

Weekly Weather Update

2:30 PM CST Thursday, March 3, 2022

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TOP STORY:

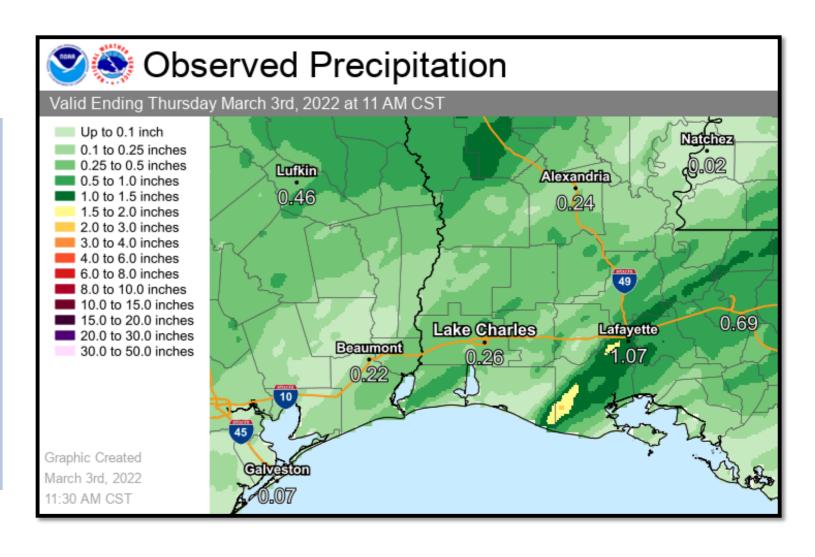
Warmer through the weekend, with another cold front early next week.

	Low Temperatures	High Temperatures	Chance For Rain	
Friday	45-51 F	74-78 F	<10%	
Saturday	52-58 F	77-80 F	20-30%	
Sunday	61-64 F	81-84 F	10-20%	
Monday	61-67 F	72-82 F	60-75%	
Tuesday	44-51 F	61-68 F	25-35%	
Wednesday	41-47 F	61-65 F 40-	40-50%	
Thursday	44-49 F	66-71 F	20-30%	
Normals This Time of Year	45-51 F	68-70 F	30%-40%	

Rainfall in the Past Week



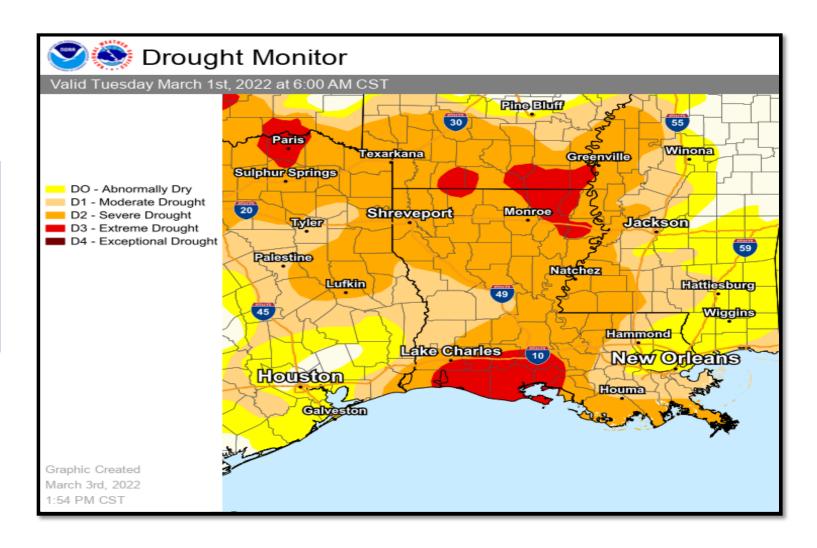
A late week cold front brought around one tenth to one half inch of rain over the past week, although amounts of one to two inches occurred across Vermilion and Lafayette Parishes.



