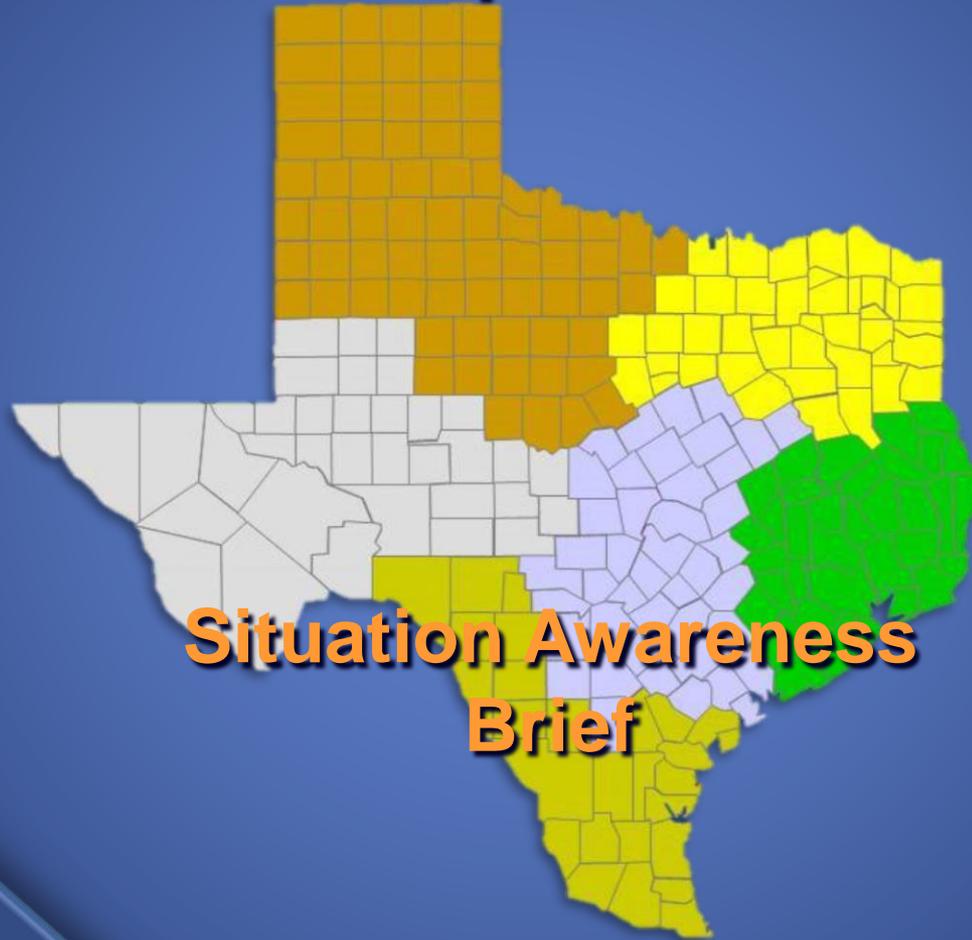
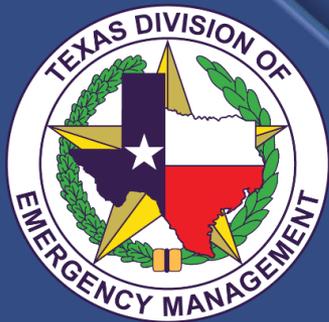


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**Situation Awareness
Brief**



