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ARKANSAS, Southeast

Ashley County

Hamburg	20	2330CST			0	0	3K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several power poles and lines were blown down.

Ashley County

Hamburg	26	1900CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
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LOUISIANA, Northeast

RichlandParish

Delhi	21	0040CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees and power lines were blown down. The roofing material of one house was blown off

FranklinParish

Wisner	21	0045CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Two trees were blown down.

CatahoulaParish

Harrisonburg	21	0120CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Numerous trees were blown down. One tree fell on a mobile home.

RichlandParish

Delhi	21	0130CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees and power lines were blown down.

ConcordiaParish

Ferriday	21	0132CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down.

RichlandParish

Delhi	26	1950CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
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East CarrollParish

Shelburn	26	2100CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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MISSISSIPPI, Central

MSZ072

Marion	13	0035CST			0	0	1K		High Wind (G40)
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Several trees were blown down.

MSZ062

Lincoln	13	0100CST			0	0	2K		High Wind (G40)
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Several trees were blown down throughout the county.

MSZ073

Lamar	13	0115CST			0	0	1K		High Wind (G40)
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A couple of trees were blown down in Sumrall.

MSZ074

Forrest	13	0200CST			0	0	1K		High Wind (G40)
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A couple of trees were blown down in Soso.

MSZ060

Adams	13	0210CST			0	0	2K		High Wind (G40)
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Several trees were blown down across the county.

Adams County

Natchez	21	0150CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down.



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Jefferson County									
Fayette	21	0200CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees were blown down across the county. Most of the trees were downed in Fayette									
Franklin County									
Meadville	21	0216CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G61)
Sunflower County									
Indianola	21	0220CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
A couple of trees were blown down and numerous large limbs were blown out of trees.									
Claiborne County									
Port Gibson	21	0220CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees were blown down.									
Warren County									
8 S Vicksburg	21	0222CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several power lines were blown down.									
Hinds County									
Raymond	21	0255CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Lincoln County									
Caseyville	21	0255CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G65)
Hinds County									
Clinton	21	0257CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G57)
Copiah County									
Barlow	21	0300CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees were blown down across the western part of the county.									
Yazoo County									
Yazoo City	21	0305CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees were blown down.									
Hinds County									
3 W Byram	21	0305CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down.									
Leflore County									
8 SW Greenwood	21	0310CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Part of the roof of a house was blown off.									
Hinds County									
Clinton	21	0310CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees were blown down.									
Hinds County									
3 S Byram	21	0310CST			0	0	30K		Thunderstorm Wind
The roof of one house was damaged. One mobile home was blown over. Two trailers were blown over. Numerous trees were blown down.									
Rankin County									
3 SW Sand Hill	21	0320CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Twenty five trees were blown down off of Grants Ferry Road.									
Rankin County									
Pearl	21	0330CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees and power lines were blown down along Highway 80 in Pearl. The highway had to be close while debris was removed.									
Rankin County									
4 N Brandon	21	0330CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G61)



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MISSISSIPPI, Central

Rankin County

Brandon	21	0330CST			0	0	20K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Numerous trees were blown down in the Crossgates subdivision of Brandon.

Rankin County

Richland	21	0330CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees and power lines were blown down.

Simpson County

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Several trees were blown down.

Holmes County

Lexington	21	0330CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down.

Madison County

Ridgeland	21	0330CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down.

Carroll County

Vaiden	21	0340CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Numerous large limbs were blown out of trees in Vaiden.

Scott County

1.5 NNW Lillian to 5.5 NNE Lillian	21	0355CST 0410CST	5	200	0	1	150K		Tornado (F2)
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Leake County

1 SW Walnut Grove to Walnut Grove	21	0410CST 0413CST	1	200	0	0	1.5M		Tornado (F2)
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The tornado touched down 2 miles southwest of the Midway community. As the tornado tracked northeast through the community of Midway, it destroyed three mobile homes and caused significant roof damage to two residences. In addition the Midway Community Center was nearly totally destroyed. Just to the northeast of Midway the tornado uprooted or snapped off 75 to 100 trees and a house was significantly damaged. Another older house was totally destroyed. The tornado continued to move northeast and it lifted in the town of Walnut Grove. Damage in Walnut Grove consisted of several houses having some roof damage and several large trees being uprooted. Just southwest of Walnut Grove, six chicken houses were destroyed. One injury was reported in the Midway community

Attala County

Kosciusko	21	0405CST			0	0	20K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down and a few roofs were damaged.

Leake County

Carthage	21	0410CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees and power lines were blown down.

Leake County

Lena	21	0410CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down.

Leake County

Carthage	21	0410CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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Montgomery County

5 SE Winona	21	0415CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down.

Montgomery County

3 N Winona	21	0415CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees and a power line was blown down.



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Webster County									
Eupora	21	0430CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down through the town of Eupora.									
Choctaw County									
5 SE Ackerman	21	0440CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down across Highway 15.									
Winston County									
3 NW Louisville	21	0440CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down along Highway 15									
Neshoba County									
Arlington	21	0445CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down.									
Neshoba County									
Philadelphia	21	0445CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down and the awnings were blown off a church.									
Noxubee County									
2 NW Brooksville	21	0500CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Part of a roof was torn off of a house.									
Oktibbeha County									
Starkville	21	0510CST			0	0	3K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees and road signs were blown down.									
Jefferson Davis County									
Carson	21	0545CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees and power lines were blown down.									
Marion County									
Columbia	21	0545CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees and power lines were blown down.									
Marion County									
Columbia	21	0600CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Numerous trees and power lines were blown down on Highway 135 and 35 south.									
Covington County									
Collins	21	0600CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
A couple of trees were blown down.									
Jasper County									
Stringer	21	0620CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down.									
Bolivar County									
Pace	26	2005CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G61)
The wind from this storm was so strong it actually knocked the spotter down.									
Warren County									
Vicksburg	26	2130CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
A few trees were blown down in Vicksburg.									
Claiborne County									
3 NE Port Gibson	28	1530CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees were blown down.									
Hinds County									
2 SW Edwards	28	1607CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
A barn was severely damaged.									



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MISSISSIPPI, Central

Hinds County

Brownsville	28	1630CST 1632CST	1	40	0	0	2K		Tornado (F0)
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This weak tornado blew down a couple of trees.

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Madison County

4 SW Flora to 3 WSW Flora	28	1640CST 1643CST	2	40	0	0	2K		Tornado (F0)
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Several trees were blown down..

Madison County

3 N Flora to 4 NNE Flora	28	1655CST 1657CST	1	40	0	0			Tornado (F0)
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This tornado was sighted by spotters and the only visible damage was one tree blown down

Yazoo County

2 W Scotland Fork to 2 NNW Scotland Fork	28	1715CST 1718CST	2	40	0	0	2K		Tornado (F0)
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A local television station filmed this weak tornado. The tornado blew down several trees.