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Definitions	
Type of Change	This should be noted as either NEW, MODIFICATION, TERMINATION
name	Brief name describing the change
description	Brief description of the change
Documentation	Give a link to a Product Description Document or other such documentation describing the change
LocalURL	URL where we can go to see the product/service/etc.
POC Name	Next blocks are the name, address, phone number and email of a point of contact about this particular change. This should be a person who can answer most questions regarding the change.
POC Address	
POC Phone	
POC email	
Comment Open	Start date of comment period for the change
Comment Close	End date of comment period for the change
Send Comment	Either the email address where comments should be sent or the web address where an on-line survey or comment-collection is done
Deciding Official	NWS manager who will make the decision on whether or not to implement the change.
Decision	Final decision

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Type of Change	Name	Description	Documentation	LocalURL	POC Name	POC Address	POC Phone	POC email	Comment Open	Comment Close	Send Comment	Deciding Official	Decision
	Changes to NCEP Model Products	Information on Changes to NCEP Model Products can be found at http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/changes/		http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/changes/									
Modify	SREF Upgrade	The Environmental Modeling Center (EMC) has proposed implementation of the Short Range Ensemble Forecast (SREF) system V6.0.0. The objective of this implementation is to improve the skill and utility of forecast guidance produced by the SREF system. See documentation for what is included in the upgrade.	Eval_Letter_sref_2012615.pdf		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	6/18/2012	7/18/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 08/21/2012
Modify	Experimental Redesign NWS Web Services Via Wireless Technologies	This is a redesign of its existing mobile web page, http://mobile.weather.gov . The goal of the redesign is to update the look, feel, and functionality of NWS mobile web presence in order to better take advantage of the capabilities.	mobile.wx.gov_Redesign_PDD.pdf	http://preview.weather.gov/mobile	Ronald Jones	1325 East West Hwy Silver Spring MD 20910	301-713-1353	ronald.c.jones@noaa.gov	4/16/2012	5/18/2012	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=new-mobile	Office of the Chief Information Officer	Approved for Operations - Effective 07/02/2012
Modify	Proposed replacement of ISCS broadcast with GIFS and Geonetcast America Satellite Broadcast	NWS plans to replace the ISCS satellite broadcast service, which provides meteorological and aviation weather products to WFO regional association IV members and participating states, with the global telecommunication system (GTS) internet file service (GIFS)	pns11ra4.htm		Robert Gillespie	1325 East West Hwy Room: 3440 Silver Spring, MD 20910	301-713-9478 x 140	robert.gillespie@noaa.gov	12/2/2011	12/31/2011	robert.gillespie@noaa.gov	Office of Operational Systems Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 06/30/2012
Modify	Proposed Upgrade to Hurricane Weather Research and Forecast (HWRF) System and product distribution schedule	NCEP is proposing to upgrade the Hurricane Weather Research and Forecast (HWRF) modeling system in May 2012. This upgrade would result in HWRF products being distributed to the National Hurricane Center (NHC) and to the public up to 20 minutes later than the current distribution time.	pns12hwrff.comments.htm		Vijay Tallapragada	5200 Auth Road Rm 206 Suitland MD 20746	301-763-8000 x7232	Vijay.Tallapragada@noaa.gov	2/1/2012	3/9/2012	Vijay.Tallapragada@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 05/24/2012
Modify	Proposed Implementation of GDAS Hybrid Gridpoint Statistical Interpolation	The Environmental Modeling Center (EMC) has proposed implementation of the Global Data Assimilation System Hybrid Grid point Statistical Interpolation (GDAS Hybrid GSI, and referred to as 'Hybrid') V11.0.0.	Eval_Letter_hybrid_20120412.pdf		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	4/12/2012	5/12/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 05/22/2012
Modify	Proposed Global Multi-grid Wave Model Physics Upgrade	National Centers for Environmental Prediction (NCEP) will introduce a physics upgrade and a few minor product changes to the Multi-grid Global Wave Model.	Eval_Letter_wavephys_20120326.pdf		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	3/27/2012	4/27/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 05/08/2012