**Wednesday, May 20th 2020
As of 0900 CST**

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

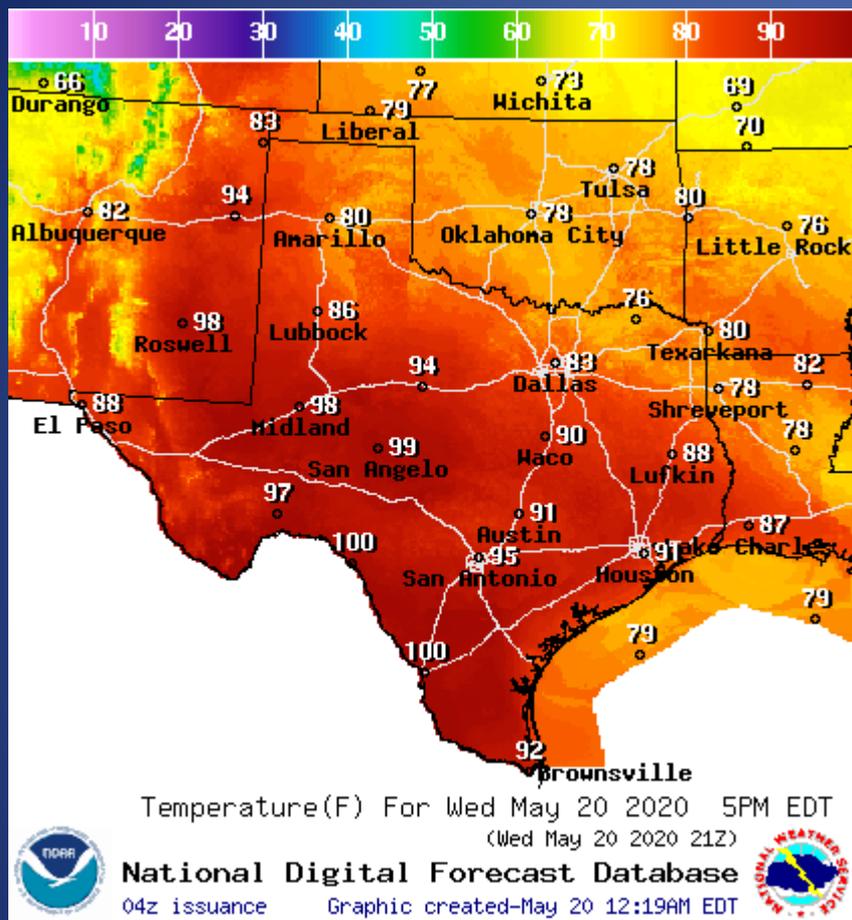
DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
05/19/20	Initial Report of a Tank Fire	Galveston/Galveston County	N
05/19/20	Initial Report of a Road Closure (US 83)	Dimmit County	N
05/19/20	Final Report of a Road Closure (US 83)	Dimmit County	Y

