

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena

January 2006

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

Elkhart County									
5 ENE New Paris	02	1444EST 1445EST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Elkhart County									
3 SE Goshen	02	1456EST 1457EST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
De Kalb County									
2 W Corunna	02	1517EST 1518EST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
De Kalb County									
3.5 NE Corunna	02	1528EST 1529EST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
INZ003-018-023-032 La Porte - Allen - Miami - Grant									
		17 1900EST			0	0			Winter Weather
		18 1000EST							

A cold front crossed the region and changed rain to snow during the evening of the 17th. A brief period of freezing rain was also reported in some locations during the changeover. General snowfall accumulations were between 1 and 2 inches with some local amounts of 3 inches. While snow amounts were not significant, the freezing of water from earlier rain beneath the light snow accumulation created extremely slippery driving conditions. Numerous minor car accidents were reported, including 64 in the Fort Wayne area. 10 crashes involved minor injuries, all were in-direct to the winter weather.

MICHIGAN, Extreme Southwest

MIZ077 Berrien									
	21	0400EST 0600EST			0	0			Heavy Snow

An area of low pressure moved through central and northern Indiana and brought accumulating wet snow to a small portion of southwest lower Michigan. Temperatures were marginally cold for snow, which kept accumulations to a minimum in most locations. The only exception was across northern Berrien County Michigan where around 6 inches of heavy wet snow accumulated in towns such as Coloma, Watervliet, and Paw Paw Lake.