Spring Hydrologic Outlook

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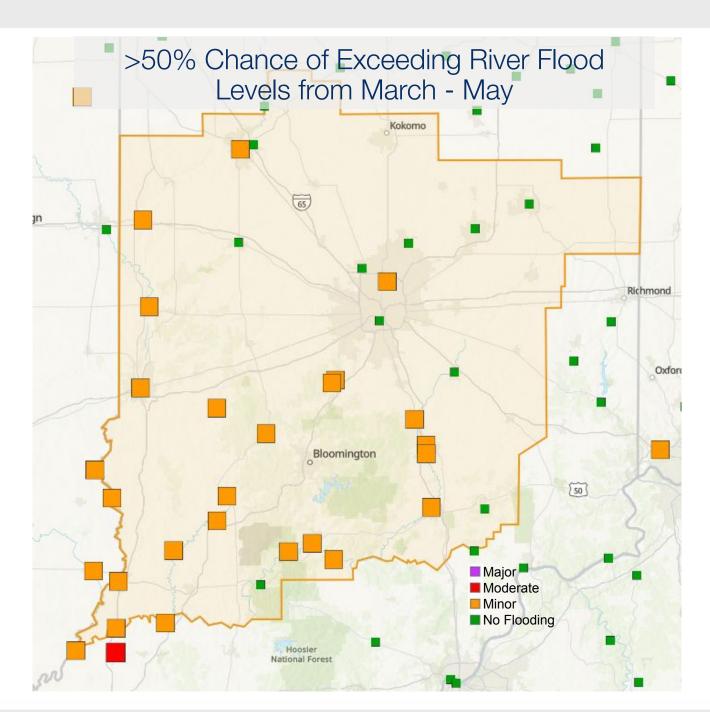
Key Messages

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Reminder–This is an overall river flood risk through May, but locally heavy rainfall from any particular system could produce a locally enhanced short term flood risk



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Antecedent Conditions



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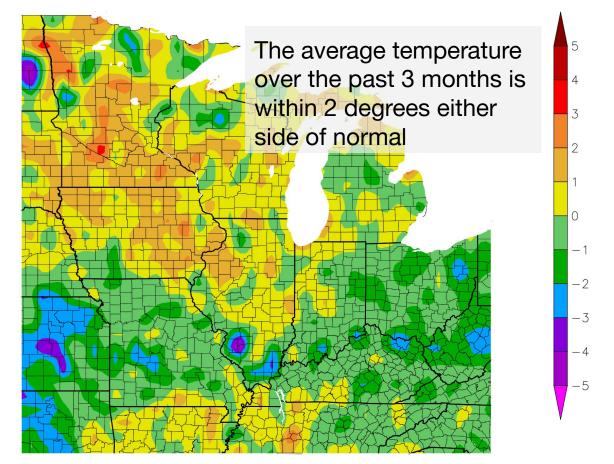
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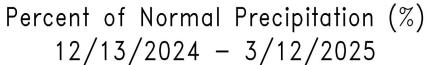


