

- [Home](#)
- [About »](#)
- [News »](#)
- [Entertainment »](#)
- [Video Games »](#)
- [Life/Style »](#)
- [Sci/Tech »](#)
- Search this website ...

- [Boston](#)
- [New York](#)
- [Miami](#)
- [West](#)
- [Southwest](#)
- [Blogs](#)
 - [Mark Baard: The Sci-Tech Heretic](#)
 - [Tara Rufo: Cherry Bomb Beauty](#)
 - [Emily Gonzalez: Mise en Place](#)
 - [Sachin Seth: Terra Global Issues](#)
 - [Sarah Mullins: The Diva of Driving](#)
 - [John Guilfoil: PRrag](#)
 - [Bill Peloquin: Film and Television Buzz](#)
 - [Michael Rockland: The Reward of Risk](#)
 - [Sky: Celebrity news and gossip](#)
 - [PSA: Politics, Sports, Anything](#)
 - [Dominic Scali: The Vegas Foodie](#)
 - [Blast Celtics Blog](#)
 - [Guilfoil Brothers Sports: Boston vs. New York](#)
 - [Fatima Shahzad: The Sweet Life](#)
 - [Joanna Angel: Porn Star Diary](#)
 - [On the Record Sports](#)
 - [Blast Double: MMA Blog](#)
- [Features](#)
 - [No Fries in 09](#)
 - [Daily TV Notebook](#)
 - [Getting to Know: Band Profiles](#)
 - [Enterprise — Long-term articles](#)
 - [FBI Michael Jackson Files](#)
 - [The Old Shoebox: Vintage game downloads](#)
 - [E3 2011](#)
 - [San Diego Comic-Con 2010](#)
 - [PAX 2010](#)
- [Cover](#)
- [RSS](#)
- [My Account](#)
 - [Register](#)
 - [Live Member Activity](#)
 - [Groups](#)
- [Recipes](#)
- [Get a Job](#)



What will Google offer?
The best of the Bay Area at even better prices.

Sign up now

More tornadoes could hit Midwest

By [Blast Magazine Newsroom](#)

June 20 [Leave a Comment](#)

Like

Sign Up to see what your friends like.



STATE COLLEGE, PA — [AccuWeather](#) — A wound-up storm rolling out of the Rockies has potential to bring the worst tornado outbreak since May to parts of the Plains into tonight.

The combination of very warm, humid air at the surface, shifting of winds with height, and a strong jet stream overhead has the atmosphere locked and loaded from Oklahoma to Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska and the northwestern half of Missouri.

There is an elevated risk for multiple violent thunderstorms in this corridor, and a number of which can produce strong tornadoes.

There is substantial risk to lives and property from late today into tonight, when the storms will reach maximum intensity.

According to Severe Weather Expert Henry Margusity, “This situation seems likely to produce a number of tornadoes of EF-3 strength.”

Tornadoes of this magnitude on the Enhance Fujita Tornado Damage Scale produce winds of 136 to 165 mph and can not only bring severe damage to structures, but also pose a major threat to lives due to flying debris.

Major metropolitan areas at risk of being hit by the tornado swarm include Des Moines, Cedar Rapids, Omaha, Kansas City, Topeka, Wichita, Oklahoma City and Tulsa.

The area of concern also includes many farms and ranches over the open countryside, as well as dozens of smaller towns and cities.

Among the list of cities that may be under attack from the atmosphere tonight is tornado-ravaged Joplin, Mo.

Part of the Missouri city was leveled by a powerful tornado on May 22, 2011. The large wedge EF-5 tornado killed over 150 people.

“This is a rare situation for June in that we don’t usually see a setup for tornadoes quite like this, so late in the season,” Margusity said.

The threat for severe thunderstorms, including tornadoes, will continue to shift “slowly” eastward into the Midwest at midweek.

The swath from Chicago and Milwaukee to St. Louis and Little Rock may be in the heart of the tornado threat Tuesday and Tuesday night.

Meteorologist Katie Storbeck describes the severe weather risk in other areas, including the Midwest to the Virginias, into tonight in this story.

Story by Alex Sosnowski, AccuWeather.com Senior Meteorologist.



Filed Under: [National News](#) Tagged With: [midwest](#), [missouri](#), [tornado](#), [tornadoes](#), [weather](#)
You might like:



Huddy Cuddy leaving House, Lisa Edelstein plays Lisa Cuddy leaves House season 8, Cuddy fired, leaving show



Why the new Superman movie might suck



Vampire Diaries Season 2 Finale: As I Lay Dying Recap, did Damon die?



PopCap details Android release of Plants VS Zombies, Chuzzle

[?]

Comment via Facebook:



Add a comment...

Comment

Facebook social plugin

Speak Your Mind

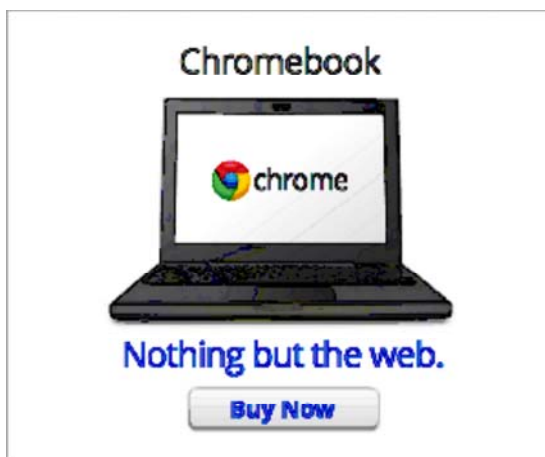
Name *

Email *

Website

Post Comment

Share This Article



Related Articles

- [Weather Service: Joplin tornado was EF-5](#)
- [Joplin tornado is deadliest ever](#)

- [At least 116 dead as Tornado ravages Joplin, Mo.](#)
- [Minnesota to New York at Risk for Severe Storms](#)
- [Rush hour tornadoes kill at least two near Oklahoma City](#)

Most recent articles sitewide

- [Halo Anniversary will support Kinect](#)
- [One-Year Anniversary of The Wizarding World of Harry Potter](#)
- [Arkham City's Robin looks all angsty](#)
- [Kentucky miners trapped by heavy rains](#)
- [More tornadoes could hit Midwest](#)

Daily Deal



55%

OFF!

BUY!

55% off adorable wall decals

Powered by eversave

Value

\$40.00

Savings

55%

Price

\$18.00

[MORE DEALS>>](#)

California Homeowners Are Using This Ridiculously Easy Trick To Pay Off Their Homes In Half The Time

If you owe less than \$729,000 on your mortgage, you probably qualify for the President's Making Home Affordable Program. Under this plan, the government will cut your mortgage payments by up to \$12,000/year. If you are a homeowner and you haven't looked into refinancing recently, you may be surprised at how much you can save.

Select Your Age:

[Calculate New House Payment](#)



[Return to top of page](#)

Copyright © 2010 [B Media Ventures LLC](#) · All Rights Reserved · [Log out](#)



5