

## Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - May 2016

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<b>TEXAS, South Panhandle</b>				

**KENT COUNTY --- 0.4 ESE JAYTON [33.25, -100.57]**

05/11/16 15:20 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
05/11/16 15:24 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement

The Kent County Sheriff's Office reported hail up to quarter size in Jayton for a couple minutes. Damage was not reported.

**STONEWALL COUNTY --- 6.3 SSE ASPERMONT ARPT [33.04, -100.20], 9.2 SSE ASPERMONT ARPT [33.00, -100.18]**

05/11/16 16:10 CST		0.50K	Hail (1.25 in)
05/11/16 16:15 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement

A deputy from the Aspermont Police Department reported very strong winds and hail increasing from nickel to half dollar size while driving south along Highway 83. Minor hail dents were noted on the side of the deputies vehicle.

**CHILDRESS COUNTY --- 3.8 SSW LOCO [34.67, -100.17], 3.5 S LOCO [34.67, -100.15]**

05/11/16 23:30 CST		20K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 61 kt)
05/11/16 23:35 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

The Childress County EM reported 16 power poles that were toppled by a bow echo thunderstorm. Time was estimated from radar.

Following a small wave of severe thunderstorms in Kent and Stonewall Counties late this afternoon along a weak cold front and dryline, a second round of severe thunderstorms rolled southeast from the western Texas Panhandle late in the evening. This latter round of storms featured an impressive, but compact bow echo that struck northern Childress County shortly before midnight CST. This bow echo toppled 16 power poles along Highway 62 east of Highway 83.



*One of 16 power poles snapped along Highway 62 in northeast Childress County from a bow echo thunderstorm. Photo courtesy of Bill Ricks.*

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<b>LUBBOCK COUNTY --- 5.8 SSW WOLFFORTH [33.42, -102.05]</b>				
	05/13/16 17:30 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 51 kt)
	05/13/16 17:30 CST		0	Source: Mesonet
Measured by the Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet.				
<b>HALL COUNTY --- 3.5 S HULVER [34.47, -100.54]</b>				
	05/13/16 17:55 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/13/16 17:55 CST		0	Source: Public
The public reported hail ranging in size from 1/2 inch to golf ball size. Damage was not known.				
<b>HALL COUNTY --- 2.7 NW PARNELL [34.55, -100.63]</b>				
	05/13/16 18:07 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	05/13/16 18:07 CST		0	Source: Public
The public reported pea to marble size hail. No damage was noted.				
<b>LYNN COUNTY --- 2.1 N TAHOKA [33.21, -101.78]</b>				
	05/13/16 18:11 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 56 kt)
	05/13/16 18:15 CST		0	Source: Mesonet
Multiple severe wind gusts as measured by the Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet.				
<b>CHILDRESS COUNTY --- 2.1 SSW TELL [34.34, -100.39]</b>				
	05/13/16 18:27 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	05/13/16 18:27 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
A trained spotter reported nickel size hail. No damage was noted.				
<b>GARZA COUNTY --- 5.6 SSW GRAHAM CHAPEL [33.08, -101.52]</b>				
	05/13/16 18:55 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 52 kt)
	05/13/16 18:55 CST		0	Source: Mesonet
Measured by the Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet.				
<b>COTTLE COUNTY --- 1.5 NNE DUNLAP [34.15, -100.29]</b>				
	05/13/16 18:56 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 70 kt)
	05/13/16 18:56 CST		0	Source: Storm Chaser
A storm chaser reported a tree lying across U.S. Highway 83 along with several downed branches.				
<b>DICKENS COUNTY --- 7.5 E DICKENS [33.62, -100.70], 15.6 E DICKENS [33.61, -100.56]</b>				
	05/13/16 20:05 CST		5K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 70 kt)
	05/13/16 20:10 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
A significant high precipitation supercell crossed U.S. Highway 82 accompanied by a swath of destructive rear flank downdraft winds estimated as high as 80 mph. Law enforcement reported that several trees were blown across the highway. The Pitchfork Ranch also reported some trees were snapped in addition to one power pole broken about three miles west of their headquarters.				
<b>LUBBOCK COUNTY --- 3.5 E WOLFFORTH [33.50, -101.96]</b>				
	05/14/16 01:36 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	05/14/16 01:36 CST		0	Source: NWS Employee
Nickel size hail was estimated by an NWS employee. No damage occurred.				
<b>Spotty high based thunderstorms developed late this afternoon across the South Plains followed by a more vigorous wave of thunderstorms in the eastern Texas Panhandle and Rolling Plains. This latter round moved southward into a rich moisture axis with mixed layer CAPEs up to 3500 J/kg which resulted in multiple severe wind and hail reports.</b>				
<b>CHILDRESS COUNTY --- 2.0 NW CHILDRESS [34.44, -100.22], 0.4 SE CHILDRESS [34.42, -100.19]</b>				

