

DAILY THREAT REPORT

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⚠️ PREPAREDNESS CONDITION 3 - INCIDENT PROBABLE - Brown Sky ⚠️

Tuesday, 26 May 2026 | Op Epic Fury Day 88 | Hormuz Blockade Day 44 | LBN CF Day 41 | Trend: STABLE

COMMUNICATIONS CONDITION: COMCON 4 - INCIDENT POSSIBLE

WEATHER: WX-CON 2 - SLGT - West/Southwest Texas convective

SPACE WEATHER: SWX-CON 1 - Minor - Active S1 solar radiation storm

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STATUS: [PREP-CON 3](#) INCIDENT PROBABLE (Brown Sky), Trend STABLE. This is a 72-hour multi-day rollup covering the Memorial Day weekend, 24-MAY through 26-MAY. US naval blockade of Iran Day 44; Lebanon ceasefire Day 41 of the 45-day extension (porous, holding). The lead development this cycle is a US strike on Iranian targets near the Strait of Hormuz on 25-MAY, conducted concurrently with an advancing but unsigned negotiating framework. [WX-CON 2 SLGT](#) on an [SPC](#) Day 1 SLIGHT convective risk across West and Southwest Texas, with critical fire-weather conditions also flagged for West Texas. [SWX-CON 1 Minor](#) on an active S1 solar radiation storm. PREP-CON holds STABLE; the [WHO](#) Ebola public health emergency remains a lead driver, with the case count rising sharply and US entry screening operational.

URGENT -- US STRIKES IRANIAN TARGETS 25-MAY INSIDE AN ADVANCING NEGOTIATION: On 25-MAY US forces conducted what [CENTCOM](#) termed self-defense strikes in southern Iran near Bandar Abbas, hitting missile launch sites and Iranian boats [CENTCOM](#) said were attempting to emplace mines. The strikes came hours after Iranian negotiators met Qatari mediators in Doha. Iran's [IRGC](#) asserted a right to respond; the Iranian outlet Tabnak reported four [IRGC](#) personnel killed, a toll not independently confirmed. The strike runs concurrent with, not instead of, a diplomatic track: Trump described an agreement as largely negotiated, and Iran's Foreign Ministry described a 14-point memorandum creating a 30-to-60-day framework while cautioning no deal is imminent. The US naval blockade of Iranian ports remains in effect. This is the cycle's highest-stakes development -- see KJ-1 and FLASH [\[GEO-001\]](#).

CHEMICAL -- GARDEN GROVE EXPLOSION THREAT ELIMINATED; EVACUATION CUT TO ~16,000: A significant de-escalation from the interim 24-MAY FLASH. The Orange County Fire Authority stated on 25-MAY that the catastrophic-explosion (BLEVE) threat at the GKN Aerospace methyl methacrylate tank is off the table, and confirmed the tank temperature is decreasing. The evacuation zone was reduced from roughly 50,000 residents to approximately 16,000. Officials stress the crisis is not averted -- a smaller leak or localized fire remains possible -- and are running a five-day risk assessment. See FLASH [\[CHEM-001\]](#).

PUBLIC HEALTH -- WHO EBOLA EMERGENCY, CASE COUNT RISING SHARPLY: The [WHO](#) public health emergency over the Bundibugyo-strain Ebola outbreak in the DRC and Uganda remains in force; the strain has no approved vaccine or treatment. Per the [CDC](#) situation report dated 24-MAY, combined DRC and Uganda figures are on the order of 1,010 cases and 130-plus deaths -- roughly double the 600-plus suspected cases carried at the 22-MAY cycle. Uganda now has 5 confirmed cases and 1 death, all in the

capital Kampala, an international hub. There is still no US case and [CDC](#) continues to assess the domestic risk as low. See FLASH [\[HLTH-001\]](#).

AVIATION -- Ebola entry restrictions remain operational; central-Africa flights routed to Dulles only: The CBP/[DHS](#) entry restriction remains in active enforcement. All US nationals and lawful permanent residents who have been in the DRC, Uganda, or South Sudan within the prior 21 days must enter through Washington-Dulles for enhanced [CDC](#) screening; foreign nationals who have been in the three countries in that window are barred from entry at this time. Operators and travelers with central-Africa routing should plan for diversions, re-routing, and screening delays. See FLASH [\[HLTH-001\]](#).

WEATHER -- [SPC](#) Day 1 SLIGHT West/SW Texas; critical fire weather; standing wildfire NSTR: [SPC](#) carries a Day 1 SLIGHT risk across West and Southwest Texas, embedded in a larger MARGINAL area covering south and central Texas, with scattered severe storms, large hail, damaging winds, and a couple of tornadoes possible. Critical fire-weather conditions are also flagged for West Texas. Wildfire is NSTR at event level this cycle: [NIFC](#) holds National Preparedness Level 2 with 19 uncontained large fires. See [\[WX-001\]](#).

CYBER -- Holiday-quiet KEV; one FCEB deadline at T-1: The Memorial Day weekend was quiet for federal cyber sources -- no [CISA KEV](#) additions and no new advisories 23-26 MAY, which is expected for a federal holiday. The one live current-cycle item is Drupal Core CVE-2026-9082, a SQL injection vulnerability added to the [CISA KEV catalog](#) on 22-MAY with an FCEB remediation due date of 27-MAY -- now T-1 from this cycle. Any internet-exposed unpatched Drupal core instance in scope is at a one-day-out federal deadline. See [\[SEC 4A\]](#).

LEBANON: Ceasefire Day 41 of the 45-day extension. The truce, in effect since 17-APR, continues to be honored only loosely; no significant current-cycle delta surfaced over the weekend rollup. The next Washington political round is scheduled for early June. See SEC 4B.

IRAN-HORMUZ: Strait blockade Day 44. The maritime security threat level for the Strait of Hormuz remains elevated; commercial traffic is significantly reduced, with mine activity now CENTCOM-stated following the 25-MAY strikes and sporadic GNSS interference in the approaches. See FLASH [\[GEO-001\]](#).

SPACE WX: [SWPC](#) bulletins, operator-confirmed, report an active Proton Event: ALERT ALTPX1 Serial 365 and WARNING WARPX1 Serial 625, with the 10 MeV integral proton flux above 10 pfu, [NOAA](#) Scale S1 (Minor), onset 26-MAY 0010 UTC and expected to persist through 26-MAY 2359 UTC. CHANGE FROM PRIOR: the 22-MAY cycle set SWX-CON 1 on an energetic-electron-flux ALTEF driver; this cycle the driver is the S-scale solar radiation storm, a named G/S/R sub-scale. The G geomagnetic and R radio-blackout sub-scales remain at baseline and the HF-radio environment is quiet. See FLASH [\[SWX-001\]](#).

MARKETS: CME and NYMEX were closed for the Memorial Day holiday. Oil softened earlier in the window on deal optimism, then firmed after the 25-MAY US strikes on Iranian targets. The [AAA](#) national gasoline average is roughly 4.56 dollars per gallon, a four-year Memorial Day high; analyst modeling points to a roughly 4.80 dollar summer average and a path toward the 5.02 dollar record if Hormuz stays closed into summer. [USDA](#) WASDE-671 (released 12-MAY) remains the current report; next [WASDE](#) 11-JUN.

PRACTITIONER POSTURE -- 72-HOUR DECISION TRIGGERS

1. Drupal Core CVE-2026-9082 carries an FCEB remediation deadline of 27-MAY, now T-1. Confirm Drupal core patch status for any internet-exposed instance before the deadline. See [\[SEC 4A\]](#).
2. The Iran situation is now negotiation and limited kinetic action running in parallel; a US strike on Iranian soil 25-MAY raises the domestic cost to Tehran of any visible concession. Hold pump-price posture flex; cyber-spillover preparedness elevates on any retaliation following the [IRGC](#) right-to-respond statement. See [\[GEO-001\]](#).
3. West and Southwest Texas face an [SPC](#) Day 1 SLIGHT convective risk plus critical fire-weather conditions. Verify two-of-three non-NWR alert paths (Wireless Emergency Alerts + [NWS](#) app + commercial broadcast): the NM transmitter triple-gap (Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad) is OUT OF SERVICE within the West Texas and Southeast New Mexico convective and critical-fire zone, and the TX Brownsville transmitter is DEGRADED at the southern edge of the area. See [\[WX-001\]](#).
4. Residents in the reduced Garden Grove evacuation zone should continue to monitor Orange County Fire Authority guidance through the five-day risk assessment rather than treat the chemical-tank incident as closed; a smaller leak or localized fire remains possible. See [\[CHEM-001\]](#).
5. Travel/health: the CBP/[DHS](#) Ebola entry restrictions remain in active enforcement, routing US-bound flights carrying passengers recently in the DRC, Uganda, or South Sudan to Washington-Dulles only, with [CDC](#) screening operational. The consolidation of cases in Kampala, an international air hub, is the development most relevant to travel-screening posture. See [\[HLTH-001\]](#).

WHAT CHANGED SINCE 22-MAY (72-HOUR WEEKEND ROLLUP)

+ ADDED: US conducted self-defense strikes on Iranian missile launch sites and mine-laying boats near Bandar Abbas on 25-MAY; the [IRGC](#) asserted a right to respond. An active S1 solar radiation storm began 26-MAY ([SWPC](#) ALTPX1 / WARPX1). Drupal Core CVE-2026-9082 was added to the [CISA KEV catalog](#) 22-MAY with a 27-MAY FCEB deadline.

~ CHANGED: Day counters advanced: blockade to Day 44; LBN CF to Day 41; Op Epic Fury to Day 88; WHCD to Day 32. Garden Grove chemical-tank threat de-escalated -- the BLEVE explosion mode is off the table and the evacuation zone cut from roughly 50,000 to about 16,000. Ebola figures roughly doubled to about 1,010 cases and 130-plus deaths across DRC and Uganda, with Uganda now a 5-case Kampala cluster. The SWX-CON driver changed from the energetic-electron ALTEF alert to the S-scale solar radiation storm. WX-CON geography is West and Southwest Texas convective, operator-confirmed against the [SPC](#) Day 1 graphic. [NWR](#) roster per the 26-MAY operator list: 18 transmitters affected (14 OUT OF SERVICE, 4 DEGRADED) across 14 states.

= NO MATERIAL CHANGE: PREP-CON 3 INCIDENT PROBABLE baseline; COMCON 4 INCIDENT POSSIBLE baseline; SWX-CON 1 Minor (driver changed, level unchanged); US naval blockade operational posture; Lebanon ceasefire holding in name with no significant weekend delta; [NIFC](#) National Preparedness Level 2 with no FLASH-tier wildfire; no significant US-impacting seismic activity (an M6.9 near Calama, Chile, 25-MAY had no US impact).

