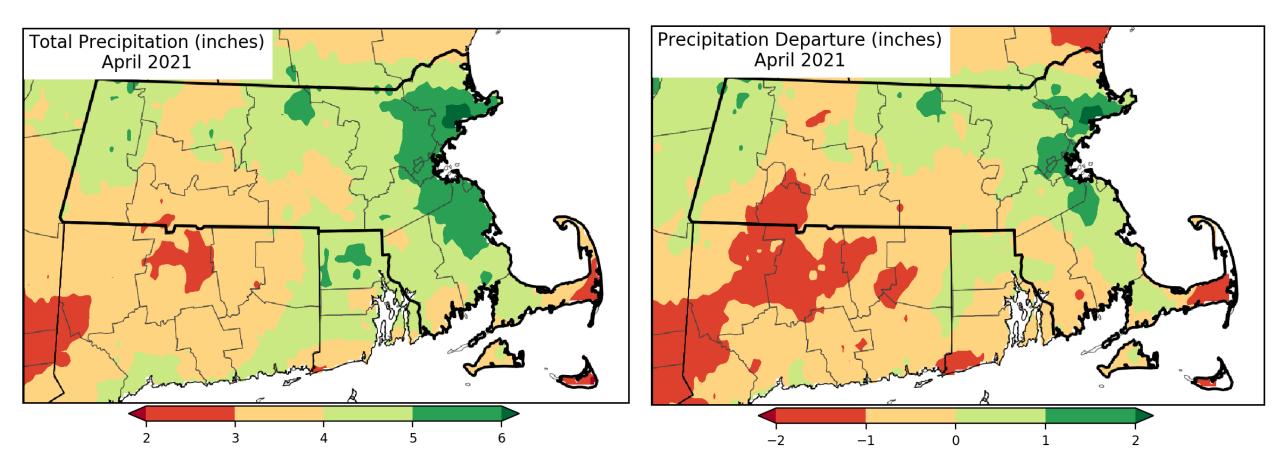
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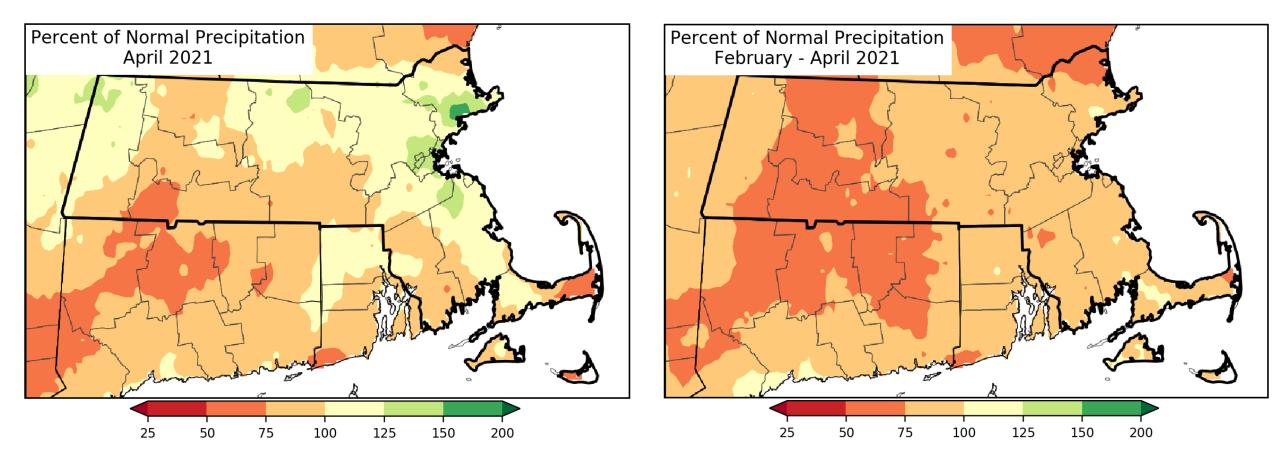


