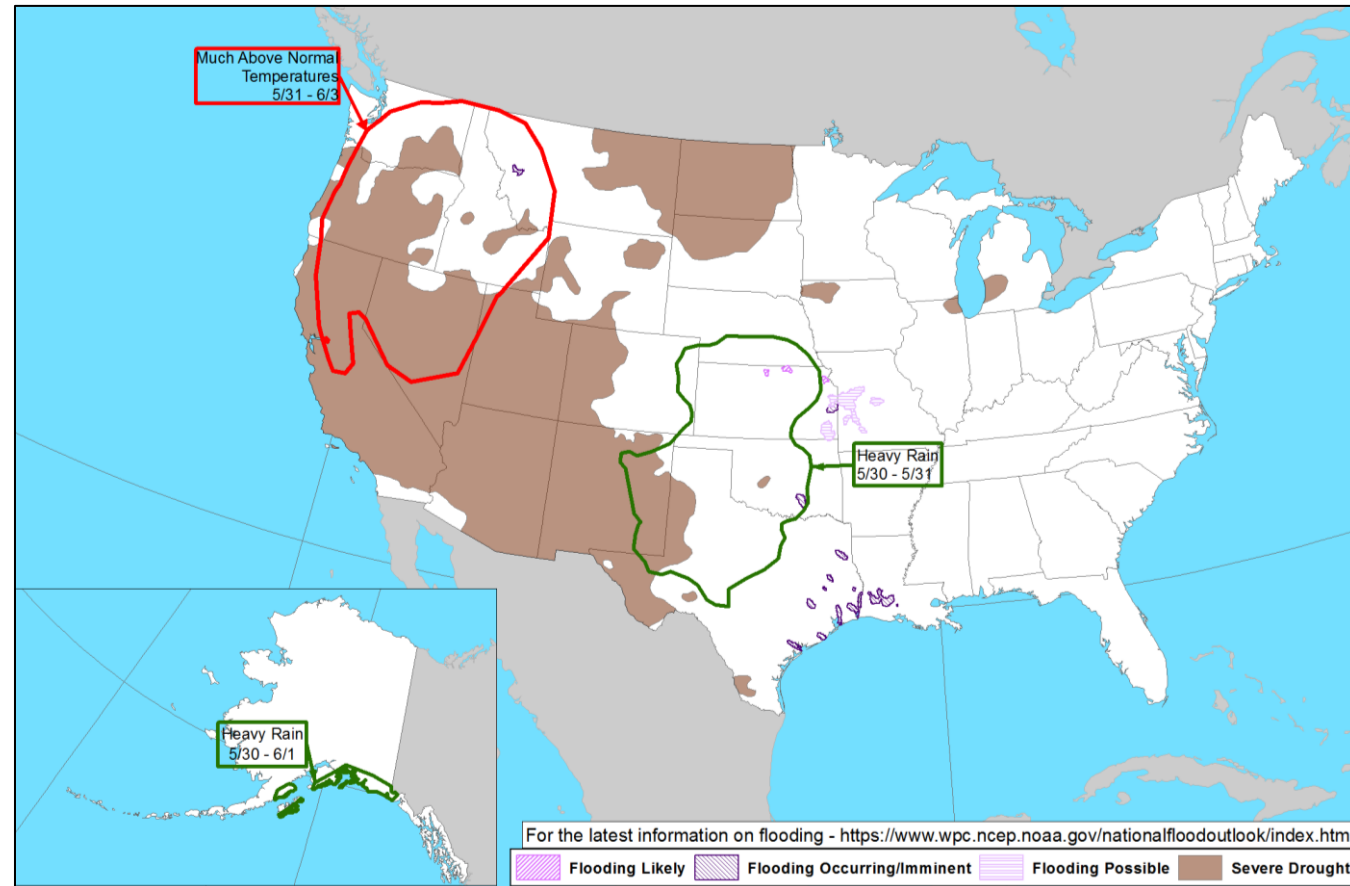
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



