

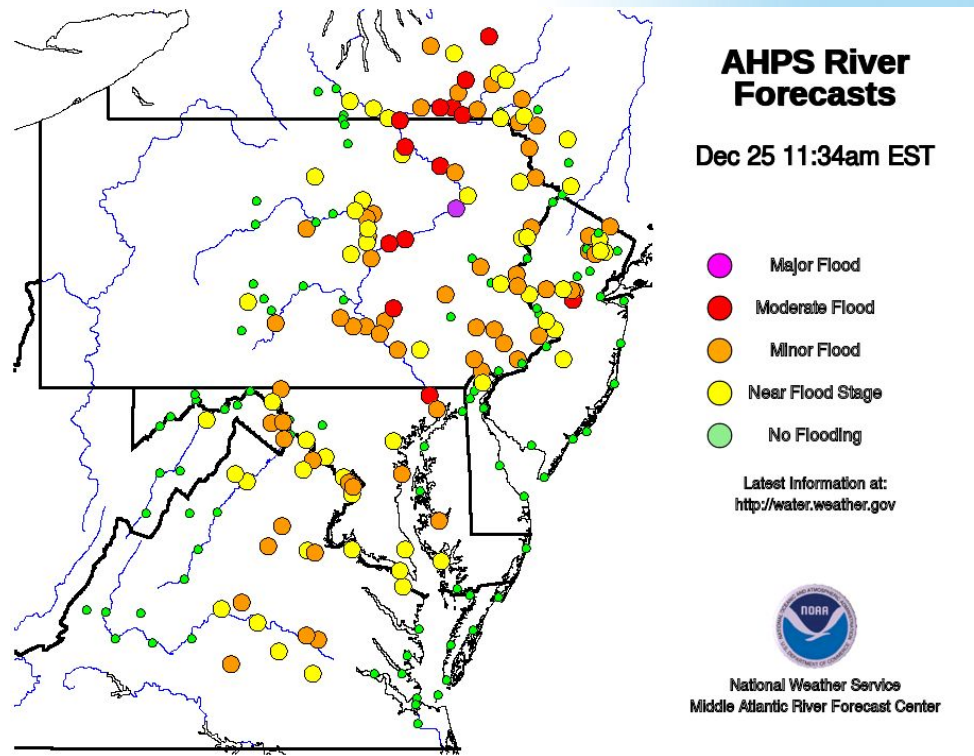
# Moderate and Isolated Major Flooding Likely

Decision Support Briefing  
As of: Noon, December 25



### What Has Changed?

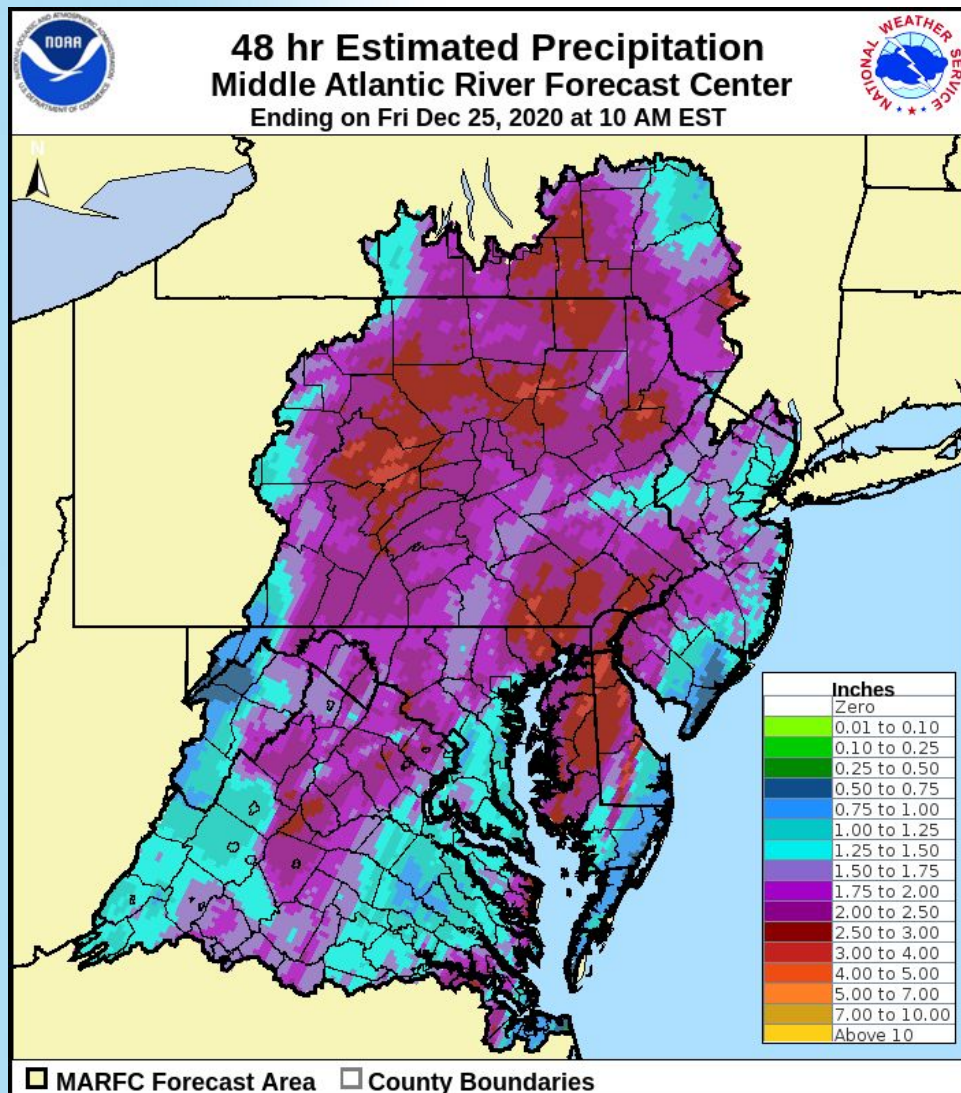
- ✓ A few locations have changed category. One points are now forecast to reach Major flood stage. Forecasts generally near or slightly lower than yesterday