April 2021 Precipitation





Apr 2021 and Feb-Apr Percent of Normal





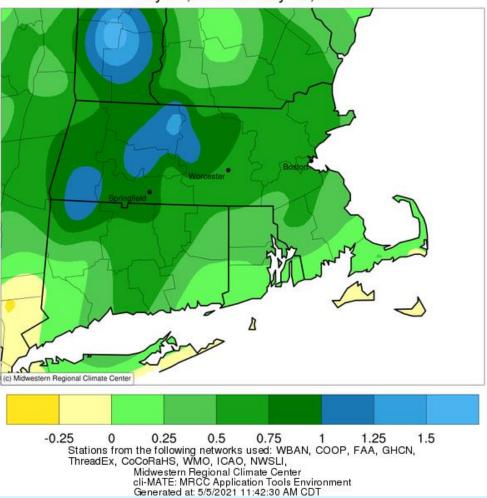
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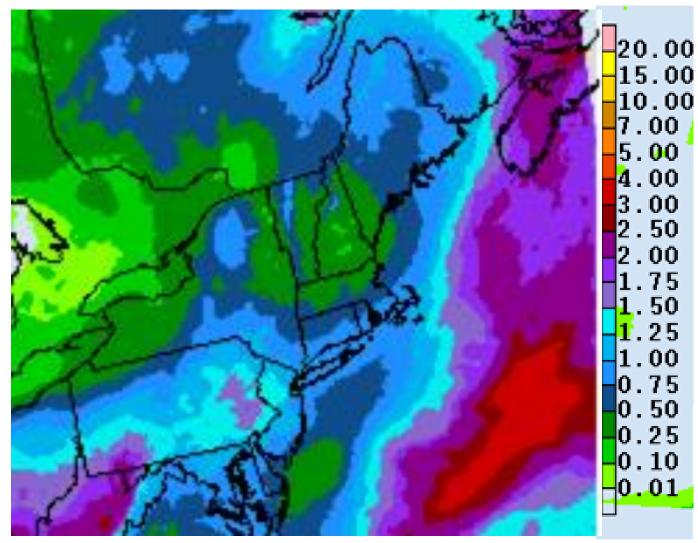
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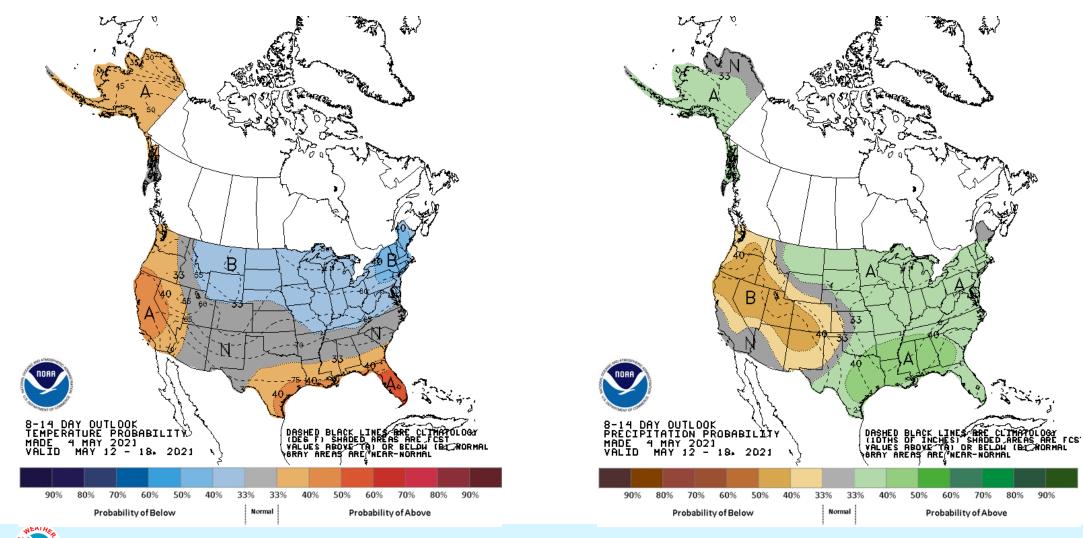


