

For Immediate Release:

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**GEORGIA DOT ADVISES OF HAZARDOUS ROADWAY CONDITIONS
11:00 PM UPDATE**

WHEN: Now, and continuing overnight hours Sunday and throughout Monday.

WHERE: *Roads below are experiencing extremely slippery conditions with some parts currently impassable.*

COUNTY	ROADWAY	SECONDARY LOCATION
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*Northeast
Georgia*

TOWN	SR 180 EB/WB	MILE POST 0-2.45
WHITE	SR 348 EB/WB	MILE POST 0-7.03
UNION	SR 348 EB/WB	MILE POST 0-3.5

*East Central
Georgia*

NEWTON	I-20 WB	MILE POST 90 (SR 12)
NEWTON	I-20 EB/WB	MILE POST 93
NEWTON	SR 142 NB/SB	MILE POST 11.7 (I-20)
NEWTON	SR 81 EB/WB	MILE POST 6.06 (SR 162)

*West Central
Georgia*

MERRIWETHER	I-85 NB/SB	AT MILE POST 28 (SR 54)
COWETA	I-85 NB	MILE POST 36
COWETA	I-85 SB	MILE POST 41 (SR 14)
COWETA	I-85 SB	MILE POST 43
FAYETTE	SR 54 EB	MILL ST TO BYPASS RD

*Northwest
Georgia*

CARROLL	SR 16 SB	MILE POST 26.52 (HWY 5)
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CARROLL	SR 8 WB	MILE POST 1.24-5.23 (SR 113- PLEASANT GROVE CHURCH RD)
CARROLL	SR 61 NB/SB	MILE POST 2.45 (SANDHILL HICKORY LEVEL RD)
HARALSON	SR 1 NB/SB	MILE POST 7.70 (BUCHANAN BYPASS)
CARROLL	I-20 EB	MILE POST 21-30
PAULDING	SR 6 EB	PUMPKINVINE CREEK BRIDGE
NEWTON	162 EB/WB	MILE POST 10.10-11.34
PAULDING	SR 92 NB/SB	MILE POST 0.36-2.16
PAULDING	SR 61 NB/SB	MILE POST 7.17
PAULDING	SR 61 NB/SB	MILE POST 3.62 (NEBO RD)

Metro Atlanta Area

DEKALB	I-85 NB	EXIT 42 (RAMP)
DOUGLAS	SR 5 NB/SB	MILE POST 6.53 (DOG RIVER BRIDGE)
FULTON	I-85 SB	I-285 WB (RAMP)
FULTON	I-285 NB	I-20 EB (RAMP)
FULTON	I-285SB	MILE POST 7- 61 (CASCADE RD - I-85)
FULTON	I-85 NB	I-75/85 NB (RAMP)
FULTON	I-20WB	MILE POST 41 (LEE ST)
FULTON	SR 14 NB/SB	MILE POST 12.50 (ROOSEVELT HWY)
FULTON	SR 138	MILE POST 1.55 (SR 14 & SR 92)
FULTON	I-85NB	MILE POST 64 (SR 138)
DOUGLAS	SR 6 NB	I-20
FULTON	SR 6 EB/WB	MILE POST 10.69 (HERSCHEL RD)
DEKALB	I-20 EB	WESLEY CHAPEL RD
FULTON	SR 14 NB/SB	MILE POST 11.79 (WELCOME ALL RD)
FULTON	SR 14 NB/SB	MILE POST 6.67 (SENOIA RD)

WHAT: Snow, sleet, freezing rain and sustained temperatures below freezing are causing extremely hazardous driving conditions throughout Georgia. Significant accumulations of snow are occurring from the Metro Atlanta area; dangerous icing is expected across the entire advisory area. Georgia DOT has marshaled all available assets from throughout the state and will respond in strength but encourages the public to refrain from all but absolutely necessary driving until at least Tuesday.