Latest Drought Monitor



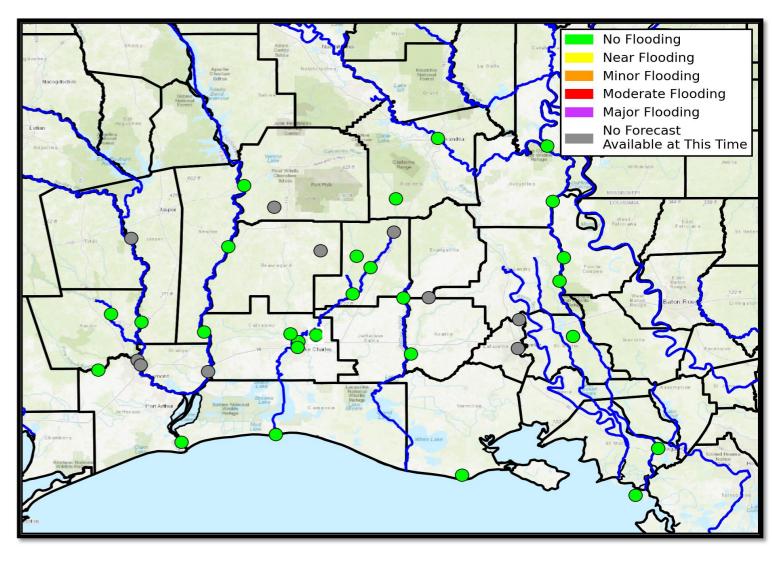
Rainfall deficits persist across the region, ranging from 2 to 7 inches below normal since January 1.



River Forecasts



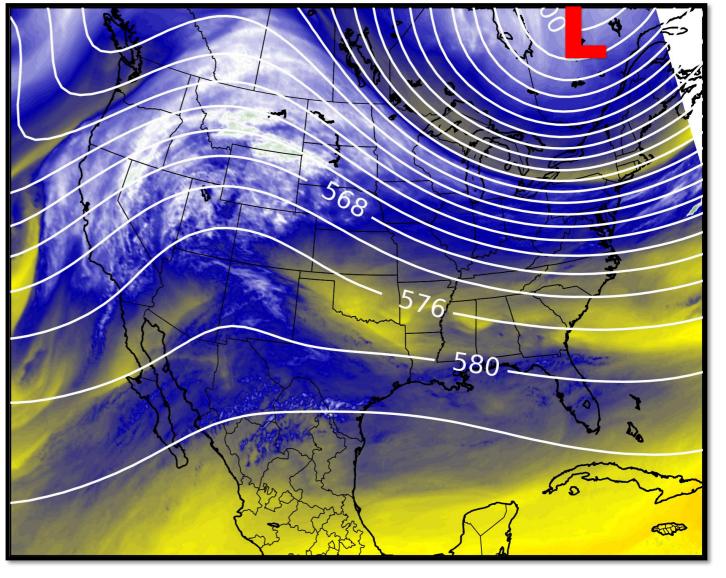
Area rivers remain below flood stage, and should remain so for the next several days.



Upper Level Steering Patterns



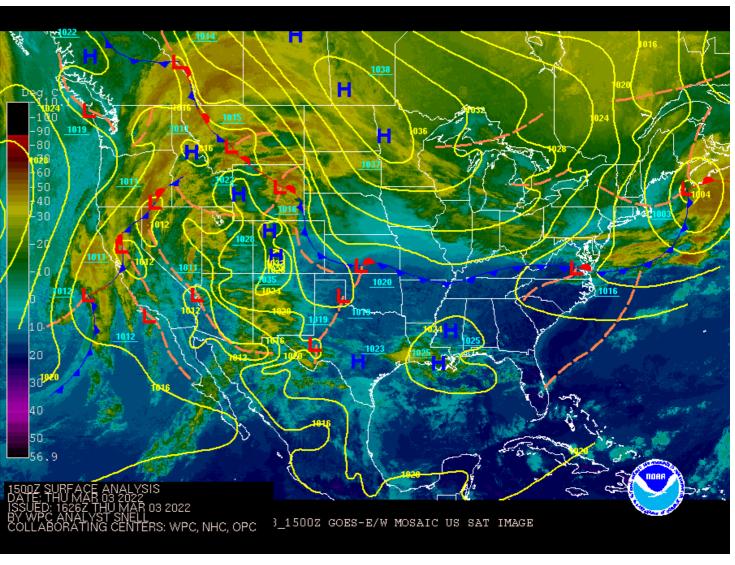
Low pressure aloft is anchored near Hudson Bay, with a ridge of higher pressure along the Rockies.



Surface Weather Map with Fronts



Surface high pressure is slowly moving east across the region. A cold front extends from the East Coast through southern Kansas.



6 am Weather Observations



Skies were cloudy with some patchy fog around parts of southwest Louisiana and southeast Texas this morning.