Precipitation Forecast Through 8 am Wed 5/12



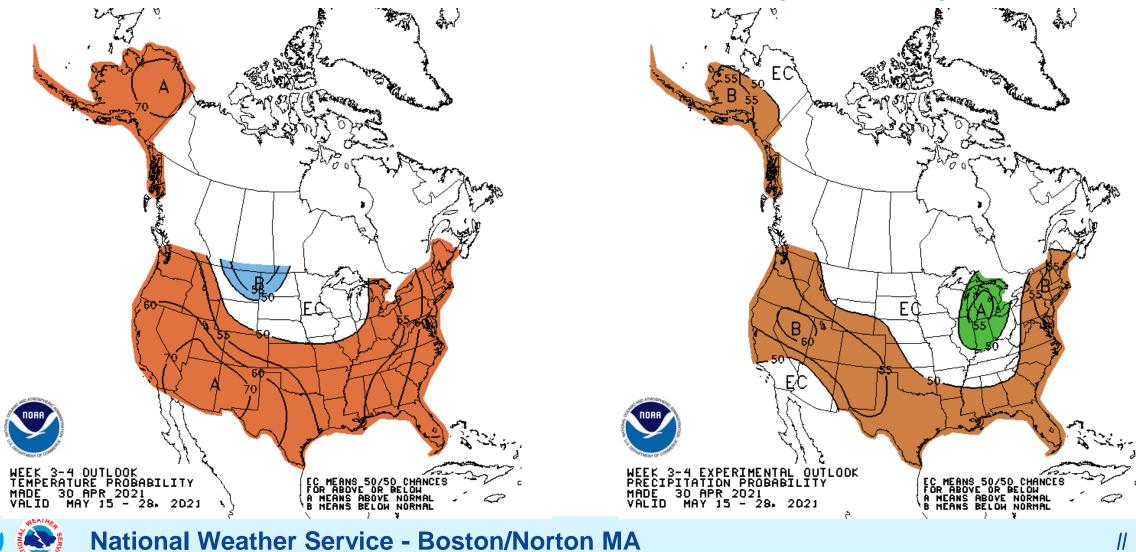
- Dry Thu/Thu night
- Next rain chance for light rain late Friday night and Saturday
- Chances for unsettled, on and off wet weather continue into next week
- Near to below normal temperatures through the period
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- Lows mainly in the upper 30s-mid 40s
 - Normal High/Low: Worcester 64/43 Boston 63/47 Pittsfield 64/41

