

SITUATIONAL AWARENESS

SUBJECT: Severe Weather Potential on Sunday

SITREP #: 2020-5.1

ISSUED: Friday, April 10, 2020 at 1330

OVERVIEW

There is an enhanced risk of severe weather on Sunday as a strong, low pressure system moves into the region. This will likely be a major severe weather outbreak across much of the southeastern United States. The Storm Prediction Center (SPC) has included the Atlanta region within the Enhanced Risk of severe weather on their Day 3 Outlook. The threat will include long-track tornadoes, severe winds, and large hail. Timing for the severe weather will be primarily overnight Sunday into early Monday morning. However, expect some thunderstorm activity Sunday morning associated with a warm front ahead of the main threat.

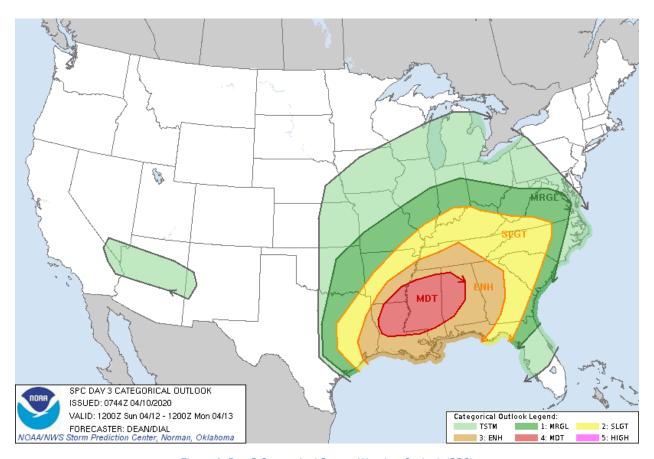


Figure 1: Day 3 Categorical Severe Weather Outlook (SPC)

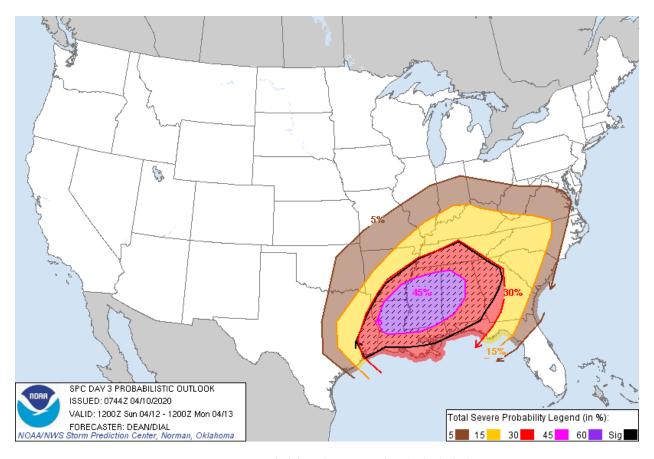


Figure 2: Day 3 Probabilistic Severe Weather Outlook (SPC)

PRIMARY HAZARDS

The primary hazards will be from tornadoes, damaging winds and hail.

TIMING

The main threat will be overnight Sunday into Monday AM.

NEXT STEPS

- The Georgia Tech Police Department Office of Emergency Management will continue to monitor the situation and provide updates as necessary.
- Follow the GT Office of Emergency Management on twitter @gtpdalerts.
- For the latest forecast information, please visit the National Weather Service at http://weather.gov/atlanta.