Despite periodic thunderstorms this month, the long drought continued across the extreme southern Texas Panhandle, the South Plains, and the Low Rolling Plains. The very dry weather adversely impacted the early cotton crop that dominates this area.

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### Texas, South Panhandle

- **Swisher County**
  - Tulia
  - Hail (0.75) at 0000 CST

- **Yoakum County**
  - Plains
  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Lubbock County**
  - 13 SE Lubbock Intl Arpt
  - Hail (1.50) at 0000 CST

- **Lubbock County**
  - Posey
  - Tornado (F0) at 0000 CST

- **Hockley County**
  - 5 NW Pettit
  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Lubbock County**
  - Posey
  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Yoakum County**
  - 3 N Denver City
  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Yoakum County**
  - 1 E Denver City
  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Crosby County**
  - Ralls
  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Crosby County**
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  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Yoakum County**
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- **Crosby County**
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  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

- **Bailey County**
  - Bula
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- **Lamb County**
  - 14 SSW Sudan
  - Hail (1.75) at 0000 CST

Severe storms affected most counties across the western and central Texas South Plains during the evening of the 2nd. One brief, weak tornado was reported by spotters in southeast Lubbock County at Posey. There were numerous reports of up to golfball-size hail, which caused scattered property damage and crop damage. However, much larger hail (up to grapefruit-size!) fell in and near Denver City. Extensive damage occurred to hundreds of vehicles and buildings. One female was injured by the large hail as she rushed toward a tornado shelter. She suffered a gash on her head.

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The public reported dime-size hail in Happy on the morning of the 3rd. Later that evening, golfball-size hail fell east of Afton in
TEXAS, South Panhandle

Dickens County and golfball-size hail covered the ground 6 miles east of Roaring Springs in Motley County. No damages were reported.

Dickens County
4 E Afton
03 1920CST 1923CST
Dickens County
Hail (1.75)

Lynn County
9 ENE Wilson
03 2130CST 2131CST
Lynn County
Thunderstorm Wind (G55)

A NWS cooperative observer reported a gust to 55 knots and a tree was uprooted about 9 miles east-northeast of Wilson in northeast Lynn County at 2130 CST.

Hall County
Memphis
04 2010CST 2013CST
Hall County
Thunderstorm Wind

Childress County
Carey
04 2030CST 2032CST
Childress County
Thunderstorm Wind

Hall County
Turkey
04 2058CST 2100CST
Hall County
Hail (1.75)

Motley County
Flomot
04 2108CST 2113CST
Motley County
Hail (1.75)

Motley County
5 N Matador
04 2130CST 2135CST
Motley County
Hail (0.88)

High winds uprooted a few trees, blew down fences, and heavily damaged one structure in Memphis. The public reported large tree limbs blown down at Carey in Childress County, and up to golfball-size hail at Turkey in Hall County. Large hail was also reported in Flomot and north of Matador, though apparently no damage resulted.

Garza County
1 E Post
07 0130CST 0132CST
Garza County
Hail (1.75)

The Garza County Sheriffs Office reported golfball-size hail near Post at 0130 CST.

Stonewall County
16 NE Aspermont
11 1735CST 1740CST
Stonewall County
Thunderstorm Wind

The Aspermont Fire Department spotters reported high winds that downed many large tree limbs in extreme northeast Stonewall County.

Hale County
5 E Plainview
11 1830CST 1835CST
Hale County
Hail (2.75)

Swisher County
10 SE Tulia
11 1835CST 1838CST
Swisher County
Hail (1.50)

Floyd County
Aiken
11 1835CST 1838CST
Floyd County
Hail (2.50)

Hale County
8 SE Plainview
11 1842CST 1845CST
Hale County
Hail (1.75)

Hale County
4 E Plainview
11 1846CST 1850CST
Hale County
Hail (2.75)
TEXAS, South Panhandle

Swisher County
- 4 SE Tulia: Date 11, Time 1846 CST to 1850 CST, Path Length 0.88, Path Width 0
- 6 S Tulia: Date 11, Time 1910 CST to 1913 CST, Path Length 0.75, Path Width 0
- Kress: Date 11, Time 1912 CST to 1915 CST, Path Length 0.75, Path Width 0

Hail: 0.88

Swisher County
- 5 S Tulia: Date 11, Time 1927 CST to 1930 CST, Path Length 1.75, Path Width 0

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Hale County
- 6 W Plainview: Date 11, Time 1950 CST to 1955 CST, Path Length 1.75, Path Width 0

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Lubbock County
- 5 NE New Deal: Date 11, Time 2025 CST to 2030 CST, Path Length 1.75, Path Width 10K

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Lubbock County
- Idalou: Date 11, Time 2051 CST to 2055 CST, Path Length 1.50, Path Width 0

Hail: 1.50

Lubbock County
- 5 SE Lubbock Intl Arpt: Date 11, Time 2056 CST to 2100 CST, Path Length 2.75, Path Width 0

Hail: 2.75

Hale County
- 6 S Hale Center: Date 11, Time 2105 CST to 2110 CST, Path Length 1.75, Path Width 20K

Hail: 1.75

Lamb County
- 2 N Springlake: Date 11, Time 2128 CST to 2130 CST, Path Length 1.00, Path Width 5K

Thunderstorm Wind

Lamb County
- 7 SE Lubbock: Date 13, Time 1615 CST to 1620 CST, Path Length 1.00, Path Width 100K

Dry Microburst

Lamb County
- 10 NE Sudan: Date 14, Time 1445 CST to 1600 CST, Path Length 1.00, Path Width 0

Flash Flood

Hockley County
- Pettit: Date 16, Time 1600 CST to 1605 CST, Path Length 20K

Hail: 1.75

Hockley County
- Pettit: Date 16, Time 1614 CST to 1618 CST, Path Length 5K

Thunderstorm Wind

Childress County
- (Cds)Childress Arpt: Date 16, Time 2030 CST to 2035 CST, Path Length 0

Thunderstorm Wind (G66)
The Hockley County Sheriff's Office reported golfball-size hail in Pettit, as well as high winds which blew the roof off of a barn. At the Childress airport, a wind gust to 66 knots (76 mph) was recorded.

Strong winds swept across Childress, crushing a porch, tearing a roof from a building, and tearing limbs from trees. The sheriff's office reported golfball-size hail in Quitaque. The King County Sheriff's Office reported dime- and golfball-size hail in the northern part of the county.

The Floyd County Sheriff's Office reported wind damage in the western part of the county near Lockney, including a roof blown off a trailer home and several telephone poles blown down.