Cal OES Daily Situation Report

December 1, 2022

Joshua Tree National Park

Photo Credit: Joshua Tree NPS // Twitter

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Weather Risk Outlook

Regional Operations Center
Western Region
Thursday, December 1

	Thu, Dec 1	Fri, Dec 2	Sat, Dec 3	Sun, Dec 4	Mon, Dec 5	Tue, Dec 6	Wed, Dec 7
Fire Weather Low RH / Wind / Dry T-Storms							
Thunderstorms Wind / Hail / Tornadoes							
Cold	All Regions	Inland/ Coastal			Inland/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal
River Flooding							
Wind	Inland/ Coastal	Southern					
Heavy Rain Flash Flooding / Debris Flow	Coastal/ Southern	Coastal/ Southern					
Snow	Inland (mountains)	Inland (mountains)	All Regions (mountains)	All Regions (mountains)	Southern (mountains)		

Risk Levels	Little to None	Minor	Moderate	Major	Extreme

Weather Key Points

- An active weather pattern will persist across California through the weekend, with multiple storm systems bringing periods of precipitation and gusty winds
  - Rain and mountain snow will persist across much of the state through Thursday, with lingering showers for southern and central California on Friday
    - Significant winter travel impacts will continue in the northern/central mountains
    - Only minor rain impacts are expected in most valley locations, but northern coastal areas could see some more moderate impacts such as a slight risk of urban/small stream flooding, rock/mudslides, debris flows, and moderate rises on rivers
    - Gusty winds will be strongest in the mountains, where tree damage and blowing snow are possible
      - Minor wind impacts may also be possible along the northern coastal areas and across the southern desert areas
  - A second storm system Saturday through Monday will bring additional rain and mountain snow, including rain into coastal southern California
    - This storm appears to be weaker than the mid to late week storm, though locally heavy precipitation and significant mountain travel impacts are expected
- Cold temperatures will return over the weekend and into early next week.

Daily Precipitation Forecast

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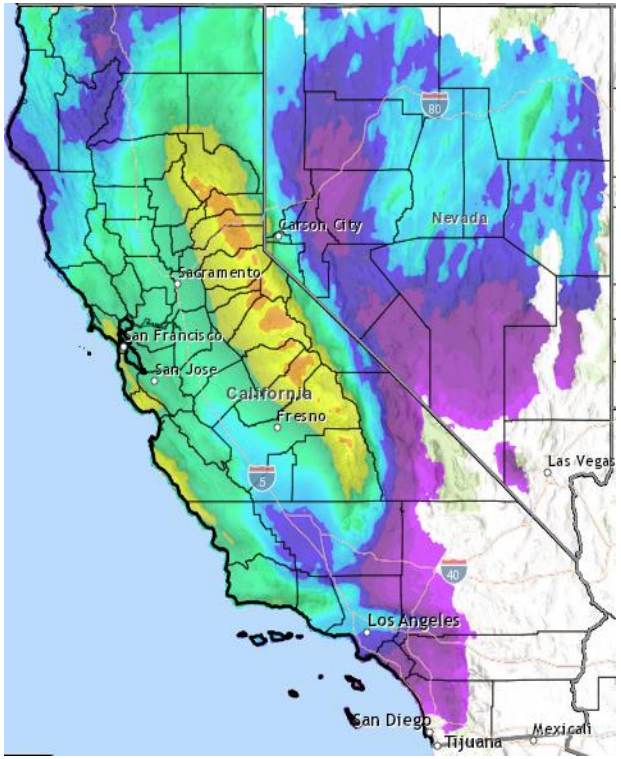