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Modify	Changing the Rapid Update Cycle (RUC) to the Rapid Refresh (RAP) Analysis and Forecast System	National Centers for Environmental Prediction (NCEP) is proposing to replace the Rapid Update Cycle (RUC) with the Rapid Refresh (RAP) model. See details of RAP under Documentation.	Eval_Letter_rap_20120111.pdf		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	1/24/2012	4/27/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 05/01/2012
Modify	Proposed 2011 Upgrade to Global Ensemble Forecast System (GEFS)	The National Centers for Environmental Prediction (NCEP) is proposing to upgrade the Global Ensemble Forecast System (GEFS) in late 2011. This upgrade would result in GEFS products being distributed to the public up to 30 minutes later than the current distribution time.	pns10gefs.txt		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	11/8/2010	12/31/2010	chad.cary@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 01/24/2012
New	Experimental Tropical Cyclone Hazards Graphics, Update 5	The Tropical Cyclone Hazards Graphics is an experimental, internet-based, product suite consisting of four primary graphics: wind, tornado, coastal flood, and inland flood. These WFO-generated graphics provide qualitative forecasts for the primary tropical cyclone hazards based on the track, intensity, and uncertainties in the official forecasts. Due to few landfalling hurricanes in 2010, the product will remain experimental for the 2011 Hurricane Season. with the addition of 2 Western Region WFO's: WFO San Diego and WFO Los Angeles	TCHazardsGraphicexp2011.pdf	http://www.weather.gov/ghis	Timothy Schott	1325 East West Highway Silver Spring, MD 20910	301-713-1677x122	timothy.schott@noaa.gov	6/15/2011	11/30/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=tcig	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinued, Replaced with Update 6
New	Experimental Cold Advisory for Newborn Livestock (CANL) Graphic, Update 1	The experimental CANL graphic will take the current NDFD forecast grids for temperature and wind (wind chill), humidity, and QPF and create a graphic that shows the potential for weather related impacts to newborn livestock. This update is for national implementation.	2011PDDCANL.pdf	http://www.wr.noaa.gov/gqw/canl/canl.html	Tanja Fransen	WFO Glasgow, MT 101 Airport Road Glasgow, MT 59230-2843	406-228-4042	Tanja.Fransen@noaa.gov	1/13/2010	5/31/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/web-survey.php?code=GGW-CANL	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinued, replaced with Update 2
New	Experimental Extreme Cold Warning	On occasion, winter temperatures may fall to extreme cold readings with no wind occurring. Currently, the only way to headline very cold temperatures is with the use of Wind Chill Advisory or Warning products. In the rare situations where actual temperatures reach Wind Chill Warning criteria with little or no wind, WFOs may issue an Extreme Cold Warning	Exp_Extreme_Cold.pdf		Paul Stokols	Fire and Public Weather Services branch W/OS22 1325 East West Highway Silver Spring MD 20910	301-713-1867 ext139	paul.stokols@noaa.gov	1/11/2011	4/14/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=ecw	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinued, replaced with Update 1

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New	Experimental Hydrologic Short-Term Meteorological Model-based Ensemble Forecasting System (MMEFS)	Hydrologic Short-Term Meteorological Model-based Ensemble Forecasting System (MMEFS) webpage and text products are to provide continuous hydrologic contingency and planning river stage forecasts for many customers, such as the NWS WFOs, EMs, the United States Army Corp of Engineers (USACE), USGS, etc., which have a planning need for uncertainty in our short-term hydrologic forecasts within the first 7 days.	MMEFS_PDD_f inal_11162010.pdf	http://www.erh.noaa.gov/mmefs/index.php	Laurie Hogan	NOAA/NWS/Eastern Region Headquarter, Hydrologic Services Div 630 Johnson Ave, Suite 202, Bohemia, NY 11716	631-244-0114	laurie.hogan@noaa.gov	1/1/2011	6/1/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/news-survey.php?code=srhe	Eastern Region Director	Discontinued, replaced with Update 1
