



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



May 2001

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons Killed	Number of Persons Injured	Estimated Damage Property	Estimated Damage Crops	Character of Storm
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ILLINOIS, Central

Mclean County

Lexington	10	2338CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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A large section of a tree was blown over onto a house, causing minor guttering damage

Edgar County

Paris	16	2215CST			0	0	0		Flash Flood
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Over 2 inches of rain fell, resulting in street flooding in Paris. Several cars became stranded in the flood waters, but no injuries were reported.

Peoria County

Rome	17	0319CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
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Numerous large tree limbs were blown down as well as a large tree. No structural damage was reported

Effingham County

5 W Effingham to Effingham	17	0640CST 0657CST			0	0			Hail (1.75)
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Hail began at Lake Sara, roughly 5 miles west of Effingham and continued into Effingham.

Clark County

Marshall	17	0700CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
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Christian County

Taylorville	17	1830CST 1835CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Several power lines and trees were blown down in Taylorville.

Tazewell County

Countywide	18	0040CST 0430CST			0	0	0		Flash Flood
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Heavy rain fell across much of the county, resulting in numerous reports of flooded roads, with the most extensive flooding occurring in Pekin, Delavan and Tremont. In Tremont, Route 9 was covered with flowing flood waters

Menard County

3 E Petersburg to 1 W Athens	22	1137CST 1140CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G51)^M
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Several trees and tree limbs were blown down.

Sangamon County

Springfield to Williamsville	22	1200CST 1210CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Several trees, tree limbs and power lines were blown down in Springfield and Williamsville.

Logan County

Lincoln	22	1212CST 1215CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Several large trees were blown down in town.

Christian County

Taylorville	22	1215CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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A large tree was blown down onto a house in Taylorville, causing minor damage

Macon County

Decatur	22	1235CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Several large tree limbs and power lines were blown down in town.

Peoria County

Peoria	22	1238CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
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Several shingles were blown off the roof of a local restaurant.

Menard County

Athens	22	1300CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Large tree blown down, with no structural damage reported.



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ILLINOIS, Central

Woodford County

Germantown Hills to Metamora	22	1300CST 1305CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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A couple of trees, tree limbs and power lines were blown down.

Mason County

Havana	22	1345CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
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Christian County

Pana	23	1245CST 1300CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Numerous trees and tree limbs were blown down around town. No structural damage was reported.

Shelby County

1 W Tower Hill	23	1300CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Half of a 12 inch diameter sycamore tree was blown down. No structural damage was reported.

Christian County

Kincaid	23	1354CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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A large tree was blown over onto a front porch, causing minor damage.

Coles County

Mattoon to Charleston	23	1410CST 1420CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Thunderstorm winds blew down several large trees, tree limbs and power lines. In Charleston, a light pole at a local ball diamond was blown down, damaging the fixture, as well as a section of fencing

Shelby County

Shelbyville to Trowbridge	23	1430CST 1505CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Several trees and tree limbs were blown down. In Shelbyville, a window at a car dealership was blown out

Effingham County

Dieterich	23	1510CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Several trees and numerous tree limbs were blown down throughout the town.

Sangamon County

Chatham to Springfield	26	1230CST 1235CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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In Chatham, thunderstorm winds blew a 50 foot by 50 foot section of a metal roof off of a storage facility. Also, on the south side of Springfield a large tree was blown down and another one was uprooted.

Mclean County

Bloomington	26	1241CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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A large tree limb was blown down in town, as well as several power lines

Champaign County

Champaign to Ludlow	26	1330CST 1335CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
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Thunderstorm winds snapped off a three foot diameter tree in Ludlow and fell onto a trailer home. No one was in the home at the time. In Champaign, several large tree limbs were blown down.