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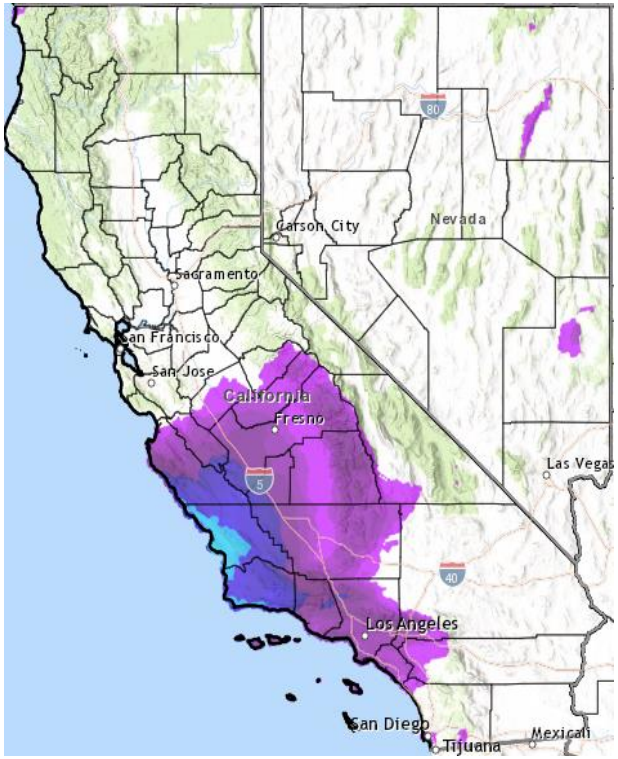

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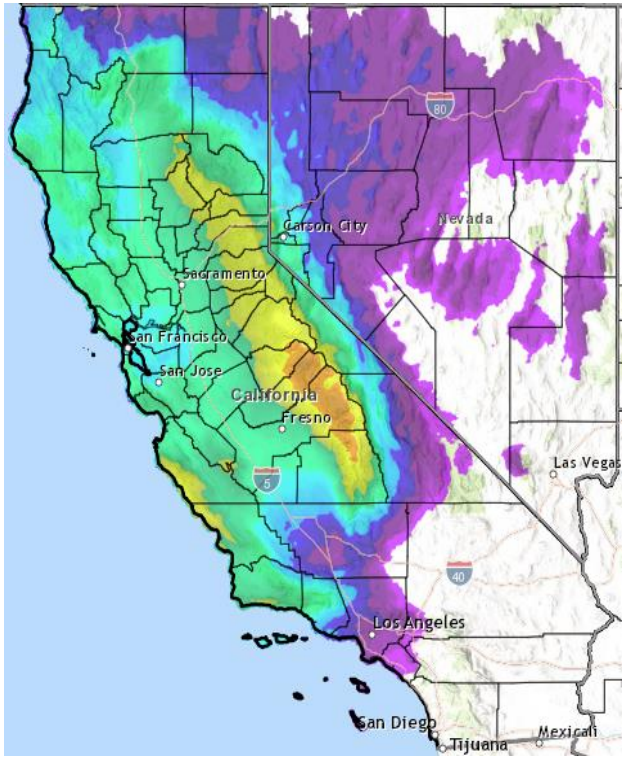

Saturday

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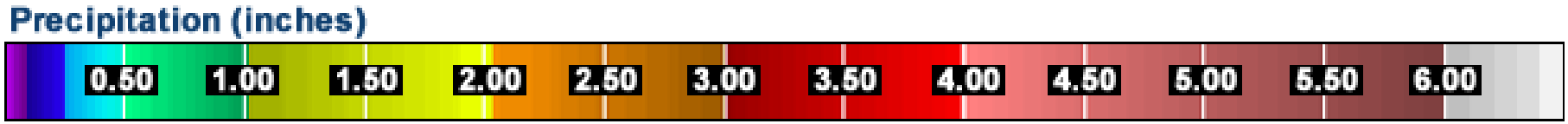