2 pm Weather Observations



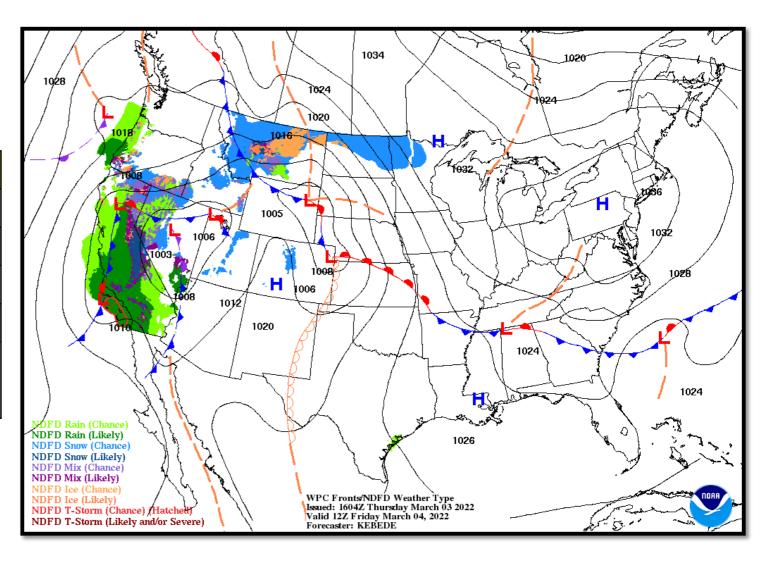
Clouds have scattered but skies remain partly to mostly cloudy across the region.



Friday, March 4, 2022



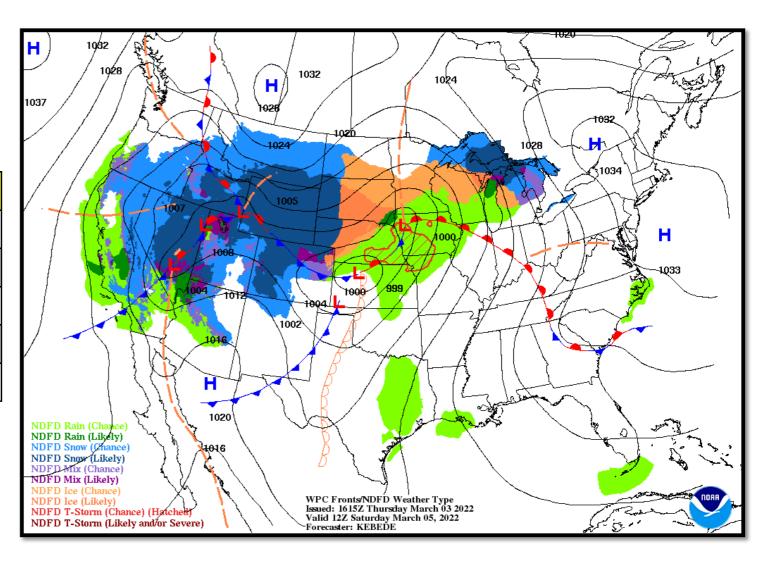
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER				
Low Temperature	45-51 F			
High Temperature	74-78 F			
Wind	SSE 5-10 mph			
Rain Chances	<10%			
Weather Hazards	Patchy Morning Fog			



Saturday, February 5, 2022



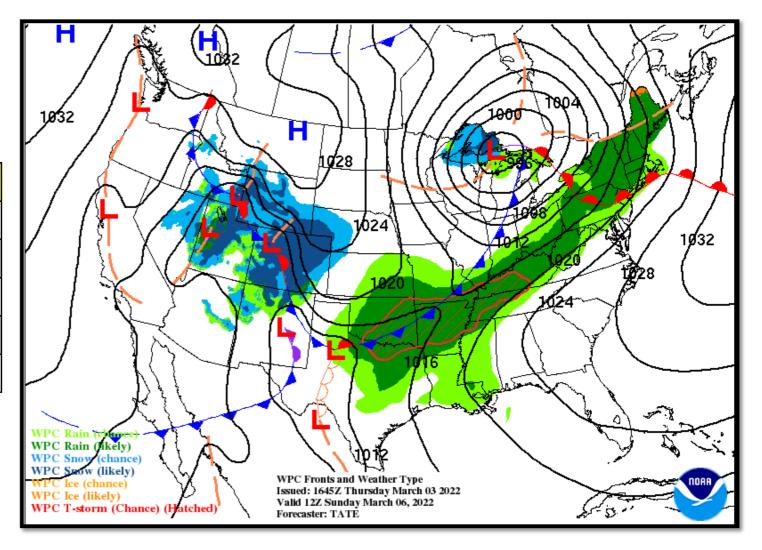
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	52-58 F		
High Temperature	77-80 F		
Wind	SSE 10-15 mph		
Rain Chances	20-30%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Sunday, March 6, 2022