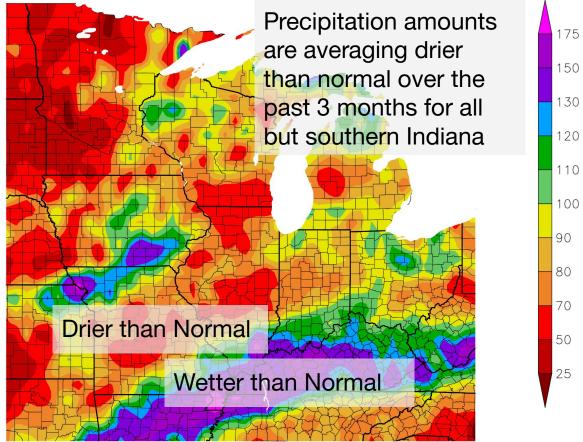
90 Day Departures from Normal

Temperature/Precipitation

Departure from Normal Temperature (F) 12/13/2024 - 3/12/2025







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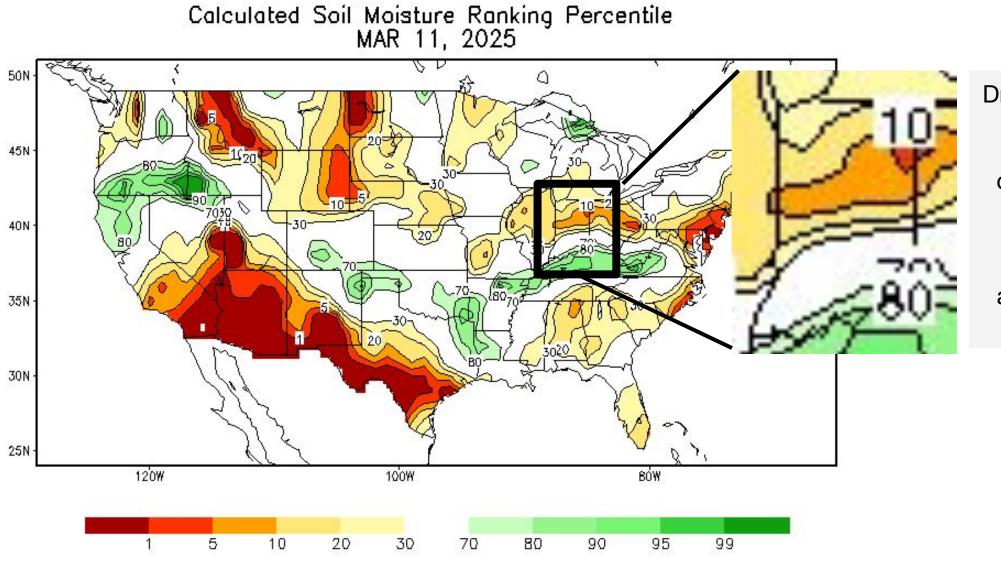
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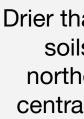
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Soil Moisture







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Drier than normal soils over northern and central Indiana

Wetter than normal soils along the Ohio River



There is no snow or ice in place across central or southern Indiana.

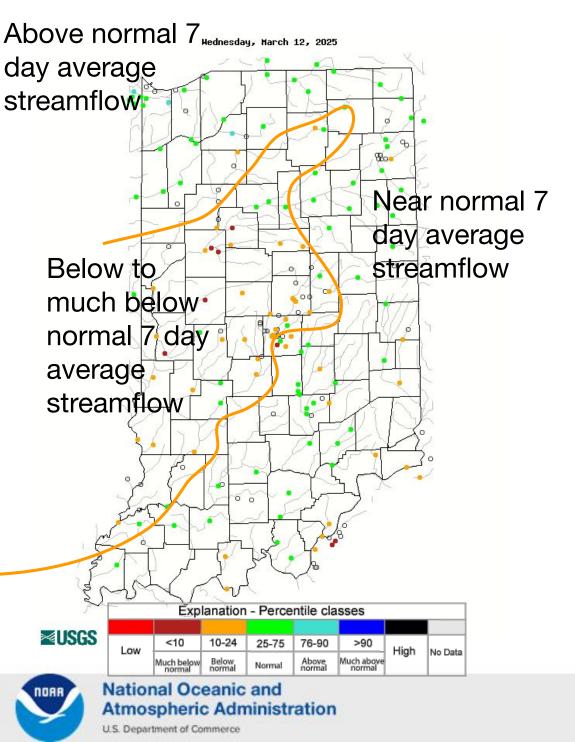


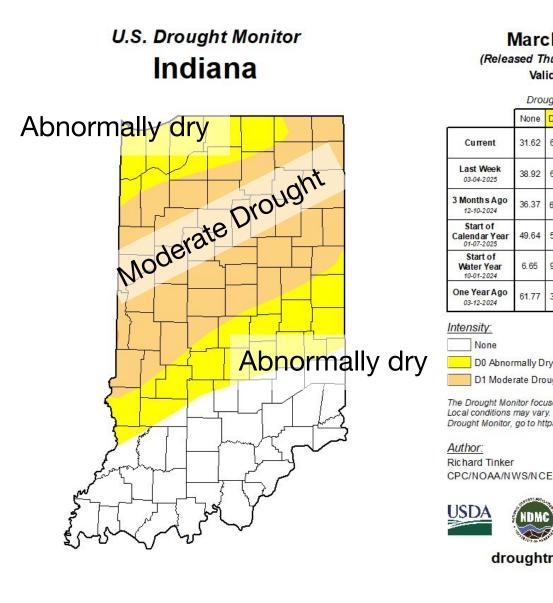
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Streamflow/Drought