Informational Products

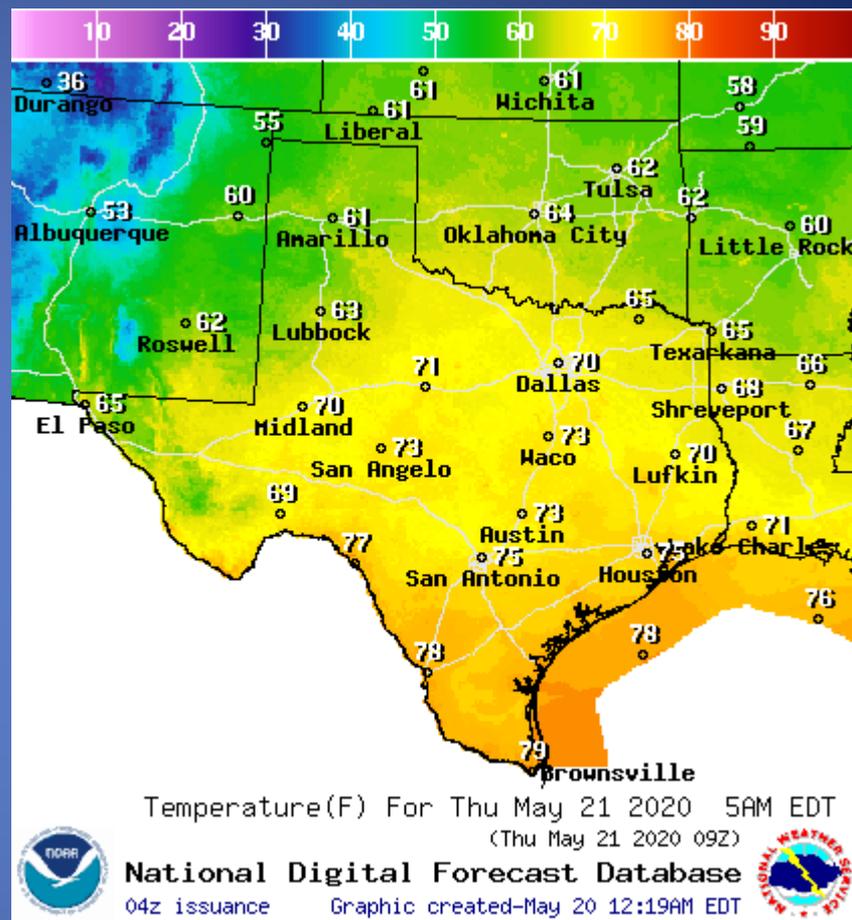
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05/19/20	20-0003 COVID-19 2020 SITREP 61 051920
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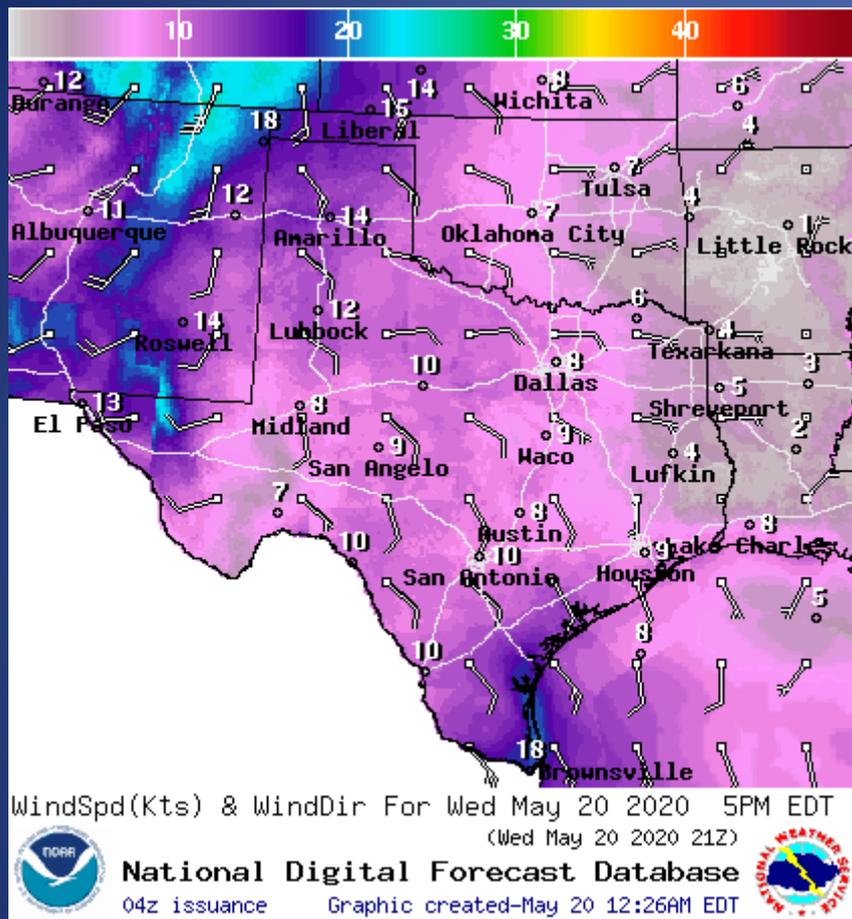


