



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



July 2005

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					Killed	Injured	Property	Crops	

HAWAII

HIZ013	Molokai Leeward	06	1615HST 1800HST		0	0			Wildfire
	A fire about 2.5 miles south of Hoolehua Airport on Molokai burned 200 acres of brush. The cause of the fire was unknown. There were no reports of serious injuries or property damage.								
HIZ006	Waianae Coast	07	0030HST 0400HST		0	0			Wildfire
	A wildfire in Waianae came very close to homes on Kawili Street, though fire department officials decided against an evacuation of residents. The blaze consumed 350 acres of mainly brush land. No serious injuries or property damage were reported. The origin of the fire was suspicious.								
Hawaii County Captain Cook to Honaunau		09	1655HST 1904HST		0	0			Heavy Rain
	Heavy showers on the lee side of the Big Island of Hawaii, in the South Kona District, caused small stream and drainage ditch flooding, and ponding of roadways. There were no reports of serious property damage or injuries.								
HIZ019	Maui Central Valley	12	0100HST 1615HST		0	0			Wildfire
	A brush fire that scorched 200 acres between Maalaea and McGregor Point on the Valley Island of Maui halted traffic for several hours along Honoapiilani Highway. Smoke from the fire caused much of the problem. Four separate fires along the route merged into one large blaze that took fire fighters many hours to contain and control. County officials believed that the initial fires were intentionally set. There were no reports of serious property damage or injuries.								
HIZ026	Kohala	12	0545HST 1600HST		0	0			Wildfire
	A fire of unknown origin burned 150 acres of mainly brush 5.5 miles southwest of Hawi in leeward South Kohala on the Big Island of Hawaii. The blaze forced an almost nine hour closure of an eight-mile stretch of the Akoni Pule Highway, from 0600 to 1445. The fire threatened the historically significant Lapakahi State Park. Some areas of the park were affected by the fire, but damage estimates were not available. No serious injuries were reported.								
Honolulu County Hauula to Waimanalo		12	0804HST 1013HST		0	0			Heavy Rain
	Heavy showers produced ponding of roadways, and small stream and drainage ditch flooding in windward sections of Oahu. No serious injuries or property damage were reported.								
HIZ018	Maui Leeward West	12 15	1845HST 0730HST		0	0			Wildfire
	A wildfire upslope from Lahainaluna High School in leeward West Maui was of unknown origin and burned over two and a half days. The fire scorched 120 acres of brush and grass land, but for a time threatened native plants and bird habitats. However, no serious injuries or property damage were reported after the blaze was extinguished.								



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HIZ007

Oahu North Shore

13	1130HST 1900HST				0	0	Wildfire
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A wildfire in the vicinity of Waialua, along Kaukonahua Road near Hukilau Loop on Oahu, blackened 500 acres of brush and agricultural land. Some of the farm land was still in use, though damage estimates of any losses were unavailable. County officials believe the fire had been deliberately set. There were no serious injuries.

Hawaii County

**Kailua Kona to
Holualoa**

14 15	2340HST 0225HST				0	0	Heavy Rain
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Showers and rain over a portion of the North Kona District on the Big Island of Hawaii persisted long enough to cause small stream and drainage ditch flooding, and ponding of roadways. However, no serious property damage or injuries were reported.

Hawaii County

**Kailua Kona to
Captain Cook**

17	2028HST 2239HST				0	0	Heavy Rain
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Heavy showers along coastal and lower upslope areas of the Big Island of Hawaii, on the lee side of the isle that affected portions of the North and South Kona districts, produced small stream and drainage ditch flooding, and ponding of roadways. There were no reports of serious injuries or property damage.

HIZ005

Oahu South Shore

18	1500HST 1945HST				0	0	Wildfire
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A brush fire blackened 50 acres in an area 2 miles east/northeast of Hawaii Kai on the island of Oahu. The fire was between Sea Life Park and Kealahou Street, and heavy smoke forced the closure of Kalaniana'ole Highway for six hours while fire fighters battled the blaze. Three hikers became stranded for a time near the Makapuu lighthouse, but were eventually able to leave the area. The origin of the fire was unknown. No serious injuries or property damage were reported.

HIZ026

Kohala

22 24	1245HST 0200HST				0	0	Wildfire
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A fire that started in pasture land 7 miles south of Kamuela in leeward Kohala on the Big Island of Hawaii burned 2000 acres. The origin of the fire was unknown. For Friday afternoon and evening, and much of Saturday, 22 and 23 July, the fire disrupted traffic along Mamalahoa Highway, between Waikoloa Road and the Waimea airport junction. However, there were no reports of serious property damage or injuries.

HIZ018

Maui Leeward West

26 27	2355HST 1600HST				0	0	Wildfire
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A grass and brush fire, with a suspicious origin, scorched 80 acres near Lahaina in leeward West Maui. The blaze came within 50 yards of homes in the Wahikuli residential area, above Kahoma Street on the slopes of the West Maui Mountains. However, no serious injuries or property damage were reported.