



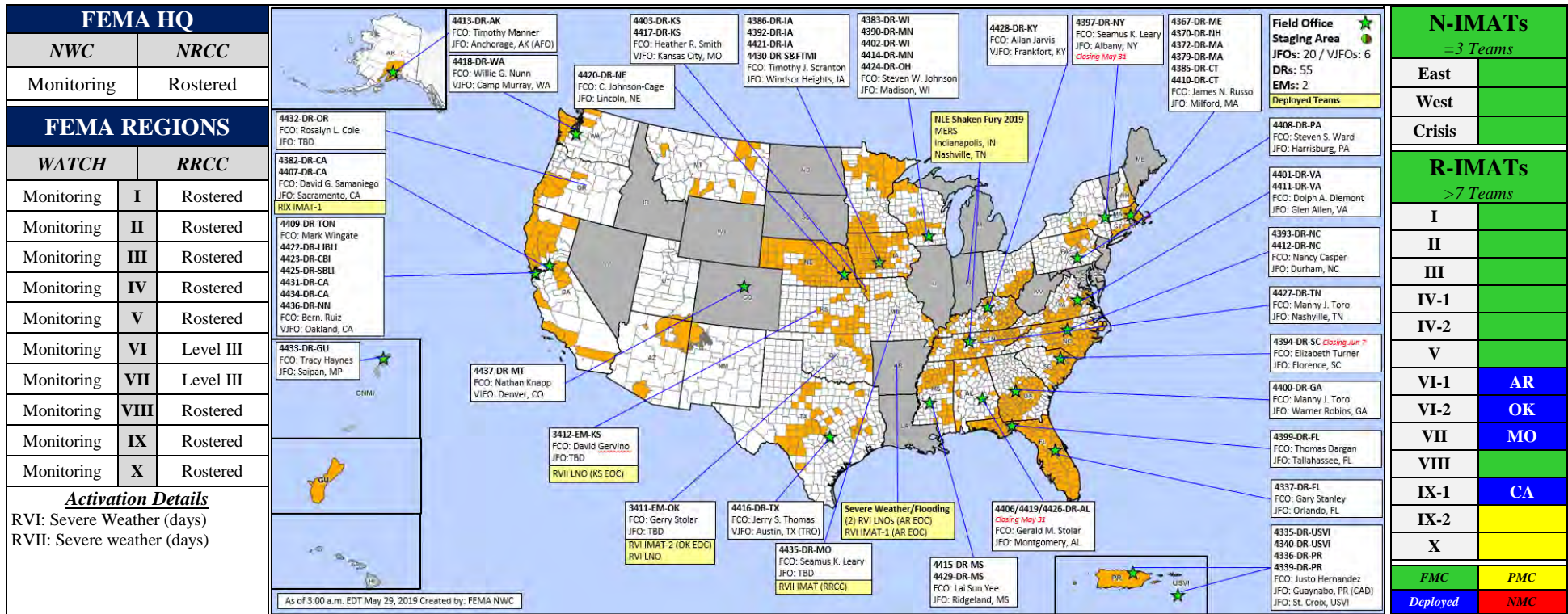
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National Situation Report