# Main Points

<b>HAZARD:</b>	<b>River Flooding</b>
<b>IMPACTS:</b>	Widespread river flooding. Major at 2 locations, Moderate at 13 locations, and Minor at numerous additional locations.
<b>LOCATION:</b>	<p>All areas throughout the Mid-Atlantic may be impacted.</p> <p><b>Major flooding:</b> Vestal, NY, Wilkes-Barre, PA.</p> <p><b>Moderate flooding:</b> 13 locations in the Susquehanna (mostly North Branch and Main Stem); 1 location in NJ (Blackwells Mills)</p> <p><b>Minor flooding:</b> Numerous locations in the Susquehanna, Upper Delaware, Passaic, Raritan, Southeast PA Rivers, Middle and Lower Potomac, Rappahannock, James., and Appomattox basins</p>
<b>TIMING:</b>	Heaviest rains have generally moved out of the area. Some smaller rivers are cresting now. Mainstem rivers will be cresting later today and thru the weekend
<b>NOTES:</b>	

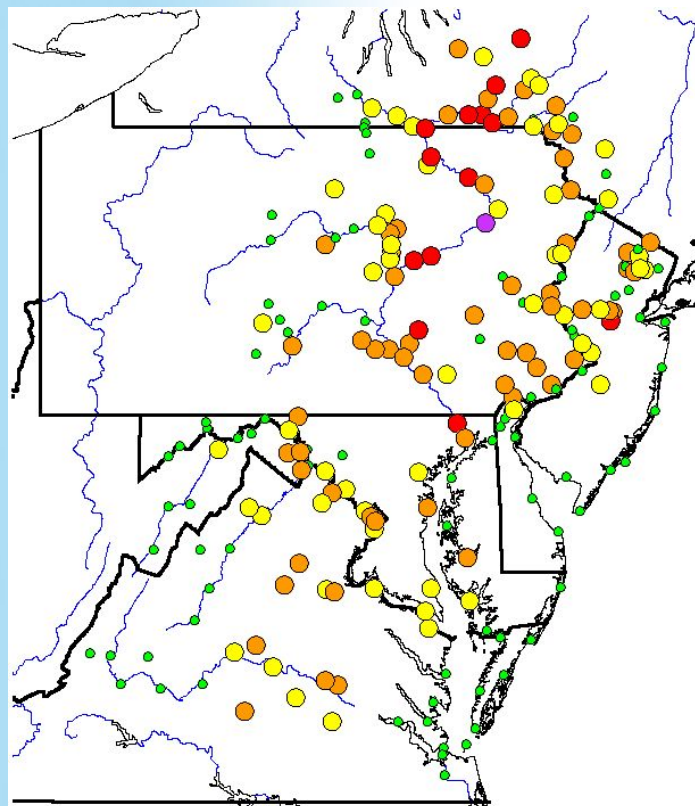
# Observed Precipitation



- ✓ A widespread 2-4 inches of rain has fallen across the region
- ✓ Heaviest amounts approaching 4 inches in Northeast Pennsylvania



