

## **Enhanced Risk of Severe Storms Today**

### What to Expect:

- Storms could develop over northeast
  NE and northwest IA this afternoon then push northeast of the local area by early this evening.
- Hail up to two inches.
- Damaging winds up to 60 mph.
- A few tornadoes possible.

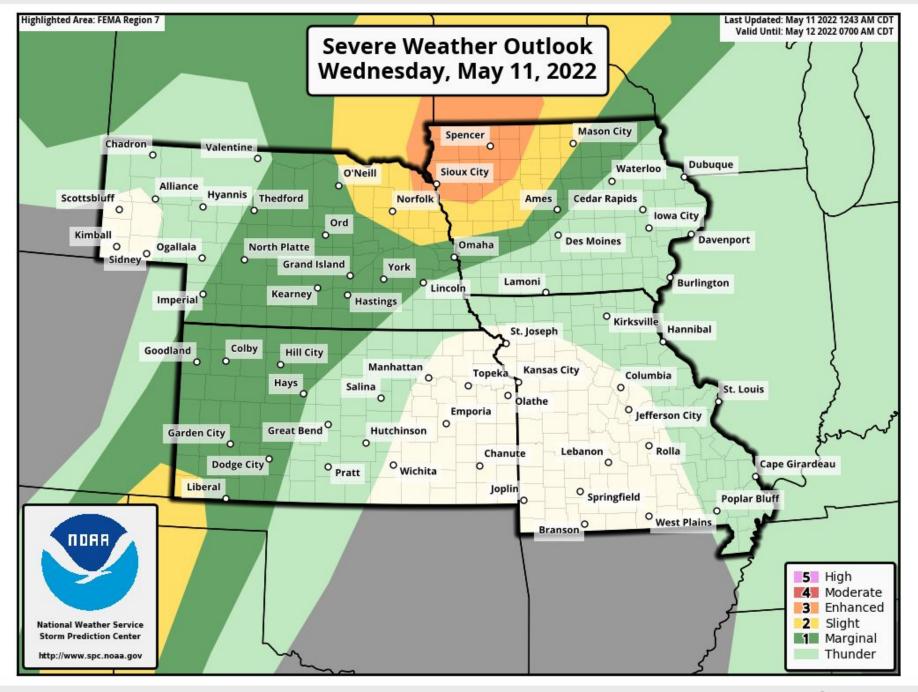


→ The greatest threat for severe storms in our area today is 2 pm to 7 pm.