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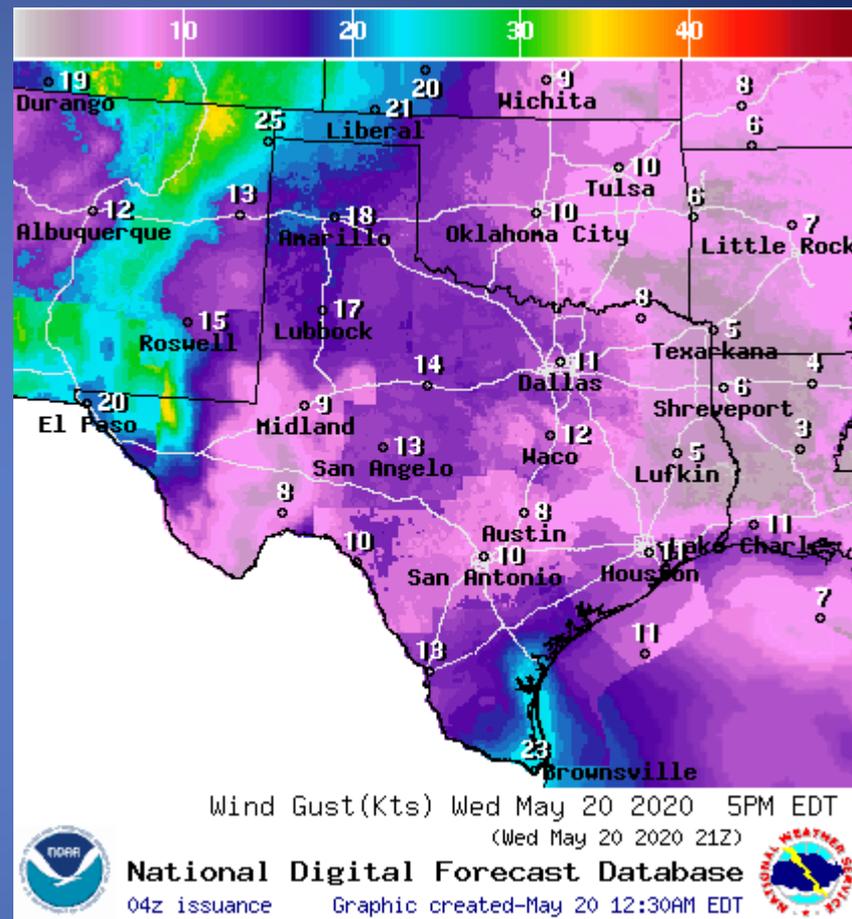


