



What is a Tornado?



- A violently rotating column of air touching the ground
- Found usually at the base of a thunderstorm



TORNADOES IN THE USA

Our Pitch!

Thought Process

Exploring DATA to find what is important to our topic of Tornadoes.

Extracting the:
WHERE,
WHEN,
WHAT,
HOW.

Code and
Visualize
sections:
CHART,
MAP,
DISTRIBUTION

Testing EVERY step of coding.
Testing for EASE of USE along the way.

Being Happy with a Final Product for the END USER.



Tornadoes by the Numbers: Frequency, Type, and Impact

1950-2021

Tornado Count
68868

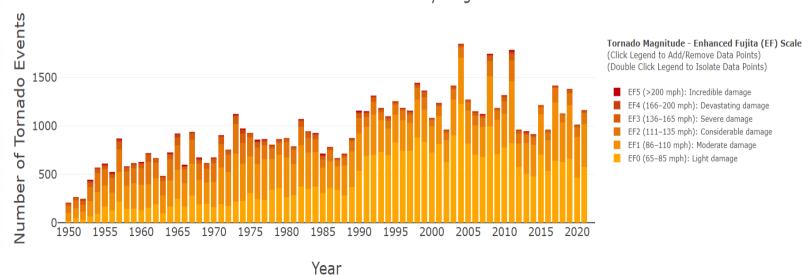
Tornado Fatalities

7230

Tornado Injuries

111107

Number of Tornado Events by Magnitude and Year

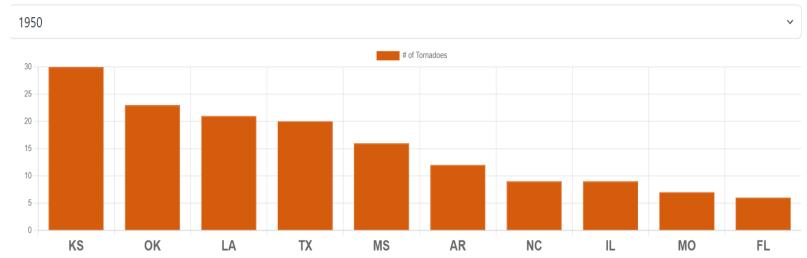


Most Active States for Tornadoes 1950 ☑ Tornadoes Phoenix Los Angeles Tornado EF Scale: EF0 (65–85 mph): Light damage EF1 (86–110 mph): Moderate damage ■ EF2 (111–135 mph): Considerable damage ■ EF3 (136–165 mph): Severe damage The Bahamas México ■ EF4 (166–200 mph): Devastating damage La Habana 💿 ■ EF5 (>200 mph): Incredible damage Ciudad de México Leaflet | © OpenStreetMap contributors República



Charting Distributions of States and Months

Top Tornado States By Year



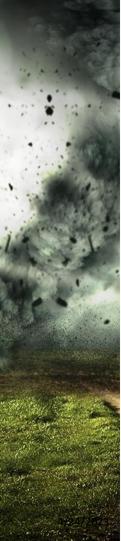
Monthly Distribution For US

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
9	21	23	15	61	28	23	13	3	2	4	4

Limitations

- Knowledge
- Approach
- Information availability





Conclusions and Connections

Average Person

Big Picture

- Planning a Vacation
- Buying a house

- Business Planning
- Public Safety and Emergency Response
- Urban Planning