# River Forecasts (as of 11am Friday)



## AHPS River Forecasts

Dec 25 11:34am EST

- Major Flood
- Moderate Flood
- Minor Flood
- Near Flood Stage
- No Flooding

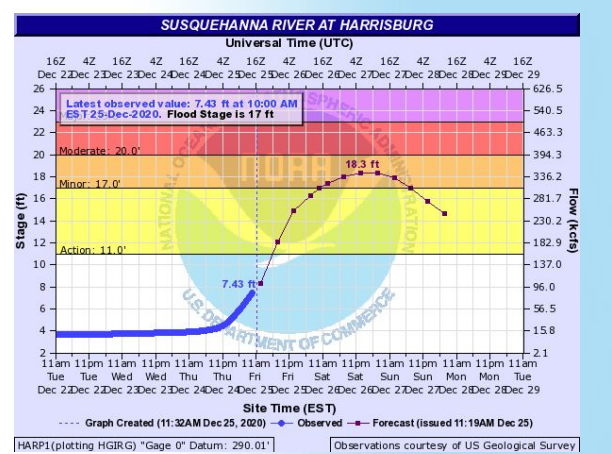
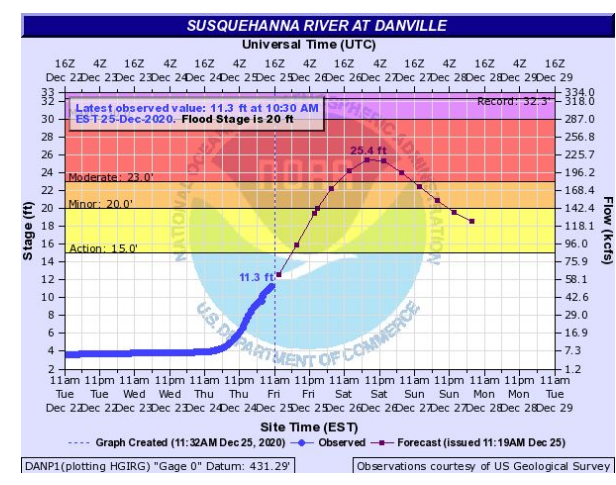
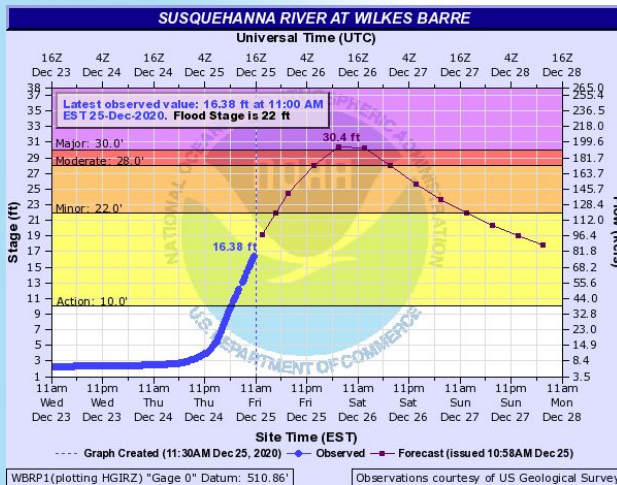
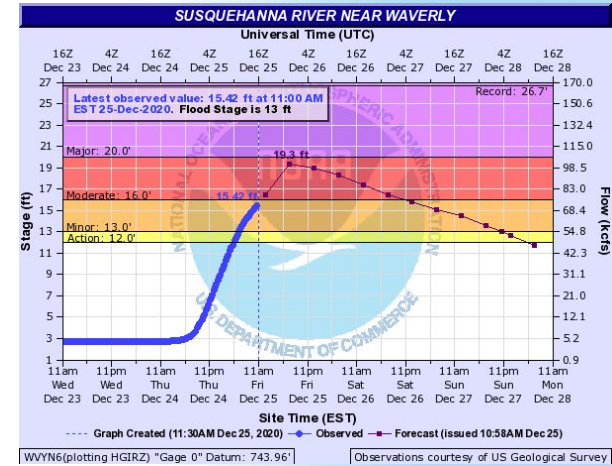
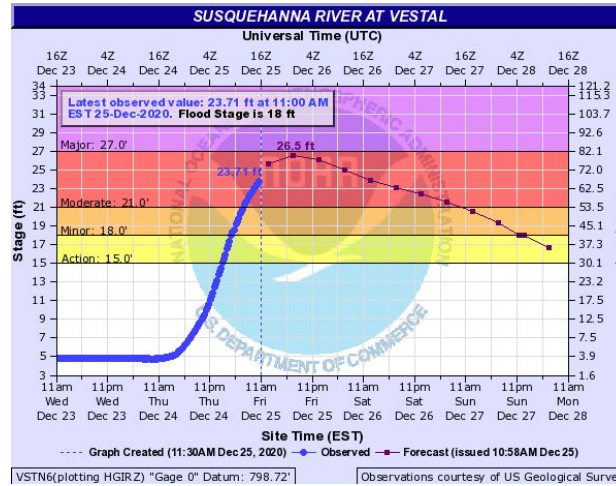
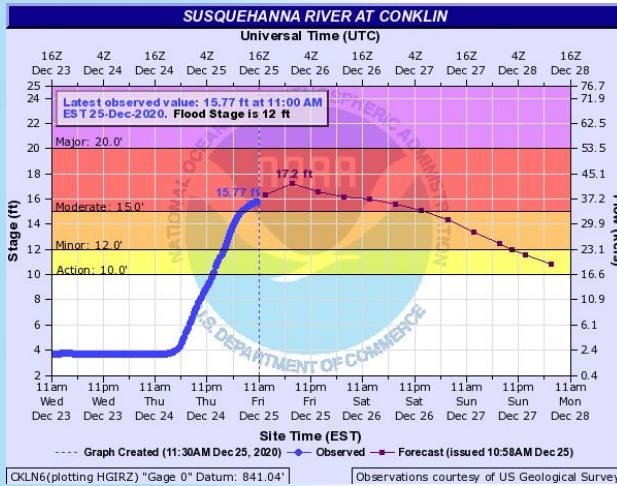
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National Weather Service  
Middle Atlantic River Forecast Center