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	05/17/16 00:30 CST		0.10M	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/17/16 00:45 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
<p>A swath of hail up to the size of golf balls fell over the city of Childress for about 15 minutes accompanied by strong winds at times. Damage was largely comprised of vehicle dents.</p> <p><b>Shortly after midnight CST, a line of severe storms pushed southeast through the far southeast Texas Panhandle. Severe hail with strong winds likely occurred over a larger area of this region than just the city of Childress, however the time of night hindered the availability of reports.</b></p>				
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<b>LYNN COUNTY --- 3.0 S GRASSLAND [33.09, -101.60]</b>				
	05/22/16 16:10 CST		0	Hail (2.75 in)
	05/22/16 16:10 CST		0	Source: Fire Department/Rescue
<p>The fire department in Grassland reported hail up to baseball size south of town.</p>				
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<b>LYNN COUNTY --- 1.5 N GRASSLAND [33.15, -101.60]</b>				
	05/22/16 16:15 CST		9K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 52 kt)
	05/22/16 16:15 CST		0	Source: Fire Department/Rescue
<p>The fire department in Grassland reported three power poles downed by high winds near the intersection of Farm to Market Road 212 and County Road 24.</p>				
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<b>HALL COUNTY --- LAKEVIEW [34.67, -100.70], 6.0 ESE LAKEVIEW [34.64, -100.60]</b>				
	05/22/16 16:18 CST		0	Hail (2.50 in)
	05/22/16 16:21 CST		0	Source: Storm Chaser
<p>Several storm chasers reported hail up to the size of tennis balls in and to the southeast of Lakeview. No damage was reported.</p>				
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<b>GARZA COUNTY --- POST [33.18, -101.38], 3.0 NW POST [33.21, -101.42]</b>				
	05/22/16 16:28 CST		10K	Hail (5.00 in)
	05/22/16 16:42 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
<p>Law enforcement in Garza County as well as a storm chaser reported hail up to five inches in and around Post along US Highway 84 and US Highway 380. The only damage reported was broken car windows. This giant hail occurred with a left moving supercell thunderstorm.</p>				
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<b>CROSBY COUNTY --- 0.8 SSE RALLS [33.67, -101.38]</b>				
	05/22/16 17:20 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 56 kt)
	05/22/16 17:25 CST		0	Source: Mesonet
<p>A Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet measured wind gusts as high as 65 mph for a five minute period.</p>				
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<b>GARZA COUNTY --- POST [33.18, -101.38]</b>				
	05/22/16 17:22 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/22/16 17:22 CST		0	Source: Storm Chaser
<p>A storm chaser reported hail up to golf ball size in Post. No damage was reported.</p>				
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<b>FLOYD COUNTY --- FLOYDADA [33.98, -101.33], 8.5 SE SOUTH PLAINS [34.14, -101.20]</b>				
	05/22/16 17:38 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/22/16 17:55 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
<p>The Floyd County emergency manager reported hail up to golf ball size from Floydada to Cedar Hill. No damage was reported.</p>				
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<b>HALL COUNTY --- 0.7 S LAKEVIEW [34.66, -100.70], 3.1 NE PLASKA [34.63, -100.59]</b>				
	05/22/16 17:44 CST		0.15M	Tornado (EF2, L: 6.59 mi , W: 600 yd)
	05/22/16 17:59 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey

