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ARKANSAS, East

Lawrence County

2 NW Jesup to
3 E Denton

05 2045CST
2105CST 11 40 0 0 100K Tornado (F1)

The tornado crossed into Lawrence County from Sharp County along Highway 115 moving east northeast. A farm 2.5 miles south of Smithville sustained heavy damage with 8 barns and other buildings destroyed. A home had roof and window damage at the same location. Numerous trees were uprooted or blown over. The tornado continued northeast and passed just south of Smithville. Barns and outbuildings were damaged/destroyed near Denton. Trees were blown down along Highway 117 east of Denton.

Lawrence County

Smithville

05 2055CST
2100CST 0 0 10K Hail(2.75)

Randolph County

Ingram to
Warm Spgs

05 2130CST
2135CST 0 0 5K Thunderstorm Wind

Several signs were blown down.

Randolph County

Ravenden Spgs

05 2237CST
2240CST 0 0 0.50K Hail(0.75)

Randolph County

6 W Pocahontas

05 2247CST
2250CST 0 0 5K Hail(1.75)

Poinsett County

Lepanto

06 0106CST
0110CST 0 0 1K Hail(1.00)

Randolph County

Pocahontas

06 0245CST
0250CST 0 0 0.01K Hail(0.75)

Randolph County

Pocahontas

15 0245CST
0250CST 0 0 0.01K Hail(0.75)

Lawrence County

3 SW Hoxie

24 2030CST
2035CST 0 0 10K Thunderstorm Wind

A mobile home and a tractor trailer was overturned.

Cross County

Cherry Vly

24 2045CST
2050CST 0 0 5K Thunderstorm Wind

Several trees were knocked down. One large tree fell on a house

Craighead County

Jonesboro

24 2050CST
2055CST 0 0 10K Thunderstorm Wind

A roof was blown off of a building.

Greene County

Walcott to
Paragould

24 2100CST
2115CST 0 0 50K Thunderstorm Wind (63)

A large portion of the roof to the Crowley's Ridge Academy in Paragould was blown off. Several other homes suffered roof damage. Some farm buildings and sheds were damaged as well. A cotton trailer was turned over and storage shed was blown on to the highway in Mounds. Numerous trees were blown down as well.

Poinsett County

Harrisburg

24 2100CST
2105CST 0 0 5K Thunderstorm Wind

A few trees and power lines were blown down.



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<u>ARKANSAS, East</u>									
Clay County									
Corning	24	2100CST 2105CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
A few trees were knocked down.									
Craighead County									
Bay	24	2100CST 2105CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees and power lines were blown down.									
Mississippi County									
Manila	24	2125CST 2130CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
A few power lines were blown down.									
St. Francis County									
Forrest City to Shell Lake	31	0000CST 0020CST			0	0	0.02K		Hail(0.75)
<u>MISSISSIPPI, North</u>									
Lee County									
Nettleton	05	2040CST 2045CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down along Highway 6.									
Lee County									
10 S Tupelo	05	2045CST 2050CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
A few trees were blown down along the Natchez Trace Parkway.									
Tishomingo County									
Tishomingo	05	2130CST 2135CST			0	0	30K		Thunderstorm Wind
A trailer was completely destroyed when it was picked up and moved several feet. Several other homes suffered minor damage.									
Coahoma County									
Coahoma	06	0355CST 0400CST			0	0	0.50K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several mailboxes were blown over.									
Coahoma County									
Roseacres	06	1555CST 1605CST			0	0	0.05K		Hail(0.75)
The bed of a pickup truck was filled with hail.									
Quitman County									
1 N Darling	06	1625CST 1630CST			0	0	0.10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several large tree limbs were blown down.									
Quitman County									
1 N Darling	06	1625CST 1630CST			0	0	0.05K		Hail(0.75)
Quitman County									
Sledge	06	1630CST 1635CST			0	0	0.05K		Hail(0.75)
Tallahatchie County									
Webb	06	1802CST 1805CST			0	0	1K		Hail(1.75)



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MISSISSIPPI, North

Tallahatchie County

10 S Charleston	06	1810CST 1815CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)
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Yalobusha County

Coffeerville	06	1830CST 1835CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)
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Pontotoc County

Troy	06	1900CST 1905CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several power lines were knocked down.