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DETERMINING YOUR POSTURE

This index and the Section 11 matrix are decision-support tools, not just data. Use them with this cycle's [PREP-CON](#), [COMCON](#), [WX-CON](#), and [SWX-CON](#) to set your own [CONCON \(Continuity Conditions\)](#) -- your family's or MAG's operational posture. FFTP sets the four conditions; you set CONCON.

Find your region; entries in that row apply to you. Click any entry ID for full detail.

REGION / STATE	ACTIVE ENTRIES	NOTES
West / Southwest Texas	WX-001	SPC Day 1 SLGT (operator-confirmed); scattered severe storms with large hail, damaging winds, a couple of tornadoes, within a larger MARGINAL area. Critical fire-weather conditions also flagged. NM triple-gap (Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad) NWR transmitters OUT OF SERVICE within this zone
South / Central Texas	WX-001	MARGINAL area surrounding the West Texas SLGT; general thunderstorms with isolated severe potential
Western Montana / Upper Midwest / E Kentucky	WX-001	Separate SPC Day 1 MARGINAL areas; isolated severe storms possible
Garden Grove / Orange County CA	CHEM-001	Methyl methacrylate tank: BLEVE explosion threat eliminated 25-MAY; evacuation zone reduced from roughly 50,000 to about 16,000 residents; five-day risk assessment ongoing for residual leak or fire
Alaska (NWR cluster)	-	AK Cape Gull and Kotzebue NWR transmitters DEGRADED; outside the CONUS severe-weather corridor
NATIONAL - CYBER	-	Memorial Day weekend holiday-quiet: no CISA KEY additions 23-26 MAY. Standing item: Drupal Core CVE-2026-9082, FCEB remediation deadline 27-MAY (T-1)
NATIONAL - ENERGY/FUEL	GEO-001	Hormuz blockade Day 44; US strikes on Iranian targets 25-MAY; AAA national gasoline average roughly 4.56 dollars per gallon, a four-year Memorial Day high; CME/NYMEX closed for the holiday
NATIONAL - WILDFIRE	-	NIFC National Preparedness Level 2; 19 uncontained large fires; about 2.38 million year-to-date acres. No FLASH-tier fire this cycle (NSTR at event level)
International Travel - Middle East	GEO-001	Gulf airspace and Middle East flexibility advised while US-Iran negotiation and limited kinetic action run in parallel; central-Africa-origin US-bound flights routed to Washington-Dulles only under Ebola entry rules
Strait of Hormuz	GEO-001	Blockade Day 44; US strikes on Iranian missile sites and mine-laying boats near Bandar Abbas 25-MAY; mine activity now CENTCOM-stated; commercial transit at a small fraction of pre-war volume

DRC (Ituri / North Kivu / South Kivu) + Uganda (Kampala)	HLTH-001	WHO Ebola PHEIC; combined figures roughly 1,010 cases and 130-plus deaths; Uganda 5-case cluster in Kampala, an international hub
Hawaii (Big Island)	-	M6.0 earthquake 22-MAY felt chain-wide, no major damage; USGS HVO forecasts Kilauea episode 48 lava fountaining 25-26 MAY; tephra and vog hazard localized to Hawaii Volcanoes National Park and downwind communities
Southern Lebanon + Northern Israel	-	Ceasefire Day 41 of the 45-day extension; holding porously; no significant current-cycle delta over the weekend rollup
HF / EMCOMM - high latitudes	-	SWX-CON 1 Minor on an active S1 solar radiation storm (SWPC ALTPX1 / WARPX1); minor HF degradation possible on polar routes; mid-latitude environment quiet

SECTION 1 - KEY JUDGMENTS

Five key judgments drive this cycle. Each carries a likelihood term from the ICD 203 scale and a separate confidence level per SOP 0.113-D; full evidence base, tripwires, and alternative hypotheses live in the linked FLASH entry.

KJ-1: A finalized US-Iran agreement within 7 days is assessed roughly even chance; limited kinetic action continues in parallel. LIKELIHOOD: roughly even chance. CONFIDENCE: LOW-to-MODERATE (split). US forces struck Iranian missile launch sites and mine-laying boats near Bandar Abbas on 25-MAY even as a 14-point memorandum-of-understanding framework advanced. Split confidence applies: HIGH confidence the negotiating framework is at an advanced stage, on multi-stream US, Iranian, Qatari, and Pakistani corroboration; LOW confidence on near-term finalization given the unresolved Hormuz-control wording and a live kinetic exchange inside the ceasefire. CHANGE FROM PRIOR: the 24-MAY FLASH assessed a deal as likely within 72 hours; this cycle downgrades to roughly even chance within 7 days. Full analysis: [\[GEO-001\]](#).

KJ-2: The Strait of Hormuz remains effectively closed through the near term. LIKELIHOOD: very likely. CONFIDENCE: MODERATE. The maritime threat level for the Strait of Hormuz remains elevated, with mine activity now CENTCOM-stated following the 25-MAY strikes. The operational reality is unchanged: blockade Day 44, commercial transit at a small fraction of pre-war volume. Practitioner watch: Hormuz language in any US-Iran negotiated text, and whether the next cycle resolves toward a signed memorandum or further kinetic action. Full analysis: [\[GEO-001\]](#).

KJ-3: West and Southwest Texas face a SLIGHT severe-convective risk plus critical fire weather on 26-MAY. LIKELIHOOD: likely (scattered severe storms). CONFIDENCE: MODERATE. [SPC](#) Day 1, operator-confirmed against the issued graphic, carries a SLIGHT risk across West and Southwest Texas for scattered severe storms with large hail, damaging winds, and a couple of tornadoes, embedded in a larger MARGINAL area over south and central Texas. Critical fire-weather conditions are also flagged for West Texas. The NM transmitter triple-gap at Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad is OUT OF SERVICE within that zone. Full analysis: [\[WX-001\]](#).

KJ-4: The [WHO](#) Ebola PHEIC outbreak continues to expand; a US case remains unlikely near-term. LIKELIHOOD: continued growth very likely; US case unlikely. CONFIDENCE: HIGH on growth, MODERATE on no US case. The [WHO](#) Ebola PHEIC over the Bundibugyo-strain outbreak in the DRC and Uganda remains in force; the strain has no approved vaccine. Combined figures roughly doubled since the 22-MAY cycle to about 1,010 cases and 130-plus deaths, and Uganda now has a 5-case cluster in Kampala. US entry screening is operational at Washington-Dulles; there is no US case and [CDC](#) assesses US public risk as low. Full analysis: [\[HLTH-001\]](#).

KJ-5: An active S1 solar radiation storm is in progress; operational HF impact at mid-latitudes is minimal. LIKELIHOOD: storm in progress (observed); mid-latitude HF disruption very unlikely. CONFIDENCE: HIGH. [SWPC](#) bulletins ALTPX1 Serial 365 and WARPX1 Serial 625, operator-confirmed, report a Proton Event with the 10 MeV integral flux above 10 pfu, [NOAA](#) Scale S1 (Minor), expected to persist through 26-MAY 2359 UTC. CHANGE FROM PRIOR: the SWX-CON driver moved from the 22-MAY energetic-electron ALTEF alert to this S-scale radiation storm. Minor HF degradation on polar routes is possible; mid-latitude operational impact is minimal. Full analysis: [\[SWX-001\]](#).

CRITICAL TIME HACK - 0-72H DECISION TRIGGERS

Items ordered by (probability times impact). Each card is a standalone decision trigger per SOP 0.71. Bracketed IDs cross-reference matching FLASH entries.

US strikes Iranian targets near Hormuz 25-MAY; negotiation continues in parallel.

[TODAY | 26-MAY (T+0) | GEOPOLITICAL]

DECISION TRIGGER: US forces struck Iranian missile launch sites and mine-laying boats near Bandar Abbas on 25-MAY; the [IRGC](#) asserted a right to respond. A 14-point MoU framework remains under negotiation. Practitioner read: hold pump-price posture flex; elevate cyber-spillover preparedness on any Iranian retaliation; retain Middle East airspace travel flexibility. See [\[GEO-001\]](#).

Drupal Core CVE-2026-9082 FCEB deadline T-1 -- verify patch now.

[TUESDAY | 27-MAY (T+1) | CYBER]

DECISION TRIGGER: Drupal Core SQL injection CVE-2026-9082 was added to the [CISA KEV catalog](#) on 22-MAY with an FCEB remediation due date of 27-MAY, now T-1. Any internet-exposed unpatched Drupal core instance in scope is at a one-day-out federal deadline -- confirm patch status immediately. See [\[SEC 4A\]](#).

[WHO](#) Ebola PHEIC; case count roughly doubled; US screening operational.

[TODAY | 26-MAY (T+0) | PUBLIC HEALTH]

DECISION TRIGGER: The [WHO](#) Ebola PHEIC and the CBP/[DHS](#) entry restrictions remain in active enforcement. Combined DRC and Uganda figures roughly doubled since 22-MAY to about 1,010 cases, and Uganda now has a 5-case Kampala cluster. Practitioner read: travelers and operators with DRC, Uganda, or South Sudan routing should expect diversion and screening delays via Washington-Dulles; there is no US Ebola case and [CDC](#) assesses public risk as low. See [\[HLTH-001\]](#).

[SPC](#) Day 1 SLGT West/SW Texas convective; critical fire weather West Texas.

[TODAY | 26-MAY (T+0) | WEATHER]

DECISION TRIGGER: [SPC](#) Day 1, operator-confirmed, carries a SLIGHT risk across West and Southwest Texas for scattered severe storms with large hail, damaging winds, and a couple of tornadoes, within a larger MARGINAL area over south and central Texas. Critical fire-weather conditions are also flagged for West Texas. The NM transmitter triple-gap at Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad is OUT OF SERVICE within that zone -- local EOCs and residents should verify non-NWR alert paths. See [\[WX-001\]](#).

Active S1 solar radiation storm in progress; mid-latitude HF impact minimal.

[TODAY | 26-MAY (T+0) | SPACE WX]

DECISION TRIGGER: [SWPC](#) bulletins ALTPX1 Serial 365 and WARPX1 Serial 625, operator-confirmed, report a Proton Event with the 10 MeV integral flux above 10 pfu, [NOAA](#) Scale S1 (Minor), expected to persist through 26-MAY 2359 UTC. Practitioner-tier hams: minor HF degradation is possible on polar and high-latitude routes; mid-latitude operational impact is minimal. Satellite operators may note minor single-event effects. See [\[SWX-001\]](#).

