

INSURANCE COUNCIL OF TEXAS

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COSTLIEST TEXAS STORMS

Insured Losses - Actual Dollars

1950 – Present

RANK	COST	STORM	DATE	LOCATION
1	\$12 billion	Hurricane Ike	Sept. 13, 2008	Galveston Island
2	\$3.5 billion	Tropical Storm Allison	June 8, 2001	Houston
3	\$2.8 billion	Hurricane Rita	Sept. 24, 2005	Sabine Pass
4	\$1.1 billion	Hail Storm	May 5, 1995	North Texas
5	\$885 million	Hail Storm	April 5, 2003	North Texas
6	\$795 million	Hurricane Alicia	Aug. 18, 1983	Galveston
7	\$750 million	Hailstorm	April 28, 1992	Ft. Worth-Waco
8	\$500 million	Hurricane Dolly	July 23, 2008	Port Mansfield
9	\$445 million	Tornado	March 28, 2000	Ft. Worth
10	\$425 million	Hail Storm	April 28, 1995	DFW airport
11	\$400 million	Tornado/Hail	April 24, 1994	Lancaster/Desoto
12	\$310 million	Hurricane Celia *	Aug. 3, 1970	Corpus Christi
13	\$291 million	Flooding	Oct. 1994	SE Texas
14	\$211 million	Flooding	Oct. 1998	SE Texas
15	\$210 million	Tornado	April 10, 1979	Wichita Falls
16	\$188 million	Hail/Winds	May 8, 1981	Palo Pinto to Dallas
17	\$175 million	Hail Storm	June 21, 2004	Amarillo

Figures were by compiled by the Insurance Council of Texas and verified by the Property Claim Services of the Insurance Services Office (ISO) and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Figures updated 01/22/2010 to include floodwater claims from the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

* NFIP has no flood dollar amounts for storms prior to 1978.