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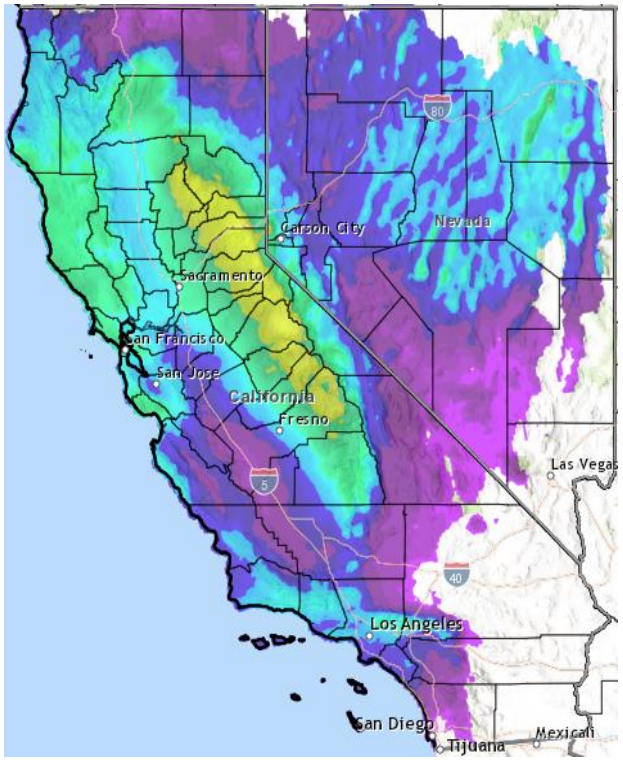

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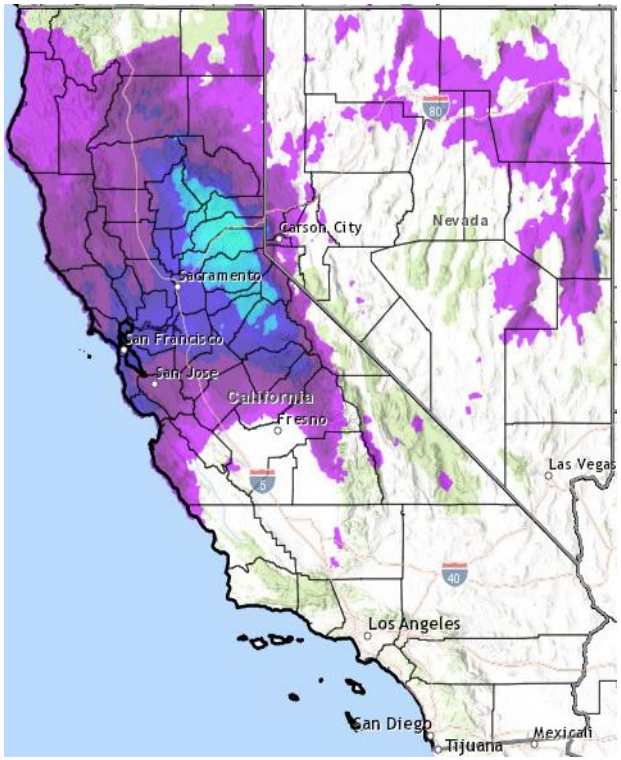

Monday

Tuesday

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Precipitation (inches)

Weather Outlook (6-14 Days)

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6-10 Day Outlook (December 6 - December 10)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored across far northern California, while near normal precipitation is favored across the remainder of the state

8-14 Day Outlook (December 8 - December 14)