- ✓ Major flooding forecast at Wilkes-Barre, PA
- ✓ Minor and Moderate Flooding at many other locations
- ✓ Smaller rivers are cresting this morning
- ✓ Mainstem rivers will be cresting today and thru the weekend

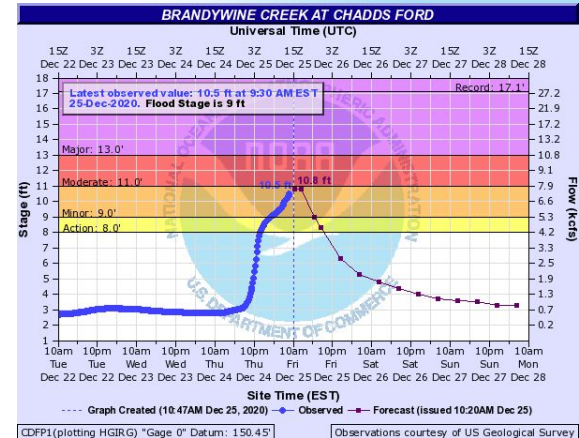
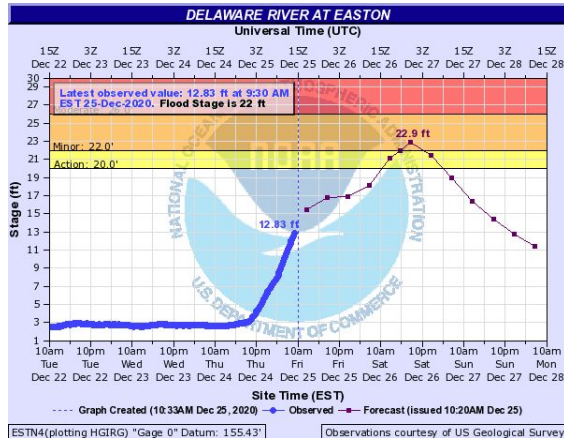
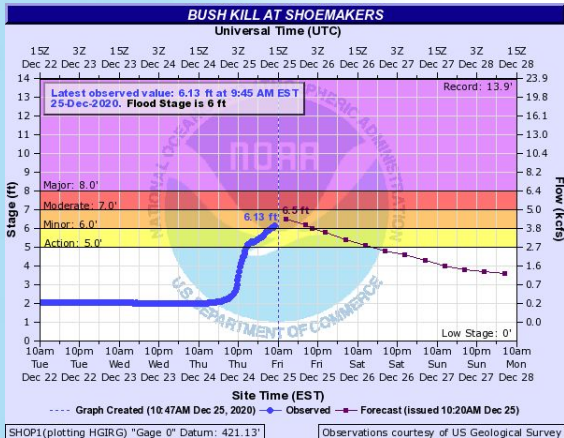