A large tornado developed near Plaska late this afternoon and moved slowly southeastward for the next 15 minutes before dissipating. Several storm chasers documented this tornado as it grew into a wedge shape while wrapping in rain curtains. This tornado and damaging RFD winds toppled several utility poles, heavily damaged and stripped some trees, and destroyed a barn. The damage was found to be consistent with EF-2 winds. There may have been additional, smaller tornadoes concurrently or following this large tornado, however insufficient video evidence and few damage indicators precluded an explicit entry of these tornadoes.

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<b>FLOYD COUNTY --- 2.0 NNE FLOYDADA [34.01, -101.32]</b>				
	05/22/16 17:45 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 52 kt)
	05/22/16 17:45 CST		0	Source: Mesonet
A Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet site near Floydada recorded a wind gust to 60 mph.				
<b>CROSBY COUNTY --- 3.0 WSW RALLS [33.67, -101.43]</b>				
	05/22/16 17:56 CST		9K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 52 kt)
	05/22/16 17:56 CST		0	Source: Fire Department/Rescue
The fire department in Ralls reported several power lines pushed over along Texas State Highway 114 west of Ralls.				
<b>GARZA COUNTY --- 15.0 NE POST [33.33, -101.20]</b>				
	05/22/16 18:05 CST		0	Hail (2.50 in)
	05/22/16 18:05 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Law enforcement reported hail up to the size of tennis balls in northeastern Garza County. No damage was reported.				
<b>HALL COUNTY --- 4.8 N LESLEY [34.74, -100.80], 5.5 SW LESLEY [34.62, -100.87], 4.4 WNW PARNELL [34.54, -100.67], 2.6 E TAMPICO [34.49, -100.68], 13.1 SSE HULVER [34.35, -100.43], 6.2 E MEMPHIS MUNI ARPT [34.74, -100.41]</b>				
	05/22/16 18:10 CST		5M	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	05/23/16 02:10 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
The same storm responsible for producing a large, EF-2 tornado near Plaska also produced significant flash flooding over much of northern Hall County late this afternoon. Additional rounds of thunderstorms through the evening would go on to produce eight inches of rain as measured by a NWS CO- OP observer in Estelline. The storm survey discovered significant flood damage to bridges, roads and a golf course in Estelline which had large chasms cut into the property. Also, one SUV was swept off US Highway 256 about five miles northeast of Estelline after driving through raging floodwaters that consumed a shallow bridge. The two occupants of the vehicle were rescued and unharmed, but their vehicle was a complete loss from water damage. The total flood damage to infrastructure alone would likely reach several million USD.				
<b>HALL COUNTY --- 2.0 WSW TURKEY [34.39, -100.91], 5.3 SSW TURKEY [34.33, -100.90]</b>				
	05/22/16 18:25 CST		10K	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 63 kt)
	05/22/16 18:34 CST		0	Source: Mesonet
A Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet near Turkey measured a wind gust to 72 mph. Additionally, an NWS cooperative weather observer reported that a roof was blown off of a barn south of Turkey.				
<b>CHILDRESS COUNTY --- 2.8 NW TELL [34.40, -100.41], 2.5 ESE (CDS)CHILDRESS ARPT [34.41, -100.26], 4.0 E CAREY [34.48, -100.25], 6.2 WNW LOCO [34.74, -100.26], 14.9 W LOCO [34.74, -100.41]</b>				
	05/22/16 20:10 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	05/23/16 02:10 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
A nearly stationary storm over Hall and western Childress Counties produced copious amounts of rainfall which lead to flash flooding especially along US Highway 287 in Childress County.				
<b>COTTLE COUNTY --- 14.0 ENE PADUCAH [34.10, -100.07]</b>				
	05/22/16 20:45 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	05/22/16 20:45 CST		0	Source: Public
Quarter size hail was reported northeast of Paducah along US Highway 70.				
<b>HALL COUNTY --- 3.0 S ESTELLINE [34.51, -100.43]</b>				
	05/22/16 21:21 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/22/16 21:21 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
A trained spotter reported hail up to the size of golf balls south of Estelline. No damage was reported.				
<b>CHILDRESS COUNTY --- 3.0 S TELL [34.33, -100.38]</b>				
	05/22/16 22:10 CST		0	Hail (1.50 in)
	05/22/16 22:10 CST		0	Source: COOP Observer
An NWS cooperative weather observer reported ping pong ball size hail. No damage was reported.				

