



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



November 1998

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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IOWA, Northeast

IAZ008>011-018>019-029>030 **Mitchell - Howard - Winneshiek - Allamakee - Floyd - Chickasaw - Fayette - Clayton**

10	0800CST 2200CST			0	2	1.5M		High Wind (G78)
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One of the most powerful low pressure systems in 25 years caused hurricane force winds with gusts up to 90 mph. Widespread damage occurred to vehicles, signs, buildings and trees, while thousands were left without power for hours. A barn collapsed near Waukon, trapping a man inside, but only minor injuries were sustained.

MINNESOTA, Southeast

MNZ079-086>088-094>096 **Wabasha - Dodge - Olmsted - Winona - Mower - Fillmore - Houston**

10	0800CST 2200CST			0	1	595K		High Wind (G78)
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One of the most intense low pressure systems to pass through southeast Minnesota in a quarter of a century produced wind gusts up to 90 mph. This resulted in damage to trees, buildings and left thousands without power. Rochester and Austin recorded all-time lowest barometric pressure readings of 28.47 and 28.43 inches respectively. In fact, the reading at Austin established an all-time record with nearby Albert Lea for the lowest barometric pressure ever recorded in the state of Minnesota.

WISCONSIN, Southwest

WIZ017-029-032>034-041>044-053>055-061 **Taylor - Clark - Buffalo - Trempealeau - Jackson - La Crosse - Monroe - Juneau - Adams - Vernon - Crawford - Richland - Grant**

10	0800CST 2200CST			1	2	1.7M		High Wind (G81)
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Damaging winds associated with an intense low pressure knocked down power lines, trees, buildings, signs and left many without power. A 75 foot flag pole on Grandad Bluff near La Crosse was sheared off, while winds gusted to 93 mph at the nearby National Weather Service. Numerous duck hunters were stranded and rescued along the Mississippi River due to high waves and toppled boats. One death was reported when a man was hit by a falling tree near Genoa. M70UT