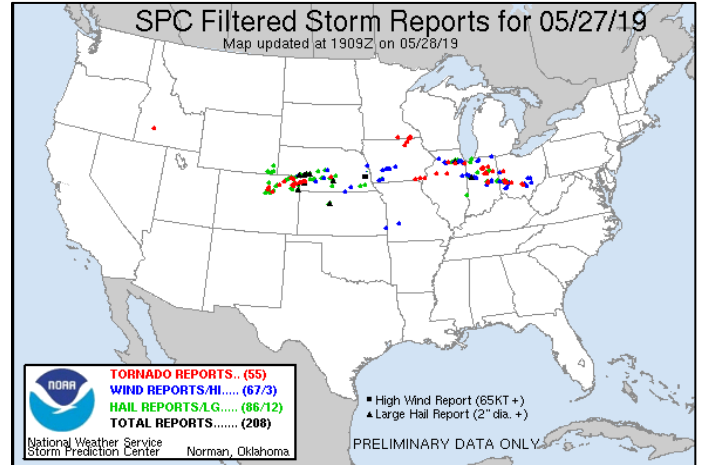
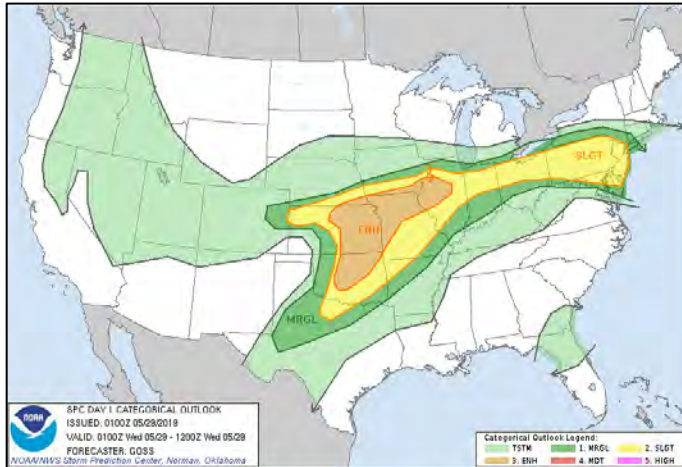
As of 3:00 a.m. EDT, Wednesday, May 29, 2019

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Common Operating Picture



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	13,329	▲	EHP 6% (31/492); ER 10% (6/60); FL 15% (22/152); HM 19% (218/1,129); IT 25% (167/667); LOG 22% (284/1,322); OPS 21% (55/262); PA 8% (197/2,455); PLAN 15% (58/386); SAF 9% (5/53); SEC 13% (16/125)
Unavailable:	0	0	0	0	3,879	▼	
Deployed:	0	0	25	10	5,605	▲	
Available:	28	36	4	2	3,845 / 29%	▲	

Flooding & Severe Weather – Central U.S.**Situation:**

Severe weather continues to impact a large area from the Central Plains. There were preliminary reports of 23 tornadoes across Illinois (1), Kansas (20), Missouri (2). The greatest impacts were in eastern Kansas, causing unknown storm damage in the cities of Linwood (pop. 375), Lawrence (pop. 88k), and Pleasant Grove (pop. 1,200) (Leavenworth and Douglas counties).

Flooding/Flash Flood Warnings and advisories remain in effect across the Central Plains and Central U.S. river basins.

Unsettled weather will continue across the Central U.S. with additional heavy rain and severe thunderstorms expected across the Southern Plains.

Lifeline Impacts:**Safety and Security:**

- OH: 12 preliminary tornado touchdowns reported in 9 counties on May 27-29
 - Dayton (pop. 140k) (Montgomery County) saw most significant damage, destroyed numerous homes and commercial structures
 - Confirmed EF-3 tornado in Celina (pop. 10.5k) (Mercer County); 40 homes destroyed or with major damage; 37 affected or with minor damage
 - Confirmed EF-3 in Beavercreek (pop. 46k) (Greene County)
- IN: confirmed EF-1 tornado in Middletown (pop. 2k) (Henry County); EF-2 near Huntsville (pop. unknown) (Madison County); confirmed tornado at Pendleton (pop. 4k) (Madison County) (EF rating not determined yet)
- OK: NWS confirmed tornado that impacted El Reno was an EF-3
 - A temporary road has been built between Muskogee and Braggs, OK to allow vehicles access to the 1,000 cut residents until the water recedes; supplies are being sent into Braggs by rail car
 - Water rescues ongoing in OK
- LA: USACE has scheduled a slow opening of the Morganza Control Structure on June 2, to divert 150k cfs

Food, Water & Sheltering:

- 23 (+5) shelters are open with 410 (+210) occupants
 - OH: 6 / 139 (RV SPOTREP as of 1:30 p.m. May 28)
 - MO: 2 / 39 (ARC Shelter report as of 6:00 a.m. EDT May 28)
 - KS: 2 / 8 (ARC Shelter report as of 6:00 a.m. EDT May 28)
 - OK: 8 / 161 (+15) (RVI EXSUM as of 7:30 p.m. May 28)
 - AR: 5 (+1) / 70 (+63) (RVI EXSUM as of 7:30 p.m. May 28)
- Evacuations:
 - KS: Evacuations for Independence (pop 9,483) and Coffeyville (pop 10,295) due to Verdigris River flooding

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- OK: voluntary evacuations remain in effect for portions 10 (+3) counties; mandatory for 1 community (Webber Falls; pop. 600)
- AR: voluntary evacuations remain in effect for 10 counties
- OK: Multiple wastewater plants have experienced, shutdowns, flooding, power outages and bypasses
 - Some areas under precautionary boil water orders
 - 4 communities without potable water affecting 5k residents; water buffaloes have been delivered; unknown restoration time
- OH: Dayton's water treatment plants lost power; generators have arrived, with more expected
 - Boil water advisories have been issued for Dayton and Montgomery County

Health & Medical:

- OH: 1 fatality; 7 injuries
- MO: 20 injuries
- KS: 1 fatality; 26 injuries
- OK: 6 fatalities and numerous injuries

Transportation:

- Numerous road closures remain throughout impacted areas; I-29 from St. Joseph, MO to the IA state line closed due to flooding; alternate routes available
- Coast Guard closed portions of the Mississippi and Illinois Rivers due to extremely high-water levels
- Commercial navigation has been shut down along the Arkansas River

Energy:

- No impacts to power generation; power outages due to downed transmission lines. Power outages continue to trend downward as storms pass; flooded areas will need to wait until water recedes for repairs
- OH: 51k (peak of 79k)
- KS: 13k (peak 14k)
- MO: 8k (peak)
- OK: 4k (peak 8k)

State/Local Response:

- KS EOC: Full Activation; Emergency Declaration approved May 28
- AR EOC: Full Activation
- LA EOC: Monitoring; LA Governor requested an Emergency Declaration for 11 parishes
- OK, OH, and IL EOCs: Partial Activation
- OH Governor issued a state of emergency for 3 counties
- MO, AR, OK, and KS National Guards activated

FEMA Response:

FEMA Regions

- FEMA Region V
 - RWC: Monitoring 24/7
- FEMA Region VI
 - RRCC: Level III (day shift only)
 - IMAT-1: Deployed to AR EOC
 - IMAT-2: Deployed to OK EOC
 - LNOs: 1 deployed to OK EOC; 2 deployed to AR EOC
- FEMA Region VII
 - RWC: Monitoring (24/7)
 - RRCC: Level III (day shift only)
 - IMAT: Deployed to RRCC
 - LNO: deployed to KS EOC

FEMA Headquarters

- NWC remains at Steady State, monitoring 24/7

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Additional Weather Threats

Situation:

Severe weather from the Ohio Valley to the Northeast was experienced yesterday and will continue through the region today. Thunderstorms capable of producing heavy downpours, high winds, hail and tornadoes is possible.

A confirmed tornado was reported in Belk County, PA and significant wind damage reported across PA and into NJ.

Lifeline Impacts:

No widespread significant damage reported that drove federal response. Damage assessments are likely for PA and NJ

Safety and Security:

- Severe weather caused damaged in PA, northern NJ and southern NY with a possible tornado in NJ; widespread power outages and downed trees and flights delays at area airports were reported
 - NJ: High school in Stanhope, Sussex County, NJ was damaged; no injuries or fatalities – school is closed on Wednesday to assess repairs

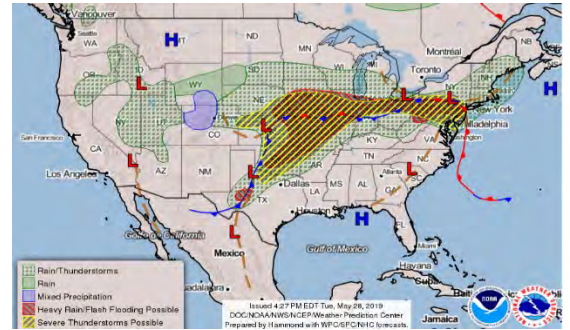
Transportation:

