



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



January 1999

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

OKLAHOMA, Western, Central and Southeast

OKZ007>008-012>013-018>020 **Grant - Kay - Garfield - Noble - Kingfisher - Logan - Payne**

01	0200CST 0900CST				0	0			Ice Storm
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Light freezing drizzle fell across much of north central Oklahoma on the 1st, producing a thin layer of ice on many roads. Roads were reported to be especially slick north of Enid and Ponca City. Many accidents resulted.

OKZ031>032-039>043-045>048-050>052 **Seminole - Hughes - Stephens - Garvin - Murray - Pontotoc - Coal - Jefferson - Carter - Johnston - Atoka - Love - Marshall - Bryan**

06	0600CST 0900CST				0	0			Fog
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Dense fog formed across much of south central Oklahoma during the morning of the 6th with temperatures below freezing. Frost was deposited on many area roads causing numerous accidents. At least 14 accidents are known to have occurred. In Carter County, 2 accidents were reported; one woman rolled her vehicle more than 3 times down an embankment on Interstate 35 near the overpass of State Highway 142. She was taken to a local hospital with a broken arm. Another accident occurred in Lone Grove at the intersection of Meridian and State Highway 70. Numerous accidents were also reported in Garvin County.

OKZ004>040-042-044 **Harper - Woods - Alfalfa - Grant - Kay - Ellis - Woodward - Major - Garfield - Noble - Roger Mills - Dewey - Custer - Blaine - Kingfisher - Logan - Payne - Beckham - Washita - Caddo - Canadian - Oklahoma - Lincoln - Grady - McClain - Cleveland - Pottawatomie - Seminole - Hughes - Harmon - Greer - Kiowa - Jackson - Tillman - Comanche - Stephens -**

07 08	0600CST 1100CST				0	0			Ice Storm
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Light freezing rain and freezing drizzle plagued much of western and central Oklahoma on the 7th and 8th. One to two hundredths of an inch of ice accumulated on area roads during this period. The largest amount of precipitation recorded during this event was 5 hundredths of an inch at Purcell and McGee Creek. In addition to the ice accumulation, dense fog formed across most of the area and persisted for as long as 24 hours. Hundreds of traffic accidents were reported across Oklahoma, including 3 fatal accidents. Oklahoma City Police reported 71 accidents in the Oklahoma City Metropolitan area by 2200 CST on the 8th. Thirty-seven people were treated for injuries. One accident involved 11 vehicles in the westbound lanes of Interstate 40 at Agnew Ave. Another accident involved an overturned cattle truck on Interstate 40. The westbound lanes were forced to close for 8 hours. Many schools were forced to close as well due to hazardous driving conditions. Lastly, power lines were downed due to the accumulation of ice in Lawton near NW 40th St. and Cache Rd., where 50 homes were left without power on the 8th.

Woodward County
Ft Supply

28	1600CST				0	0	5K		Lightning
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Lightning struck a tree in the middle of a field of cattle killing 5 of them.

TEXAS, Western North

TXZ083>086-090 **Hardeman - Foard - Wilbarger - Wichita - Clay**

07 08	2000CST 1100CST				0	0			Ice Storm
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Periods of light freezing rain and dense fog persisted across western north Texas on the 7th and 8th. Numerous accidents were reported, and many schools were forced to close.