US strikes Iranian missile sites near Hormuz as MoU framework advances.

[GEO-001 | FLASH | UPDATED - US STRIKES IRANIAN TARGETS 25-MAY | Score 24]

DELTA SINCE YESTERDAY

+ **ADDED:** On 25-MAY US forces conducted what [CENTCOM](#) termed self-defense strikes in southern Iran near Bandar Abbas, hitting missile launch sites and Iranian boats [CENTCOM](#) said were attempting to emplace mines. The strikes came hours after Iranian negotiators met Qatari mediators in Doha. This is a confirmed kinetic event neither the 22-MAY DTR nor the interim 24-MAY FLASH carried.

+ **ADDED:** Iran's [IRGC](#) asserted a legitimate right to respond to any violation of the ceasefire; the Iranian outlet Tabnak reported four [IRGC](#) personnel killed in the strikes on boats. There is no independent confirmation of that toll.

~ **CHANGED:** The diplomatic track advanced in parallel: Trump described a US-Iran agreement as largely negotiated on 23-MAY and proceeding nicely on 25-MAY, while Iran's Foreign Ministry described a 14-point memorandum of understanding creating a 30-to-60-day framework to negotiate the hardest issues and cautioned that no agreement is imminent.

~ **CHANGED:** CHANGE FROM PRIOR: the 22-MAY DTR framed Iran as a deal-or-strike window open and unresolved, and the 24-MAY FLASH framed the diplomatic track as moving toward finalization. This cycle a confirmed US strike on Iranian soil runs concurrent with the negotiation. The near-term-deal judgment is downgraded from the 24-MAY FLASH likely-within-72-hours to roughly even chance within 7 days.

= **NO MATERIAL CHANGE:** The US naval blockade of Iranian ports remains in effect; Trump has stated it continues until a deal is reached, certified, and signed. Iran's Fars agency continues to dispute that the Strait of Hormuz would leave Iranian management under any agreement.

WHY THIS CYCLE

This is the cycle's lead development and a genuine escalation: kinetic US action against Iranian targets is now running concurrently with, not instead of, an advancing but unsigned MoU. The strike gives Tehran a domestic-pressure reason to harden or to walk, while the negotiating teams remain engaged through Qatari and Pakistani mediation. Sources: [CENTCOM statement via CNN](#), [AP](#), [NPR](#).

SALUTE - Size / Activity / Location / Time / Equipment / Unit

SIZE	SIZE: US CENTCOM strike package against Iranian missile launch sites and boats in southern Iran near Bandar Abbas; Iranian-reported four IRGC personnel killed (unconfirmed). US naval blockade of Iranian ports remains in force. Roughly 1,550 vessels and 22,500 mariners reported stranded in the Gulf region during the wider blockade.
ACTIVITY	ACTIVITY: CENTCOM-stated self-defense strikes 25-MAY on missile launch sites and mine-laying boats. IRGC asserted a right to respond. Diplomatic track running in parallel: a 14-point MoU at finalization stage, 30-to-60-day Phase 2 framework, Iranian negotiators meeting Qatari mediators in Doha.
LOCATION	LOCATION: Southern Iran near Bandar Abbas; explosions also reported near Sirik and Jask. Strait of Hormuz approaches. Negotiations Qatar-hosted and Pakistan-mediated.
TIME	TIME: Strikes 25-MAY; CENTCOM statement same day. MoU described by Iran as not imminent; Trump describing the track as proceeding nicely as of 25-MAY. Window remains open and unresolved.
EQUIPMENT	EQUIPMENT: US naval blockade enforcement posture unchanged; CENTCOM AOR force posture consistent with on-call strike capability. No general mobilization or broad strike campaign observed in OSINT this cycle.
UNIT	UNIT: United States (CENTCOM), Islamic Republic of Iran (IRGC), Qatar and Pakistan as mediators; regional guarantors engaged; Israel on a parallel track.

DOWNSTREAM - CASCADE IMPLICATION

Energy: the Strait of Hormuz remains a chokehold; oil softened on deal optimism early in the window then firmed after the 25-MAY strikes. [AAA](#) national gasoline average roughly \$4.56 per gallon, a four-year Memorial Day high; analyst modeling points to a roughly \$4.80 summer average and a path toward the \$5.02 record if Hormuz stays closed into summer. Maritime: mine-emplacement attempts are now CENTCOM-stated rather than only reported; the Hormuz maritime threat level remains elevated. Diplomatic: the strike raises the domestic cost to Tehran of any visible concession. Full standalone Iran analysis is in the FFTP companion report [SUPINTEL-2026-001: Iranian Domestic Unrest](#).

ANALYST ASSESSMENT

LIKELIHOOD / CONFIDENCE -- A finalized, signed agreement within the next 7 days is assessed roughly even chance at LOW-to-MODERATE confidence. Split confidence applies: HIGH confidence that a negotiating framework is at an advanced stage, on multi-stream corroboration across US, Iranian, Qatari, and Pakistani official statements; LOW confidence on near-term finalization, given the unresolved Hormuz-control wording, the deferral of the nuclear file to Phase 2, and a live kinetic exchange inside the ceasefire.

CHANGE FROM PRIOR -- The 24-MAY FLASH assessed a finalized agreement as likely within 72 hours. This cycle adds a confirmed US strike on Iranian soil and downgrades near-term-deal likelihood to roughly even chance within 7 days. The judgment shifts from window open toward negotiation and limited kinetic action running in parallel.

TRIPWIRES -- (1) A finalized joint MoU text or formal announcement; (2) an Iranian official statement accepting or rejecting US-framed pre-war Hormuz status; (3) any [CENTCOM](#) force-generation indicator beyond on-call posture; (4) an Iranian retaliatory strike following the [IRGC](#) threat; (5) first commercial transits resuming under a deal; (6) any Phase 2 nuclear-file detail.

ALTERNATIVE HYPOTHESES

Alt-Hyp 1 (roughly even chance): The 25-MAY strikes are a calibrated, deconfliction-managed signal that does not derail the talks, and both sides treat limited exchanges as priced in.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	CENTCOM explicitly framed restraint during the ongoing ceasefire; talks in Doha continued the same day; both sides absorbed a comparable 8-MAY exchange without collapse.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	The IRGC publicly asserted a right to retaliate; an Iranian-claimed death toll raises domestic pressure for a visible response.
CURRENT STATUS	OBSERVED IN PROGRESS -- Iranian response posture not yet established.

Alt-Hyp 2 (unlikely): The strikes mark the start of ceasefire breakdown and a slide back toward open conflict before any signing.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	Trump's bigger-and-stronger warning; repeated past cycles where announced near-deals collapsed; an active blockade plus mine activity.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	No general mobilization or broad strike campaign reported; negotiating teams remain engaged; Qatari and Pakistani mediators still active.
CURRENT STATUS	INDETERMINATE -- collection gaps preclude a high-confidence call.

COLLECTION GAPS - WHAT I CANNOT SEE

- No independent confirmation of the Iranian-claimed four-IRGC death toll.
- No joint MoU text in open source; the 14-point framework substance is not public.
- Israeli parallel-track intentions are unclear this cycle.
- Whether the [IRGC](#) right-to-respond statement is backed by observable proxy force-generation is not established.

SOURCES

[CNN live coverage](#) (primary, [CENTCOM](#) statement); [AP](#); [NPR](#); [Reuters](#); [Washington Post](#).

Garden Grove tank: explosion threat eliminated; evacuation cut to ~16,000.

[CHEM-001 | FLASH | UPDATED - EXPLOSION THREAT ELIMINATED | Score 22]

DELTA SINCE YESTERDAY

~ **CHANGED:** The Orange County Fire Authority stated on 25-MAY that the BLEVE catastrophic-explosion threat at the GKN Aerospace methyl methacrylate tank is off the table, and confirmed the tank internal temperature is decreasing. This is a significant de-escalation from the interim 24-MAY FLASH, which carried the tank as unstabilizable with failure assessed certain.

~ **CHANGED:** The evacuation zone was reduced on 25-MAY evening from roughly 50,000 residents to approximately 16,000. The reduced zone is bounded by Orangewood Avenue to the north, Dale Street to the east, Knott Street to the west, and Garden Grove Boulevard to the south.

+ **ADDED:** Crews removed exterior weather insulation from the tank to improve water-cooling efficiency. Officials believe much of the methyl methacrylate has polymerized, or cured, inside the tank, reducing the reactive liquid volume available to feed a runaway reaction.

= **NO MATERIAL CHANGE:** Officials stress the crisis is not averted: a smaller leak or localized fire remains possible, and Orange County is running a five-day risk assessment that factors the weather forecast. Air monitoring continued to show contaminant levels within normal limits.

WHY THIS CYCLE

This entry is carried because it is a directional reversal of a FLASH-tier hazard that affected tens of thousands of residents two cycles ago. A reader who acted on the 24-MAY FLASH needs to know the catastrophic mode is now removed and the evacuation footprint cut by roughly two-thirds, while a residual leak or fire hazard persists. Sources: [ABC7 Los Angeles](#), [NPR](#).

SALUTE - Size / Activity / Location / Time / Equipment / Unit

SIZE	SIZE: One 34,000-gallon storage tank at the GKN Aerospace facility, originally holding roughly 6,000 to 7,000 gallons of methyl methacrylate; officials now believe much of that volume has polymerized inside the tank. Evacuation reduced to approximately 16,000 residents from a prior peak of roughly 50,000.
ACTIVITY	ACTIVITY: OCFA declared the BLEVE catastrophic-explosion threat off the table 25-MAY; tank internal temperature confirmed decreasing. Crews removed exterior weather insulation to improve water-cooling. A five-day risk assessment is under way for residual leak or fire potential.
LOCATION	LOCATION: GKN Aerospace facility, 12122 Western Avenue, Garden Grove, Orange County, California. Reduced evacuation zone bounded by Orangewood Avenue north, Dale Street east, Knott Street west, Garden Grove Boulevard south.
TIME	TIME: Tank began overheating 21-MAY; OCFA off-the-table declaration and evacuation-zone reduction 25-MAY; five-day risk assessment running from 25-MAY.
EQUIPMENT	EQUIPMENT: Water-cooling operation with exterior insulation removed; stationary and mobile air monitors deployed; the adjacent tank work to remove explosive potential reported in the prior FLASH is superseded by the current stabilization.
UNIT	UNIT: Orange County Fire Authority (lead), Cal OES, US EPA on-scene coordinators, Garden Grove Police Department; Orange County risk-assessment team.