- Road closures reported due to flash flooding and debris; no significant impacts to transportation
- Flights delays due to storm were minimal

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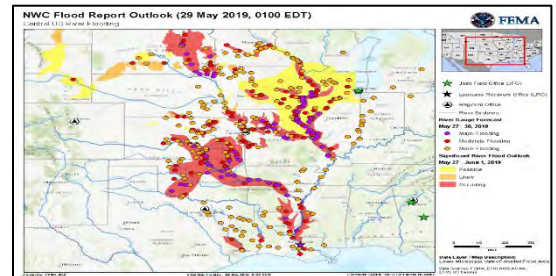
FEMA Regions

- FEMA Region II
 - RWC: Monitoring 24/7
- NY EOC at Monitoring



River Flooding

Ongoing severe weather across the central U.S. will continue the flooding threat along major central U.S. rivers.



Tropics

Hurricane Season Begins in 3 Days

Atlantic: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Eastern Pacific:

Disturbance 1 (As of 2:00 p.m. EDT)

- Located about 100 miles SW of the Nicaragua-Honduras border
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (10%)
- No threat to U.S. interests



Disturbance 2 (As of 2:00 p.m. EDT)

- Located a few hundred miles south of the coast of southern Mexico
- Formation chance through 48 hours: Low (10%)
- Formation chance through 5 days: Low (20%)
- No threat to U.S. interests



(Latest Tropical Weather Forecasts: [NHC](#) / [JTWC](#) | [GUAM](#))

Central/Western Pacific: No current threat to U.S. interests

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State	Event / Date	Type	Counties		Start – End Dates
				Requested	Completed	
IV	MS	Severe weather, tornadoes, and flooding April 13-14, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	8	7	5/21 – TBD
V	MI	Severe weather and flooding May 1-3, 2019	IA	1	0	5/28 – TBD
			PA	0	0	N/A
VI	OK*	Severe weather April 29, 2019	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	25	9	5/16 – TBD

* PDAs will resume May 29

Declaration Activity

Declaration Requests in Process: 6 (LA, SD, ID, ND, LA, and MN)

[Emergency Declaration Approved – Kansas](#)

- Emergency Declaration FEMA-3412-EM-KS was approved on May 28, 2019 for the State of Kansas for flooding that occurred May 9, 2019 and continuing
- Provides emergency protective measures (Category B), limited to direct federal assistance, under the Public Assistance program at 75% federal funding for 18 counties (Anderson, Butler, Chautauqua, Cherokee, Coffey, Cowley, Crawford, Elk, Franklin, Greenwood, Harvey, Montgomery, Neosho, Osage, Reno, Sumner, Wilson, and Woodson)
- The FCO is David Gervino

[Major Disaster Declaration Request – Minnesota](#)

- The Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on May 28, 2019
- For a severe winter storm, straight-line winds, and flooding, which occurred March 12 to April 28, 2019
- Requesting:
 - Public Assistance for 51 counties and 4 tribes
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide

(Declared Disasters: [fema.gov](#))

Joint Field Office Status Updates

No change over the last operational period

(JFO Listing available on [NWC SharePoint Site](#))