### Storm Coverage Confidence

Low Medium

High





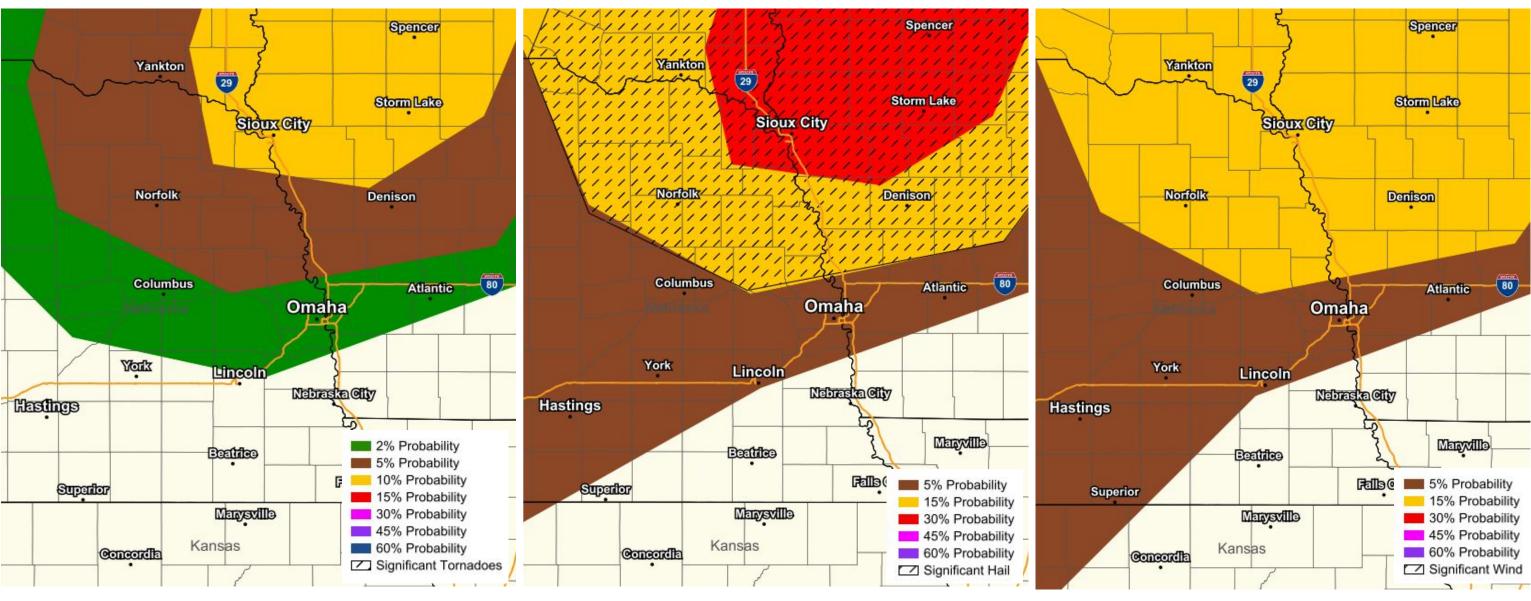


## Individual Hazard Outlooks Today

### **Tornado Probability**



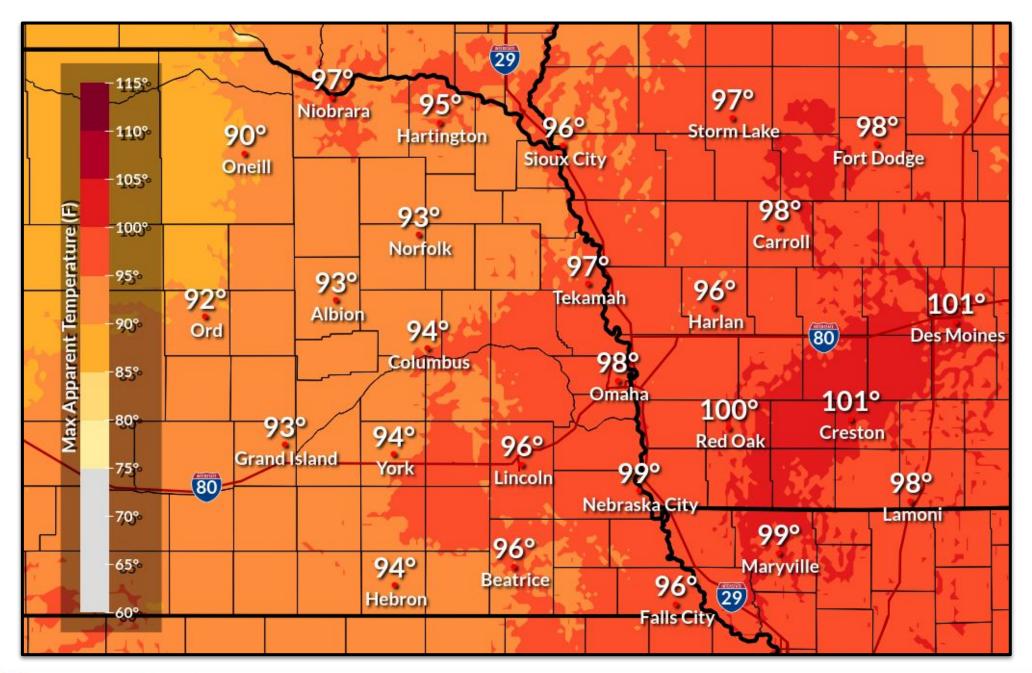
### 58 mph Severe Wind Probability





## **Hot and Humid Weather**

#### **Potential Max Heat Index This Afternoon**



- Heat index values should range in the 90s this afternoon.
- Make sure to stay hydrated today.
- Take frequent breaks in the shade if working or exercising outdoors.
- Similar values could also occur on Thursday.

Potential near-record high temperatures are forecast in Lincoln (94) and Omaha (93) today. If clouds persist more than forecast, temperatures could be a little cooler.



## **Enhanced Risk of Severe Storms Thursday**

### What to Expect:

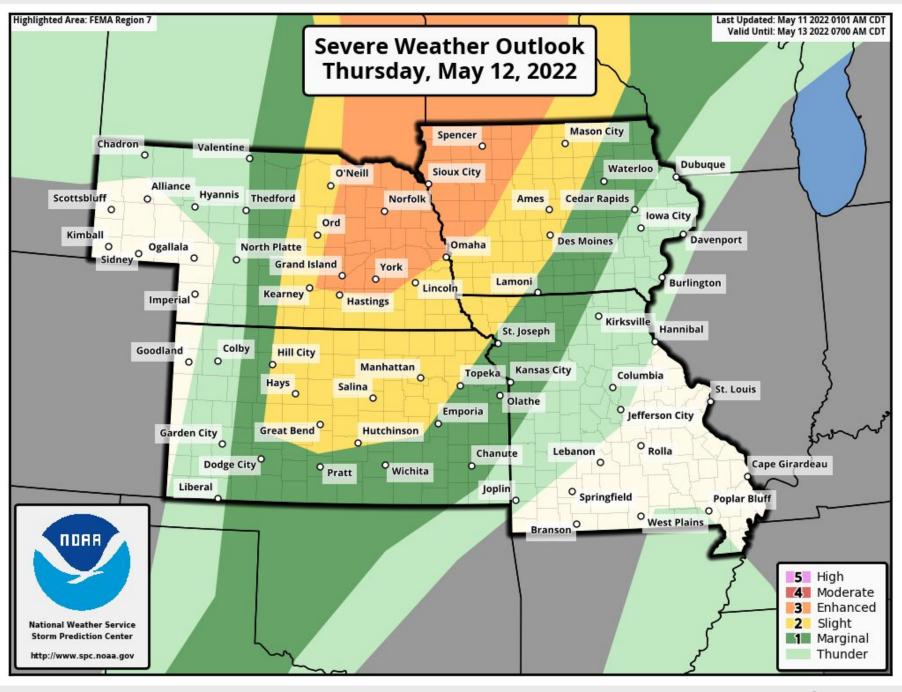
- Storms develop over central NE during the afternoon and then push east through the evening.
- Hail up to two inches.
- Damaging winds up to 70 mph.
- A few tornadoes possible.
- Locally heavy rains possible.