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



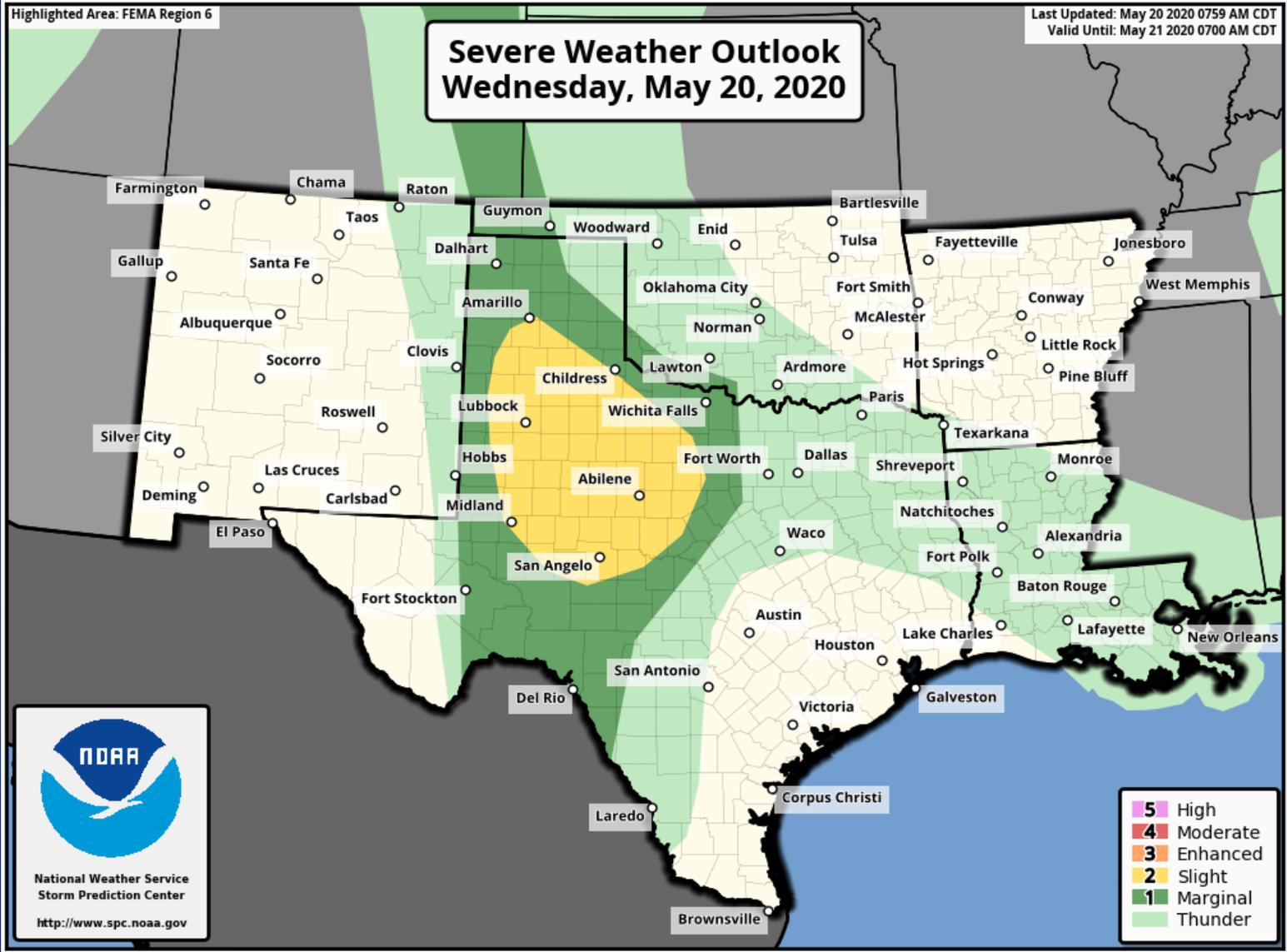
Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: May 20 2020 0759 AM CDT
Valid Until: May 21 2020 0700 AM CDT

Severe Weather Outlook Wednesday, May 20, 2020



- 5 High
- 4 Moderate
- 3 Enhanced
- 2 Slight
- 1 Marginal
- Thunder

Hazardous Weather

Wednesday Storm Outlook

A Few Severe Storms Possible

Weather Forecast Office

Amarillo, TX

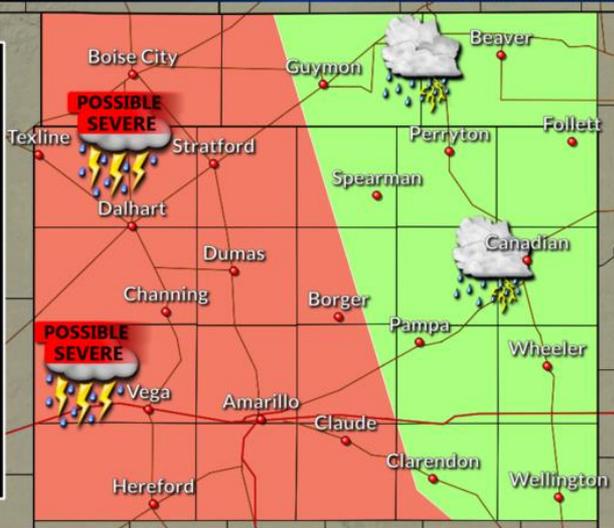
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- Another chance for thunderstorms today, with severe storms possible across the western two thirds of the Panhandles