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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

3	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
	31.62	68.38	42.32	0.03	0.00	0.00
k	38.92	61.08	33.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
go	36.37	63.63	50.15	1 9.71	0.00	0.00
ear	49.64	50.36	2.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
r	6.65	93.35	17.54	0. 11	0.00	0.00
go	61.77	38.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

D2 Severe Drought



D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx

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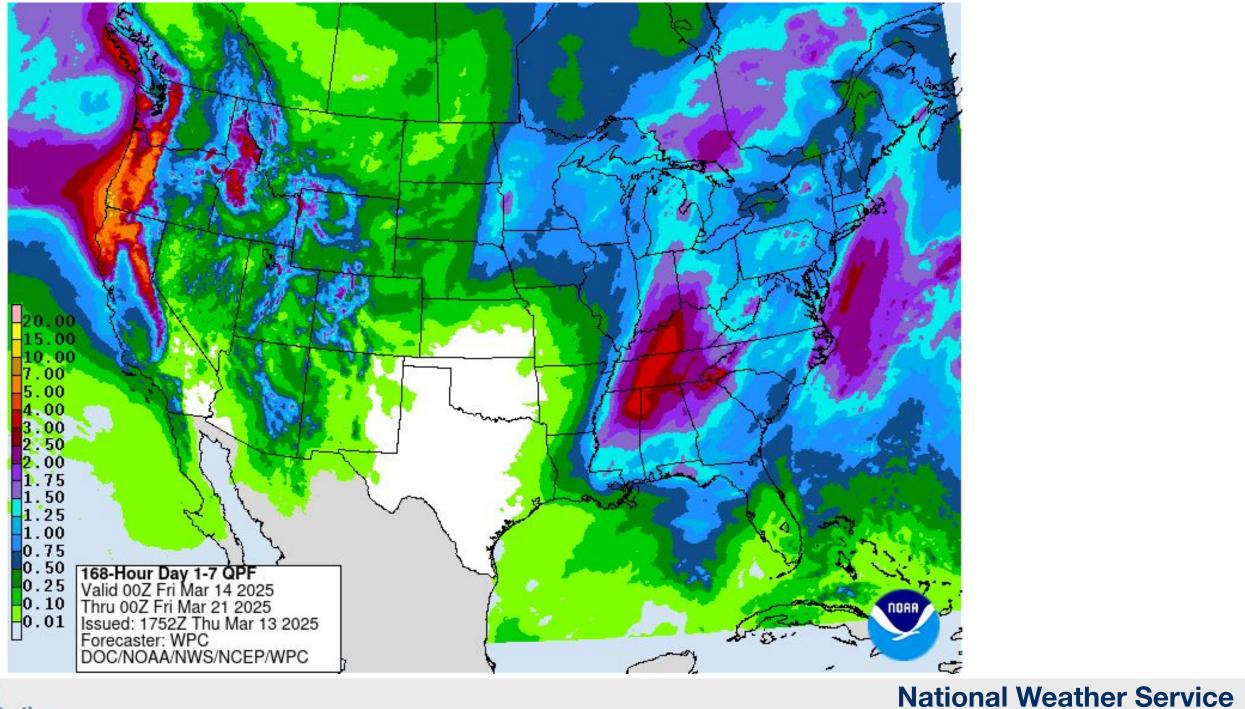


Forecasts/Outlooks



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7 Day Precipitation Forecast Thursday March 13th- Thursday March 20th