DOWNSTREAM - CASCADE IMPLICATION

The reduced evacuation footprint lowers the shelter load and the regional traffic and air-quality disruption that the 24-MAY FLASH downstream block flagged. A residual leak or localized fire remains possible within the five-day assessment window; practitioners in the reduced zone should continue to monitor OCFA guidance rather than treat the incident as closed. Knott's Berry Farm and Disneyland remain outside the zone and open.

ANALYST ASSESSMENT

LIKELIHOOD / CONFIDENCE -- A catastrophic explosion is now assessed very unlikely at MODERATE confidence. The basis is the OCFA on-scene declaration plus a confirmed falling tank temperature; confidence is MODERATE rather than HIGH because the tank interior state is inferred, not directly measured. A smaller leak or localized fire remains roughly even chance at LOW confidence over the five-day assessment window.

CHANGE FROM PRIOR -- The 24-MAY FLASH scored this as a tank assessed unstabilizable with failure certain in one of two modes. This cycle the primary catastrophic mode is removed and the evacuation population is cut by roughly 68 percent. This is a directional reversal.

TRIPWIRES -- (1) Any renewed rise in tank temperature; (2) a confirmed leak or fire at the site; (3) an expansion of the evacuation zone; (4) the five-day risk assessment finding a residual hazard requiring sustained evacuation.

ALTERNATIVE HYPOTHESES

Alt-Hyp 1 (likely): The tank is genuinely stabilizing and the residual hazard is minor nuisance venting only.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	Confirmed falling temperature; OCFA public declaration; methyl methacrylate polymerization reduces the reactive liquid volume.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	A crack was reported in the tank; OCFA still maintains a 16,000-person evacuation zone and a five-day assessment, which is inconsistent with a fully resolved hazard.
CURRENT STATUS	OBSERVED IN PROGRESS -- temperature trend favorable.

Alt-Hyp 2 (roughly even chance): The de-escalation is partly presentational and a thermal or leak event is still materially possible within days.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	Officials' own crisis-is-not-averted language; the retained five-day risk assessment; weather-dependent plume modeling kept in place.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	The temperature trend is now downward, not upward; the BLEVE mechanism specifically requires conditions OCFA states no longer obtain.
CURRENT STATUS	INDETERMINATE -- five-day assessment not yet complete.

COLLECTION GAPS - WHAT I CANNOT SEE

- The exact remaining liquid volume of methyl methacrylate inside the tank is not known; officials estimate much has cured.
- The cause of the original overheating remains undetermined; an Orange County DA probe is open.
- The findings of the five-day risk assessment are not yet public.

SOURCES

[ABC7 Los Angeles live coverage](#) (primary); [NPR](#); [Fullerton Observer](#).

WHO Ebola PHEIC: DRC and Uganda case count roughly doubles.

[HLTH-001 | FLASH | UPDATED - CASE COUNT RISING SHARPLY | Score 22]

DELTA SINCE YESTERDAY

~ **CHANGED:** Per the [CDC](#) situation report dated 24-MAY, the DRC has roughly 1,005 total cases, 101 confirmed plus 904 suspected, and about 129 deaths, 10 confirmed and 119 suspected. Combined DRC and Uganda figures are on the order of 1,010 cases and 130-plus deaths. The 22-MAY DTR carried roughly 600-plus suspected cases and about 148 deaths; the case count has roughly doubled.

~ **CHANGED:** Uganda now has 5 confirmed cases and 1 confirmed death, all in the capital Kampala and all epidemiologically linked to DRC travel; Uganda announced 3 additional confirmed cases on 23-MAY. The Uganda footprint has hardened from scattered importation into a confirmed urban cluster in an international hub.

= **NO MATERIAL CHANGE:** The outbreak spans three DRC provinces: Ituri, North Kivu, and South Kivu. The Bundibugyo strain has no approved vaccine or specific therapeutic. [WHO](#) assesses the risk as high nationally and regionally and low globally; [CDC](#) assesses US risk as low.

= **NO MATERIAL CHANGE:** US Title 42 entry restrictions and enhanced screening remain operational, with central-Africa travelers routed to Washington-Dulles. There is no US case.

WHY THIS CYCLE

This entry is carried because the outbreak has grown materially since the last full cycle: the case count has roughly doubled and the Uganda spread has consolidated into a Kampala cluster, an international hub. The reader decision it informs is travel-routing and clinical-awareness posture, not a change in US domestic risk, which remains low. Sources: [WHO Disease Outbreak News](#), [CDC Health Alert Network](#).

SALUTE - Size / Activity / Location / Time / Equipment / Unit

SIZE	SIZE: Roughly 1,010 total cases and 130-plus deaths across DRC and Uganda as of the 24-MAY CDC situation report. DRC roughly 1,005 cases, 101 confirmed; Uganda 5 confirmed cases, 1 death. Outbreak spans three DRC provinces.
ACTIVITY	ACTIVITY: Sustained case-count growth, roughly doubling since the 22-MAY cycle. Geographic spread into North Kivu, South Kivu, and confirmed urban transmission in Goma and in Kampala. WHO IHR Emergency Committee measures, rapid response teams, and mobile laboratories deployed.
LOCATION	LOCATION: DRC provinces of Ituri (epicenter), North Kivu, and South Kivu; Uganda cases all in the capital Kampala. US enhanced entry screening operational at Washington-Dulles.
TIME	TIME: WHO PHEIC declared 16-MAY; WHO Disease Outbreak News DON603 dated 21-MAY; CDC situation report dated 24-MAY with DRC data as of 23-MAY; Uganda announced 3 additional cases 23-MAY.
EQUIPMENT	EQUIPMENT: No approved vaccine or specific therapeutic for the Bundibugyo strain; early supportive care is the available intervention. Mobile laboratory deployed near the DRC-Uganda border; US Title 42 entry restrictions and CDC screening operational.
UNIT	UNIT: WHO , CDC , Africa CDC , ECDC ; DRC Ministry of Public Health; Uganda Ministry of Health; US CBP and CDC for entry screening.

DOWNSTREAM - CASCADE IMPLICATION

Aviation and travel: the standing CBP and [DHS](#) entry restriction continues to route US nationals and lawful permanent residents who have been in the DRC, Uganda, or South Sudan within the prior 21 days through Washington-Dulles for enhanced screening; foreign nationals in that travel window are barred from entry. Operators and travelers with central-Africa routing should continue to plan for diversions and screening delays. The consolidation of cases in Kampala, an international air hub, is the development most relevant to travel-screening posture.

ANALYST ASSESSMENT

LIKELIHOOD / CONFIDENCE -- Continued case growth over the next reporting cycle is assessed very likely at HIGH confidence, on concurring [WHO](#), [CDC](#), and [ECDC](#) reporting of an upward trajectory and probable under-ascertainment. A US imported case in the near term remains unlikely at MODERATE confidence: screening is operational and there is no current case, but Kampala is an international hub.

CHANGE FROM PRIOR -- Case figures roughly doubled since the 22-MAY DTR, and the Uganda footprint hardened into a confirmed Kampala cluster. The judgment that the outbreak is expanding rather than plateauing is reinforced; the confidence on continued growth strengthens. No directional reversal.

TRIPWIRES -- (1) A first suspected or confirmed US case; (2) confirmed transmission outside the current three DRC provinces and Kampala; (3) any case in a fourth country; (4) a change in the [CDC](#) US-risk assessment from low.

ALTERNATIVE HYPOTHESES

Alt-Hyp 1 (unlikely): The apparent growth is substantially a surveillance artifact: improved case-finding is converting previously invisible infections into counted suspected cases, and true incidence is closer to plateau.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	The suspected-case category is large relative to confirmed cases; WHO notes the virus circulated undetected before the outbreak was declared.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	Deaths are rising in parallel with cases; geographic spread to new provinces and to Kampala indicates genuine transmission, not only better counting.
CURRENT STATUS	INDETERMINATE -- under-ascertainment cuts both ways.

Alt-Hyp 2 (likely): The outbreak is in genuine sustained expansion and will continue to grow across multiple provinces and into additional urban centers.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	Three-province spread; confirmed urban transmission in Goma and Kampala; no vaccine for this strain; a large suspected-case backlog.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	Rapid response teams, mobile laboratories, and IHR Emergency Committee measures are deployed; prior DRC outbreaks have been contained.
CURRENT STATUS	OBSERVED IN PROGRESS -- trajectory upward as of 24-MAY.

COLLECTION GAPS - WHAT I CANNOT SEE

- The true case count is very likely understated; contact-tracing follow-up in DRC is reported at only about 20 percent of identified contacts.
- Genomic and clinical data on the Bundibugyo strain's transmissibility relative to prior outbreaks is limited.
- The completeness of Uganda case-finding beyond the Kampala cluster is not established.

SOURCES

[WHO Disease Outbreak News DON603](#) (primary); [CDC Health Alert Network 530](#); [ECDC](#).

[SPC](#) Day 1 SLGT West Texas; critical fire weather flagged.

[WX-001 | FLASH | UPDATED - WEST TEXAS CONVECTIVE + CRITICAL FIRE WX | Score 21]

This is the cycle's FLASH-tier weather item. **In brief:** [SPC](#) Day 1 (operator-confirmed graphic, issued 1243Z 26-MAY) carries a SLIGHT risk across West and Southwest Texas -- scattered severe storms, large hail, damaging winds, a couple of tornadoes -- embedded within a larger MARGINAL area covering south and central Texas. Additional MARGINAL areas cover western Montana, the Upper Midwest, and eastern Kentucky. Critical fire-weather conditions are also flagged for West Texas. Full analysis -- the [SPC](#) convective and fire-weather detail, the [NWR](#) transmitter outage roster, the standing wildfire sub-section, and practitioner action by County Warning Area -- is in **SECTION 7 (METEOROLOGICAL & SEVERE WEATHER)**. WX-CON scale: [FFTP WX-CON definitions](#); [NOAA](#) source: [SPC Convective Outlook](#).

Active S1 solar radiation storm; SWX-CON driver changes to S-scale.

[SWX-001 | FLASH | UPDATED - ACTIVE S1 SOLAR RADIATION STORM | Score 20]

This is the cycle's FLASH-tier space-weather item. **In brief:** [SWPC](#) bulletins, operator-confirmed, report an active Proton Event: ALERT ALTPX1 Serial 365 and WARNING WARPX1 Serial 625, with the 10 MeV integral proton flux above 10 pfu, [NOAA](#) Scale S1 (Minor), onset 26-MAY 0010 UTC and expected to persist through 26-MAY 2359 UTC. **CHANGE FROM PRIOR:** the 22-MAY cycle set SWX-CON 1 on an energetic-electron-flux ALTEF driver, a parameter outside the G/S/R triad; this cycle the driver is the S-scale solar radiation storm, a named G/S/R sub-scale. The G geomagnetic and R radio-blackout sub-scales remain at baseline and the HF-radio environment is quiet. Full analysis -- the S-scale impact picture, the EMCOMM and satellite-operator note, and the HF-band table -- is in **SECTION 7A (SPACE WEATHER & EMCOMM)**. SWX-CON scale: [FFTP SWX-CON definitions](#); [NOAA](#) source: [SWPC](#).