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<b>CHILDRESS COUNTY --- (CDS)CHILDRESS ARPT [34.43, -100.30]</b>				
	05/23/16 19:48 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 56 kt)
	05/23/16 19:48 CST		0	Source: ASOS

The Automated Surface Observation System (ASOS) at Childress Municipal Airport recorded a wind gust to 64 mph.

The first in a multi-day event produced widespread large hail, tornadoes, and flash flooding but the largest impacts were felt in the extreme southeastern Texas Panhandle. An upper level jet streak provided the necessary lift acting upon a very unstable and strongly sheared atmosphere. Supercell thunderstorms began as isolated cells on the caprock and became more widespread once they moved off the caprock. Initially, storms produced very large hail and damaging winds but an extremely moist atmosphere and slow movement to the storms brought on flash flooding. The most damaging impacts came in Hall County where a nearly stationary storm dropped up to eight inches of rain. The extreme runoff from the storms inundated normally dry washes and creek beds. The floods damaged or destroyed several bridges and roadways and also lead to high water rescues in Lakeview (Hall County).



*Photo of an estimated five inch hailstone that fell west of Post near US Highway 380. This giant hail fell from a left moving supercell storm. Photo courtesy of Jared K Parsley.*

<b>HALE COUNTY --- PETERSBURG [33.87, -101.60]</b>				
	05/23/16 16:11 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/23/16 16:11 CST		0	Source: Broadcast Media

Local broadcast media relayed a report of golf ball size hail in Petersburg. No damage was reported.

