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Fox River Status Update
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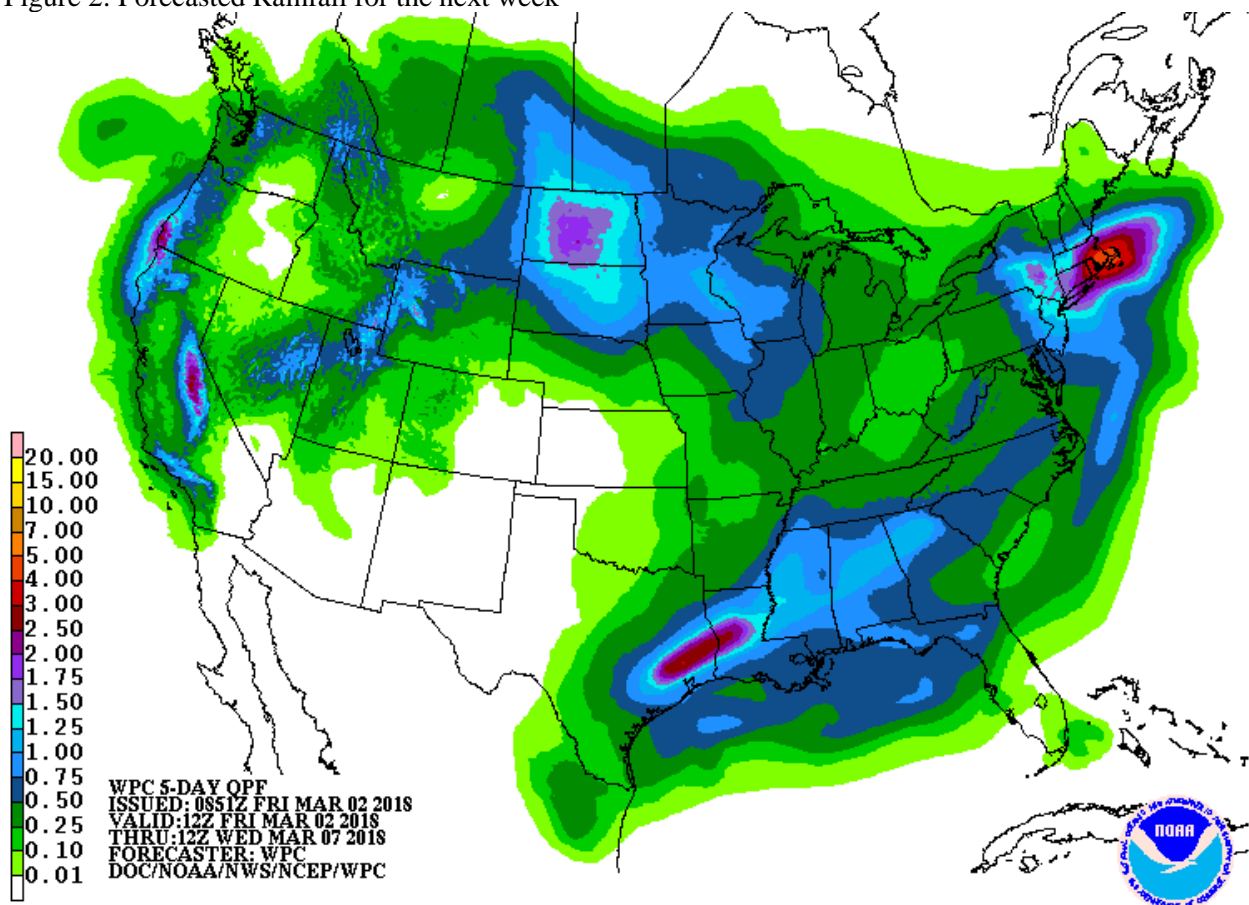
Current Conditions

Yesterday a ¼” of rain fell in Fox River Watershed south of Algonquin. The Fox River and Chain of Lakes is starting a slow fall.

Forecast

As shown in Figure 2, the rainfall forecast for the Fox River watershed over the next week is about ½” to ¾” over the watershed. The rain is currently forecast for Monday and Tuesday.

Figure 2: Forecasted Rainfall for the next week



System Conditions and Operations

The Fox River and Chain of Lakes have started a slow fall. The Fox River in Wisconsin has fallen below flood stage. The duration of the high water will keep the system vulnerable over the next couple of weeks.

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