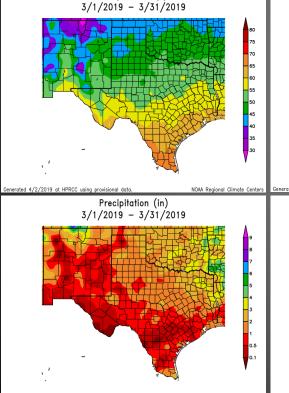
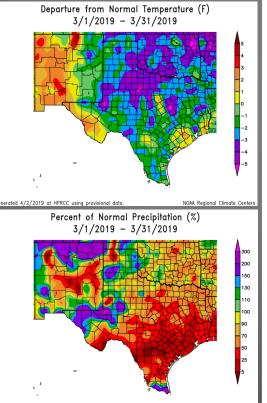
Regional Climate Summary

March 2019

This March was full of wild and eventful weather. The month began with an Arctic front that brought record cold temperatures to parts of the region including a record cold high of 35°F in Midland on the 4th. Temperatures then warmed 10-15°F degrees above normal just a few days later. A powerful storm system moved over the area on the 12th and produced widespread severe weather, and even a few tornadoes. The following day, a major wind storm occurred and a 103 mph wind gust was recorded in the Guadalupe Mountains! March ended up being wetter and cooler than normal, especially in the central Permian Basin.



Temperature (F)





Midland Int'l Airport March Statistics:

- Warmest Day: 89°F on the 29th
- Coldest Night: 20°F on the 5th
- Average Temperature: 54.2°F (Normal: 55.6°F)
- Precipitation Total: 0.80" (Normal: 0.60")
- Average Wind Speed: 11.8 mph
- Highest Wind Gust: 63 mph on the 13th

March	Precip Ranking	Temp Ranking
Alpine (1930-2019)	(0.40") Outside Top 25	(55.2°F) Outside Top 25
Carlsbad (1950-2019)	(0.23") Outside Top 25	(53.4°F) T-21st Coolest
Chisos Basin(1950-2019)	(0.04") T-22 nd Driest	(57.1°F) Outside Top 25
Fort Stockton (1940-2019)	(0.36") Outside Top 25	(57.3°F) Outside Top 25
Midland (1930-2019)	(0.80") 20 th Wettest	(54.2°F) Outside Top 25
Seminole (1930-2019)	(Trace) T-5 th Driest	(49.4°F) T-13 th Coolest
Snyder (1910-2019)	(1.22") Outside Top 25	(51.1°F) Outside Top 25



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