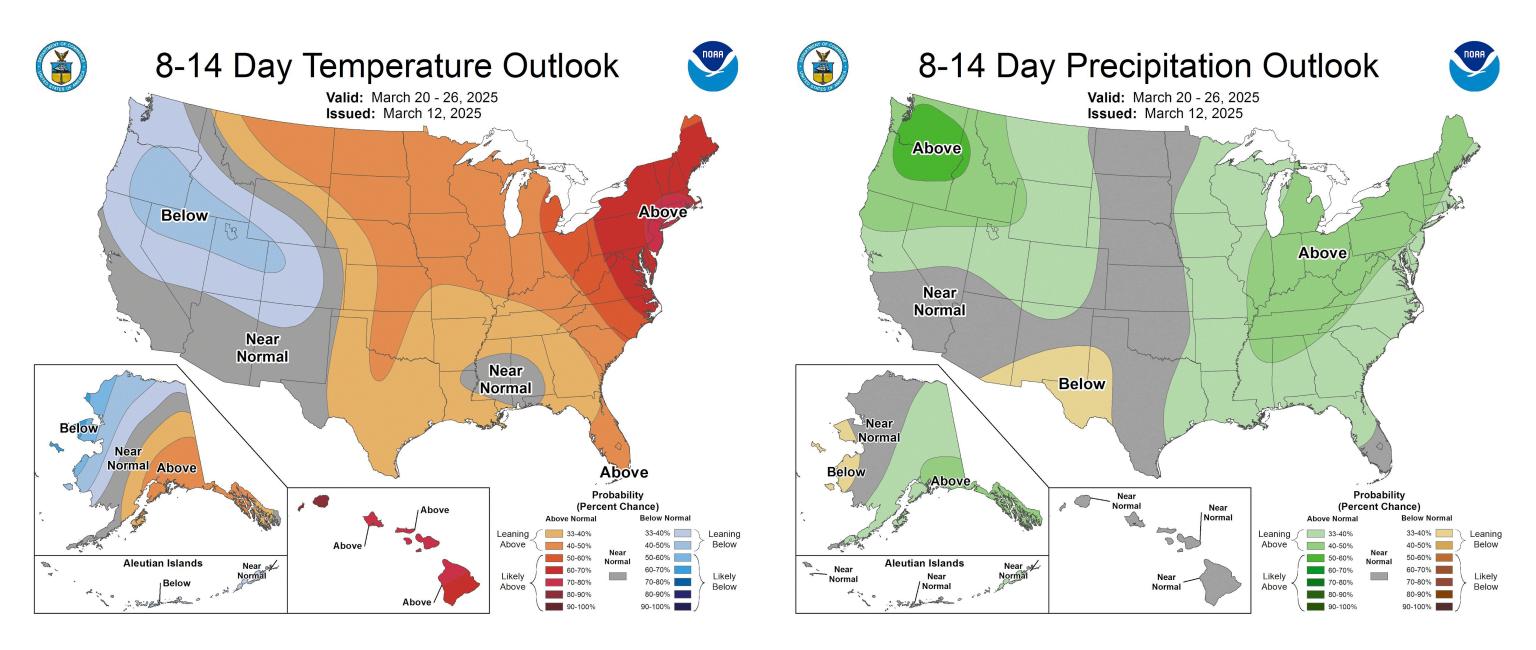
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Indianapolis, IN



8 to 14 Day Outlook

March 20th to 26th, 2025





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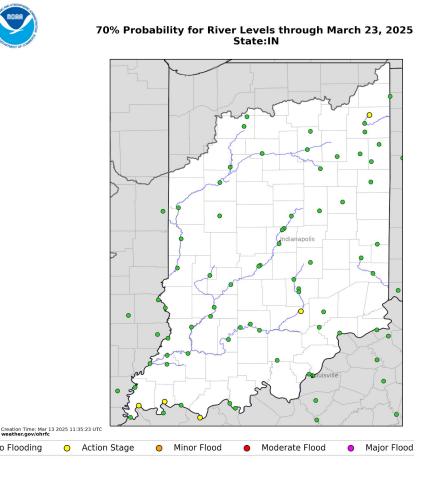


10 Day River Flood Probabilities

Most Likely Range of Outcomes Through March 23rd



No Flooding



>70% Chance of Exceedance

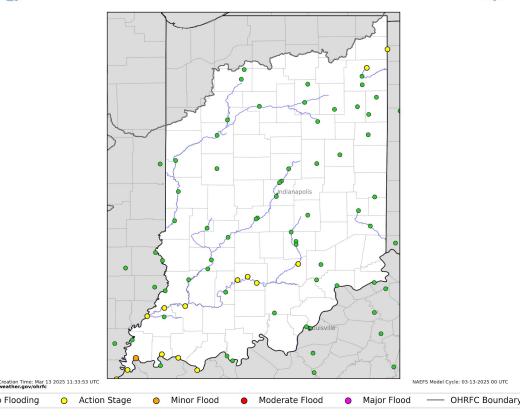


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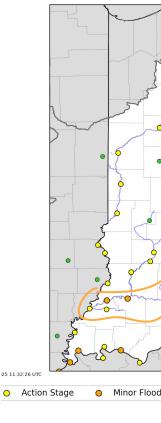
Potential for minor flooding on the lower East Fork White and far lower White