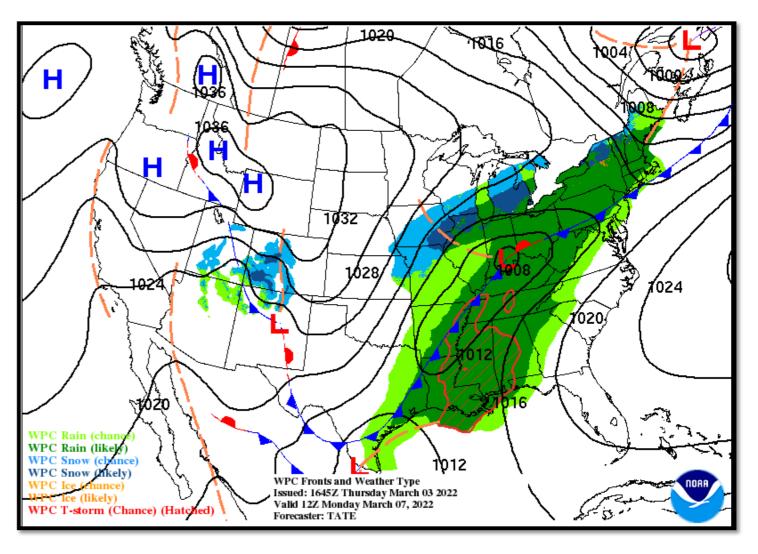
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	61-64 F		
High Temperature	81-84 F		
Wind	SSE 10-15 mph		
Rain Chances	10-20%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Monday, March 7, 2022



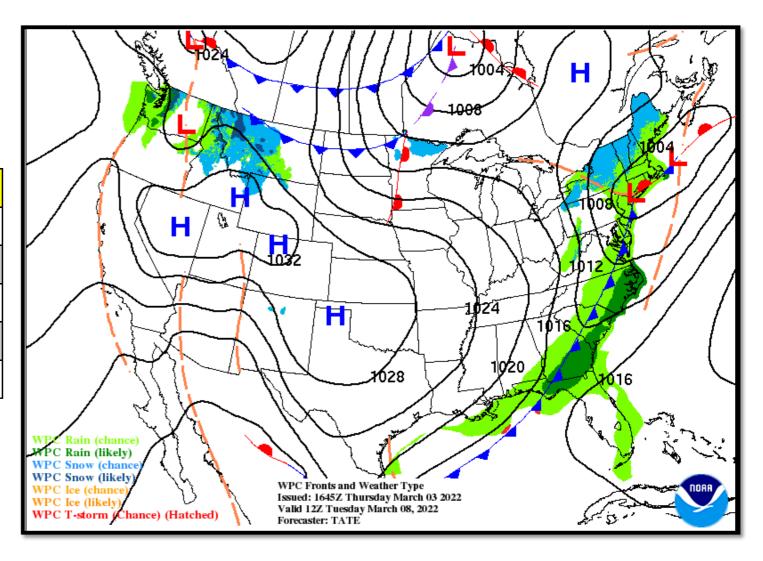
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	61-67 F		
High Temperature	72-82 F		
Wind	SW shifting NW 10-15 mph		
Rain Chances	60-75%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Tuesday, March 8, 2022



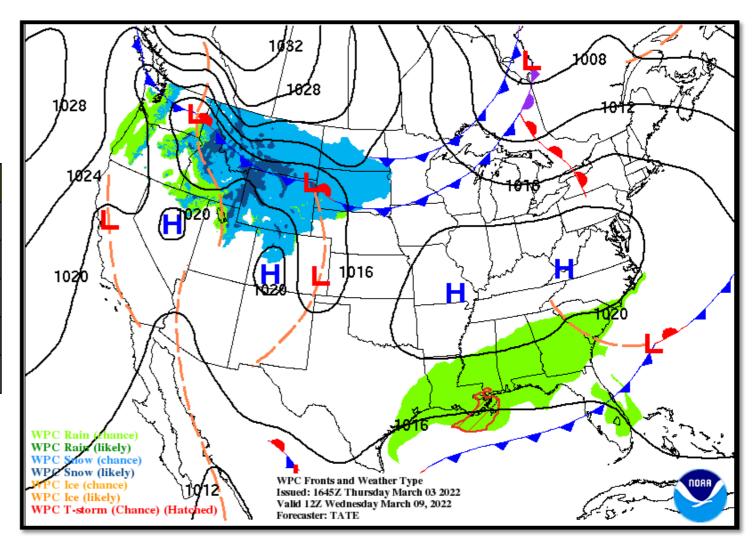
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	44-51 F		
High Temperature	61-68 F		
Wind	N 10-15 mph		
Rain Chances	25-35%		
Weather Hazards	Showers		