SECTION 4A - CYBER & INFORMATION SECURITY (CARRYOVER)

Below-FLASH cyber this cycle. The Memorial Day weekend was holiday-quiet for federal cyber sources; one item carries a live forward tripwire.

Drupal Core CVE-2026-9082 - FCEB deadline 27-MAY (T-1): [CISA](#) added Drupal Core SQL injection vulnerability CVE-2026-9082 to the Known Exploited Vulnerabilities catalog on 22-MAY, with a Federal Civilian Executive Branch remediation due date of 27-MAY -- one day out from this cycle. The flaw allows privilege escalation and remote code execution via specially crafted requests to the database abstraction API. FORWARD TRIPWIRE: any internet-exposed unpatched Drupal core instance in scope is at a one-day-out federal deadline; confirm patch status before 27-MAY. This is the only cyber item this cycle carrying a live current-cycle tripwire.

Holiday-quiet federal cyber sources: No [CISA KEY](#) additions and no new [CISA](#) or ICS-CERT advisories were posted 23-26 MAY. This is expected for the Memorial Day federal holiday and is not a missed sweep; [CISA](#) daily sources were dispositioned as holiday-accounted in the cycle reconciliation. The prior-cycle FLASH cyber stack (PAN-OS, Exchange, NGINX, Langflow, Trend Micro Apex One) carried no new current-cycle delta over the weekend rollup and was cut from FLASH per the SOP 0.38 / 0.110-B padding audit; operators past those deadlines should continue standing remediation.

SECTION 4B - GEOPOLITICAL CARRYOVER

Below-FLASH geopolitical items this cycle: Lebanon ceasefire status, Russia-Ukraine kinetic tempo, IN-PAK / Venezuela / DPRK posture. Full FLASH treatment for the active Iran track is in Section 3.

Lebanon ceasefire: Ceasefire Day 41 of the 45-day extension, in effect since 17-APR. The truce continues to hold porously; no significant current-cycle delta surfaced over the 72-hour weekend rollup. The next Washington political round is scheduled for early June. Carried below-FLASH this cycle; no new data warrants FLASH treatment.

Russia-Ukraine: Pokrovsk-axis pressure continuing at a steady tempo with no current-cycle delta rising to FLASH; the negotiating track remains stalled. Carried below-FLASH this cycle.

IN-PAK / Venezuela / DPRK / Sahel / Houthi: No material change this cycle. Pakistan remains visible in a mediation role for the US-Iran negotiating track (see [GEO-001](#)). Houthi posture remains a Tier-2 proxy-activation consideration in the event of renewed open conflict.

SECTION 4C - MIC SECOND-ORDER IMPACTS

Munitions stockpile and production-rate posture post-Op Epic Fury. Practitioner tier: this section is the bridge between the Iran inflection (GEO-001) and the 1-4 year defense-industrial replenishment cycle. The current negotiation-and-strike picture does not change the structural picture.

Stockpile expended (CSIS April 2026 baseline, unchanged this cycle): THAAD ~50%; Patriot PAC-3 ~50%; Tomahawk ~30%; PrSM ≥ 45%; JASSM / SM-3 / SM-6 ~20%. 1-4 year window to replenish per Cancian. Pentagon FY27 munitions request ~\$70B (3x current).

Prime contractor exposure: LMT (THAAD + PAC-3 + JASSM): tightest demand-pull; multi-year backlog assured. RTX (PAC-3 + SM-3 + SM-6): parallel demand; Tomahawk JV with LMT. NOC (B-21 + PrSM + GMD): platform-program steady; GMD intercepts under continuing review. GD (M1 Abrams + Stryker + Virginia-class): ground-platform demand secondary; SSN-774 priority. BA (Apache + KC-46 + JDAM): mixed; commercial-side headwinds offset defense backlog. HII (DDG-51 + LHA): shipbuilding bottleneck (drydock and welder labor); cannot accelerate. LHX (sensors + EW): force-multiplier demand high.

Practitioner read: A confirmed Iran deal **softens** the immediate intercept-demand spike but does not change the FY27 supplemental supplemental request risk profile (Congress already on path for ~\$70B munitions request regardless of 72h decision). A confirmed strike order **accelerates** all stockpile-replenishment timelines and likely triggers DPA Title III invocations within 30 days.

SECTION 4D - INDICATORS & WARNING MATRIX

Active tracks with tripwires and observed status. Each track is anchored to a FLASH entry or below-FLASH carryover.

TRACK	TRIPWIRE / CONFIRMS / DISCONFIRMS	STATUS
Iran negotiation + strikes	Confirms: a finalized joint MoU text, or a major escalation beyond limited strikes. Disconfirms: the track persists in parallel negotiation and limited kinetic action.	ACTIVE (US struck Iranian targets 25-MAY; 14-point MoU unsigned)
Iranian retaliation	Confirms: an Iranian retaliatory strike following the IRGC right-to-respond statement; observable proxy force-generation. Disconfirms: the IRGC statement remains rhetorical with no kinetic follow-on.	WATCH (IRGC asserted a right to respond to the 25-MAY strikes)
Lebanon CF collapse	Confirms: high-mass IDF Beirut Dahieh strike + same-week Hezbollah strategic-rocket response. Disconfirms: the early-June political round produces a joint statement.	WATCH (CF Day 41 of 45; holding porously, no weekend delta)
Hormuz reopening	Confirms: a joint US-Iran statement with a Hormuz reopening framework and a published transit mechanism. Disconfirms: continued CENTCOM redirect of commercial vessels.	NOT observed (blockade Day 44)
Ebola US entry enforcement	Confirms: a symptomatic case at a US port of entry; WHO escalation. Disconfirms: the restriction window closes with no US case.	ACTIVE (case count roughly doubled; Kampala cluster; Dulles screening operational)
Garden Grove chemical tank	Confirms: a renewed rise in tank temperature, or a confirmed leak or fire. Disconfirms: the five-day risk assessment closes with no residual hazard.	DE-ESCALATING (BLEVE threat off the table; evacuation cut to ~16,000)
Drupal CVE-2026-9082 FCEB compliance	Confirms: CISA supplemental directive, or reporting of exploitation against unpatched federal instances. Disconfirms: a clean attestation pass by the 27-MAY deadline.	FCEB DEADLINE T-1 (due 27-MAY)
Severe weather - West Texas	Confirms: county EOC activation + Severe Thunderstorm or Tornado Warning issuance in the SLGT zone. Disconfirms: the SPC Day 1 SLGT underperforms and storms stay sub-severe.	ACTIVE (SPC Day 1 SLGT West/SW Texas; operator-confirmed)
Critical fire weather - West Texas	Confirms: a Red Flag Warning verified by a new large fire. Disconfirms: the critical fire-weather flag is cancelled with no new ignition.	ACTIVE (critical fire weather flagged West Texas; NIFC NPL 2)

Space weather escalation

Confirms: [SWPC](#) escalates the S-scale, or a new R-scale blackout or geomagnetic storm watch begins. Disconfirms: the 10 MeV proton flux subsides below 10 pfu and conditions return to background.

ACTIVE S1 solar radiation storm ([SWPC ALTPX1 Ser 365](#) / [WARPX1 Ser 625](#))

SECTION 5 - ENERGY / INFRASTRUCTURE / SUPPLY CHAIN

CME and NYMEX were closed for the Memorial Day holiday, so there is no settled current-cycle futures print. Through the open part of the window, oil softened on deal optimism early then firmed after the 25-MAY US strikes on Iranian targets near Bandar Abbas. The [AAA](#) national gasoline average is roughly 4.56 dollars per gallon, a four-year Memorial Day high; analyst modeling points to a roughly 4.80 dollar summer average and a path toward the 5.02 dollar record if the Strait of Hormuz stays closed into summer. Energy markets remain anchored to the Iran track: a finalized deal would ease prices, a major escalation would spike them.

Practitioner read: Hold pump-price posture flex. Finalized-deal scenario: **likely** a forecast 3-to-5-cent-per-gallon retail decline 5-7 days post-confirmation. Major-escalation scenario: **likely** a forecast 8-to-15-cent-per-gallon retail increase 3-5 days post-event. Financial-market detail is carried below-FLASH this cycle.

Hormuz transit terms (cross-ref [\[GEO-001\]](#)): Hormuz transit terms are a likely component of any negotiated US-Iran outcome and a contested point: Iran's Fars agency continues to dispute that the Strait would leave Iranian management under any agreement. Watch for explicit Hormuz language in any negotiated text as the forward indicator of a reopening framework.

Iraqi export impact: Iraq's Hormuz-routed oil exports have run far below the pre-war monthly baseline through the blockade. With the Iraqi state budget heavily dependent on this revenue, the budget remains under acute stress. Practitioner read: Iraqi government stability is a standing watch item while exports remain at a small fraction of pre-war volume.

SECTION 6 - AVIATION / TRANSPORTATION

IROPS risk today across the West Texas convective corridor: scattered severe storms over West and Southwest Texas place MAF (Midland), DFW, AUS, and SAT at thunderstorm-delay risk, with large hail and damaging winds the primary disruption drivers. Critical fire-weather conditions in West Texas may also produce blowing dust and reduced visibility near the surface. See [\[WX-001\]](#).

ME airspace advisories: Carriers continue flexibility for Gulf overflight routing while US-Iran negotiation and limited kinetic action run in parallel; the 25-MAY US strikes near Bandar Abbas reinforce the case for routing flexibility. [FAA](#) NOTAMs unchanged from prior cycle; no new advisories issued for Iran proximity. Separately, the CBP/[DHS](#) Ebola entry rule routes all central-Africa-origin US-bound flights to Washington-Dulles only, in active enforcement. See [\[GEO-001\]](#).

Hormuz commercial shipping: [CENTCOM](#) redirect of commercial vessels continues; insurance war-risk premium for the Strait remains elevated. Mine activity near the Strait is now CENTCOM-stated following the 25-MAY strikes, sustaining the elevated maritime threat picture for any future transit. See [\[GEO-001\]](#).