Chickasaw County

Okolona	06	1910CST 1915CST			0	0	0.10K		Hail(1.00)
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Calhoun County

Calhoun City	06	1912CST 1917CST			0	0	0.10K		Hail(1.00)
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Lee County

Baldwyn to Nettleton	06	1930CST 1955CST			0	0	0.06K		Hail(0.75)
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Dime size hail also fell at Hoka, Longview, Saultillo and Shannon.

Chickasaw County

3 S Okolona	06	1940CST 1945CST			0	0	0.10K		Thunderstorm Wind (51)
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Monroe County

Amory	06	1955CST 2000CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)
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Itawamba County

Tremont	06	2009CST 2014CST			0	0	0.10K		Hail(1.00)
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Itawamba County

5 NE Tremont	06	2015CST 2020CST			0	0	1K		Hail(1.75)
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Itawamba County

5 N Tremont	06	2015CST 2020CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Some windows were broken and several trees were blown down

Calhoun County

Calhoun City	13	2100CST 2105CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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The steeple to the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church was blown off its pedestal.

Lowndes County

2 E Artesia to Columbus	18	1539CST 1552CST			0	0	2.1K		Hail(1.75)
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MISSOURI, Lower

Dunklin County

Cardwell	24	2120CST 2125CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several power lines were blown down.

Pemiscot County

Hayti	24	2145CST 2150CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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TENNESSEE, West

Henry County

1 N Henry Co Arpt	06	0110CST 0120CST			0	0	30K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Numerous trees were uprooted just north of the Henry County Airport. Power lines were blown down, buildings were damaged and large antenna towers were toppled and destroyed. Two storage buildings and a barn were destroyed.

Obion County

Kenton	06	0113CST 0118CST			0	0	20K		Thunderstorm Wind
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A factory roof was partially blown off. Some trailers were moved off their blocks.

Tipton County

4 N Covington	06	0150CST 0155CST			0	0	20K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Three cement block buildings were destroyed/damaged along Highway 51 just south of the Hatchie river. Two of the buildings did not have roofs and were blown over. The larger building had the walls and roof collapse. Some minor damage occurred to nearby homes and trees.

Fayette County

3 S Oakland	06	0207CST 0210CST			0	0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (51)
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An anemometer reported an 58 mile per hour wind gust.

Fayette County

Somerville	06	0215CST 0220CST			0	0	20K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Fayette-Ware High School sustained substantial roof damage. Trees were blown down near the school and a small shed near the Vo-Tech school was destroyed. A semi-trailer was overturned and three overhead doors were blown in at business in the area. Some of the damage occurred in the Fayette County Industrial Park across the highway from the high school.

Hardeman County

5 W Bolivar	06	0225CST 0230CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several power lines were blown down.

Madison County

Jackson	06	0230CST 0235CST			0	0	0.50K		Hail(0.75)
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Mcnairy County

Adamsville	06	0240CST 0245CST			0	0	20K		Thunderstorm Wind
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A bank, a convenience store and a church sustained roof damage. Six homes suffered shingle damage. A fence at the city's tennis courts were twisted and bent. A tree were blown down as well.

Henderson County

Scotts Hill	06	0300CST 0305CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
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A tractor-trailer was blown over. Several trees and power lines were blown over as well

Hardin County

Burnt Church	06	1535CST 1540CST			0	0	1K		Hail(1.00)
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Madison County

Jackson	15	0500CST 0505CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)
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Hardeman County

Whiteville to 5 NE Toone	15	0630CST 0656CST			0	0	0.05K		Hail(1.00)
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<u>TENNESSEE, West</u>									
Chester County									
Henderson	15	1555CST 1600CST			0	0	0.05K		Hail(0.88)
Hardin County									
Morris Chapel to Cerro Gordo	15	1605CST 1615CST			0	0	0.10K		Hail(0.75)
Chester County									
3 S Montezuma	15	1700CST 1705CST			0	0	0.05K		Hail(0.88)
Mcnairy County									
Adamsville	15	1717CST 1722CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)
Hardin County									
Savannah	15	1740CST 1745CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)
Weakley County									
Sharon	16	1135CST 1140CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)
TNZ019									
	Dyer								
	18	1900CST 2200CST			0	0	5K		High Wind (35)
			A large metal sign for a motel was blown down.						
Shelby County									
Memphis	31	0100CST 0105CST			0	0	0.01K		Hail(0.75)