→ The greatest threat for severe storms in our area Thursday is 4pm through Midnight.

### **Storm Coverage Confidence**

Low Medium High

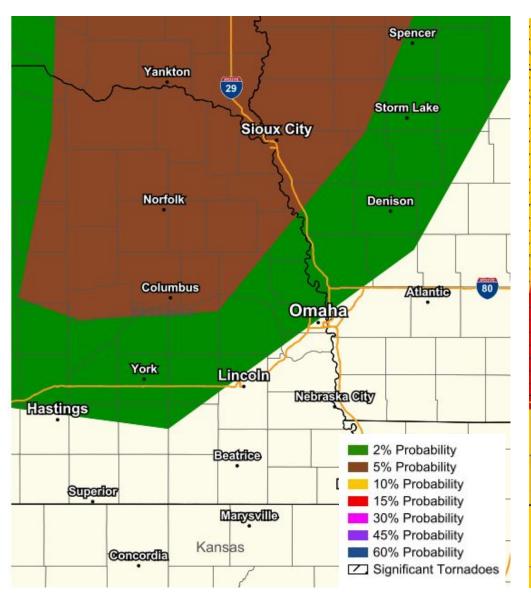




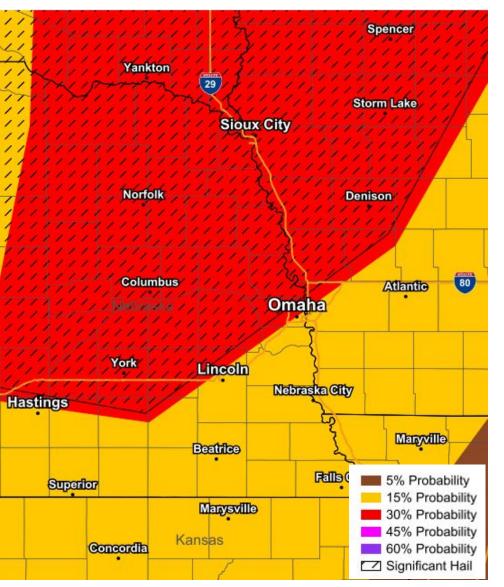


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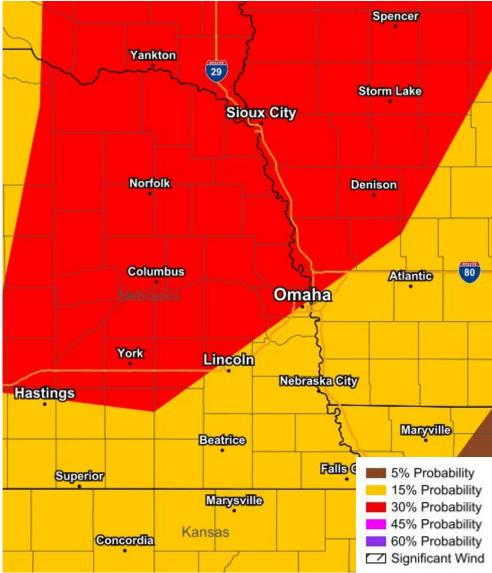
#### **Tornado Probability**



#### 1" Severe Hail Probability



#### 58 mph Severe Wind Probability







**Hazards:** Hail up to hen egg size, damaging winds, and a few tornadoes possible. Locally heavy rains possible Thursday.



Areas Impacted: Eastern Nebraska and Southwest Iowa.



**Timing & Duration:** 2 pm-7 pm on Today, and 4 pm-Midnight on Thursday.



**Impacts:** Hail large enough to damage cars and roofs. Winds strong enough to damage trees and powerlines. Isolated tornadoes could also occur.



# Safety and Resources

### **Additional Resources**

- → NWS Omaha Web Page
- → Storm Prediction Center
- → Severe Weather Safety
- → Reporting Severe Weather
- → Recent Storm Reports

Social Media: Facebook | Twitter

## Thunderstorms can escalate quickly.

Clear skies can quickly turn dark and ominous, whether due to pop-up thunderstorms or squall lines. Be prepared!



Set up a way to get weather warnings on your phone



When alerted to a storm, get inside a sturdy building immediately



Stay away from windows once indoors



If a building isn't nearby, get inside a vehicle