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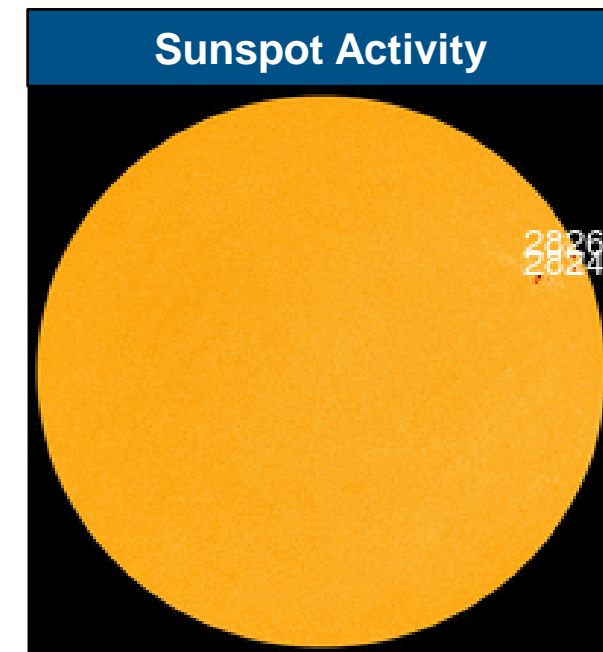
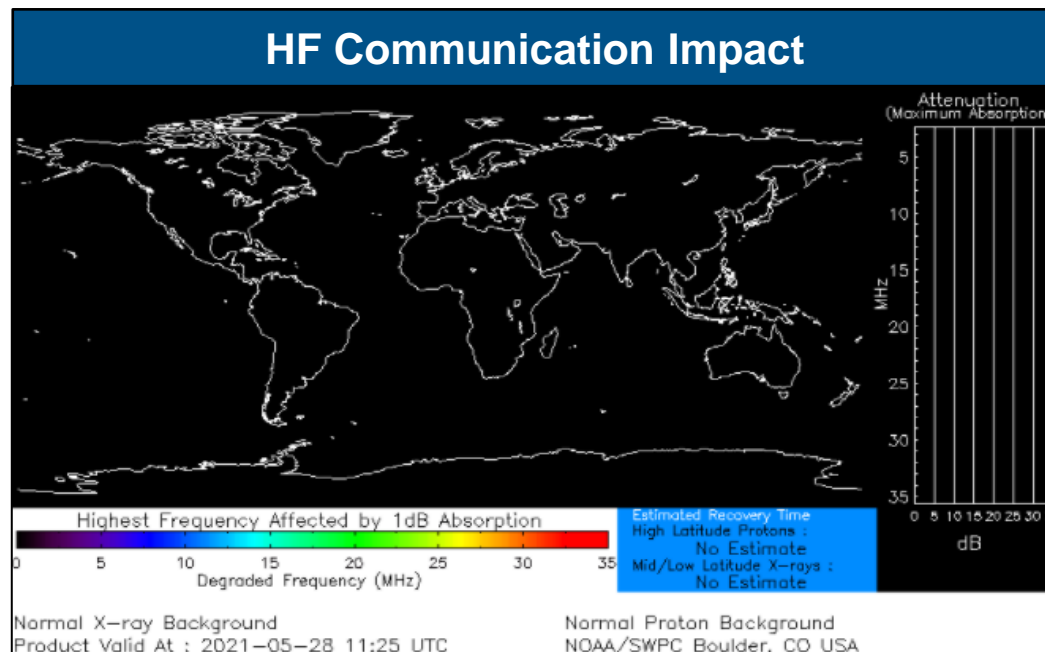
Hazards Outlook – May 30 – Jun 3



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Space Weather Outlook

	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 For further information on Sunspot Activity refer to: https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle				



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Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Event	IA	Number of Counties		Start – End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
VI	AR	Severe Weather, Tornadoes, and Flooding Apr 28-29	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	9 (-4)	7 (+7)	5/19 – TBD



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Declaration Requests in Process – 2

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
WY – Severe Winter Storm and Snowstorm	DR		X	X	5/7
TX – Hurricane Hanna – Appeal	DR		X	X	5/12