New	Experimental SPC Probabilistic Day 3-8 Fire Weather Outlooks	The SPC Probabilistic Day 3-8 Fire Weather Outlooks provide a daily probabilistic forecast of critical fire weather conditions for dry thunderstorms and/or strong winds combined with low relative humidity for the continental U.S.	spc_day38fire_prob_pdd.pdf	http://www.spc.noaa.gov/products/exper/fire_wx/	Russ Schneider	Storm Prediction Center W/NP72 120 David L. Boren Blvd Norman, OK 73072	405-325-2066	russell.schneider@noaa.gov	4/19/2011	11/30/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/news-survey.php?code=spc38firewx	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinued, replaced with Update 1
New	Experimental NHC Audio Briefings (podcasts)	NHC will be producing experimental audio briefings (also called podcasts) when the media pool is activated. The audio feeds will be created in mp3 format, and to increase their accessibility, links to the mp3 files will be made available through XML/RSS technology.	NHC_PDDPodcast.pdf	http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/audio/	Dennis Feltgen	National Hurricane Center/Tropical Prediction Center 11691 SW 17th Street, Miami, FL 33165	305-229-4404	nhc.publicaffairs@noaa.gov	8/28/2009	11/30/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/news-survey.php?code=nhcpod	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Discontinued, replaced with Update 1
New	Experimental NHC Media Briefings: Videocasts	For the 2009 hurricane season, NHC has entered into an agreement with America's Emergency Network (AEN) to provide IP-based audio and video streaming of its hourly hurricane briefings. The URL to the briefings will be posted on the NHC Web site when the media pool is activated.	NHC_PDDVideocast.pdf	http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/about/videocast.shtml	Dennis Feltgen	National Hurricane Center/Tropical Prediction Center 11691 SW 17th Street, Miami, FL 33165	305-229-4404	nhc.publicaffairs@noaa.gov	8/28/2009	11/30/2011	http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/feedback/videocast.php	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Discontinued, replaced with Update 1
New	Experimental Extreme Cold Warning, Update 1	On occasion, winter temperatures may fall to extreme cold readings with no wind occurring. Currently, the only way to headline very cold temperatures is with the use of Wind Chill Advisory or Warning products. In the rare situations where actual temperatures reach Wind Chill Warning criteria with little or no wind, WFOs may issue an Extreme Cold Warning	Exp_Extreme_Cold_u1.pdf		Paul Stokols	Fire and Public Weather Services branch W/OS22 1325 East West Highway Silver Spring MD 20910	301-713-1867 ext139	paul.stokols@noaa.gov	1/18/2012	4/15/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/news-survey.php?code=ecw	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinued - Effective 12/3/2012
New	Experimental Marine Web Portal	The purpose of this experimental website is to provide our customers and partners a simple, standardized web based portal to access current forecasts, consolidated coastal ocean observations and monitoring activities for the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts in one website.	MarineWebPortalPDD_2010.pdf	http://forecast.weather.gov/mwp/	Michael Caropolo	NWS Forecast Office, Wilmington, NC 2015 Gardner Drive, Wilmington, NC 28405	910-762-4289	Michael.caropolo@noaa.gov	1/1/2010	12/30/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/web-survey.php?code=c-marine	Eastern and Southern Region Directors	Discontinued - Effective 11/30/2012

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New	Experimental use of email updates to provide NWS information	The National Weather Service (NWS) is proposing an experimental use of email updates to provide NWS information. To provide this, the services of GovDelivery, Inc. has been procured.	pns10email_update.txt		Robert Bunge	1325 E-W Highway, SSMC2 Silver Spring, MD 20910	301-713-0884 x 114	robert.bunge@noaa.gov	3/29/2010	8/1/2010	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=emailupdates	NWS Chief Information Officer	Discontinued - Effective 11/13/2012
New	Experimental National Water Resources Web Page	The Experimental Water Resources Web Page provides a single web page for displaying water resources information from all River Forecast Centers (RFC). Water resources information includes expected streamflow conditions for next 30, 60, and 90 days.	ExpNationalWaterResourcesWebpage.pdf	http://www.nwrfc.noaa.gov/westernwater	Jeff Zimmerman	WR Hydrology and Climate Services Division, 125 South State Street, Room 1311, Salt Lake City, UT	(801) 524-5137 x225	jeff.zimmerman@noaa.gov	10/1/2009	9/30/2010	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=nwro	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinued - Effective 10/16/2012 - replaced with Update 1
