

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - January 2011

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
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ILLINOIS, Northeast

(IL-Z013) DU PAGE

01/01/11 00:00 CST	1	0	Cold/Wind Chill
01/01/11 12:00 CST		0	

Direct Fatalities: M65OU

A 65 year old man died of hypothermia outside his home in Bartlett in Dupage County after being dropped off by taxi-cab. He apparently fractured his humerus after a fall due to alcohol intoxication.

(IL-Z014) COOK

01/16/11 00:00 CST	1	0	Cold/Wind Chill
01/16/11 12:00 CST		0	

Direct Fatalities: M82PH

An 82 year old male died from cold exposure in Elmwood Park in Cook County on January 16th. Low temperatures were in the single digits.

(IL-Z014) COOK, (IL-Z033) IROQUOIS

01/21/11 18:00 CST	2	0	Cold/Wind Chill
01/24/11 12:00 CST		0	

Direct Fatalities: M47OU, M80PH

Very cold temperatures persisted from the evening of January 20th through morning of January 24th. The coldest morning was January 21st when many locations measured low temperatures in the single digits below zero. A 47 year old man in Gilman in Iroquois County died from cold exposure. Low temperatures were in the single digits. An 80 year old male died from cold exposure in Chicago on January 24th when low temperatures were in the teens.

INDIANA, Northwest

(IN-Z002) PORTER

01/08/11 14:30 CST	0	Lake-Effect Snow
01/08/11 19:00 CST	0	

Lake effect snow developed over portions of Porter County during the afternoon of January 8th. A spotter four miles east of Chesterton reported a storm total of 6 inches with a snowfall rate of 1.5 inches per hour between 250 pm CST and 450 pm CST.

(IN-Z002) PORTER

01/11/11 06:00 CST	0	Lake-Effect Snow
01/12/11 11:00 CST	0	

A winter storm moved across northwest Indiana during the morning and afternoon of January 11th. As this storm moved east by that evening, lake effect snow developed across parts of northwest Indiana. The lake effect snow continued through much of the morning hours of January 12th before tapering off to flurries by late morning. Stormtotal snowfall amounts included 10.0 inches in Chesterton; 9.5 inches near Valparaiso; 8.0 inches four miles east of Chesterton and 6.5 inches four miles northeast of Hebron.