- Severe thunderstorm hazards include:

-->Large hail
-->Damaging wind gusts



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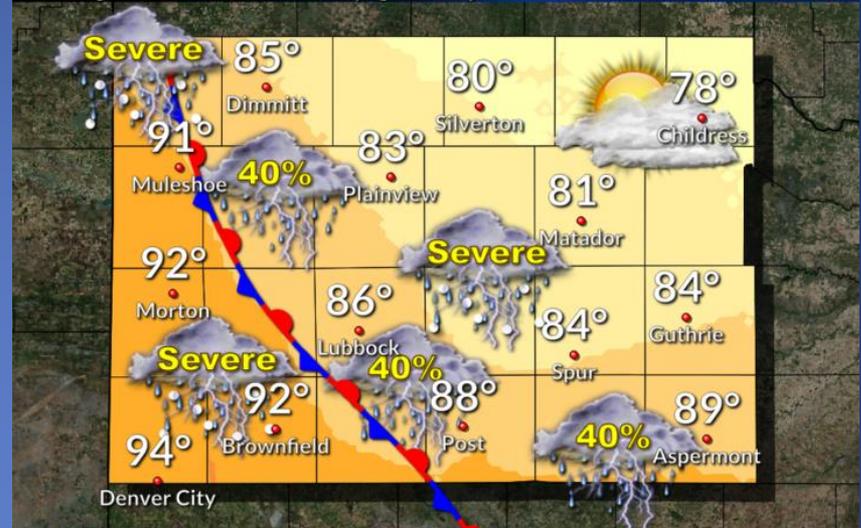
Not as Hot Today

with strong to severe thunderstorms developing later today

Weather Forecast Office

Lubbock, TX

Issued May 20, 2020 3:34 AM CDT



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Thunderstorms will be possible Wednesday late afternoon through the evening. Across the western two thirds of the Panhandles, some storms could be severe with large hail and strong winds being the main threat.

Today will not be as hot with highs ranging from the upper 70s in the extreme southeast Texas Panhandle, 80s for most areas, and to the lower to mid 90s over the western South Plains and extreme southwest Texas Panhandle. A stationary frontal boundary across the western South Plains will lead to a chance of strong or severe thunderstorms later today, with activity spreading east during the evening.

Hazardous Weather

Red Flag Warning

Critical Fire Conditions This Afternoon And Early Evening

Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX
Issued May 20, 2020 3:34 AM CT



A Red Flag Warning is in effect this afternoon and early evening for the Guadalupe and Delaware Mountains, and the adjacent plains. Very low humidities and dry fuels will create critical fire weather conditions. Outdoor fires are discouraged.

Severe Weather Outlook

Timing: Late This Afternoon & Tonight

Weather Forecast Office
San Angelo, TX
Issued May 20, 2020 2:04 AM CDT



Thunderstorms are expected to develop and move into the area later today and into tonight, with an increase in coverage. Some of the storms may be severe, and possible hazards include damaging winds, large hail and dangerous lightning. Stay tuned for the latest information.

Hazardous Weather

Severe Weather Outlook

Weather Forecast Office
Austin/San Antonio



Marginal Risk of Severe Storms for Western Counties

Issued May 20, 2020 1:40 AM CT



- Threats:**
- Isolated to strong storms possible
 - Hail and gusty winds are the main threats.
- Where:**
- Greatest risk in the green area (Rio Grande Plains and Edwards Plateau)
- When:**
- Late this afternoon and evening.

Threat Impact Levels:



THUNDERSTORMS (no label)	1 - MARGINAL (MRGL)	2 - SLIGHT (SLGT)
No severe* thunderstorms expected	Isolated severe thunderstorms possible	Scattered severe storms possible
Lightning/flooding threats exist with all thunderstorms	Limited in duration and/or coverage and/or intensity	Short-lived and/or not widespread, isolated intense storms possible

South-Central Texas
Threat Level:
Marginal to Slight

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Severe Storms Possible Wednesday

Weather Forecast Office
Norman, OK



Timing: 6PM to Midnight

Issued May 20, 2020 7:33 AM CDT



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Isolated storms will be possible late this afternoon and evening across the Edwards Plateau and Rio Grande. Some of these storms could be strong to marginally severe with hail and gusty winds the main threats.

