

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - April 2012

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
GULF OF MEXICO				
HIGH IS TO FREEPORT TX OUT 20NM COUNTY --- 1.2 NW SOUTH JETTY [29.34, -94.71]				
	04/04/12 08:17 CST		0	Marine Thunderstorm Wind (MG 34 kt)
	04/04/12 08:17 CST		0	Source: Buoy
Measured gust reported by PORTS buoy.				
Isolated, well organized thunderstorms that developed along a quasi-stationary boundary just inland moved across the coastal waters producing strong winds.				
MATAGORDA BAY COUNTY --- 0.9 SE PALACIOS [28.71, -96.24]				
	04/20/12 14:58 CST		0	Marine Thunderstorm Wind (MG 35 kt)
	04/20/12 14:58 CST		0	Source: ASOS
Wind gust measured at Palacios Airport.				
MATAGORDA BAY COUNTY --- PORT O'CONNOR [28.43, -96.43]				
	04/20/12 15:18 CST		0	Marine Thunderstorm Wind (MG 47 kt)
	04/20/12 15:20 CST		0	Source: ASOS
Wind gust measured at Port O'Connor ASOS.				
HIGH IS TO FREEPORT TX OUT 20NM COUNTY --- 5.2 WNW SAN LUIS PASS [29.10, -95.10]				
	04/20/12 15:36 CST		0	Marine Thunderstorm Wind (MG 39 kt)
	04/20/12 15:38 CST		0	Source: Buoy
Measured wind gust near San Luis Pass.				
HIGH IS TO FREEPORT TX OUT 20NM COUNTY --- NORTH JETTY [29.37, -94.73]				
	04/20/12 15:54 CST		0	Marine Thunderstorm Wind (MG 38 kt)
	04/20/12 15:56 CST		0	Source: Buoy
Wind gust measured by PORTS buoy near North Jetty.				
HIGH IS TO FREEPORT TX OUT 20NM COUNTY --- 7.6 SW HIGH IS [29.51, -94.50]				
	04/20/12 16:12 CST		0	Marine Thunderstorm Wind (MG 50 kt)
	04/20/12 16:20 CST		0	Source: Buoy
Wind gusts of 47 to 57 MPH measured at Rollover Pass.				
HIGH IS TO FREEPORT TX OUT 20NM COUNTY --- BUOY 42035 [29.23, -94.40]				
	04/20/12 16:50 CST		0	Marine Thunderstorm Wind (MG 37 kt)
	04/20/12 16:50 CST		0	Source: Buoy
Measured wind gust at Buoy 42035.				
A line of strong thunderstorms formed over the southern half of southeast Texas before moving into the offshore waters.				
TEXAS, Central Southeast				
WHARTON COUNTY --- 3.9 E HUNGERFORD [29.41, -96.02]				
	04/02/12 05:35 CST		30K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 61 kt)
	04/02/12 05:35 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
A trailer home and shed were destroyed near the intersection of County Road 216 and County Road 225.				
LIBERTY COUNTY --- 1.4 S LIBERTY [30.05, -94.80]				

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	04/02/12 12:35 CST		2K	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/02/12 12:42 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement

Dime and quarter sized hail fell at the Liberty County Sheriff's Office for approximately 7 minutes.

HARRIS COUNTY --- 1.7 SE (IAH)HOUSTON INTL AR [29.96, -95.33]

04/02/12 14:20 CST	3K	Hail (1.00 in)
04/02/12 14:20 CST	0	Source: NWS Employee

Quarter sized hail reported at FAA Air Route Traffic Control Center by CWSU employee.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY --- 0.1 NE EGYPT [30.22, -95.57]

04/02/12 14:59 CST	2K	Hail (1.00 in)
04/02/12 14:59 CST	0	Source: Law Enforcement

Quarter sized hail reported at the intersection of FM 1488 and FM 2978 near The Woodlands.

Scattered showers and thunderstorms formed due to a weak upper level disturbance with some isolated severe weather.

TRINITY COUNTY --- 4.9 NE GROVETON [31.13, -95.10]

04/03/12 23:48 CST	0	Hail (1.00 in)
04/03/12 23:48 CST	1K	Source: Law Enforcement

Quarter sized hail reported on Highway 94 between Groveton and Apple Springs.

POLK COUNTY --- 1.2 SSW NEW HOPE [30.59, -94.98]

04/04/12 01:52 CST	1K	Hail (1.00 in)
04/04/12 01:52 CST	0	Source: Amateur Radio

Quarter sized hail reported southwest of Goodrich.

POLK COUNTY --- 2.4 E PROVIDENCE CAMP [30.67, -94.86]

04/04/12 02:10 CST	1K	Hail (1.00 in)
04/04/12 02:14 CST	1K	Source: Law Enforcement

Dime sized hail increased to quarter sized for a few minutes along Providence Road to the southeast of Livingston.

FORT BEND COUNTY --- 0.9 NW FRESNO [29.54, -95.46]

04/04/12 11:05 CST	1K	Hail (1.00 in)
04/04/12 11:05 CST	0	Source: Public

Quarter sized hail reported in Fresno.

BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 0.8 SSW PEARLAND [29.56, -95.29]

04/04/12 11:33 CST	2K	Hail (1.50 in)
04/04/12 11:33 CST	0	Source: Broadcast Media

Quarter sized hail with a few golfballs mixed in reported to local media.