Temperatures

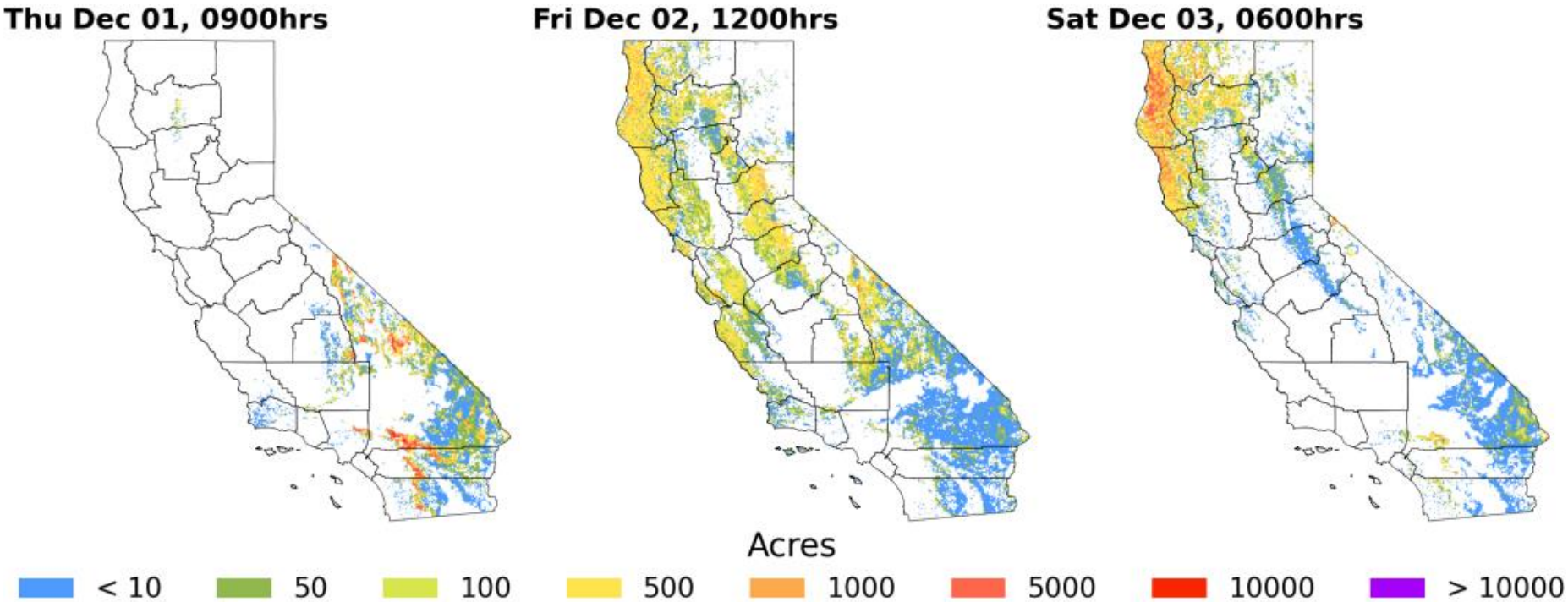
- Below normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored for northern and central California, with near normal precipitation favored across southern California

Wildfire Forecast and Threat Intelligence Integration Center

STATEWIDE WILDFIRE RISK POTENTIAL



Each map shows the time with the highest wildfire risk potential. 8 hour simulations are run every three hours of the day to produce a map of wildfire risk potential in acres. The average number of acres in an area should not exceed the associated number in the legend. Risk forecast does not consider suppression efforts. Courtesy of Technosylva.

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Wildfire Forecast and Threat Intelligence Integration Center