Outlook for May 12-18

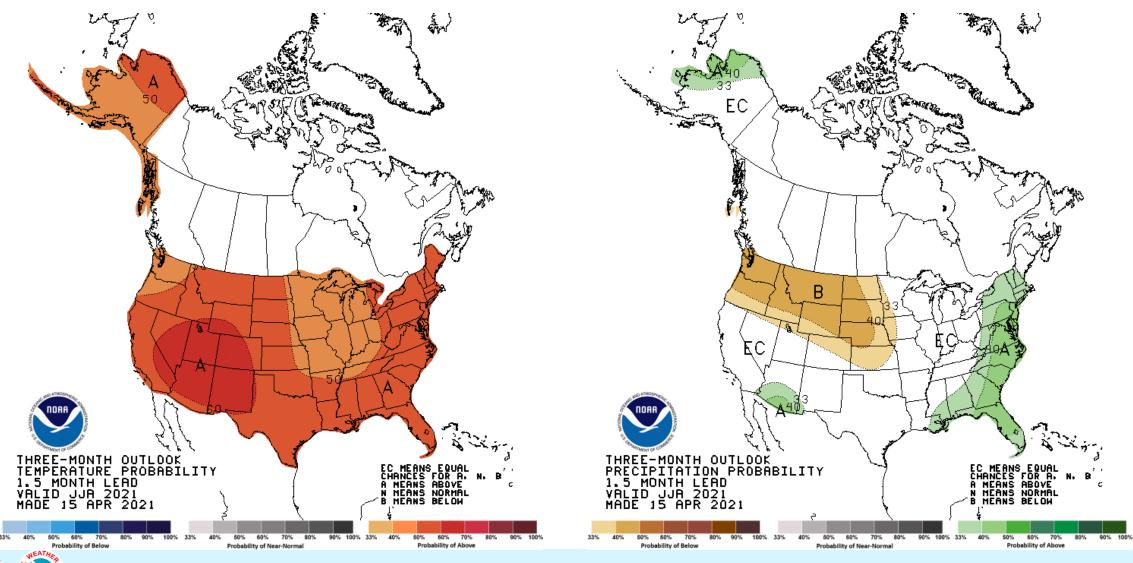


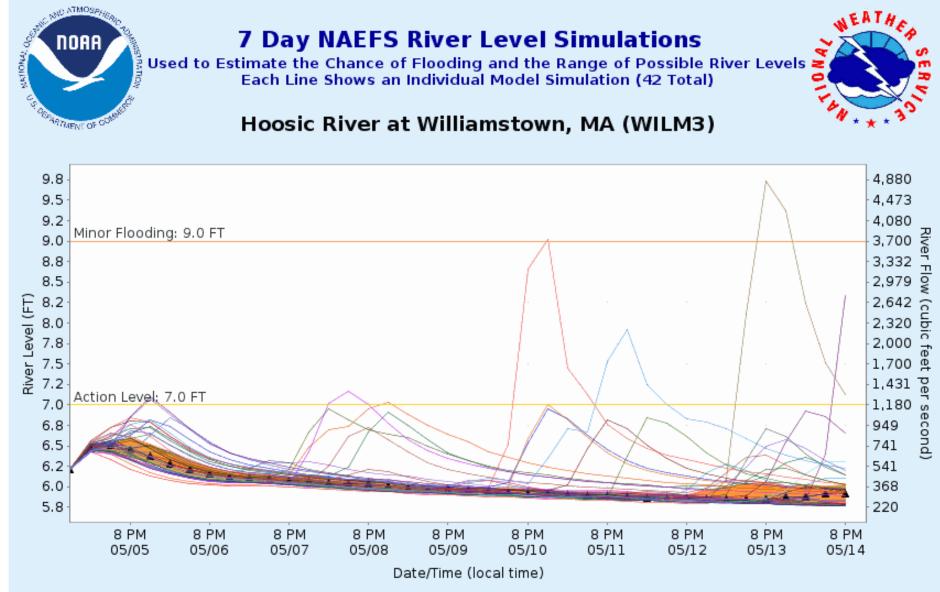
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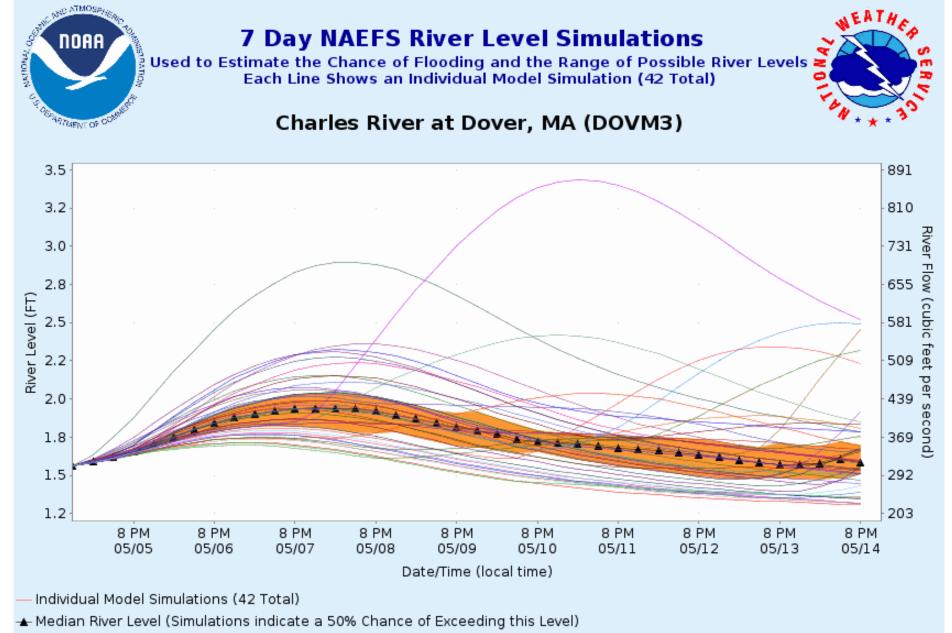
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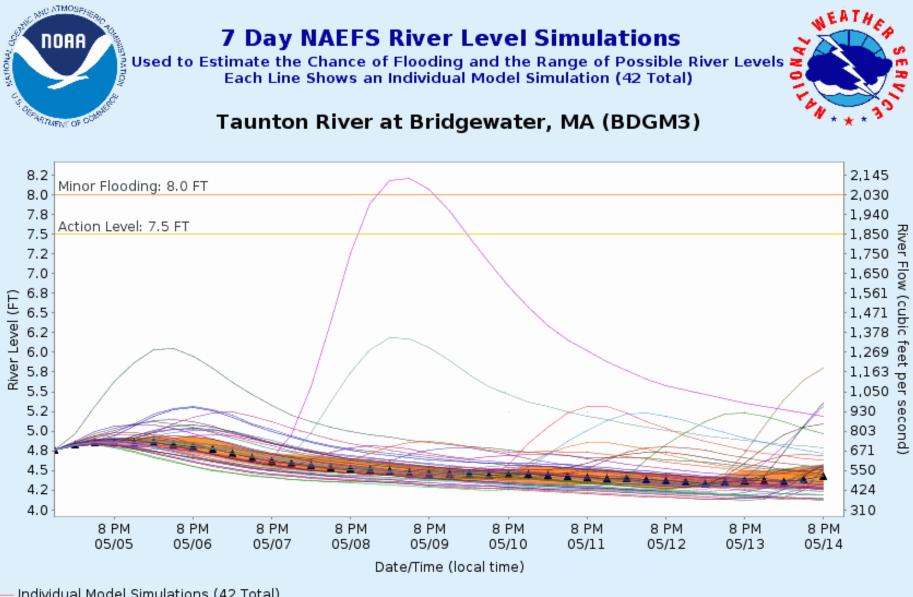
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