



# National Weather Service

## Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



January 2004

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

<b>ILZ010-012&gt;014-022</b>	<b>Lee - Kane - Du Page - Cook - Will</b>				<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Heavy Snow</b>
	<b>04</b>	<b>0700CST</b>							
	<b>05</b>	<b>0700CST</b>							
	Heavy snow fell over north-central and northeast Illinois. Some snow reports include; 7 inches in Paw Paw (Lee County), 6.5 inches in Aurora (Kane County), 6.4 inches in Burbank (Cook County), 5.7 inches in Winfield (Du Page County), 5.6 inches at O'Hare Airport (Cook County) and 5.6 inches in Dixon (Lee County). There was 3 indirect deaths, a 76 year old man suffered a heart attack while shoveling his driveway in New Lenox (Will County) and 2 (18 and 19 years old) were killed in a weather related automobile accident near Glen Ellyn (Du Page County).								
<b>ILZ033</b>	<b>Iroquois</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>06</b>	<b>1400CST</b>							
	91 year old man found frozen to death in car in a ditch between Iroquois and Kankakee counties. No other cars involved								
	M91VE								
<b>ILZ014</b>	<b>Cook</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>06</b>	<b>1500CST</b>							
	An 82 year old woman was found dead in her mobile home. The furnace in her home was turned off. The low temperature the morning she was found was -3F. F82PH								
<b>ILZ012</b>	<b>Kane</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>07</b>	<b>1000CST</b>							
	Man, age estimated between 40-60 years, may have frozen to death. Body discovered at 10:25am near a bike path in Aurora. The low temperature the morning of 01/07/04 was 3F at Aurora/Sugar Grove airport. M500U								
<b>ILZ014</b>	<b>Cook</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>15</b>	<b>0700CST</b>							
	75 year old man found dead in his home in Oak Lawn, Cook County. Overnight low temperature was 13F. M75PH								
<b>ILZ014</b>	<b>Cook</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>18</b>	<b>0700CST</b>							
	52 year old man found dead under a bridge over North Branch of the Chicago River, Cook County. Overnight low temperature was 6F. M520U								
<b>ILZ014</b>	<b>Cook</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>19</b>	<b>1200CST</b>							
	47 year old man found dead in Portage Park, Cook County, due to hypothermia. Overnight low temperature was 3F. M470U								
<b>ILZ014</b>	<b>Cook</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>25</b>	<b>1200CST</b>							
	33 year-old man found dead in Bank One Plaza, Chicago, Cook County, due to hypothermia. Low temperature the morning of 01/25/04 was 13F. M330U								
<b>ILZ003&gt;006-008-010&gt;014-019&gt;023-032&gt;033-039</b>	<b>Winnebago - Boone - Mchenry - Lake - Ogle - Lee - De Kalb - Kane - Du Page - Cook - La Salle - Kendall - Grundy - Will - Kankakee - Livingston - Iroquois - Ford</b>				<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>29</b>	<b>1800CST</b>							
	<b>30</b>	<b>2300CST</b>							
	A cold arctic airmass with temperatures as low as -5F to -10F and winds of 10 to 15mph produced widespread wind chill readings from -20F to -34F.								
<b>ILZ014</b>	<b>Cook</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
	<b>31</b>	<b>0700CST</b>							
	86 year old woman found dead in home in Sauk Village, Cook County. House was not heated, although furnace was in working order. Pipes were frozen. Overnight low temperature was -6F. F86PH								



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	<b>31</b>	<b>0700CST</b>			<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
82 year old woman found dead in unheated mobile home in Hodgkins, Cook County. Overnight low temperature was -6F. F86PH									

### INDIANA, Northwest

<b>INZ001</b>	<b>Lake</b>								
	<b>04</b>	<b>0700CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Heavy Snow</b>
	<b>05</b>	<b>0700CST</b>							
Heavy snow fell over portions of northwestern Indiana. Some snowfall amounts include; 6.8 inches in Whiting and 5.5 inches in Highland (Lake County).									

<b>INZ001&gt;002-010&gt;011-019</b>	<b>Lake - Porter - Newton - Jasper - Benton</b>								
	<b>29</b>	<b>1800CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Extreme Cold/Wind Chill</b>
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