



# National Weather Service

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					Killed	Injured	Property	Crops

### ILLINOIS, South

<b>ILZ092&gt;093</b>	<b>Alexander - Pulaski</b>							
	<b>01</b>	<b>0001CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Flood</b>
	<b>02</b>	<b>1400CST</b>						
	The Ohio River fell below flood stage at Cairo and Grand Chain for the first time since late April.							
<b>ILZ084</b>	<b>Jackson</b>							
	<b>01</b>	<b>0001CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Flood</b>
	<b>03</b>	<b>0900CST</b>						
	The Big Muddy River fell below flood stage at Murphysboro for the first time since mid April.							
<b>ILZ083</b>	<b>White</b>							
	<b>01</b>	<b>0001CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Flood</b>
		<b>1700CST</b>						
	The Little Wabash River fell below flood stage at Carmi for the first time since early May.							
<b>Wayne County</b>	<b>3 SE Barnhill</b>							
	<b>11</b>	<b>1750CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
	About a dozen trees were blown down near Interstate 64.							
<b>ILZ084</b>	<b>Jackson</b>							
	<b>15</b>	<b>0900CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Flood</b>
	<b>17</b>	<b>1500CST</b>						
	The Big Muddy River went slightly above flood stage at Murphysboro for a couple of days. The crest was only a few inches above flood stage, which caused minor flooding of low-lying areas along the river. The high water was mainly backwater from the Mississippi River, which was near flood stage.							
<b>Franklin County</b>	<b>1 E Whittington</b>							
	<b>24</b>	<b>1945CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
	Trees were blown down in an area about one square mile.							
<b>Franklin County</b>	<b>Whittington</b>							
	<b>27</b>	<b>1545CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2K</b>	<b>Hail(0.88)</b>
	Hail damaged at least one vehicle on Interstate 57 near the Sesser exit.							
<b>Wayne County</b>	<b>Fairfield</b>							
	<b>27</b>	<b>1552CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Hail(0.75)</b>
<b>Perry County</b>	<b>Pinckneyville to Du Quoin</b>							
	<b>27</b>	<b>1738CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Flash Flood</b>
		<b>1845CST</b>						
<b>Franklin County</b>	<b>Countywide</b>							
	<b>27</b>	<b>1800CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>75K</b>	<b>Flash Flood</b>
		<b>1910CST</b>						
<b>Jefferson County</b>	<b>Waltonville to Scheller</b>							
	<b>27</b>	<b>1800CST</b>			<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>Flash Flood</b>
		<b>1910CST</b>						
	A slow-moving complex of thunderstorms with torrential rain caused major problems over much of Franklin County, especially at Benton and West City. Firefighters rescued an elderly woman who needed assistance getting out of rising floodwater in her cellar. The water was about 18 inches deep when she was rescued. In another incident in Franklin County, sheriff deputies aided a woman whose car was swept off Highway 37. The car was swept into a flooded ditch, and ropes were used to get the woman to safety. Flooded streets, yards, and basements were common in Benton and West City. Some of the streets were closed, and several motorists became stranded while trying to drive through flooded areas. No injuries were reported after the roof of a fireworks tent collapsed from the weight of the water. Minor to moderate street flooding was reported in DuQuoin in Perry County. Near Waltonville in Jefferson County, water was over Route 148. An observer reported 3.11 inches of rain near Scheller in Jefferson County.							



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### INDIANA, Southwest

#### Gibson County

<b>Ft Branch</b>	05	1200CST			0	0	15K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G52)</b>
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Thunderstorm winds blew down trees in Fort Branch. A tree fell on a garage, damaging the roof. Two trees fell on houses, causing some damage. Wind knocked down a chimney.

#### Vanderburgh County

<b>Evansville</b>	05	1325CST			0	0	2K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
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Power lines were down on the north side of Evansville.

#### Posey County

<b>Cynthiana</b>	05	2330CST			0	0	10K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G55)</b>
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Roofs were blown off two garage type structures. An empty silo was destroyed. Several large trees were blown down

### KENTUCKY, Southwest

#### Mccracken County

<b>Paducah</b>	05	1145CST			0	0	5K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
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Large tree limbs were blown down in a residential neighborhood on the west side of town. The damage area was about one square mile.

#### Graves County

<b>Countywide</b>	05	1300CST			0	0			<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
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Sixteen trees were down across state and county roads.

#### Webster County

<b>Poole</b>	05	1400CST			0	0	10K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G55)</b>
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The steeple was blown off a church, damaging the church's roof and the sidewalk below

#### Webster County

<b>Poole</b>	05	1400CST			0	0			<b>Hail(0.75)</b>
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#### Caldwell County

<b>Countywide</b>	05	1414CST 1424CST			0	0	5K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
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Several trees were blown down, some across roads.

#### Hopkins County

<b>Madisonville to 2 E Nortonville</b>	05	1440CST			0	0			<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G50)</b>
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A couple of trees were down on a road in Madisonville. A couple other trees were down between Nortonville and White Plains.

### MISSOURI, Southeast

#### MOZ076-087-111>112-114 Perry - Cape Girardeau - Scott - Mississippi - New Madrid

	01	0001CST 1800CST			0	0			<b>Flood</b>
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The Mississippi River fell below flood stage for the first time since early May.

#### MOZ087

##### Cape Girardeau

	15 18	0800CST 1800CST			0	0	5K		<b>Flood</b>
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The Mississippi River rose slightly above flood stage at Cape Girardeau for a few days. The crest was less than one foot above flood stage, which resulted in few problems. Minor flooding of agricultural bottomland and low-lying areas near the river occurred.

#### Perry County

<b>Perryville</b>	27	1523CST			0	0	12K		<b>Thunderstorm Wind (G52)</b>
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### MISSOURI, Southeast

Winds estimated near 60 MPH blew out the showroom window of a car dealership on Highway 51. A nearby outbuilding was blown onto a pickup truck. Numerous large tree limbs were down throughout town.