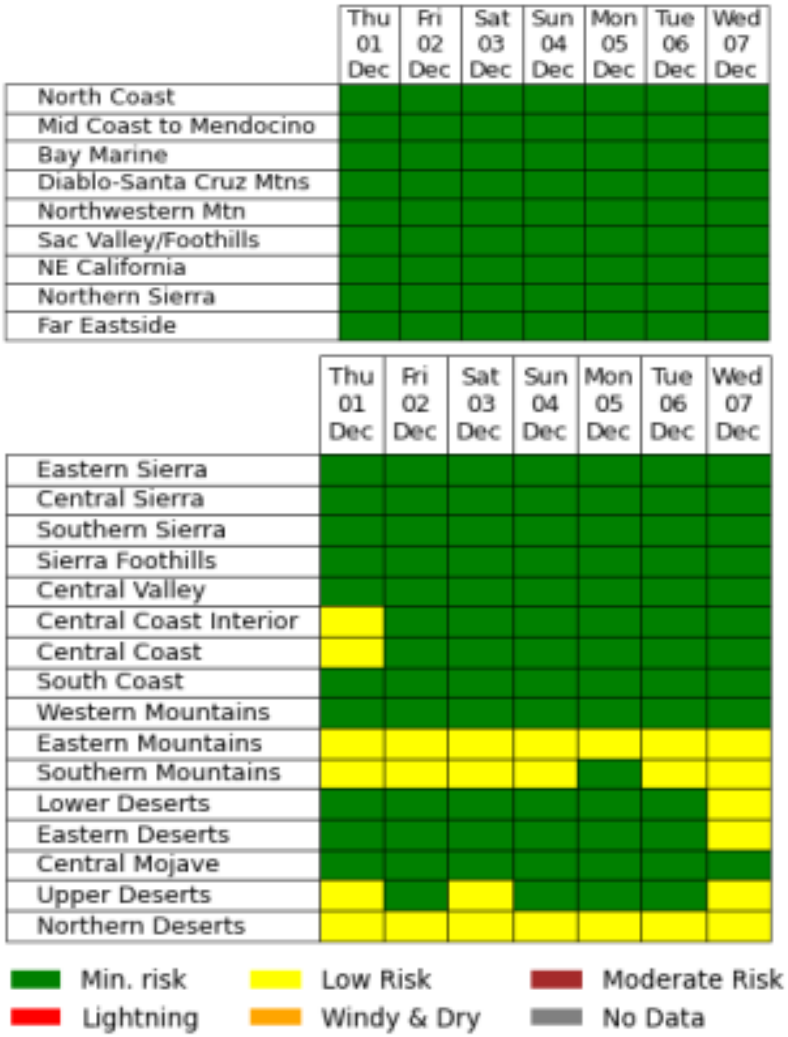
Weekly Fire Potential and Weather Forecast

Northern Region

- Fuel flammability will lessen considerably during the next several days due to the unsettled weather pattern with little to no large fire risk across the entire region.
- Snow cover will expand across the region and should be fairly expansive above 3000-3500 feet following this current storm system.
- Dead fuel moisture values will be transitioning with noticeably higher values thru Mon and will become near to above normal. ERCs will lower noticeably and should become near to below normal by early next week.
- Herbaceous grass and forbs are exhibiting a light flush of green-up, generally below 1500 to 2500 ft and the abundant soil moisture should jump start some additional growth across the lower elevations although the cooler temperatures will mute the jump start initially. The abundant standing dead from the previous growing season will remain until the combination of precipitation/wind and green-up can "melt" or alter the fuel bed.
- Live Woody Brush-Shrubs & Tree Canopies are likely in a mixed state of flammability.Dormancy has set in across the mid & upper elevations with little change expected. Some new growth, especially in Chamise, will re-initiate across the lower elevations thanks to the additional soil moisture but the cooler than normal temps have slowed that process thus continuing a fairly flammable regime based on the limited fuel samples taken during November.

Southern Region

- There will be little or no fire activity across the region through the forecast period.
- Troughing will be in place along the West Coast through mid next week, bringing a cool and wet pattern. Multiple areas of low pressure will bring periods of light to briefly moderate rain and showers through the middle of next week.
- Maximum temperatures will be 10 to 15 degrees below normal through mid next week, with mid 50s to mid 60s for the coast and valleys and upper 30s and 40s across the mountains.
- Minimum humidity will be above 30% away from the deserts through mid next week with good recoveries.
- Periods of showers will move across the region the next several days. The most likely times for steadier rain will be this afternoon into Friday morning and again later Saturday into Sunday, both times most focused over areas near and north of Point Conception, with lighter rain over southern California.



