

occluded front *(oc-clud-ed-front)*

Definition

n. a weather phenomenon that occurs when a cold front overtakes a warm front, causing the warm air mass to be lifted off the ground, which can lead to precipitation and changes in weather patterns.

Example Sentence

The meteorologist explained that an **occluded front** was moving into the area, bringing rain and cooler temperatures.

More Example Sentences

As the **occluded front** passed, the skies darkened and thunder could be heard in the distance.

Synonyms

weather front; occlusion

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