>50% Chance of Exceedance

50% Probability for River Levels through March 23, 2025 State:IN



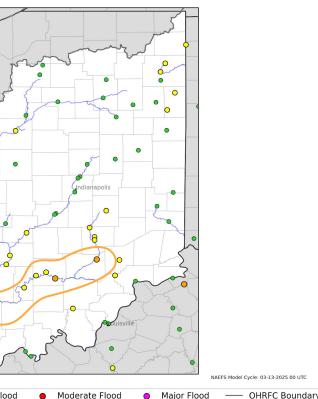






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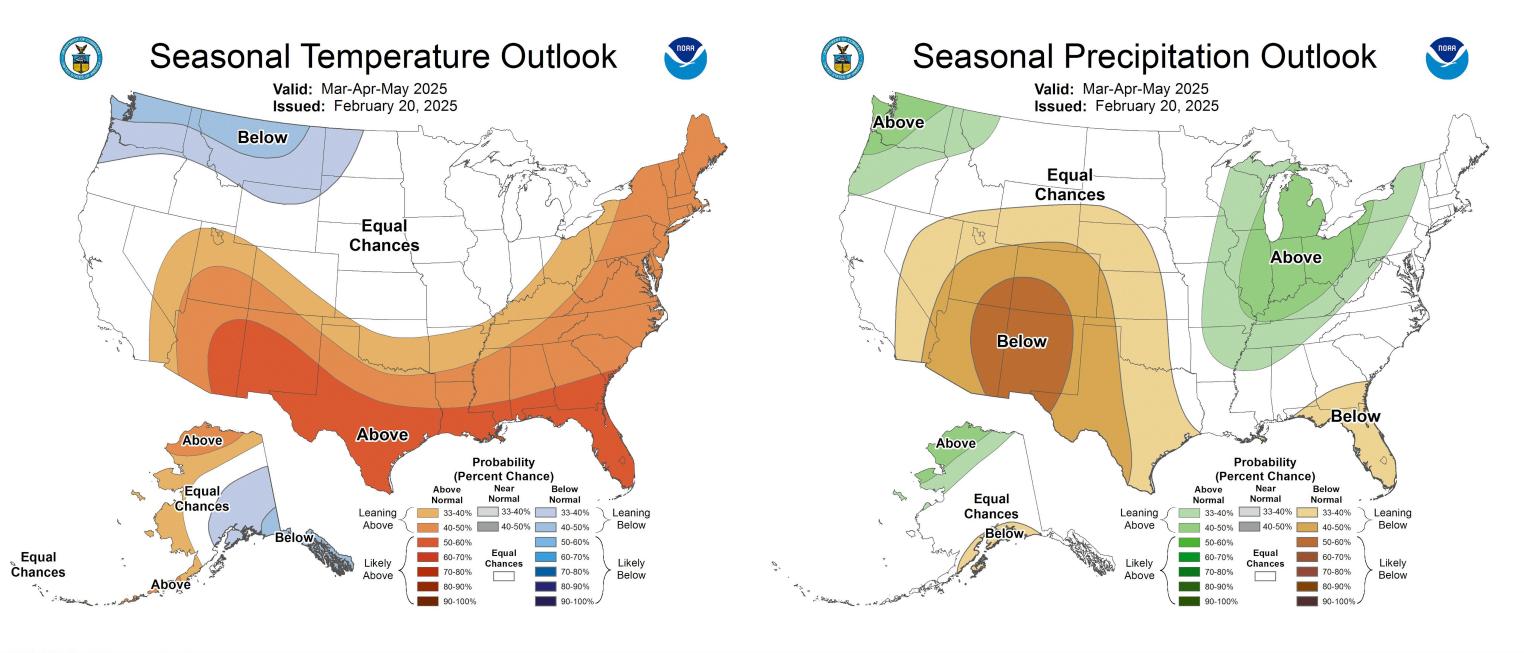
30% Probability for River Levels through March 23, 2025 State:IN