SECTION 7 - METEOROLOGICAL & SEVERE WEATHER

One severe-convective hazard this cycle, plus critical fire weather, both in Texas. Full FLASH signpost [\[WX-001\]](#). The [SPC](#) Day 1 Categorical Outlook, operator-confirmed against the issued graphic (1243Z 26-MAY, valid 1300Z 26-MAY to 1200Z 27-MAY), carries a SLIGHT risk across West and Southwest Texas: scattered severe storms with large hail, damaging winds, and a couple of tornadoes are expected as a mid-level shortwave moves across far West Texas and a surface low deepens near Big Bend along a sharpening moisture axis. The SLIGHT area is embedded within a larger MARGINAL area covering south and central Texas. Separate MARGINAL areas cover western Montana, the Upper Midwest, and eastern Kentucky. Critical fire-weather conditions are also flagged for West Texas. WX-CON is set at 2 (SLGT) on the West Texas convective driver.

WX-001 ANALYST ASSESSMENT - ICD 203/206

LIKELIHOOD / CONFIDENCE -- Scattered severe storms producing large hail and damaging winds across the West and Southwest Texas SLIGHT area today are assessed likely at MODERATE confidence, on the operator-confirmed [SPC](#) Day 1 graphic plus [NWS](#) Fort Worth corroboration. A couple of tornadoes are assessed roughly even chance at LOW confidence: low-level shear supports brief spin-ups but the dryline-driven storm mode favors hail and wind over sustained rotation. Critical fire-weather impact in West Texas is assessed likely at MODERATE confidence.

CHANGE FROM PRIOR -- The 22-MAY cycle carried a dual-hazard weather picture with a convective risk in West Texas and Oklahoma and a separate [WPC](#) flash-flood risk in the Ohio Valley. This cycle the flash-flood hazard has cleared and the convective focus has tightened to West and Southwest Texas, with critical fire weather added. The hazard set changed from dual convective-plus-flood to single convective-plus-fire.

TRIPWIRES -- (1) An [SPC](#) upgrade of the West Texas area to ENHANCED or higher; (2) a Tornado Watch issued for the SLIGHT area; (3) a Red Flag Warning verified by a new large-fire ignition; (4) the convective line reaching the Interstate 35 corridor cities overnight.

Alt-Hyp 1 (roughly even chance): Storms stay sub-severe or fail to organize, with the cap holding through peak heating and the dryline mixing east without deep convection.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	A strong capping inversion is common in the southern High Plains in late May; many SLIGHT-risk days underperform.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	SPC explicitly forecasts scattered severe storms; a deepening surface low and a mid-level shortwave are both present.
CURRENT STATUS	INDETERMINATE -- afternoon destabilization not yet observed at issue time.

Alt-Hyp 2 (unlikely): The event over-performs into a higher-end severe outbreak with strong tornadoes, exceeding the SLIGHT categorization.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	Strong instability paired with a sharpening dryline and a deepening lee low can occasionally exceed SPC categorical guidance.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	SPC held the area at SLIGHT rather than ENHANCED; the storm mode is forecast as hail-and-wind dominant, not a tornado outbreak.
CURRENT STATUS	NOT OBSERVED -- no SPC upgrade or Tornado Watch as of issue time.

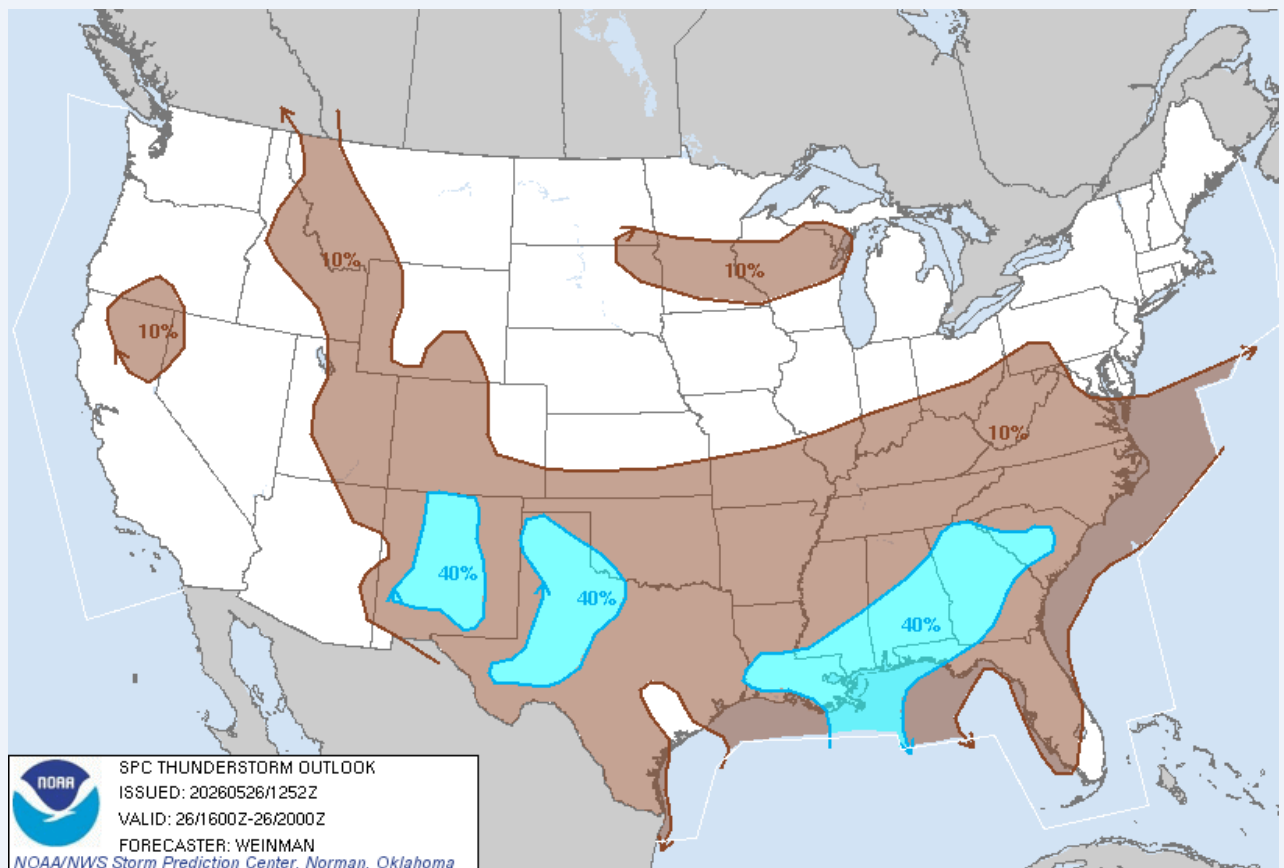
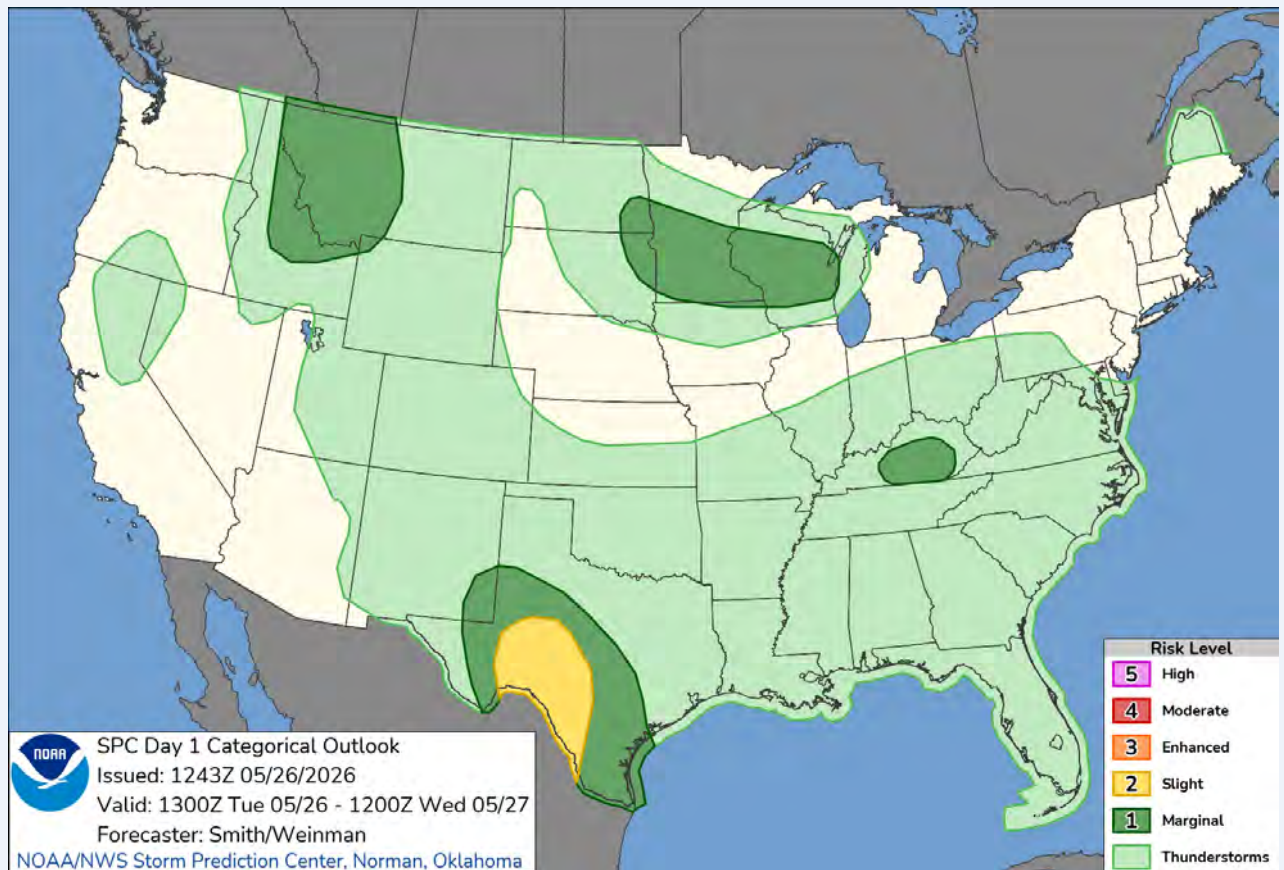
[NWR](#) transmitter outage list - operator roster 26-MAY

Total: 18 affected (14 OUT OF SERVICE + 4 DEGRADED) across 14 states (AK AR CO GA IL IN KS ME MI MN NM OR TN TX). Critical-corridor intersect with the active weather footprint: the NM triple-gap at Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad, all OUT OF SERVICE, sits within the [SPC](#) Day 1 West Texas and Southeast New Mexico convective and critical-fire zone, and TX Brownsville (DEGRADED) sits at the southern edge of the south Texas MARGINAL area.

