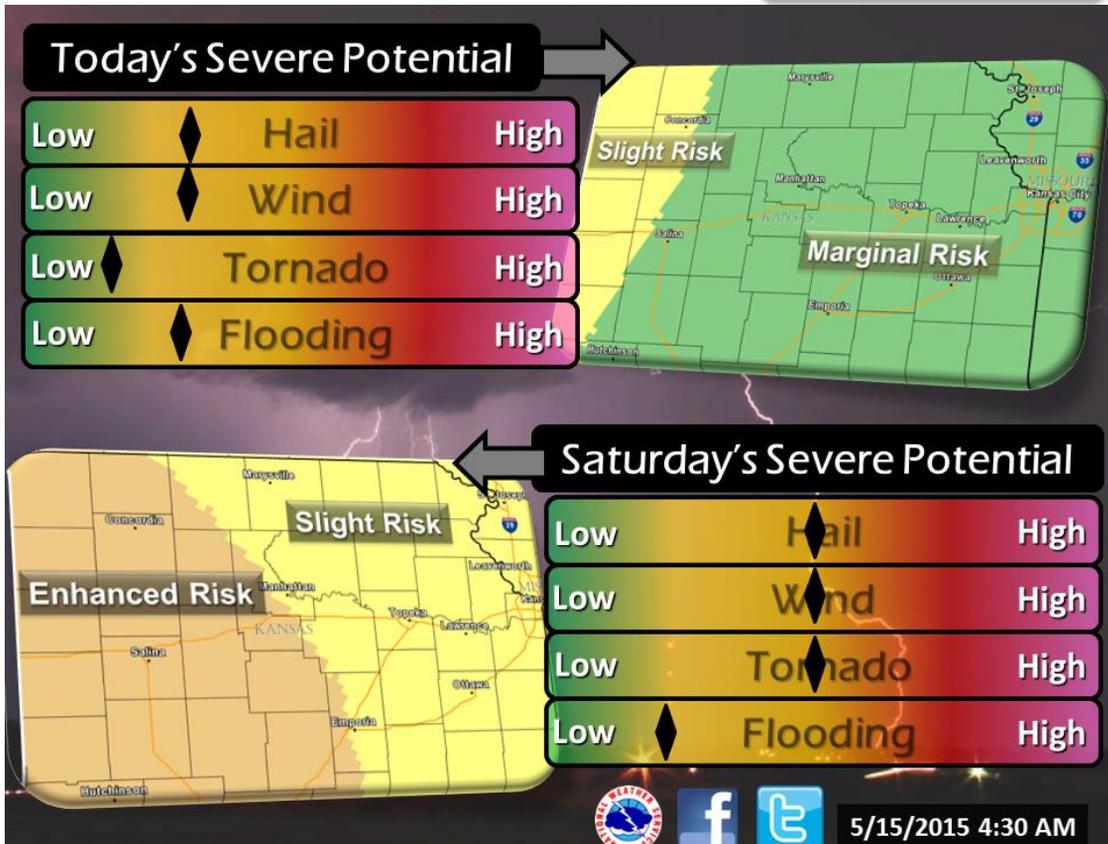


No Widespread Severe Weather Expected Through Tonight

Spotter Activation

Not Necessary



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Highlights

Showers and thunderstorms will occur across the area today and a few of the storms may be capable of producing quarter size hail and gusty winds along with heavy rains. However widespread severe storms are not anticipated today. A greater risk for severe storms will exist late Saturday afternoon into Saturday night across the area especially west of an Emporia to Manhattan to Belleville line.

Severe Weather Risk Saturday

At this time we expect severe storms to develop out around Dodge City north toward Goodland Saturday afternoon and those storms will race northeast at 50 to 60 mph toward northeast Kansas. The severe storms could arrive in the Wichita to Salina to Concordia areas by 6pm and then spread northeast across the remainder of the area between 6pm and midnight. These storms will have the potential to produce damaging winds, large hail and tornadoes are also possible. We urge everyone to monitor the weather on Saturday and have a plan in place to shelter if necessary along with ways to receive weather watch and warning information.

Resources

- NWS Topeka Website: <http://www.weather.gov/top>
- Decision Support Page: <http://www.weather.gov/top/DSS>