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Regional Current Operations & Monitoring	
<i>Region I</i>	<i>Region VI</i>
<p>WATCH - Maynard MOC: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: No significant activity <p>IMAT: FMC / Available</p> <p>EOCs: All states remain at Normal Operations</p>	<p>WATCH - Denton MOC: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: See above (flooding/severe weather); Elevated fire weather in portions of NM and TX <p>RRCC: Level III (days) (flooding/severe weather)</p> <p>IMAT-1: Deployed to AR EOC (flooding/severe weather)</p> <p>IMAT-2: Deployed / OK EOC (severe weather)</p> <p>LNO: 1 deployed to OK EOC; 2 deployed to AR EOC</p> <p>EOCs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AR: Full Activation (flooding) • LA: Monitoring (severe weather) • NM: Monitoring (mass care supporting border ops) • OK: Partial Activation (severe weather)
<i>Region II</i>	<i>Region VII</i>
<p>WATCH: Steady State (24/7) (PMC / Staffing shortfall)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: See above (flooding/severe weather); Flood Warnings remain in effect for Lake Champlain, NY lakeshore <p>IMAT: FMC / Available</p> <p>EOCs: NY: Monitoring (flooding)</p>	<p>WATCH: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: See above (flooding/severe weather) <p>RRCC: Level III (day shift) (flooding/severe weather)</p> <p>IMAT: Deployed, supporting RRCC (flooding/severe weather)</p> <p>LNO: Deployed to KS EOC (flooding/severe weather)</p> <p>EOCs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KS: Full Activation (severe weather)
<i>Region III</i>	<i>Region VIII</i>
<p>WATCH: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: See above (flooding/severe weather) <p>IMAT: FMC / Available</p> <p>EOCs: All states remain at Normal Operations</p>	<p>WATCH - Denver MOC: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Flood Warnings continue for rivers in SD/ND due to ice jams and snowmelt ○ MT/CO: Winter Storm Warnings in effect across portions of the state ○ MT/WY: Flood Warnings in effect across portions of the state <p>IMAT: FMC / Available</p> <p>EOCs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CO: Partial Activation (potential flooding) • SD: Partial Activation (winter storm/flooding) • ND & UT: Monitoring (flooding)
<i>Region IV</i>	<i>Region IX</i>
<p>WATCH: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: Severe thunderstorms possible in KY <p>IMAT-1: FMC / Available</p> <p>IMAT-2: FMC / Available</p> <p>EOCs: All states remain at Normal Operations</p>	<p>WATCH: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: Flood warning in effect for the Humboldt River, NV <p>IMAT-1: Deployed / CA EOC (wildfires)</p> <p>IMAT-2: PMC / Staffing shortage</p> <p>EOCs: All states remain at Normal Operations</p>
<i>Region V</i>	<i>Region X</i>
<p>WATCH: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: See above (flooding/severe weather) <p>IMAT: FMC / Available</p> <p>EOCs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IL: Partial Activation (flooding) • OH: Partial Activation (severe weather) 	<p>WATCH - Bothell MOC: Steady State (24/7)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring: No significant activity <p>IMAT: PMC / Staffing shortage</p> <p>EOCs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WA: Partial Activation (measles outbreak)

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Acronyms / Abbreviations & Terms

ARC	American Red Cross
DR	Major Disaster Declaration
EHP	Environmental & Historical Preservation (Cadre)
EM	Emergency Declaration
EOC	Emergency Operations Center
ER	Equal Rights (Cadre)
FCO	Federal Coordinating Officer
FDRC	Federal Disaster Recovery Coordinator
FL	Field Leadership (Cadre)
FM	Financial Management (Cadre)
FMC	Fully Mission Capable
HM	Hazard Mitigation (Cadre)
IA	Individual Assistance (Program)
IM	Incident Management
(N) IMAT	(National) Incident Management Assistance Team
IT	Information Technology (Cadre)
(V) JFO	(Virtual) Joint Field Office
LNO	Liaison Officer
LOG	Logistics (Cadre)
MERS	Mobile Emergency Response Support
MOC	MERS Operations Center
NDRS	National Disaster Recovery Support (Cadre)
NMC	Non-Mission Capable
NWC	National Watch Center
OCC	Legal Affairs (Cadre)
OPS	Operations (Cadre)
PA	Public Assistance (Program / Cadre)
PLAN	Planning (Cadre)
PMC	Partially Mission Capable
RWC	Regional Watch Center
SAF	Safety (Cadre)
SEC	Security (Cadre)
US&R	Urban Search & Rescue
USACE	U.S. Army Corp of Engineers

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