



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



December 1997

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons		Estimated Damage		Character of Storm
					Killed	Injured	Property	Crops	

MISSISSIPPI, Central

MSZ037>039-042>054 Attala - Winston - Noxubee - Yazoo - Madison - Leake - Neshoba - Kemper - Warren - Hinds - Rankin - Scott - Newton - Lauderdale - Claiborne - Copiah

14	0030CST 1400CST				0	0	50K		Heavy Snow
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Light to moderate snow began falling across central Mississippi around 12:30 AM and by the time it ended eight inches of snow was common across the area. This was one of the heavier snowfalls to occur in the Mississippi since 1929. The weight of the snow caused limbs of trees to break off, knocking down power lines and damaging a few roofs of houses

**Forrest County
Hattiesburg**

23	0645CST				0	0			Hail(1.75)
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