ST	CITY	FREQ	CWA / SOURCE WFO	CALLSIGN	STATUS	THREAT OVERLAP TODAY
NM	Artesia	162.425	Midland/Odessa TX	WXN24	OUT OF SERVICE	WITHIN - SPC Day 1 West Texas / SE New Mexico convective and critical-fire zone
NM	Roswell	162.450	Albuquerque NM	WWG36	OUT OF SERVICE	WITHIN - SPC Day 1 West Texas / SE New Mexico convective and critical-fire zone
NM	Carlsbad	162.475	Midland/Odessa TX	WWF37	OUT OF SERVICE	WITHIN - SPC Day 1 West Texas / SE New Mexico convective and critical-fire zone
TX	Brownsville	162.550	Brownsville/Rio Grande Valley TX	WWG34	DEGRADED	NEAR - southern edge of the south Texas MARGINAL area

KS	Ulysses	162.450	Dodge City KS	WXN81	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas SLGT zone this cycle
IL	Hillsboro	162.425	St. Louis MO	KXI79	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
TN	Shelbyville	162.475	Nashville TN	WXK63	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
AR	Fountain Hill	162.475	Jackson MS	KGG86	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
CO	Colorado Springs	162.475	Pueblo CO	WXM56	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
GA	Baxley	162.525	Jacksonville FL	WXM65	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
ME	Sugarloaf Mtn	162.450	Gray/Portland ME	WNG547	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
MI	Petoskey	162.475	Gaylord MI	WNG572	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
MN	Gun Flint Lake	162.525	Duluth MN	KXI45	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
OR	Coos Bay	162.400	Medford OR	KIH32	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
IN	Angola	162.425	Northern Indiana IN	KXI94	OUT OF SERVICE	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle
AK	Cape Gull	162.500	Kodiak AK (WSO)	WNG529	DEGRADED	Outside the CONUS severe-weather corridor
AK	Kotzebue	162.550	Fairbanks AK	KWN30	DEGRADED	Outside the CONUS severe-weather corridor
OR	Portland	162.550	Portland OR	KIG98	DEGRADED	No direct overlap with the West Texas zone this cycle

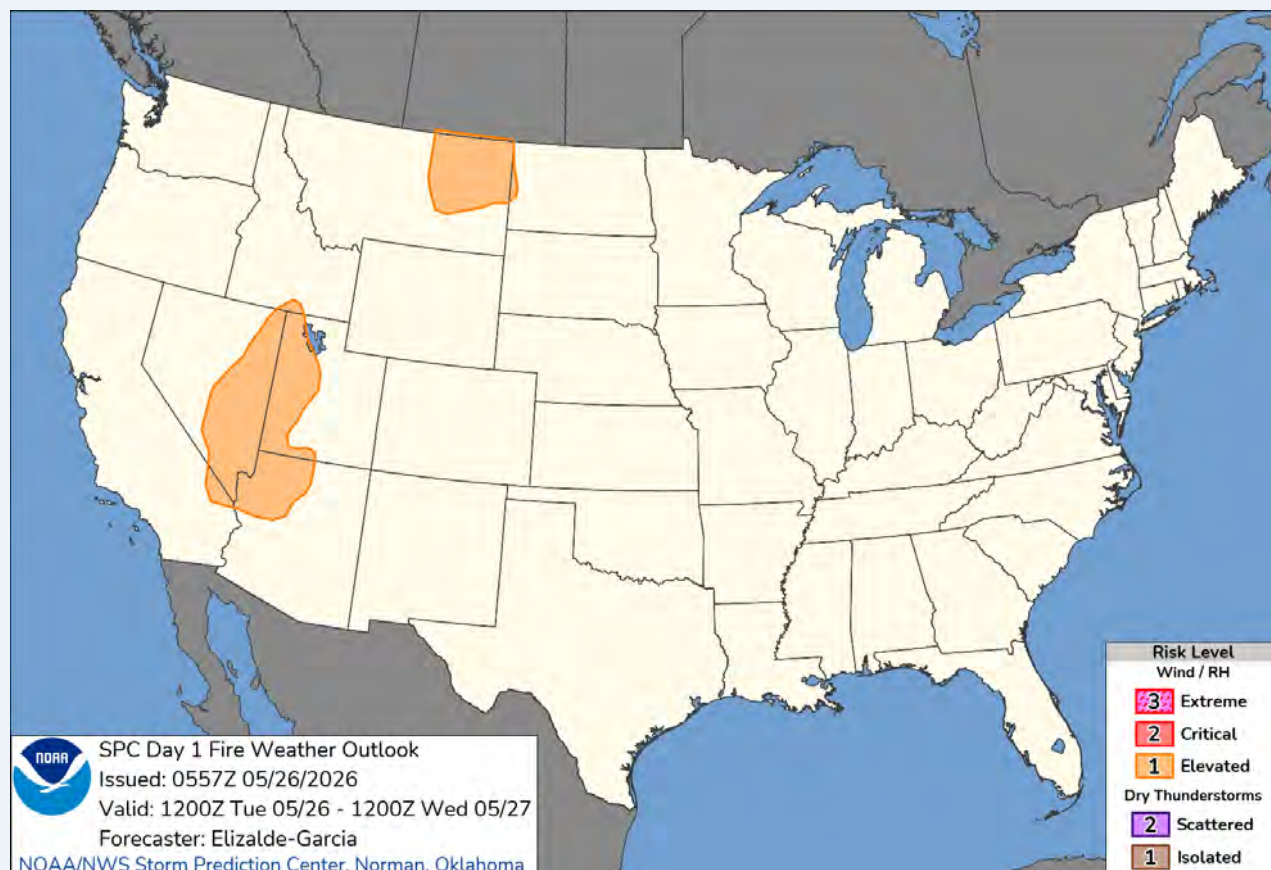
PRACTITIONER ACTION: Operator [NWR](#) roster 26-MAY: 18 transmitters affected (14 OUT OF SERVICE + 4 DEGRADED) across 14 states. The most operationally relevant gaps this cycle are the NM triple-gap at Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad, all OUT OF SERVICE, which sit within the [SPC](#) Day 1 West Texas and Southeast New Mexico convective and critical-fire zone. Households in or near that area should verify two-of-three non-NWR alert paths: Wireless Emergency Alerts on cellular handset + [NWS](#) app push notifications + commercial-broadcast (radio or TV) coverage. Cross-check county SAME location code against a backup [NWR](#) transmitter via [NWR Station Search](#).



WILDFIRE ACTIVITY - [NIFC](#), 25-MAY

NSTR at event level. National Preparedness Level 2. [NIFC](#) reports 19 uncontained large fires nationwide and 4 new large fires; year to date, roughly 430,000 wildfires have burned about 2,375,000 acres, running

well above the 10-year average. No new FLASH-tier fire event this cycle. Critical fire-weather conditions in West Texas and Southeast New Mexico today (see WX-001) overlap the NM transmitter outages noted above: Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad are all OUT OF SERVICE within the elevated-fire zone, compounding alert-dissemination risk for that area. PRACTITIONER ACTION: in the West Texas and Southeast New Mexico critical-fire zone, do not rely on [NOAA Weather Radio](#) alone for red-flag or fire-weather alerting where local transmitters are out of service; maintain a second alert path and monitor [InciWeb](#) for any incident-specific perimeter and evacuation detail.



SECTION 7A - SPACE WEATHER & EMCMM

[SWPC](#) bulletins, operator-confirmed, report an active solar radiation storm this cycle. ALERT ALTPX1 Serial 365 and WARNING WARPX1 Serial 625, issued 26-MAY 0016 to 0035 UTC, report a Proton Event with the 10 MeV integral proton flux above 10 pfu, [NOAA](#) Scale S1 (Minor), onset 26-MAY 0010 UTC, expected to persist through 26-MAY 2359 UTC. CHANGE FROM PRIOR: the 22-MAY cycle set SWX-CON 1 on an energetic-electron-flux ALTEF driver, a parameter outside the [NOAA](#) G/S/R triad; this cycle the driver is the S-scale solar radiation storm, a named G/S/R sub-scale. SWX-CON remains 1 (Minor); only the driver has changed. SWX-CON scale: [FFTP space-weather conditions](#); [NOAA](#) source: [NOAA Space Weather Scales](#).

Solar radiation storm (S1, the cycle driver): An S1 Minor solar radiation storm is in progress. At the S1 level, [NOAA](#) describes biological impact as none and operational impact as minor: a small effect on high-frequency radio propagation through the polar regions, and occasional single-event upsets possible for satellites. There is no impact to the general public. EMCMM and aviation operators on transpolar and high-latitude routes should expect minor HF degradation; mid-latitude operations are essentially unaffected. The event is expected to subside by the end of the UTC day per the WARPX1 valid time.

Geomagnetic status: The G geomagnetic sub-scale is at baseline; no geomagnetic storm watch or warning is active and no G-storm is in progress. The R radio-blackout sub-scale is also at baseline, with no R1 or greater blackout in progress. The HF-radio environment outside the polar regions is quiet.

Far-side outlook (3-5 day flare watch): The proton event indicates flare or eruptive activity at or beyond the solar limb. Practitioner read: a continued S-scale radiation environment is **roughly even chance** over the next 24 to 48 hours at MODERATE confidence as the source region evolves; further proton enhancement or a return to background are both plausible. EMCOMM operators should monitor [SWPC](#) for any escalation of the S-scale or a new R-scale blackout as active regions rotate Earth-facing.

HF Band Conditions (Tuesday 26-MAY)

BAND	DAY	NIGHT	POLAR	MID-LAT	EMCOMM RECOMMEND
80m	Poor	Good	Degraded	Good	Use night
40m	Fair	Good	Degraded	Good	Primary daytime
20m	Good	Fair	Poor	Good	Primary DX
15m	Fair	Poor	Poor	Fair	Daytime DX only
10m	Poor	Poor	Poor	Poor	Not recommended

Polar-route note: The Degraded and Poor polar-path entries above reflect the active S1 solar radiation storm rather than a geomagnetic disturbance. Operators running transpolar or high-latitude HF circuits should expect intermittent degradation through the UTC day and favor mid-latitude relays where available. Mid-latitude HF conditions are otherwise typical for the season.