New	Experimental Recently Updated Grids Service	Lets the public, government agencies, and commercial enterprises know which National Digital Forecast Database (NDFD) General Regularly-distributed Information in Binary form (GRIB2) files have recently been updated so as to avoid needlessly retrieving files that haven't been modified since the user last downloaded them.	NDFD_RUGS_Nov10.pdf	http://www.weather.gov/forecasts/xml/rugs/	Carl McCalla, Sr.	Meteorological Development Laboratory (W/OST24) 1325 East-West Highway Silver Spring, MD 20910	301-713-1065 x 169	carl.mccalla@noaa.gov	5/1/2009	9/30/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=RUGS	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinued - Effective 04/20/2012
New	Experimental Probabilistic Precipitation Forecasts Webpage	This experimental web page from WFO Tucson, AZ (TWC) displays Probabilistic Quantitative Precipitation Forecasts (PQPF) using calibrated Short Range Ensemble Forecast (SREF) data displayed on a Goggle Earth platform. Local (Arizona, New Mexico and Northwest Mexico)	Experimental PQPF_PDD.pdf	http://www.wr.noaa.gov/twc/models/models.php	Glen Sampson	NOAA/NWS/W R/TWC 520 North Park Avenue, Tucson AZ 85719	520-670-5156	Glen.Sampson@noaa.gov	11/1/2010	11/1/2011	Glen.Sampson@noaa.gov	Western Region Director	Discontinued
New	Experimental Fire Weather Planning Forecast (FWF) Text Format	This experimental FWF text format utilizes left-justified asterisks to begin each line of text. The asterisks help maintain proper word wrapping and indentations in the AWIPS text editor. The rest of the FWF product is left unchanged.	Experimental FWF_Text_Format_PDD.pdf		Mike Vescio	2001 NW 56th DrivePendleton, OR97801-4532	541-276-7832	mike.vescio@noaa.gov	5/15/2011	11/15/2011	mike.vescio@noaa.gov	Western Region Director	Discontinue, replaced with Update 1
New	Experimental NHC/TAFB Web Based Graphcast	Daily graphical/alphanumeric depiction of significant weather features expected to affect the Tropical North Atlantic, Tropical Northeast Pacific and Southeast Pacific offshore waters and high seas area of responsibility of the Tropical Analysis and Forecast Branch.	Graphcasts_NHC_TAFB.pdf	http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/marine_forecasts.shtml	Hugh Cobb	National Hurricane Center 11691 SW 17th Street, Miami, FL 33165	305-229-4454	hugh.cobb@noaa.gov	8/15/2010	12/31/2011	nhcwebmaster@noaa.gov	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Discontinue, replaced with Update 1
New	Experimental Area Fire Weather Forecast Matrix (AFW)	tabular forecast data similar to the Point Fire Weather Forecast Matrix (PFW), except that it encompass an entire fire weather zone instead of just a point. The requirement is for something similar to the existing Area Forecast Matrix (AFM), but with fire weather/smoke management parameters included.	PDD_AFW_GSP.pdf	http://www.erh.noaa.gov/gsp/fire/afw/	Larry Gabric	NWS Forecast Office Greenville-Spartanburg Airport1549 GSP DriveGreer, SC 29651	864-848-9970 x 222	larry.gabric@noaa.gov	8/1/2011	2/1/2012	larry.gabric@noaa.gov	Eastern Region Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 12/14/2012

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New	Experimental Maximum/Minimum Relative Humidity NDFD Grid	As part of the NDFD, Maximum and Minimum Relative Humidity elements are being made available in response to user needs being voiced from the wildland fire community	MaxMinRHPDD.pdf	http://www.weather.gov/ndfd/access_http.htm	Robyn Heffernan	OCWWS 3833 S Development Ave., Boise, ID 83705	208-387-5089	Robyn.Heffernan@noaa.gov	12/1/2011	8/30/2012	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nwssurvey	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 11/27/2012
New	NOHRSC model expansion and forecast experimental products	National Operational Hydrologic Remote Sensing Center is expanding their model's spatial domain and providing experimental output.	pns11nohsc.htm		Andy Rost	1735 Lake Drive West, Chanhassen, MN 55317	952-368-2508	andy.rost@noaa.gov	10/27/2011	7/1/2012	http://www.nohrsc.noaa.gov/contact.html	Office of Hydrologic Development Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 10/21/2012
