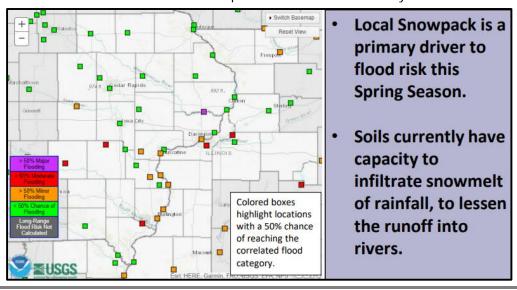


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Spring 2021 Flood Outlook

- Despite all the snow and cold the Midwest has seen this winter, the threat for flooding along the
 Mississippi River is near normal, with slightly above-normal probabilities for minor flooding
 south of the Quad-Cities, according to the first Spring Flood Outlook issued Thursday by the
 National Weather Service, Davenport.
- According to the outlook, the Rock River watershed has a higher risk of flooding than other local rivers at this time.
- While portions of Iowa and northern Illinois have a snowpack, and a water equivalent is well above normal, upstream into upper the Mississippi River watershed, the snowpack and its water equivalent is averaging below normal.
- Also, near- to below-normal soil moisture over much of the region will reduce the risk for longterm flooding.
- Naturally, while rivers and streams with a deep snowpack will have an increased risk of flooding, that degree of flooding will depend on the rate of snow melt and any additional spring rains or snow.
- For the Mississippi River, the chance for minor flooding at Lock and Dam 15, Rock Island, is 54%, while the chance of moderate flooding is 45% and the probability of major flooding is 25%.
- At Muscatine, the chance of minor flooding along the Mississippi River is 65%, while the chance of moderate flooding is 42%, while the probability of major flooding is 25%.
- At Lock and Dam 14, LeClaire, the probability for minor flooding from the Mississippi is 43%, while the chances for moderate flooding are 32%, while the chance for major flooding is 18%.
- For the Rock River at Moline, the probability of minor flooding this spring is 93%, while the chances of moderate flooding is 70%. The chance for major flooding on the Rock at Moline is 50%.
- The National Weather Service will issue updated forecasts on February 25 and March 11.





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Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request 2/12/2021						
State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied /Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes		
	N/A					

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters						
Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline		
4559 LA	Hurricane	21 Parishes	164	11/27/2020		

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