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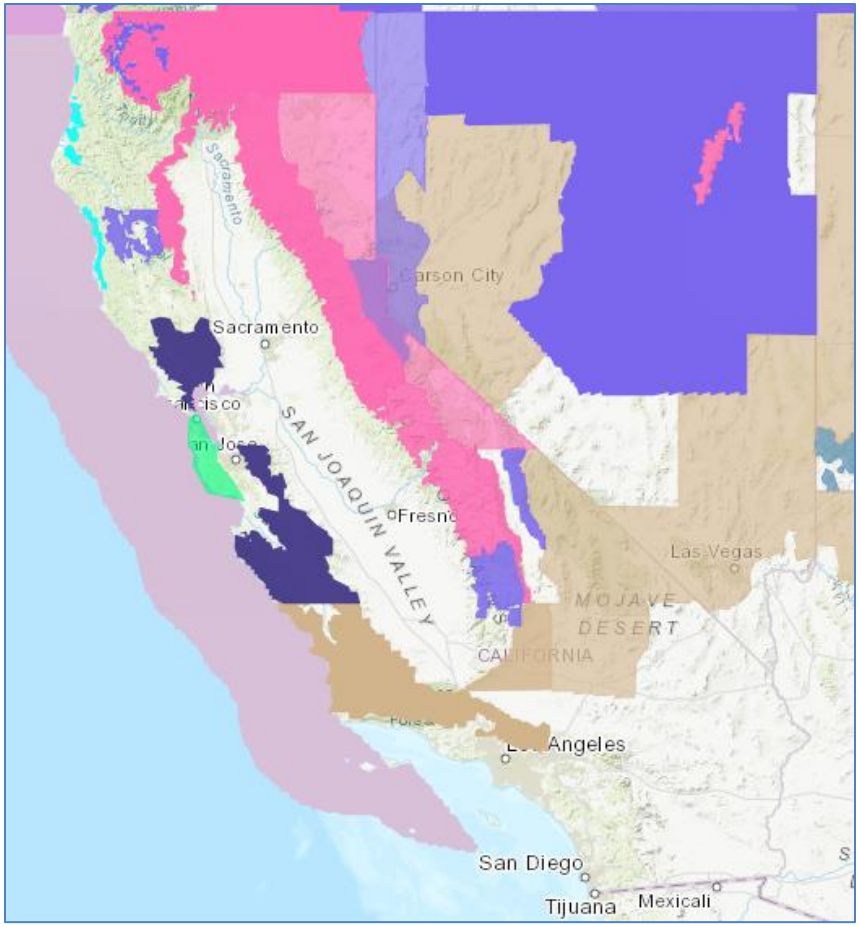
WEATHER MAP & WATCHES / WARNINGS LINKS

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:
http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:
http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1



- Air Stagnation Advisory
- Coastal Flood Statement
- Flood Watch
- Winter Storm Watch
- Gale Watch
- Beach Hazards Statement
- Freezing Fog Advisory
- Wind Advisory
- Small Craft Advisory
- Dense Fog Advisory
- Heavy Freezing Spray Warning
- High Surf Advisory
- Coastal Flood Advisory
- Flood Advisory
- Winter Weather Advisory
- Red Flag Warning
- Gale Warning
- High Surf Warning
- Flood Warning
- Winter Storm Warning
- Blizzard Warning

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status			
State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

2022 November Ebola Virus Event

The Medical and Health Coordination Center (MHCC) was activated on 11/09/22 at Level 3 (low) in response to 2022 Ebola Virus Event. The CDC released a Health Alert Network (HAN) health advisory regarding the Outbreak of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) (Sudan ebolavirus) in Central Uganda. No suspected, probable, or confirmed EVD cases related to this outbreak have yet been reported in the United States.

- The MHCC will continue to be open at 0800 hours to 1700 hours Monday through Friday until further notice.

2022 Pediatric Surge

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH), Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) and Department of Healthcare Services (DHCS) have activated the Medical and Health Coordination Center (MHCC) at Level 3 (low) in response to 2022 Pediatric Surge on 11/16/22 at 1500 hours.

- The MHCC will continue to be open 0800 hours to 1700 hours Monday through Friday until further notice.

2022 May Monkeypox Virus

On 08/01/22, the Governor proclaimed a State of Emergency to support the State's response to Monkeypox. A copy of the proclamation can be found here.

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) activated the Medical and Health Coordination Center (MHCC) at Level 3 (low) in response to the 2022 May Monkeypox Virus event on 05/24/22; and increased the activation to Level 2 on 07/18/22.

- Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday, 0800 hours to 1700 hours until further notice.