<b>BRISCOE COUNTY --- SILVERTON [34.47, -101.30]</b>				
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	05/23/16 17:28 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/23/16 17:29 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Multiple reports from law enforcement, a fire department, and a storm chaser reported hail up to the size of golf balls in Silverton. No damage was reported.				
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<b>GARZA COUNTY --- 1.0 S POST [33.17, -101.38]</b>				
	05/23/16 18:57 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	05/23/16 18:57 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
The sheriff's office in Post reported quarter size hail south of Post. No damage was reported.				
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<b>HALL COUNTY --- 5.0 NNE TURKEY [34.47, -100.85]</b>				
	05/23/16 19:00 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	05/23/16 19:00 CST		0	Source: Storm Chaser
A storm chaser reported quarter size hail north of Turkey. No damage was reported.				
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<b>HALL COUNTY --- 7.0 SE TURKEY [34.33, -100.79]</b>				
	05/23/16 20:21 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	05/23/16 20:21 CST		0	Source: Storm Chaser
A storm chaser reported hail to the size of golf balls seven miles southeast of Turkey. No damage was reported.				
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<b>MOTLEY COUNTY --- 4.0 E MATADOR [34.02, -100.75]</b>				
	05/23/16 20:23 CST		0	Hail (2.00 in)
	05/23/16 20:23 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
The emergency manager in Motley County reported two inch size hail east of Matador. No damage was reported.				
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<b>MOTLEY COUNTY --- 7.7 WNW NORTHFIELD [34.31, -100.73]</b>				
	05/23/16 20:28 CST		0.40K	Hail (2.50 in)
	05/23/16 20:28 CST		0	Source: Storm Chaser
A storm chaser observed wind-driven hail as large as tennis balls. The hail fell immediately west of what would become a significant tornado just a few minutes later. Minor hail damage occurred to the storm chaser's vehicle.				
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<b>MOTLEY COUNTY --- 6.8 WNW NORTHFIELD [34.31, -100.71], 7.5 WNW NORTHFIELD [34.31, -100.73]</b>				
	05/23/16 20:30 CST		0	Tornado (EFU, L: 0.80 mi , W: 700 yd)
	05/23/16 20:34 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
A large multi-vortex tornado developed in far north-central Motley County at 2033 CST. This tornado was nearly stationary at first, before drifting slowly north followed by an abrupt acceleration to the northwest into Hall County (continued below). Several storm spotters observed this tornado and debris cloud as it crossed Farm-to-Market Road 656. This tornado tracked over open ranch and canyon lands resulting in very few damage indicators. A limited road network and flooded roads prevented a post-storm ground survey conducted by National Weather Service meteorologists from assessing damage. Therefore, the tornado was given a rating of EF-unknown while in Motley County.				
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<b>HALL COUNTY --- 10.6 SE TURKEY [34.31, -100.73], 1.5 ESE TURKEY [34.39, -100.85]</b>				
	05/23/16 20:34 CST		0.15M	Tornado (EF3, L: 9.19 mi , W: 800 yd)
	05/23/16 21:06 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
This is the continuation path of the tornado that began in northern Motley County. A significant tornado tracked northwest across rural southwest Hall County before narrowing and later dissipating about 1.5 miles east of Turkey at 2106 CST. Storm spotters indicated this large tornado was rain wrapped as it approached Turkey.				
A NWS storm damage survey rated this tornado as EF-3. Although damage indicators were sparse in this part of Hall County, the wind estimate was derived from several steel pylons supporting electrical lines that were bent to the ground from winds estimated in the range of 135 to 140 mph. Additionally, there were trees blown over and uprooted as viewed from a distance along the nearest roadway. However, the survey team was unable to survey this damage due to flooded roads and a limited road network.				
The development of this tornado and its unusual northwest motion were likely the result of a northward-moving outflow boundary tied to a left moving supercell that earlier impacted Matador (Motley County). Radar data indicate tornadogenesis occurred shortly after this outflow boundary impinged on the supercell.				

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HALL COUNTY --- 3.0 S TURKEY [34.36, -100.88]	05/23/16 20:48 CST		3K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 52 kt)
	05/23/16 20:48 CST		0	Source: Storm Chaser

A storm chaser reported a telephone pole downed by high winds three miles south of Turkey.

A second consecutive afternoon and evening of scattered thunderstorms developed along an active dryline. Thunderstorms initially developed across the eastern South Plains and quickly became severe under an extremely unstable atmosphere. Storms slowly moved into the Rolling Plains with Hall County sustaining much of the damage reported on the evening of the 23rd. A significant tornado was observed in Motley and Hall Counties from 2030 CST to 2106 CST associated with a slow moving thunderstorm. This half mile wide EF3 tornado damaged steel pylons supporting electric lines in Hall County. The tornado had an erratic motion moving from the southeast to northwest before dissipating a few miles east of Turkey (Hall County).



*Photograph taken by an NWS post-storm ground survey. Several steel pylons supporting electrical lines were bent to the ground.*

COTTLE COUNTY --- 4.2 N DUNLAP [34.19, -100.30], SWEARINGEN [34.15, -100.15]	05/29/16 16:00 CST		10K	Hail (2.75 in)
	05/29/16 16:30 CST		0	Source: Fire Department/Rescue

A supercell thunderstorm produced a swath of severe hail up to the size of baseballs about 12 miles north of Paducah to quarter size hail in Swearingen. Some of the Paducah volunteer fire department's vehicles were damaged by the hail.

COTTLE COUNTY --- SWEARINGEN [34.15, -100.15]

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	05/29/16 16:25 CST		10K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 56 kt)
	05/29/16 16:25 CST		0	Source: Fire Department/Rescue

Two power poles were downed in Swearingen.

