

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - November 2012

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
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ARKANSAS, Northwest

(AR-Z001) BENTON, (AR-Z002) CARROLL, (AR-Z010) WASHINGTON, (AR-Z011) MADISON, (AR-Z019) CRAWFORD, (AR-Z020) FRANKLIN, (AR-Z029) SEBASTIAN

11/01/12 00:00 CST	0		0	Drought
11/30/12 23:59 CST	0		0	

November 2012 was extremely dry across all of northwestern Arkansas. In fact, the entire region received less than 25 percent of its normal average precipitation for the month and portions of west central Arkansas received less than 10 percent of normal precipitation. Fort Smith experienced its second driest November on record in 2012, only receiving 0.29 inches of precipitation. As a result of this continued dry weather, severe (D2) to extreme (D3) drought conditions persisted across the region during the month. Monetary damage estimates resulting from the drought were not available.

OKLAHOMA, Eastern

(OK-Z049) PUSHMATAHA, (OK-Z053) CHOCTAW, (OK-Z054) OSAGE, (OK-Z055) WASHINGTON, (OK-Z056) NOWATA, (OK-Z057) CRAIG, (OK-Z058) OTTAWA, (OK-Z059) PAWNEE, (OK-Z060) TULSA, (OK-Z061) ROGERS, (OK-Z062) MAYES, (OK-Z063) DELAWARE, (OK-Z064) CREEK, (OK-Z065) OKFUSKEE, (OK-Z066) OKMULGEE, (OK-Z067) WAGONER, (OK-Z068) CHEROKEE, (OK-Z069) ADAIR, (OK-Z070) MUSKOGEE, (OK-Z071) MCINTOSH, (OK-Z072) SEQUOYAH, (OK-Z073) PITTSBURG, (OK-Z074) HASKELL, (OK-Z075) LATIMER, (OK-Z076) LE FLORE

11/01/12 00:00 CST	0		0	Drought
11/30/12 23:59 CST	0		0	

November 2012 was extremely dry across all of eastern Oklahoma. In fact, the entire region received less than 50 percent of its normal average precipitation for the month with much of the region south of I-44 receiving less than 25 percent of normal precipitation. Portions of far southeastern Oklahoma only received about 5 percent of normal precipitation for the month. For the southeastern climate region of the state, November 2012 was the second driest on record and rainfall received during the Autumn months also went down as the second driest Autumn period on record. As a result of this continued dry weather, most of eastern Oklahoma remained in extreme (D3) drought conditions while exceptional (D4) drought conditions persisted across much of Pawnee, Osage, Washington, and Creek Counties. Monetary damage estimates resulting from the drought were not available.

CHEROKEE COUNTY --- 3.5 SW MELVIN [35.88, -95.22]

11/11/12 08:30 CST	30K		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 56 kt)
11/11/12 08:30 CST	0		0	Source: Broadcast Media

Strong thunderstorm wind damaged boat docks on the south end of Fort Gibson Lake, just east of the dam.

A line of strong thunderstorms moved across eastern Oklahoma during the morning hours of the 11th. One of the storms embedded in the line produced wind damage on the south end of Fort Gibson Lake.