>30% Chance of Exceedance



Three Month Outlook

Mar-Apr-May 2025



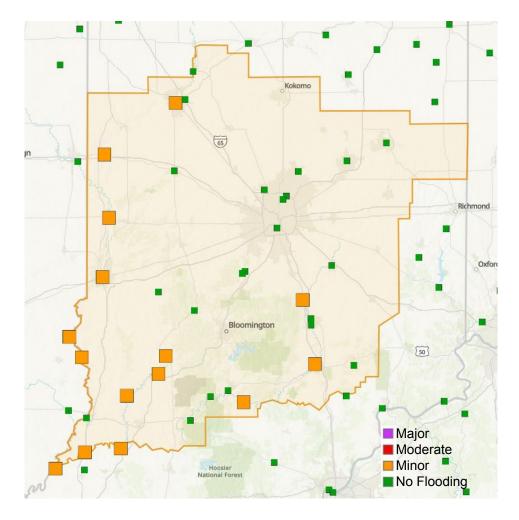


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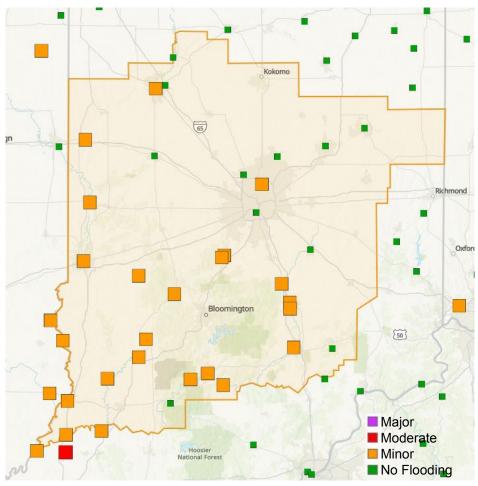
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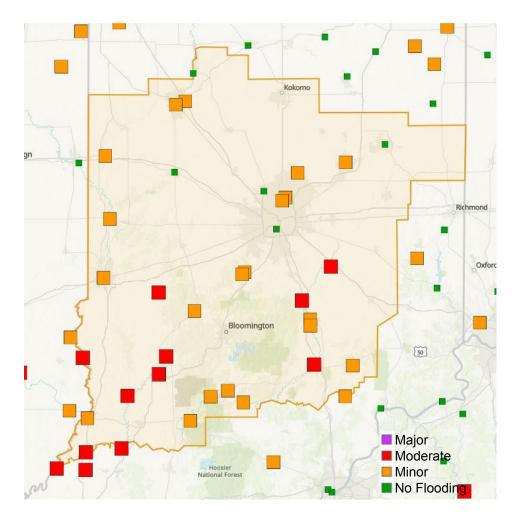
Most Likely Range of Outcomes March through May



>75% Chance of Exceedance

>50% Chance of Exceedance







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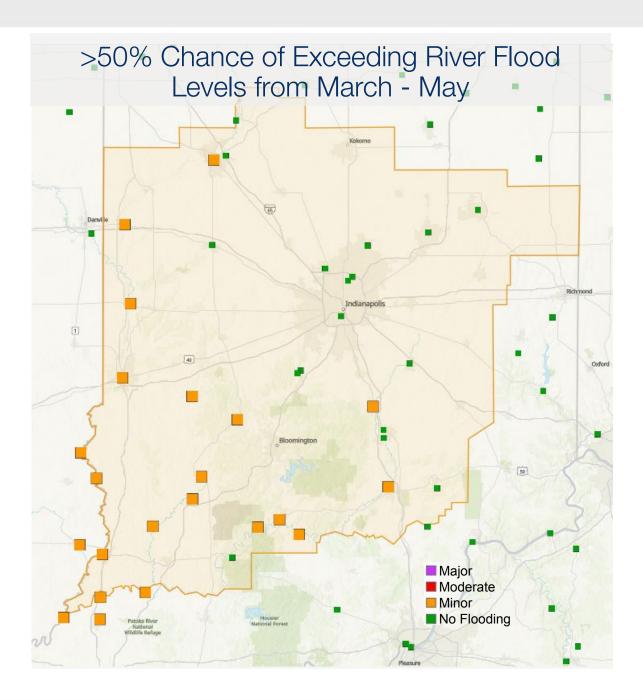
>25% Chance of Exceedance



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