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### LAMB COUNTY --- 4.5 NNE HART CAMP [34.09, -102.12]

	05/29/16 17:25 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 55 kt)
	05/29/16 17:40 CST		0	Source: Mesonet

Two severe wind gusts were measured by a Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet south of Olton . The first was 58 mph at 525 PM CST and the second gust to 63 mph occurred at 540 PM CST.

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### (TX-Z035) LUBBOCK

	05/29/16 18:10 CST		0	Dust Storm
	05/29/16 18:15 CST		0	

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### LUBBOCK COUNTY --- 1.2 NNW (LBB)LUBBOCK INTL AR [33.69, -101.83]

	05/29/16 18:11 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 50 kt)
	05/29/16 18:11 CST		0	Source: ASOS

Measured at the Lubbock International Airport.

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### HOCKLEY COUNTY --- 5.9 WSW ROUNDUP [33.73, -102.19]

	05/29/16 18:40 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 57 kt)
	05/29/16 18:40 CST		0	Source: Mesonet

Measured by a Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet.

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### YOAKUM COUNTY --- 2.1 NNW PLAINS YOAKUM CO ARP [33.23, -102.84]

	05/29/16 19:40 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 52 kt)
	05/29/16 19:40 CST		0	Source: Mesonet

Measured by a Texas Tech University West Texas mesonet.

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### DICKENS COUNTY --- 16.9 E AFTON [33.79, -100.51]

	05/30/16 17:25 CST		0.50K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 70 kt)
	05/30/16 17:25 CST		0	Source: COOP Observer

A CO-OP observer reported that her small greenhouse was blown off the property and never located.

**Scattered thunderstorms developed this afternoon along the edge of the Caprock in Briscoe and Floyd Counties. Very strong instability compensated for weak wind shear and allowed a few of these storms to become supercells and produce very large hail as they tracked slowly southeastward. More numerous storms then surged south from the Texas Panhandle and resulted in a large, southward-moving storm complex that affected much of the South Plains and Rolling Plains through the evening. This complex of storms produced a handful of severe wind gusts and a large wall of dirt (haboob) that reduced visibilities to near zero for a few minutes at the Lubbock International Airport.**

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### CASTRO COUNTY --- 5.2 N DIMMITT MUNI ARPT [34.65, -102.31], 9.3 N DIMMITT MUNI ARPT [34.70, -102.31]

	05/30/16 19:15 CST		0	Hail (2.75 in)
	05/30/16 19:27 CST		0	Source: Public

A left moving supercell moved slowly north and produced hen egg to baseball size hail . Some hail damage likely occurred to vehicles and building roofs, however no reports to this degree were available.

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### LYNN COUNTY --- 1.5 SSW TAHOKA [33.16, -101.79]

	05/30/16 19:47 CST		0	Hail (1.25 in)
	05/30/16 20:03 CST		0	Source: Fire Department/Rescue

A slow moving storm produced a long period of hail up to the size of half dollars in Tahoka. No damage was reported.

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### LUBBOCK COUNTY --- 3.5 ENE WOLFFORTH [33.51, -101.96], 0.6 SSE (LBB)LUBBOCK INTL AR [33.66, -101.82]



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	05/30/16 20:29 CST		0.30M	Hail (1.25 in)
	05/30/16 20:50 CST		0	Source: Official NWS Observations

A slow moving storm produced a 12-mile stretch of severe hail through Lubbock ranging in size from quarters to half dollars. Many modern vehicles with thin aluminum hoods and lightweight panels that were caught outdoors received light to moderate dents from this otherwise marginally severe hail. The following day, dent repair shops throughout Lubbock saw streams of customers with recent hail damage.

**Late this evening, scattered thunderstorms developed roughly from Dimmitt (Castro County) southward to O'Donnell (Lynn County) and moved very slowly northward. Despite only moderate instability and modest wind shear, some of these storms became left moving supercells accompanied by hail as large as baseballs north of Dimmitt. One right moving supercell did develop near Littlefield after sunset, but produced just torrential rainfall of nearly four inches near Anton (far northeast Hockley County). No reports of flooding were received with this storm.**