New	Experimental Enhanced Thunder Product, Update 3	Revises the current SPC experimental Enhanced Resolution Thunderstorm Outlook product based on customer and partner feedback. The revision to be tested this year provides greater temporal detail to aid NWS aviation weather partners including NWS WFOs and to support time-sensitive decisions related to thunderstorms. This year's test will also evaluate changes in the distribution of SPC forecaster workload and the ability to maintain this product for all scheduled convective outlook times.	SPC_NewThunderFY11.pdf	http://www.spc.noaa.gov/products/experiments/enhstm/	Russ Schneider	Storm Prediction Center W/NP72 120 David L. Boren Blvd Norman, OK 73072	405-325-2066	russell.schneider@noaa.gov	12/14/2010	9/30/2011	http://www.spc.noaa.gov/products/experiments/enhstm/	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 09/26/2012
New	CREOFS model	The Center for Operational Oceanographic Products and Services (CO-OPS) and the Coast Survey Development Lab (CSDL) of the National Ocean Service (NOS) have proposed implementation of the Columbia River Estuary Operational Forecast System (CREOFS) V1.0.0.	Eval Letter creofs_20120802		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	8/3/2012	9/2/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 09/25/2012
New	ESTOFS Model	The Coastal Survey Development Laboratory (CSDL) of the National Ocean Service (NOS) and the Environmental Modeling Center (EMC) have proposed implementation of the Extratropical Surge and Tide Operational Forecast System (ESTOFS) V1.0.0.	Eval Letter estofs_20120423.pdf		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	4/24/2012	8/12/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 09/14/2012
New	Proposed implementation of Global Aerosol System	The Environmental Modeling Center (EMC) has proposed implementation of the Global Aerosol System – NEMS GFS Aerosol Component (NGAC) v1.0.0. This system produces global aerosol forecasts and runs once daily within the NCEP Production Job Suite for the 0000Z cycle.	Eval Letter ngac_2012627		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	7/2/2012	8/1/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 09/11/2012
New	Experimental National Ceiling and Visibility Analysis Product	The NCV product is a frequently updated representation of current ceiling and visibility conditions derived from METAR (ASOS) stations and GOES satellite information. The product's ceiling and visibility fields are derived through nearest-neighbor interpolation of METAR data.	NCVAPDD2.pdf	http://weather.aero/metars/	Ronald Olson	Aviation Weather Center 7221 NW 101st Terrace, Kansas City, MO 64153-2371	816-584-7200 x 239	ronald.olson@noaa.gov	9/6/2007	10/6/2007	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=NCV	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 07/24/2012

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New	Experimental UltraViolet Radiation Grids in the NDGD	The following gridded data is now available on an experimental basis in the National Digital Guidance Database (NDGD): Experimental Ultraviolet Index, Experimental Daily Maximum Ultraviolet Index and Experimental Downward Short Wave Radiation Flux.	Experimental UV Grids in NDGD PDD.pdf	http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/SLSUs08001/ST.expr/DF.gr2/DC.ndgd/GT.dngafs	Jannie Ferrell	W/OS22 1325 E-W Highway/Silver Spring, MD20910	301-713-1867	jannie.g.ferrell@noaa.gov	3/25/2011	7/22/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/news-survey.php?code=uvigp	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 07/10/2012
New	Proposed Design Refresh of weather.gov	NWS is proposing to refresh the design of its web page at weather.gov	http://www.nws.noaa.gov/os/notification/pns12weathergov_design.htm	http://previous.weather.gov/	Bradley Akamine	1325 East West Hwy Silver Spring MD 20910	301-713-0763x110	Bradley.Akamine@noaa.gov	4/16/2012	5/18/2012	http://previous.weather.gov/redesign/comments	NWS Chief Information Officer	Approved for Operations - Effective 07/02/2012
New	Ensemble Kernel Density Model Output Statistics	EKDMOS applies the statistical post processing techniques of MOS to Ensemble Forecast Systems (EFS) to produce forecast probability distributions that are reliable and accurate.	Eval Letter ekdmos_20120322.pdf		Christine Caruso Magee	5200 Auth Road Room: 307 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7160	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	3/27/2012	5/10/2012	Chris.Magee@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 05/29/2012
New	Experimental Approach and Departure Gate Forecasts for Convection (TRACON)	TRACON Approach and Departure Gate Forecasts will provide ATCSCC, TMU and TRACON a graphical product for planning air traffic flow safely and efficiently around convection in the TRACON area.	DRAFT National TRACON PD D.pdf	http://www.aviationweather.gov/cwsu/	Jason Baker	1325 East-West Highway Silver Spring, MD 20910	(301) 713-1726	jason.m.baker@noaa.gov	11/1/2011	3/31/2012	http://www.nws.noaa.gov/survey/report.php?type=nws&code=cwsutraconfcst	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 04/24/2012