GALVESTON COUNTY --- 4.1 WNW LEAGUE CITY S S ARPT [29.51, -95.19]

04/04/12 11:33 CST	2K	Hail (1.00 in)
04/04/12 11:33 CST	0	Source: NWS Employee

Quarter sized hail reported near the intersection of FM 518 and FM 528.

BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 0.4 ENE ALVIN [29.42, -95.24]

04/04/12 11:35 CST	1K	Hail (1.00 in)
04/04/12 11:35 CST	0	Source: Public

Quarter sized hail reported in Alvin.

BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 1.5 S ALVIN ARPK [29.40, -95.28]

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	04/04/12 11:38 CST		5K	Hail (2.75 in)
	04/04/12 11:38 CST		0	Source: Public
Baseball sized hail reported along Community Drive in Alvin.				
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BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 0.7 N ALVIN [29.43, -95.25]				
	04/04/12 11:39 CST		4K	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/04/12 11:39 CST		0	Source: Public
Golfball sized hail reported at a gas station in Alvin.				
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BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 1.8 SSE ALVIN [29.39, -95.24]				
	04/04/12 11:41 CST		4K	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/04/12 11:41 CST		0	Source: NWS Employee
Golfball sized hail reported at Alvin Community College.				
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BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 1.0 ENE LAKE JACKSON ARPT [29.03, -95.43]				
	04/04/12 13:55 CST		1K	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/04/12 13:55 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Quarter sized hail reported in Lake Jackson.				
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BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 0.9 SE BRAZORIA [29.04, -95.57]				
	04/04/12 14:18 CST		1K	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/04/12 14:18 CST		0	Source: Broadcast Media
Golfball sized hail reported by television viewers in Brazoria.				
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MATAGORDA COUNTY --- 1.1 W BAY CITY [28.98, -95.97]				
	04/04/12 14:46 CST		1K	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/04/12 14:46 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Dime to quarter sized hail reported in Bay City.				
A stalled surface boundary served as a focus for the development of several well organized and severe thunderstorms that produced large hail across areas south and southwest of Houston.				
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MATAGORDA COUNTY --- 2.3 ENE GULF HILLS [28.78, -95.86], 2.0 NNE CULVER [28.94, -95.91], 2.5 SE BLESSING [28.85, -96.19], 4.1 S COLLEGEPORT [28.66, -96.17]				
	04/16/12 11:06 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/16/12 12:15 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Minor flooding reported by Sheriff's Deputy along FM 2853 between Tidewater subdivision and Palacios.				
A nearly stationary thunderstorm produced flash flooding across Matagorda County to the southwest of Houston.				
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HOUSTON COUNTY --- 0.9 SW ARBOR [31.29, -95.29]				
	04/20/12 09:35 CST		2K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 56 kt)
	04/20/12 09:35 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Trees blown down in Arbor.				
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WALKER COUNTY --- 1.2 ENE CRABBS PRAIRIE [30.75, -95.65]				
	04/20/12 14:00 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/20/12 14:00 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Quarter sized hail reported.				
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HARRIS COUNTY --- 0.4 NW JERSEY VILLAGE [29.88, -95.58]				
	04/20/12 14:30 CST		5K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 65 kt)
	04/20/12 14:30 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

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Two power poles downed along Highway 290 along with numerous trees.				
HARRIS COUNTY --- 1.0 WNW BELLAIRE JCT [29.73, -95.46]				
	04/20/12 14:35 CST		2K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 61 kt)
	04/20/12 14:45 CST		0	Source: NWS Employee
Large tree limbs downed just east of the Galleria with measured wind gusts to 58 mph recorded just to the south near the intersection of Bellaire Boulevard and Chimney Rock.				
HARRIS COUNTY --- 3.0 N HOUSTON HGTS [29.79, -95.40]				
	04/20/12 14:35 CST		2K	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/20/12 14:45 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Quarter sized hail reported in the Houston Heights with wind gusts estimated to 60 mph.				
BRAZORIA COUNTY --- 1.1 NE DAMON [29.29, -95.74]				
	04/20/12 14:39 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/20/12 14:39 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Quarter sized hail reported.				
LIBERTY COUNTY --- 1.4 S LIBERTY [30.05, -94.80]				
	04/20/12 14:45 CST		5K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 61 kt)
	04/20/12 14:50 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Numerous trees downed across the western portion of the county.				
GALVESTON COUNTY --- 0.4 WNW HITCHCOCK [29.35, -95.03]				
	04/20/12 15:30 CST		2K	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/20/12 15:32 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Quarter sized hail reported along Highway 6 from the intersection with FM 2004 east to the fire and police stations in Hitchcock.				
GALVESTON COUNTY --- 0.3 SSE LA MARQUE [29.37, -94.97]				
	04/20/12 15:32 CST		3K	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/20/12 15:32 CST		0	Source: Utility Company
Golfball sized hail reported at the public works department building.				
GALVESTON COUNTY --- 0.4 NNW (GLS)SCHOLES FLD GAL [29.28, -94.85]				
	04/20/12 15:45 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 68 kt)
	04/20/12 15:45 CST		0	Source: Broadcast Media
A wind gust of 78 mph was recorded at Moody Gardens.				
GALVESTON COUNTY --- 1.2 W LA MARQUE [29.37, -94.99]				
	04/20/12 15:55 CST		5K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 61 kt)
	04/20/12 15:55 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Windshields damaged and power outages caused in La Marque.				
A series of strong thunderstorms moved across the southern half of southeast Texas producing widespread reports of hail and wind damage.				