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

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COVID-19 SUMMARY

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

On 03/02/20 at 0700 hours, the Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated at Level 1 in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

SMARTER Plan

On 10/17/22, Governor Newsom unveiled the "California Smarter Plan Updates October 2022". The plan emphasizes continued readiness, awareness and flexibility and helps ensure California can maintain its focus on communities that continue to be disproportionately impacted and stay prepared to swiftly and effectively respond to emerging COVID-19 variants and changing conditions. Governor Newsom is set to lift the State of Emergency in early 2023, and this update provides information on California's progress to date and how we move forward.

CDPH Statewide Travel Advisory

- For more information: CDC Travel Guidelines

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per California Department of Public Health Tracking COVID-19 as of 11/30/22 at 1630 hours:

- 10,651,573 total confirmed cases.
    - 40,498 Delta
- 96,803 total deaths.
    - 102 Delta
- Please see the most recent "Situation Report - COVID-19" attachment for additional details.

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PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

PSPS Status			
PG&E	SCE	SDG&E	Liberty Utilities
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

PG&E
- Nothing significant to report.

SCE
- Nothing significant to report.

SDG&E
- Nothing significant to report.

Liberty Utilities
- Nothing significant to report.

PacificCorp
- Nothing significant to report.

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MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Emergency Transportation Route Closures		
Northern California	**Central California**	**Southern California**
No Emergency Transportation Route Closures	**No Emergency Transportation Route Closures**	**No Emergency Transportation Route Closures**

Emergency Transportation Route Closures:
- There are no Emergency Transportation Route Closures.

Non-Emergency Transportation Route Closures:
- Click here for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:
- There are no Wildfire Closures.

Emergency Operations Center Activations:
- There are no Emergency Operations Center Activations.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)
- http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr

Click on the Caltrans Logo to check current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for current Hwy. conditions.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels		
National	**Northern California**	**Southern California**
Preparedness Level 1	**Preparedness Level 1**	**Preparedness Level 1**
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	**Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2**

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Mission Tasking
- None reported

FEMA
- None reported

Pre-Position Resources
- None reported

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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Enforcement Missions

2022-LAW-83990 11/28/22 at 1215 hours: The Fresno County Sheriff's Office SAR Coordinator contacted LDO directly requesting 20 Type IV ground searchers for a missing 86 YOA male with Alzheimer's. MP walked away from his residence south of Fresno on 11/25/22 – Fresno S/O requesting support for their on-going search. Available resources will respond 11/29/22 to the ICP at 1701 W. Jensen Fresno for 0800 briefing: Merced S/O 1 deputy and 2 SAR volunteers, Madera S/O 2 deputies and 2 SAR volunteers, King S/O 4 horseback deputies, Tulare S/O 2 deputies and 2 SAR volunteers. Update 11/29/22 at 1000 hours: Fresno S/O requests the same SAR staffing as previously requested for Wednesday, 11/30/22 and Thursday 12/1/22 – LDO coordinating request. Update 11/29/22 @ 2000 hours: SAR mutual aid staffing for 11/30/22 @ 0800 hours - Kern S/O 3, Kings S/O 3, Madera S/O 2, Merced S/O 3, Tulare S/O 4. Mission On-Going. Update 11/30/22 @ 1701 hours: SAR mutual aid staffing for 12/1/22 @ 0800 hours - Kings S/O 2, Madera S/O 1, Merced S/O 4, Tulare S/O pending. Fresno Sheriff also requesting 4 canines, both cadaver and trailing if possible for 12/2/22 only, CARDA has been notified. Fresno Sheriff requesting 40 ground personnel, as many mounted as able and as many OHV (motorcycles and quads) as possible for both Saturday 12/3/22 and Sunday 12/4/22. Regions V and II have been advised of this request. AC Jared McCormick will be the POC for this campaign search starting 12/1/22 at 0800 hours. LDO is aware.
Mission On-going

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Cal OES MISSION TASKINGS

Cal OES Missions

- Nothing significant to report.

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Mission:
We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.