



# National Weather Service

## Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



August 2005

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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### HAWAII

**HIZ026**

**Kohala**

**01 1400HST**  
**06 1600HST**

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**Wildfire**

A brush fire that blackened 25,000 acres of mostly vacant land caused the evacuation of two-thirds of the residents of Waikoloa Village, about 1500 homes, in the South Kohala District on the Big Island of Hawaii from the 2nd until the 3rd of August. The blaze forced the closure of schools and roads for a time in the area as firefighters struggled to control the fire's advance. The smoke from the fire caused problems for some homes, but no residences or other buildings suffered physical damage. There were no serious injuries. How the fire started was unknown.

**Hawaii County**

**Honomu to  
Hilo**

**07 1225HST**  
**1516HST**

**0      0**

**Heavy Rain**

Heavy showers produced small stream and drainage ditch flooding, and ponding of roadways in windward sections of the Big Island of Hawaii. There were no reports of serious property damage or injuries.

**Hawaii County**

**Hawi to  
Volcano**

**08 1205HST**  
**1800HST**

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**Heavy Rain**

Heavy showers and isolated thunderstorms caused ponding of roadways, and small stream and drainage ditch flooding in northern, windward, and leeward areas of the Big Island of Hawaii. There were reports that coffee plants were damaged in lee sections of the isle, in and around Kealahou. However, no damage estimates were available. No significant injuries were reported.

**Hawaii County**

**Naalehu to  
Pahala**

**09 1705HST**  
**2007HST**

**0      0**

**Flash Flood**

Heavy showers in the Kau District on the Big Island of Hawaii caused county officials to close Highway 11, Hawaii Belt Road, for a couple of hours in the Kawa Flats area. Civil Defense reported 3 to 4 feet of water flowing across the highway. There were no reports of serious injuries or property damage, however.

**HIZ005>006-011**

**Oahu South Shore - Waianae Coast - Wainae Mountains**

**14 1330HST**  
**18 1500HST**

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**Wildfire**

A blaze that scorched 2850 acres of mainly brush threatened homes, and closed schools and roads for a time, in leeward parts of Oahu. Some residents in and around Nanakuli left their homes voluntarily because of thick smoke in some neighborhoods. No serious injuries or property damage were reported. The fire may have started as a result of arcing along power lines.

**Hawaii County**

**Kailua Kona to  
Kealahou**

**28 1159HST**  
**1500HST**

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**Heavy Rain**

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#### Hawaii County

<b>Waikoloa Village to Keauhou</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1639HST 1945HST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Heavy Rain</b>
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Heavy showers returned to the lee side of the Big Island of Hawaii, causing ponding of roadways, and small stream and drainage ditch flooding. No serious injuries or property damage were reported

#### Honolulu County

<b>Wahiawa to Waianae</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1252HST 1715HST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Heavy Rain</b>
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Heavy showers in central, western, and southwestern sections of Oahu caused ponding of roadways, and small stream and drainage ditch flooding. A small landslide was reported by Civil Defense across Farrington Highway, near Makua. However, there were no reports of serious property damage or injuries.