



National Weather Service

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ALABAMA, Central

Pickens County

4 NW Aliceville	07	1611CST			0	0			Hail(1.25)
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Large hail up to the size of a half dollar fell between Aliceville and Pickensville.

Pickens County

15 E Aliceville to 17 E Aliceville	07	1700CST 1715CST			0	0			Hail(1.25)
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Dime to half dollar size hail was observed in extreme southeastern Pickens County near Benevola. The hail covered the ground and was still visible the next morning. Many trees and other foliage was damaged by the hail.

Tuscaloosa County

Tuscaloosa	07	1700CST 2000CST			0	0	70K		Lightning
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Numerous lightning strikes caused structure fires across the city. At one moment, all the city emergency vehicles were out responding to calls and volunteers were activated. Many trees were also damaged due to lightning strikes. No injuries were reported.

Greene County

5.8 SW Clinton	07	1716CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG55)
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Several trees were blown down near the Mount Hebron community in extreme western Greene County.

Tuscaloosa County

7 SW Northport	07	1720CST 1750CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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Dime to quarter size hail covered the ground in and around the Romulus community.

Greene County

Clinton	07	1742CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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Dime to quarter size hail fell in and around the city of Clinton

Sumter County

Panola to Warsaw	07	1757CST 1808CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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Dime to penny size hail was reported in extreme northern Sumter County from near Panola to near Warsaw.

Hale County

3 S Moundville	07	1820CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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Quarter size hail was reported between Havana and Moundville.

Dallas County

11 S Orrville to 13 NE Selma	07	1824CST 1914CST			0	0	16K		Hail(1.75)
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Dallas County

11 S Orrville to 13 NE Selma	07	1824CST 1914CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG60)
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Autauga County

Jones to 2 NE Billingsley	07	1914CST 1942CST			0	0	15K		Hail(1.75)
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Autauga County

Jones to	07	1914CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
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ALABAMA, Central

2 NE Billingsley		1942CST							
Chilton County									
9.7 SW Clanton to 5 SE Clanton	07	1942CST 2009CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
<p>A left moving supercell crossed Dallas, Autauga, and Chilton counties moving northeast, while other storms were moving east southeast. The storm produced hail up to golf ball size along most of its path. In Dallas and Autauga Counties, several trees were also blown down during the storm and one shed had its roof torn off. Hail and or wind were reported at Dannelly Reservoir, Safford, Orrville, eastern Selma, Jones, and around Billingsley. The storm significantly weakened as it entered southern Chilton County, but still produced dime to penny size hail until it dissipated in eastern Chilton County.</p>									
Hale County									
13 NE Greensboro to 14 NE Greensboro	07	1835CST 1845CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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13 NE Greensboro to 14 NE Greensboro	07	1835CST 1845CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
<p>Dime to penny size hail was reported in extreme eastern Hale County near the Watroak community. Several trees were also blown down along SR 25.</p>									
Bibb County									
Brent to Centreville	07	1910CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
<p>Penny size hail was observed in the Brent and Centreville areas. In some locations, the hail covered the ground</p>									
Autauga County									
Prattville	07	2204CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
<p>Penny size hail was reported near Prattville.</p>									
Autauga County									
Prattville	07	2223CST 2227CST			0	0	30K		Hail(1.75)
<p>Two thunderstorms merged over Prattville. The merger strengthened the thunderstorms and produced hail up to golf ball size in and around Prattville. A few homes sustained roof damage and several automobiles also suffered hail damage</p>									
Elmore County									
Millbrook	07	2228CST 2231CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
<p>Quarter size hail was observed from near Interstate 65 to near Millbrook</p>									
Montgomery County									
Montgomery to Mt Meigs	07	2254CST 2340CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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Montgomery to Mt Meigs	07	2254CST 2340CST			0	0	3K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
<p>A line of severe thunderstorms moved across northern Montgomery County. These storms produced hail up to the size of pennies along the path. Several trees were also blown down across northern Montgomery County associated with this storm.</p>									
Pike County									
2 S Troy	08	0847CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
<p>Quarter size hail was reported near Troy.</p>									



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Pike County

5 SE Troy 08 0858CST 0 0 3K Hail(1.25)
Half dollar size hail was observed by State Troopers along US 231 in southeastern Pike County.

Barbour County

5 SW Clio 08 0901CST 0 0 Hail(1.00)
Quarter size hail was reported in extreme southwestern Barbour County near the Doster community.

Sumter County

Panola 10 1600CST 0 0 Hail(0.75)
Penny size hail was observed near Panola and Warsaw.

Greene County

9 N Boligee to
2 NE Eutaw 10 1615CST
1635CST 0 0 30K Hail(2.50)

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2 NE Eutaw 10 1615CST
1635CST 0 0 200K 1.6M Thunderstorm Wind (EG75)

Hale County

3.9 NW Wedgeworth to
7.2 E Greensboro 10 1629CST
1707CST 0 0 30K Hail(2.50)

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3.9 NW Wedgeworth to
7.3 E Greensboro 10 1629CST
1707CST 0 0 150K 500K Thunderstorm Wind (EG75)

Perry County

9.8 NW Marion to
11 SE Marion 10 1707CST
1730CST 0 0 Hail(1.00)

Perry County

9.8 NW Marion to
11 SE Marion 10 1707CST
1730CST 0 0 150K Thunderstorm Wind (EG60)

A supercell thunderstorm moved across Greene, Hale, and Perry Counties and produced significant wind damage along with very large hail. The supercell produced minor tree damage in extreme northwest Greene County north of Boligee and then became stronger. The most extensive damage started just northeast of Eutaw, in Greene County, along US 11 and ended just north of the Wedgewood community, in Hale County, along SR 60. The swath of damage was 1.5 miles wide at the beginning point and 3 miles wide at the ending point. The path length was approximately 6.5 miles long. Inside this extensive damage area, thousands of trees were snapped off or uprooted, numerous power lines were snapped off or blown down, and many structures were damaged by falling trees. The storm continued across eastern Hale and into Perry County past Marion, where numerous trees continued to be knocked down. Very large hail also fell during the storm. The largest hail observed was 2.50 inches in diameter and drifted to over one foot deep in many places. The hail damaged a few homes and several automobiles. Some locations reporting hail and wind damage include Eutaw, Boligee, Sawyerville, Akron, Greensboro, and Marion.