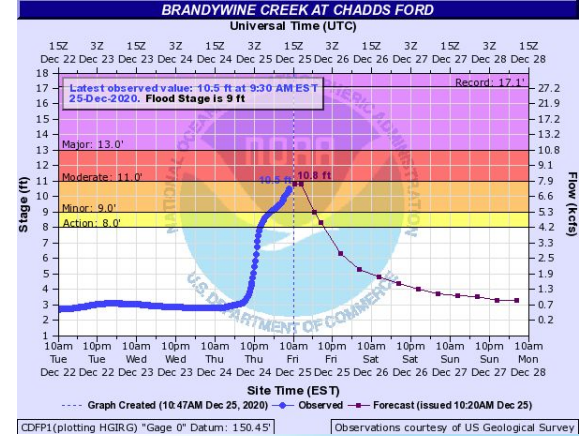
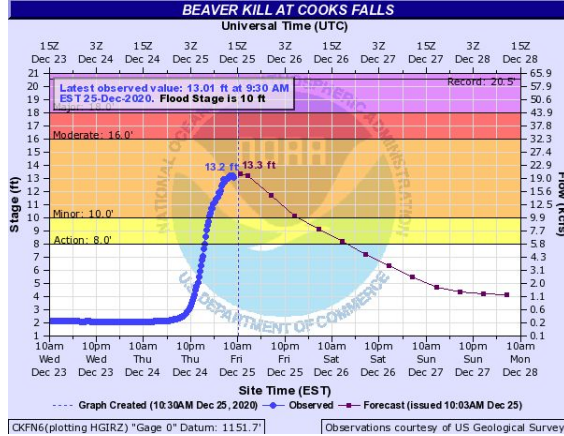
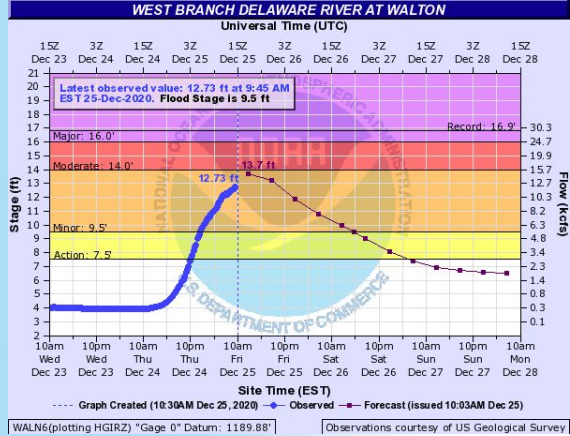
# Select Forecasts in Susquehanna River Basin



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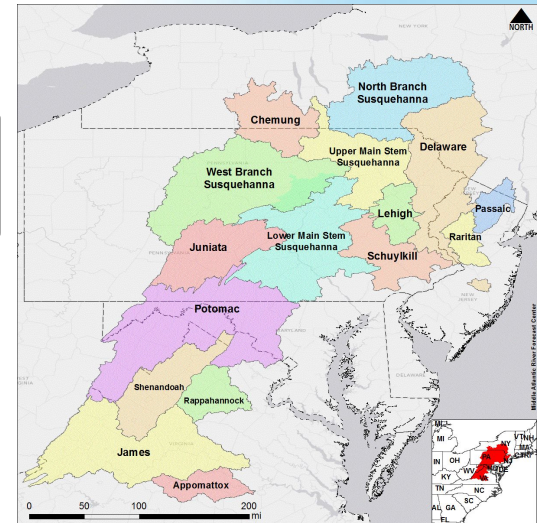
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