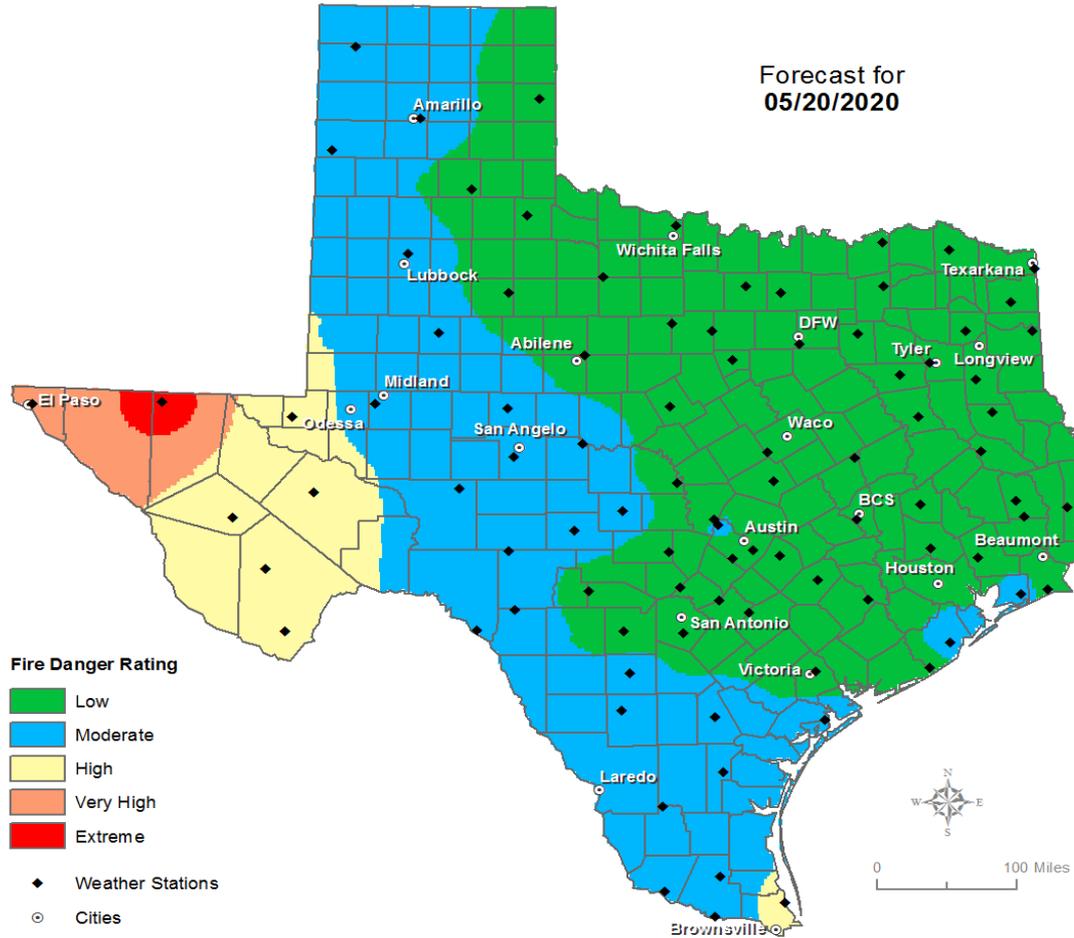
There is a marginal risk for severe thunderstorms this evening across portions of western north Texas. The timing would be from 6 pm till midnight, with up to quarter size hail and up to 60 mph wind gusts as the main hazards.

Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/19/20	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Armstrong, Castro, Crosby, Donley, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn and Swisher Counties
05/19/20	Flood Advisory	Castro County
05/20/20	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Childress County

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

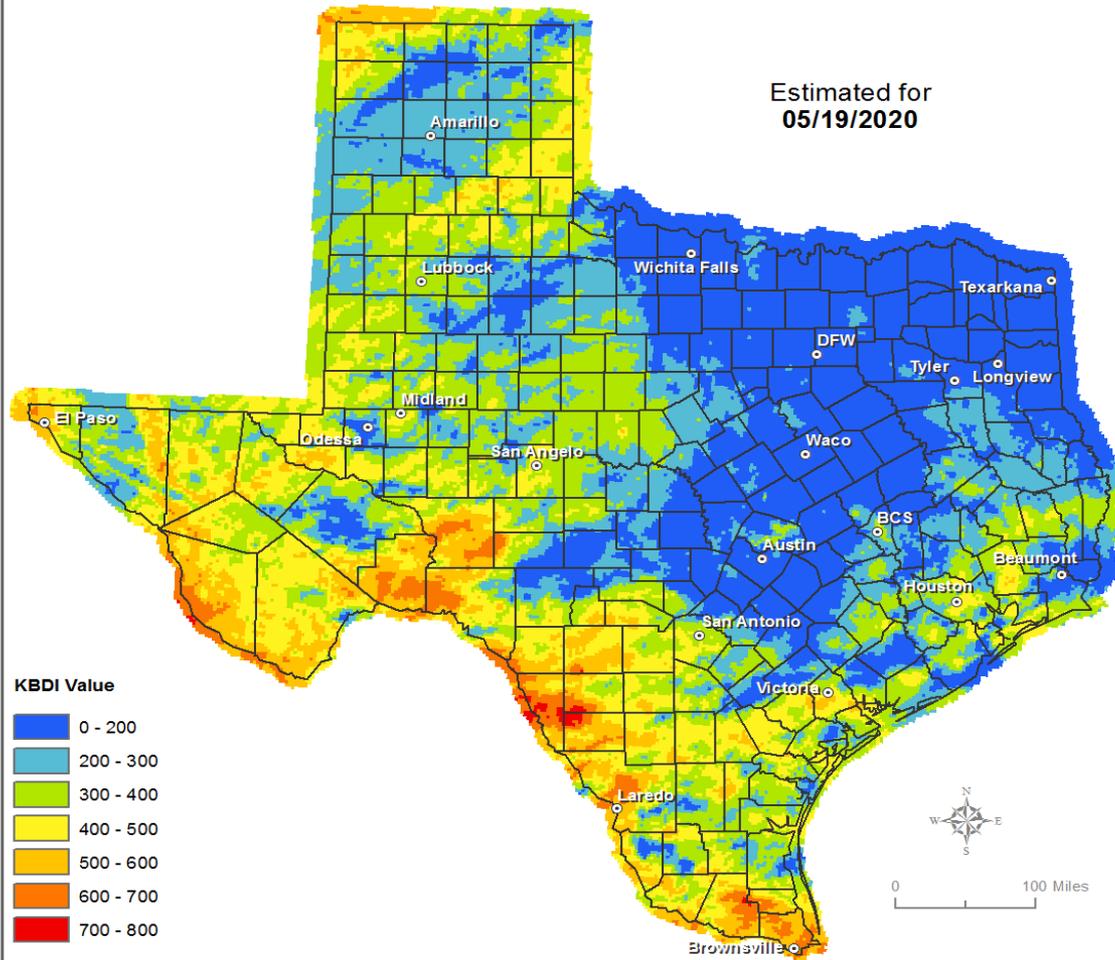


Keetch-Byram Drought Index

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
05/19/2020



Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/20/20	Red Flag Warning	Culberson County

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 118 (-1) fires and 38,748 (+8,217) acres destroyed this year. There are 74 (+1) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 35 (+3) counties with an average over 400.

