



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



May 1997

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TEXAS, Mid - South

Kleberg County

Ricardo **03** **1500CST** **0** **0** **Flash Flood**
NWS employee and numerous public reports of several roadways and surrounding fields flooded

Webb County

Laredo **09** **0948CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
Official weather observation of 50 knot wind gust generated from a thunderstorm outflow boundary

Duval County

San Diego **09** **1110CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
Skywarn spotter report of several large trees uprooted by thunderstorm wind and torrential downpours

Jim Wells County

5 NE Alice **09** **1123CST** **0.1** **30** **0** **0** **Tornado (F0)**
Sheriff report of a tornado near highways 359 and 44.

Jim Wells County

Alice **09** **1130CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
Sheriff report of several large uprooted trees with numerous power lines downed.

Jim Wells County

Orange Grove **09** **1135CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
Public report of several large trees downed resulting in damage to homes.

Nueces County

Agua Dulce **09** **1210CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
Sheriff report of several large trees uprooted and structural damage to homes.

Nueces County

Robstown **09** **1215CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
Sheriff report of several large trees uprooted

Kleberg County

Kingsville **09** **1300CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
Emergency manager report of extensive damage to barns and farmhouses with several large trees uprooted

San Patricio County

Portland **09** **1300CST** **0** **0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G50)**
NWS spotter report of power poles downed with several large trees uprooted.

Nueces County

Corpus Christi **09** **1320CST** **0** **0** **Hail(0.75)**
Public report of dime sized hail.

Victoria County

Victoria **09** **1330CST** **0** **0** **Flash Flood**
NWS spotter report of flooded roadways with 4.9 inches of rain.

La Salle County

9 N Cotulla **15** **1645CST** **0** **0** **Hail(0.75)**

McMullen County

Tilden **15** **1820CST** **0** **0** **Hail(0.75)**

McMullen County

Tilden **15** **1835CST** **0** **0** **Hail(1.75)**
Spotter report of golfball sized hail resulting in numerous windows being shattered across town.

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TEXAS, Mid - South

Sheriff report of several large trees downed by strong thunderstorm wind gusts.

Live Oak County 4 E George West	15	1920CST			0	0			Funnel Cloud NWS skywarn spotter and sheriff report of a funnel cloud near Interstate highway 37
Live Oak County Three Rivers	15	1922CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Live Oak County Three Rivers	15	1922CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50) Reports of several large tree limbs downed by strong thunderstorm wind.
Live Oak County 10 E George West	15	1950CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50) Reports of several large tree limbs downed along highway 59.
Webb County Laredo	15	1958CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50) Spotter report of several branches downed across town due to strong thunderstorm wind.
Bee County 2 N Skidmore	15	2015CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G55) Sheriff report of debris covering highway 181 resulting from strong thunderstorm wind gusts.
San Patricio County 5 E Mathis	15	2015CST			0	0			Hail(0.75) NWS spotter report of dime sized hail.
Nueces County Corpus Christi	23	0826CST			0	0			Waterspout Police report of a waterspout over Corpus Christi Bay.
Nueces County Corpus Christi	23	0930CST 1000CST			0	0			Flash Flood Numerous reports from various agencies and persons of widespread flooding across the area with several roadways flooded
San Patricio County Gregory	23	1015CST			0	0			Flash Flood Police report of several roadways flooded.
Calhoun County Port Lavaca	23	1315CST			0	0			Flash Flood Sheriff report of several roadways flooded
Bee County Skidmore	23	1430CST			0	0			Funnel Cloud Sheriff report of several weak funnel clouds across the area.
Live Oak County Lagarto	23	1430CST			0	0			Funnel Cloud Sheriff and spotter reports of several weak funnel clouds across the area.
San Patricio County Mathis	23	1430CST			0	0			Funnel Cloud NWS spotter and public reports of several weak funnel clouds across the area.
Live Oak County Lagarto	23	1435CST 1450CST	0.1	30	0	0			Tornado (F0) NWS spotter report of three weak funnel clouds that frequently descended from the cloud base and reached the surface



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<u>TEXAS, Mid - South</u>									
Bee County									
7 N Skidmore	24	1915CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
			Spotter report of dime sized hail.						
La Salle County									
9 N Cotulla	27	1945CST 2010CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
			Sheriff report of golfball sized hail.						
McMullen County									
Tilden	27	2030CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
			Spotter report of numerous trees downed with several windows being shattered to local homes.						
Live Oak County									
Three Rivers	27	2040CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Bee County									
Beeville	27	2045CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
			Sheriff report of numerous trees and power lines downed by strong thunderstorm wind.						
La Salle County									
Artesia Wells	27	2050CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
			Sheriff report of golfball sized hail.						
Goliad County									
Ander	27	2100CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
			Spotter report of numerous large trees downed by thunderstorm wind gusts.						
Goliad County									
Weesatche	27	2100CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Webb County									
25 N Laredo	27	2100CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
			Border Patrol report of quarter sized hail.						
San Patricio County									
Mathis	27	2120CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
Duval County									
Realitos	27	2125CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
			Sheriff report of numerous power lines downed by thunderstorm wind.						
Jim Wells County									
Alice	27	2125CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
			Spotter report of large tree limbs downed by thunderstorm wind.						
Webb County									
Oilton	27	2215CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Refugio County									
7 N Bayside	28	1540CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
			Spotter report of golfball sized hail.						
Victoria County									
Inez	28	1631CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Victoria County									
5 NW Victoria	28	1635CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
			Spotter report of quarter sized hail.						
Goliad County									
Schroeder	28	1720CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Goliad County									
Goliad	28	1747CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
			Spotter report of quarter sized hail.						