

# Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena

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<b>TEXAS, North</b>									
<b>Hunt County</b> Greenville	04	0006CST 0212CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Streets and intersections were flooded, with some streets closed, at 0212 CST. Several motorists were stranded by high water.									
<b>Dallas County</b> Garland	04	0015CST			1	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
A woman was swept away and drowned as she fled her stalled car, in Duck Creek, to move to higher ground. F?IW									
<b>Dallas County</b> Garland	04	0030CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
A high water rescue had to be performed for two persons trapped in a creek.									
<b>Collin County</b> Central Portion	04	0100CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Highway 380 was closed due to high water.									
<b>Collin County</b> 1 S Nevada	04	0100CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
A car was submerged by high water on County Road 590 south of Nevada.									
<b>Rockwall County</b> Countywide	04	0130CST 0400CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Numerous county roads were flooded.									
<b>Delta County</b> Cooper	04	0136CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
City streets in Cooper, and in the western part of Delta County, were flooded.									
<b>Van Zandt County</b> 2 N Phalba	04	0440CST			0	0	10K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind</b>
A mobile home was unroofed and an 18 wheeler was blown over by high thunderstorm winds.									
<b>Johnson County</b> Venus	04	0520CST			0	0	20K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind</b>
Strong thunderstorm winds damaged 3 mobile homes, 2 barns, and a recreational vehicle.									
<b>Van Zandt County</b> Countywide	04	0822CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Numerous county roads were flooded.									
<b>Kaufman County</b> Countywide	04	0845CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Numerous county roads were flooded.									
<b>Hunt County</b> 6 S Greenville	04	1330CST 1350CST			0	0	15K		<b>Flash Flood</b>
Motorists were stranded by high water on Highway 34. A car and two pickup trucks were swept off Farm Market 1903 near Interstate 30.									
<b>Wise County</b> Newark	06	1040CST			0	0			<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
<b>Denton County</b> Krum	06	1100CST			0	0			<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G59)</b>
<b>Wise County</b> 1 E Decatur	07	1120CST			0	0			<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G52)</b>
<b>Ellis County</b> Red Oak	07	1520CST			0	0			<b>Flash Flood</b>
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<b>Ellis County Waxahachie</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>1520CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Numerous streets were flooded.									
<b>Ellis County Countywide</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>1531CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Parts of Interstate 35 were flooded.									
<b>Ellis County Countywide</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1306CST 2125CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Five county roads were closed between Maypearl and Midlothian.									
<b>Hill County 2 SW Covington to 2 S Covington</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1306CST 2130CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Thunderstorm rains caused county roads to be closed due to high water.									
<b>Johnson County Countywide</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1510CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Four county roads were closed due to high water from thunderstorm rains.									
<b>Ellis County Countywide</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1730CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Additional county roads were flooded and closed from thunderstorm rains.									
<b>Hunt County Quinlan</b>	<b>10 11</b>	<b>1914CST 0230CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Numerous county roads were closed, west of Quinlan, due to heavy rains.									
<b>Johnson County Mansfield</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2128CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Flash Flood</b>
Several county roads near Mansfield were closed due to high water from thunderstorm rains.									
<b>TXZ091&gt;095-098&gt;107- 115&gt;123-129&gt;135- 141&gt;148-156&gt;162- 174&gt;175</b>	<b>22 24</b>	<b>0000CST 2359CST</b>			<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>			<b>Ice Storm</b>
A strong arctic cold front moved through North Texas on the 21st, bringing freezing temperatures to all of North Texas by the morning of the 22nd. Southwest winds aloft produced overrunning conditions, resulting in cloudy skies and a mixture of freezing rain, sleet, and snow. The precipitation began in the western part of North Texas and spread eastward covering the entire area by the 23rd.									
At various times, all North Texas counties had icy streets, bridges, overpasses, and highways. The ice caused at least 2,000 accidents, mainly in the Dallas/Fort Worth metropolitan area, killing six persons, closing many highways, and cancelling over 400 flights at the Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport. Two homeless persons died of hypothermia, and dozens of people were injured from falling on the ice.									
December 22nd - A homeless male, age 56, died of hypothermia in Dallas.									
December 22nd - A vehicle ran off the ice covered road and sideswiped a tree, killing the driver, north of Sunset in Montague County. The driver was as male, age 44.									
December 23rd - A homeless male, age unknown, died of hypothermia in Ft. Worth.									
December 23rd - A car slid into a male pedestrian, age 55, killing the the pedestrian in Irving.									
December 23rd - A car slid into a signpost, killing the male driver, age 33, in Duncanville.									
December 23rd - An 18 wheeler slid into a car, killing the cars driver, in Grandview (Johnson Co.). The age of the male is unknown. M56OU, M?OU, M55OU, M33OU, M?VE, M44VE									