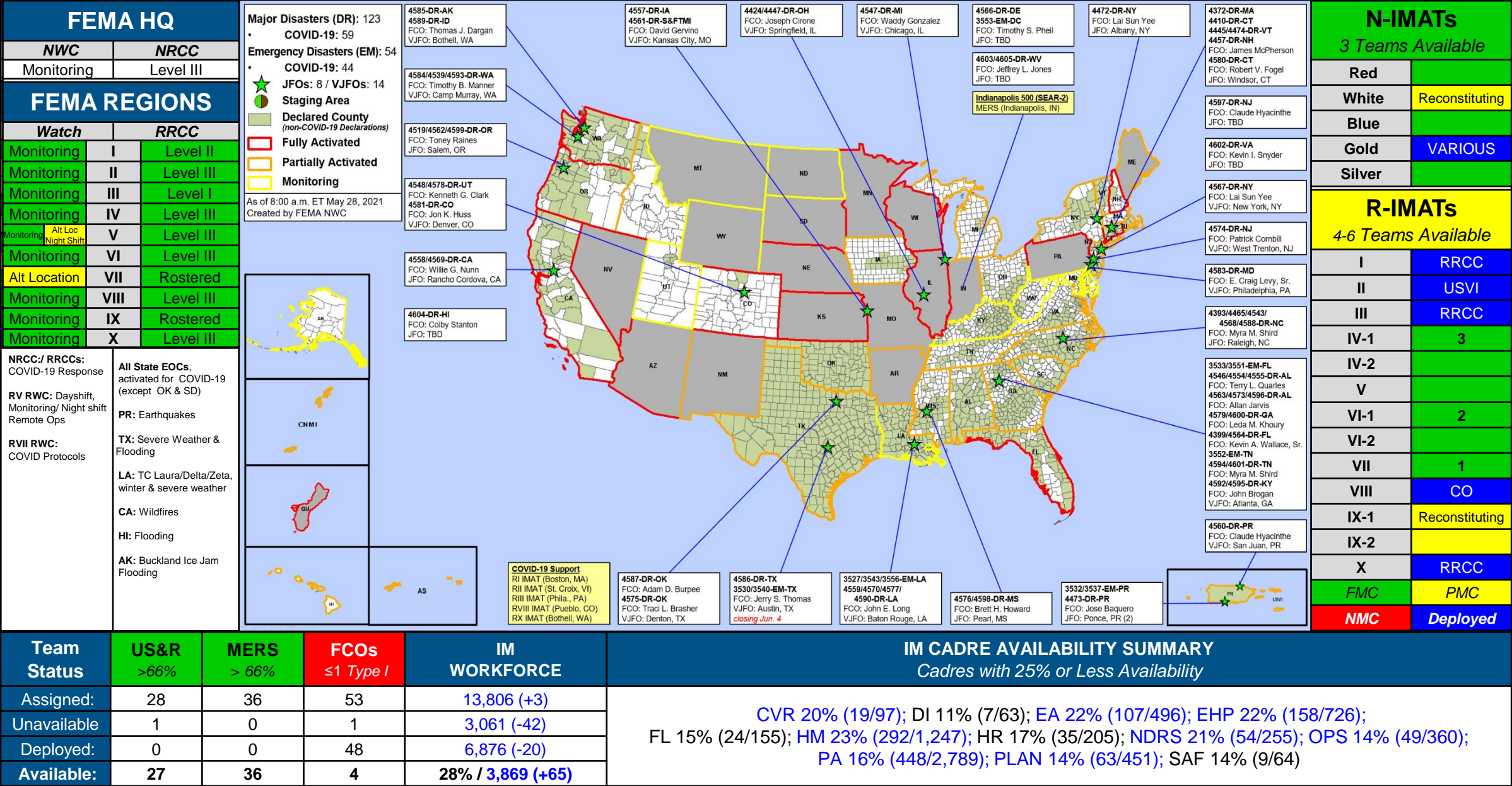
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Declaration Amendments

Declaration	Number	Issued	Action
FEMA-4595-DR-KY	3	May 27	Adds 22 counties for Individual Assistance
FEMA-4600-DR-GA	1	May 27	Adds 1 county for Public Assistance



FEMA Common Operating Picture



N-IMATs

3 Teams Available

Red

White

Reconstituting

Blue

Gold

VARIOUS

Silver

R-IMATs

4-6 Teams Available

I

RRCC

II

USVI

III

RRCC

IV-1

3

IV-2

V

VI-1

2

VI-2

VII

1

VIII

CO

IX-1

Reconstituting

IX-2

X

RRCC

FMC

PMC

NMC

Deployed



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