

## National Weather Service Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



May 2002 Time Local/ Path Length Path Width Number of Estimated Persons Damage TEXAS, South **Zapata County** 8 E Zapata to Zapata 17 0 0 Hail(0.88) .88 inch hail reported by law enforcement officials **Zapata County** 25 0 25K Zapata 17 2 Tornado (F0) A brief tornado was reported by law enforcement officials in the city of Zapata. Several roofs were damaged with numerous reports of power outages. **Cameron County** Thunderstorm Wind (G63)<sup>M</sup> Harlingen 0 Harllingen ASOS measured a wind gust of 63 mph. Willacy County Hail(0.75) La Sara 29 0 Law Enforcment Officials reported 3/4 inch hail near La Sara **Willacy County** 2 N La Sara 25 0 0 29 1810CST Tornado (F0) A weak tornado was reported by Law Enforcement Officials near La Sara. This tornado occurred over rural areas with no damage reported **Cameron County** 5 N Rio Hondo 1853CST Thunderstorm Wind (G60) 29 Storm spotter reported wind gusts to 60 mph with thunderstorm **Hidalgo County** Mc Cook Thunderstorm Wind (G55) Storm spotter reported wind gusts to 55 mph **Cameron County** 4 E Rio Hondo 29 1 15 0 10K Tornado (F0) Fire and Rescue reported a brief tornado with roof damage east of Rio Hondo Willacy County 29 1844CST Thunderstorm Wind (G65) San Perlita A trained storm spotter estimated wind gusts between 65 and 70 mph in San Perlita Willacy County 29 7 NE Raymondville Thunderstorm Wind (G70) Storm spotter estimated 70 mph wind gust lifted trampoline into the air against the house and fence blown over **Hidalgo County** 29 1855CST Thunderstorm Wind (G70) Donna Law Enforcement Officials reported several power poles and lines down **Hidalgo County** Weslaco 29 1856CST Tornado (F0) National Weather Service storm survey indicated a minimal tornado with numerous large trees downed. There was also evidence of large hail with many windows broken on houses in the Tierra Santa area. One resident reported coming home to find her apartment dark with windows and blinds broken. Many vehicles were also damaged with large hail **Hidalgo County** Weslaco 0 Flash Flood 29 1900CST Water covering the Lewis Lane exit off Highway 83



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		Time	Path	Path	Number of		Estimated		May 200	
Location	Date	Local/ Standard	Length (Miles)	Width (Yards)	Per Killed	sons Injured	Dai Property	mage Crops	Character of Storm	
TEXAS, South										
<b>Cameron County</b>										
5 N Rio Hondo	29	1903CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G60)	
	Wind	gusts to 60 mph v	vere reported	at Camp Perr	y					
<b>Cameron County</b>										
Los Fresnos	29	1937CST		. 1 . 1	0	. 0			Thunderstorm Wind (G60)	
	Los Fi	resnos Police Dep	artment estim	ated wind gu	sts to 60 m	pn				
<b>Cameron County</b>										
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Starr County El Sauz	30	1420CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)	
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Starr County Rio Grande City Arpt	30	1437CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)	
No Grande City Airpt		hail reported by	Law Enforcen	nent Official	v	v			11an(1.00)	
Starr County										
3 E Roma	30	1445CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)	
	0.75 ii	nch hail observed	by Fire and R	escue					, ,	
Starr County										
Rosita	30	1445CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)	
	1.75 ii	nch hail reported	by Fire and Re	escue						
Starr County										
1 W Rio Grande City	30	1451CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)	
	Law E	Enforcement Offic	ials reported	1.75 inch hail						
Jim Hogg County										
1 SSW Hebbronville	30	1452CST	16  11  11  -	41	0	. 0			Hail(1.75)	
	Borde	r Patrol reported	gon dan nan s	outnwest of I	1eobronVil	t				
Starr County	20	4 <b>5</b> 44 CCF							TT 11/2 00)	
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