Tuscaloosa County

2 E Vance 10 2328CST 0 0 Hail(0.75)
Penny size hail was reported near Vance. The hail briefly covered the ground.

Bibb County

6 N West Blocton 10 2332CST 0 0 Hail(0.75)
Penny size hail was observed in extreme northern Bibb County.



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ALABAMA, Central

Shelby County

Alabaster to Calera	10	2332CST 2342CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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Penny size hail was observed from Alabaster to Calera. The hail fell at the National Weather Service Office located at the Shelby County Airport for about 7 minutes. The hail briefly covered the sidewalks

Shelby County

Pelham to Alabaster	11	0150CST 0155CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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Dime to penny size hail fell from Pelham to Alabaster.

Barbour County

3 E Clio	12	2007CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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Quarter size hail fell just east of Clio.

Barbour County

4 S Clayton	12	2029CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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State Troopers reported quarter size hail along the storms path across southern Barbour County.

Russell County

Seale	12	2043CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
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A few trees were blown down around the city of Seale.

Russell County

15 E Hurtsboro	12	2047CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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Penny size hail was observed between Seale and Pittsview.

Russell County

Phenix City	12	2059CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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Dime to penny size hail was reported in the southwest part of Phenix City.

ALABAMA, North

Madison County

Madison	22	1725CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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Quarter size hail was reported along Capshaw road and Wall Triana Highway.

Madison County

Madison	22	1726CST 1727CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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An Off duty NWS employee reported penny size hail at the corner of Highway 72 and Hughes Road in Madison, Alabama.

Madison County

Madison	22	1727CST 1728CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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A trained spotter reported penny size hail near the intersection of Balch road and Capshaw in Madison, Alabama.

Madison County

Madison	22	1727CST 1732CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind (ES60)
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Thunderstorm winds damaged a roof at a strip mall. Several car windows were blown out from the debris. This damage occurred at the corner of Wall Triana highway and Pine Grove road in Madison, Alabama

Franklin County

6 NE Phil Campbell to 8 NE Phil Campbell	22	1748CST 1752CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (ES60)
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Local law enforcement reported two trees blown down by thunderstorm winds.



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ALABAMA, Southeast

Coffee County

Enterprise	08	1025EST 1030EST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (EG55)
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Numerous downed trees and power lines in Enterprise. The worst damage occurred around Main Street and on Glover Street. Some metal street signs were uprooted from their posts. Trees fell onto power lines which knocked out power to 800 homes and businesses. Reported by the Coffee County EMA and Enterprise Ledger.

Dale County

(Ozr)Ft Rucker Aaf	08	1039EST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (MG52)
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59-mph convective gust reported.

Henry County

Haleburg	08	1100EST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
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Nickel size hail reported by a SKYWARN storm spotter.

Houston County

1 W Dothan	08	1110EST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
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Nickel size hail on U.S. Highway 84 reported by the public.

Geneva County

Geneva	12	2030EST 2031EST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG55)
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A concrete bridge on Highway 167 was closed due to fallen debris. Downed trees and power lines on Highway 85. Reported by the Geneva County EMA.

Geneva County

Bellwood	12	2035EST 2037EST			0	0	100K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG55)
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Numerous downed trees and power lines. A house and vehicle at 156 Alexis Street suffered major damage due to a fallen tree. A few hundred customers were without power for a few hours. Reported by the Geneva County EMA.

Dale County

Daleville	12	2050EST 2052EST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
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Golfball size hail covering the ground. Dale County Sheriff report relayed by NWS WFO Birmingham.

Dale County

Ozark	12	2055EST 2057EST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
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Golfball size hail covering the ground. Dothan TV meteorologist report relayed by NWS WFO Mobile.

Dale County

Ozark	12	2055EST 2057EST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG55)
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Numerous downed trees and power lines. A sport utility vehicle was blown off the road. Many auto accidents due to fallen debris on roadways. Reported by the Dale County EMA.

ALABAMA, Southwest

Clarke County

Grove Hill	07	1715CST 1735CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
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Penny to nickel size hail fell near Grove Hill for about twenty minutes. Hail covered the ground up to six inches in depth in some areas. Hail was still visible the next morning along areas that were not exposed to the sun. Many residents said it looked like snow.



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ALABAMA, Southwest

Clarke County

Grove Hill	07	1720CST 1722CST			0	0	15K		Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
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In addition to a large amount of hail near Grove Hill, high winds from the thunderstorm blew down several trees and power lines. A couple of frame buildings also had some minor damage from the high winds. No injuries were reported.

Wilcox County

Camden	07	1810CST 1811CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
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Butler County

Chapman	08	0745CST 0746CST			0	0			Hail(0.88)
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Conecuh County

Evergreen	08	0750CST 0752CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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Covington County

South	08	0820CST 0822CST			0	0			Hail(1.50)
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Covington County

Gantt	08	0830CST 0832CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
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Butler County

Georgiana	12	1700CST 1702CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
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