Wednesday, March 9, 2022



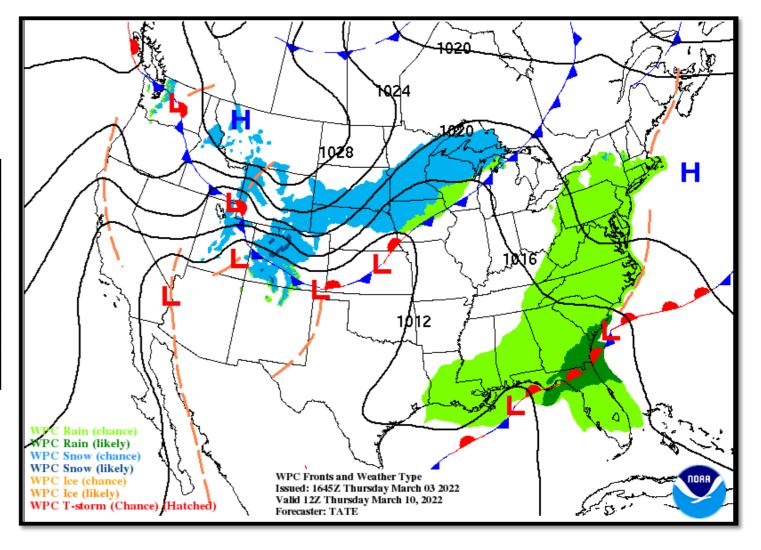
NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	41-47 F		
High Temperature	61-65 F		
Wind	NE 10 mph		
Rain Chances	40-50%		
Weather Hazards	Showers		



Thursday, March 10, 2022



NWS LCH REGIONAL WEATHER			
Low Temperature	44-49 F		
High Temperature	66-71 F		
Wind	NE shifting SE 5-10 mph		
Rain Chances	20-30%		
Weather Hazards	Thunderstorms		



Weekly Weather Summary Table



Color Codes			
Except for Temperatures			

Yellow = Low Threat

Orange = Moderate Threat

Red = High Threat

Color Codes For Temperatures

Yellow=5 F above normal

Orange=10 F above normal

Red=15 F above normal

Vry Lt Blue=5 F below normal

Lt Blue=10 F below normal

Blue=15 F below normal

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Weather	Friday 03/04/22	Saturday 03/05/22	Sunday 03/06/22	Monday 03/07/22	Tuesday 03/08/22	Wednesday 03/09/22	Thursday 03/10/22
Rain Total	None	<0.10"	<0.10"	0.10-0.25"	<0.10"	0.50-1.0"	<0.10"
T-Storm/ Lightning	None	Isolated	Isolated	Scattered	None	None	Isolated
Tornado/Hail/ Dmg Wind	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
Wind	SSE 5-10 mph	SSE 10-15 mph	SSE 10-15 mph	SW shifting NW 10-15 mph	N 10-15 mph	NE 10 mph	NE shifting SE 5- 10 mph
Tides	Near Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Above Normal	Below Normal	Near Normal	Near Normal
Wave Height	Near: 1-2 ft Off: 2 ft	Near: 1-3 ft Off: 3-4 ft	Near: 1-3 ft Off: 4-5 ft	Near: 1-4 ft Off: 5-6 ft	Near: 1-4 ft Off: 5-7 ft	Near: 1-4 ft Off: 5-6 ft	Near: 1-4 ft Off: 4-5 ft
Temperature	Low: 45-51 F	Low: 52-58 F	Low: 61-64 F	Low: 61-67 F	Low: 44-51 F	Low: 41-47 F	Low: 44-49 F
Normal Low: 45-51 F Normal High: 68-70 F	High: 74-78 F	High: 77-80 F	High: 81-84 F	High: 72-82 F	High: 61-68 F	High: 61-65 F	High: 66-71 F



Weekly Weather Summary



- Warming trend to continue into the weekend, with low chances for rain returning.
- A cold front to move through early next week, bringing temperatures back to near or below normal. Showers and storms expected to accompany the front.

Another decent chance for rain comes by midweek as a disturbance moves
across the region. Rainfall totals for the week are expected to range from
one quarter to one inch.