SWX-001 ANALYST ASSESSMENT - ICD 203/206

LIKELIHOOD / CONFIDENCE -- The S1 (Minor) solar radiation storm is an observed in-progress event, not a forecast. Continuation of S-scale conditions through the end of the UTC day is assessed very likely at HIGH confidence, on the [SWPC](#) WARPX1 valid time. Operationally significant HF disruption at mid-latitudes is assessed very unlikely at HIGH confidence; minor HF degradation on transpolar and high-latitude routes is assessed likely at MODERATE confidence.

CHANGE FROM PRIOR -- The 22-MAY cycle set SWX-CON 1 on an energetic-electron-flux ALTEF driver, a parameter outside the [NOAA](#) G/S/R triad. This cycle the driver is the S-scale solar radiation storm, a named G/S/R sub-scale. SWX-CON holds at level 1 (Minor); the driver and the impact mechanism changed from satellite-charging to polar HF and single-event effects.

TRIPWIRES -- (1) An [SWPC](#) escalation of the S-scale to S2 or higher; (2) a new R-scale radio-blackout alert; (3) a geomagnetic storm watch or warning; (4) the proton flux failing to subside below 10 pfu past the WARPX1 valid time.

Alt-Hyp 1 (roughly even chance): The proton event intensifies or is followed by further enhancement as the source region evolves, extending or escalating the S-scale beyond the current valid time.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	A proton event signals flare or eruptive activity at the solar limb; an active source region can produce successive events.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	SWPC issued the event at the S1 floor with a single-UTC-day valid window; no R-scale or geomagnetic escalation accompanies it.
CURRENT STATUS	INDETERMINATE -- source-region evolution not resolvable from the alert text alone.

Alt-Hyp 2 (likely): The event subsides to background by the end of the UTC day with no escalation, consistent with a routine minor proton enhancement.

WHAT WOULD SUPPORT	SWPC set the WARPX1 valid time to the end of the UTC day; most S1 events are short-lived and do not escalate.
WHAT WOULD DISCONFIRM	A continued rise in the 10 MeV proton flux, or a new SWPC alert extending the event, would contradict a near-term subsidence.

CURRENT
STATUS

OBSERVED IN PROGRESS -- S1 active, no escalation indicated as of issue time.

SECTION 7B - AGRICULTURE, FOOD & SUPPLY CHAIN

NSTR this cycle. No agriculture, food, or agricultural-supply-chain development rose to reportable threat level over the 72-hour weekend rollup. The section is retained per standing structure with the current standing baseline below.

[USDA](#) WASDE-671, released 12-MAY, remains the current report with no current-cycle delta: 2026/27 wheat 1.561 bb, corn 16.0 bb, soybeans 4.435 bb. The next [WASDE](#) release is 11-JUN. [USDA](#) market-data sources were holiday-quiet over the Memorial Day weekend, as expected for the federal holiday.

Weather-to-agriculture note: The [SPC](#) Day 1 SLIGHT convective area over West and Southwest Texas carries an isolated large-hail risk to winter wheat in the southern High Plains, and the critical fire-weather conditions in West Texas are a standing rangeland concern. Neither rises to a reportable agricultural threat this cycle. See [\[WX-001\]](#).

SECTION 10 - PREPAREDNESS CONDITION ASSESSMENT

PREP-CON 3 INCIDENT PROBABLE (Brown Sky), Trend STABLE

Why this condition: Trend holds STABLE. PREP-CON 3 INCIDENT PROBABLE (Brown Sky) baseline holds because the US naval blockade of Iran (Day 44), the Lebanon ceasefire (Day 41 of 45, porous), and the [WHO](#) Ebola PHEIC maintain the elevated-but-stable backdrop. This cycle adds a confirmed but limited US strike on Iranian targets near Hormuz on 25-MAY, running concurrent with an advancing but unsigned negotiating framework; a sharply rising Ebola case count; and an active S1 solar radiation storm. None of these individually warrants a condition change: the strike was limited and deconfliction-managed, the Ebola growth does not change low US domestic risk, and the S1 storm is Minor. The aggregate picture is consistent with INCIDENT PROBABLE held STABLE.

What would move PREP-CON up to 2 GUARDED: A major escalation of the Iran conflict beyond limited strikes; an Iranian retaliatory strike following the [IRGC](#) right-to-respond statement; a formal Lebanon ceasefire collapse; a first US Ebola case; or a major space-weather upgrade to a strong geomagnetic or radio-blackout storm over CONUS.

What would move PREP-CON down to 4 GUARDED: A finalized and signed US-Iran agreement reducing kinetic risk; the Ebola outbreak trajectory turning toward containment; and the severe-weather and cyber-deadline windows closing benignly within 7 days.

Top 5 practitioner actions this cycle:

1. Drupal Core CVE-2026-9082 carries an FCEB remediation deadline of 27-MAY, now T-1. Confirm Drupal core patch status for any internet-exposed instance before the deadline.
2. West and Southwest Texas face an [SPC](#) Day 1 SLIGHT convective risk plus critical fire-weather conditions. Verify two-of-three non-NWR alert paths; the NM transmitter triple-gap at Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad is OUT OF SERVICE within that zone.
3. The Iran situation is now negotiation and limited kinetic action running in parallel. Hold pump-price and travel-flex posture; elevate cyber-spillover preparedness on any Iranian retaliation.
4. Residents in the reduced Garden Grove evacuation zone should continue to monitor Orange County Fire Authority guidance through the five-day risk assessment rather than treat the chemical-tank incident as closed.
5. Travelers and operators with DRC, Uganda, or South Sudan routing should expect diversion and screening delays via Washington-Dulles under the CBP/[DHS](#) Ebola entry rule, which remains in active enforcement.

SECTION 11 - SECTOR IMPACT MATRIX

[PREP-CON](#) and [COMCON](#) condition impacts across 6 sectors. Per §0.77, only standing conditions with practitioner-actionable variation are shown.

Use this matrix with the Geographic Impact Index to set your own [CONCON \(Continuity Conditions\)](#) posture -- see the "Determining Your Posture" note under the Geographic Impact Index.

CONDITION	Healthcare	Bank/Fin	Manuf	Transp	Energy	PubSec	HouseHold
PREP-CON 3 BROWN SKY	MED	MED	MED	MED	HIGH	HIGH	HIGH
COMCON 4 INCIDENT POSSIBLE	LOW	LOW	LOW	MED	LOW	MED	HIGH

PREP-CON commentary: Energy, PubSec, and Household carry HIGH impact this cycle on the Iran inflection (a confirmed US strike near Hormuz on 25-MAY) plus the West Texas convective and critical-fire stack. Healthcare, Bank/Fin, Manuf, and Transp at MED reflects the Drupal CVE-2026-9082 FCEB deadline at T-1 plus IROPS risk in the West Texas storm corridor.

COMCON commentary: [NWR](#) posture this cycle: the operator roster of 26-MAY shows 18 transmitters affected (14 OUT OF SERVICE + 4 DEGRADED) across 14 states. The most operationally relevant gaps are the NM triple-gap at Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad, all OUT OF SERVICE, within the [SPC](#) Day 1 West Texas and Southeast New Mexico convective and critical-fire zone. Household = HIGH where any NWR-gap household sits in an active-threat County Warning Area.

SECTION 12 - ANALYTICAL INTEGRITY & METHODOLOGY

Full methodology: Complete Analytical Standards and Tradecraft (sourcing standards, estimative-language scale, risk-score formula, alternative-hypothesis discipline, second-order chain tracing, collection-gap acknowledgment) are published at fortunefavorstheprepared.com/analytical-standards. This section is a cycle-specific summary; refer to the published page for the full standards.

SOP: v5.55 (effective 23-MAY-2026; supersedes v5.54). This cycle applies the SOP 0.113 ICD 203/206 standard: likelihood and confidence are stated as separate dimensions on every forward judgment and never collapsed; likelihood uses only the 0.55 ladder; confidence is HIGH, MODERATE, or LOW; every scored entry carries at least two alternative hypotheses with supporting and disconfirming evidence; and changed judgments carry a CHANGE FROM PRIOR line. The SOP 0.38 pre-build padding cut and the 0.110-B dead-carryover audit were run before build.

Estimative language: Likelihood uses the ICD 203 ladder only: almost no chance, very unlikely, unlikely, roughly even chance, likely, very likely, almost certain. Confidence is stated separately as HIGH, MODERATE, or LOW. Forbidden hedges: might, maybe, possibly, perhaps.

Risk score (Impact + Imminence + OpFriction): Impact 1-10; Imminence 1-10; OpFriction 1-10 (inverse, where high friction reduces actionability). FLASH band: Score 20 or above enters Section 3; below-FLASH items are addressed in the Section 4A through 7B narrative.

Sourcing this cycle: This is a 72-hour multi-day rollup covering the Memorial Day weekend. The 42 mandatory DTR sources were swept two-pass and reconciled against Master Source Registry v2.8 (dated 2026-05-23). Federal sources that were holiday-quiet over the weekend ([CISA KEV](#), [SPC](#) and [WPC](#) product cycles on the holiday, [USDA](#) market data) were dispositioned as holiday-accounted rather than missed. Primary sources this cycle: [SPC Day 1](#), [CISA KEV catalog](#), [SWPC bulletins](#), [NWR transmitter outage list](#) (operator snapshot 26-MAY 0649 UTC); [WHO](#) and [CDC](#) Ebola reporting; [CENTCOM](#), AP, [NPR](#), and [Reuters](#) for the Iran strikes and negotiating track; OCFA for the Garden Grove chemical incident; [NIFC](#) for wildfire.

Operator cross-check (0.105): WX-CON is operator-confirmed against the issued [SPC](#) Day 1 graphic. SWX-CON is operator-confirmed against the [SWPC](#) ALTPX1 Serial 365 and WARPX1 Serial 625 bulletins. The [NWR](#) roster is the operator snapshot of 26-MAY 0649 UTC. The [SPC](#) and [SWPC](#) web scrapes available to the analyst were stale-cached and were not used in place of the operator-confirmed data.

Gaps acknowledged: The detailed terms of the 14-point US-Iran memorandum are not public; the Iranian-claimed four-IRGC death toll from the 25-MAY strikes is not independently confirmed. Surveillance in M23-controlled Goma and parts of South Kivu is limited, so the true Ebola toll is very likely understated. The

findings of the Orange County five-day chemical-tank risk assessment are not yet public. Per-entry collection gaps are stated in each FLASH entry.

Date coherence: All T+N and T-N values are computed against the 26-MAY-2026 base date. Cycle window 24-MAY 1530 UTC through 26-MAY 1530 UTC, a 72-hour multi-day rollup over the Memorial Day weekend.

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