New	Experimental Extended Convective Forecast Product	Automated probabilistic 24 hour thunderstorm outlook based on SREF Calibrated thunder guidance.	ECFP_PDD.pdf	http://aviationweather.gov/testbed/ccfpoutlook/	Michael Pat Murphy	Aviation Weather Center 7220 NW 101st Terrace/Kansas City, MO 64116	816 584 7239	michael.pat.murphy@noaa.gov	5/1/2010	11/30/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/news-survey.php?code=ECFP	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 04/16/2012
New	Policy on Mobile Weather Services	NWS is seeking comments on it's draft policy on mobile weather services. The policy describes the proposed NWS approach for providing environmental information services via mobile devices	http://www.weather.gov/sp/NW_Smobilepolicy.pdf	http://www.nws.noaa.gov/sp/mobilepolicy.htm	Wendy Levine	NWS Strategic Planning and Policy Office, 1325 East West Hwy, Silver Spring, MD 20910	301-713-3380	wendy.levine@noaa.gov	1/30/2012	3/15/2012	nwssp.comments@noaa.gov	NWS Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 04/16/2012
New	Experimental HPC Probabilistic Winter Precipitation Guidance	These probabilistic winter precipitation forecasts are provided as guidance forecasts for use by the RFCs and WFOs. They are also available to the emergency management community, media, and general public.	HPC_PWPF_PDD.pdf	http://www.hpc.ncep.noaa.gov/pwvf_24hr/wwd_24hr_probs_sn.php	Edwin Danaher	NCEP/HPC 5100 Auth Road Camp Springs, MD	301-763-8000 Ext 7354	Edwin.Danaher@noaa.gov	2/15/2011	12/31/2011	Edwin.Danaher@noaa.gov	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 03/13/2012

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New	Experimental Digital Wind and Wave Forecasts on Inland Lakes and Reservoirs	Wind and wave digital forecasts on inland lakes and reservoirs in text and graphical forecasts on the WFO web page. Wind and wave forecasts created within the GFE using the NOAA/GLERL wind/wave model. Wind wave forecasts for the lakes are produced using forecaster derived data.	PDD_Central_Region_Lake_Wave_Product.pdf	http://www.crh.noaa.gov/fgf/hydro/lake_fcst.php	John S. Eise	Central Region Headquarters 7720 NW 101st Terrace Kansas City, MO 64153	816-268-3144	john.eise@noaa.gov	12/1/2010	5/1/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=dwwfilr	Central Region Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 03/1/2012
New	Experimental Web-enabled International Flight Folder Documentation Program	Website distribution/access to International Flight Folders currently available through facsimile-based system. This is a website maintained by AWC with global aviation weather information. It is intended for use by airline operators for international flights originating or ending in the United States.	WebIFFDP_SD.pdf	http://aviationweather.gov/webiffdp/	Michael Pat Murphy	Aviation Weather Center 7220 NW 101st Terrace Kansas City, MO 64116	816 584 7239	michael.pat.murphy@noaa.gov	2/1/2011	4/30/2011	http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=WebIFFDP	Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 02/28/2012
New	Change Rapid Update Cycle (RUC) to Rapid Refresh (RAP) Analysis	NCEP is proposing to replace the Rapid Update Cycle (RUC) with the Rapid Refresh (RAP) model.	tin11-36ruc.htm		Geoffrey Manikin	5200 Auth Road Room: 402 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7263	geoffrey.manikin@noaa.gov	7/27/2011	12/12/2011	geoffrey.manikin@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved for Operations - Effective 01/24/2012
Terminate	Proposed removal of obsolete RUC model output	NWS is proposing to remove several obsolete RUC products when the transition to the RAP occurs.	pns11ruc_removal.htm		Geoffrey Manikin	5200 Auth Road Room: 402 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7263	geoffrey.manikin@noaa.gov	11/9/2011	12/12/2011	geoffrey.manikin@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved - Effective 03/6/2012
Terminate	Proposed Termination of Obsolete RUC Surface Analysis	NCEP is proposing to discontinue the Rapid Update Cycle Surface (RUCS). All output products from this system would also be discontinued.	pns12rucsurface_analysis.htm	http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/products/rsas/	Geoff DiMego	5200 Auth Road W/NP22 Suitland, MD 20746-4325	301-763-8000 x 7221	geoff.dimego@noaa.gov	6/28/2012	8/12/2012	geoff.dimego@noaa.gov	National Centers for Environmental Prediction Director	Approved - Effective 10/02/2012