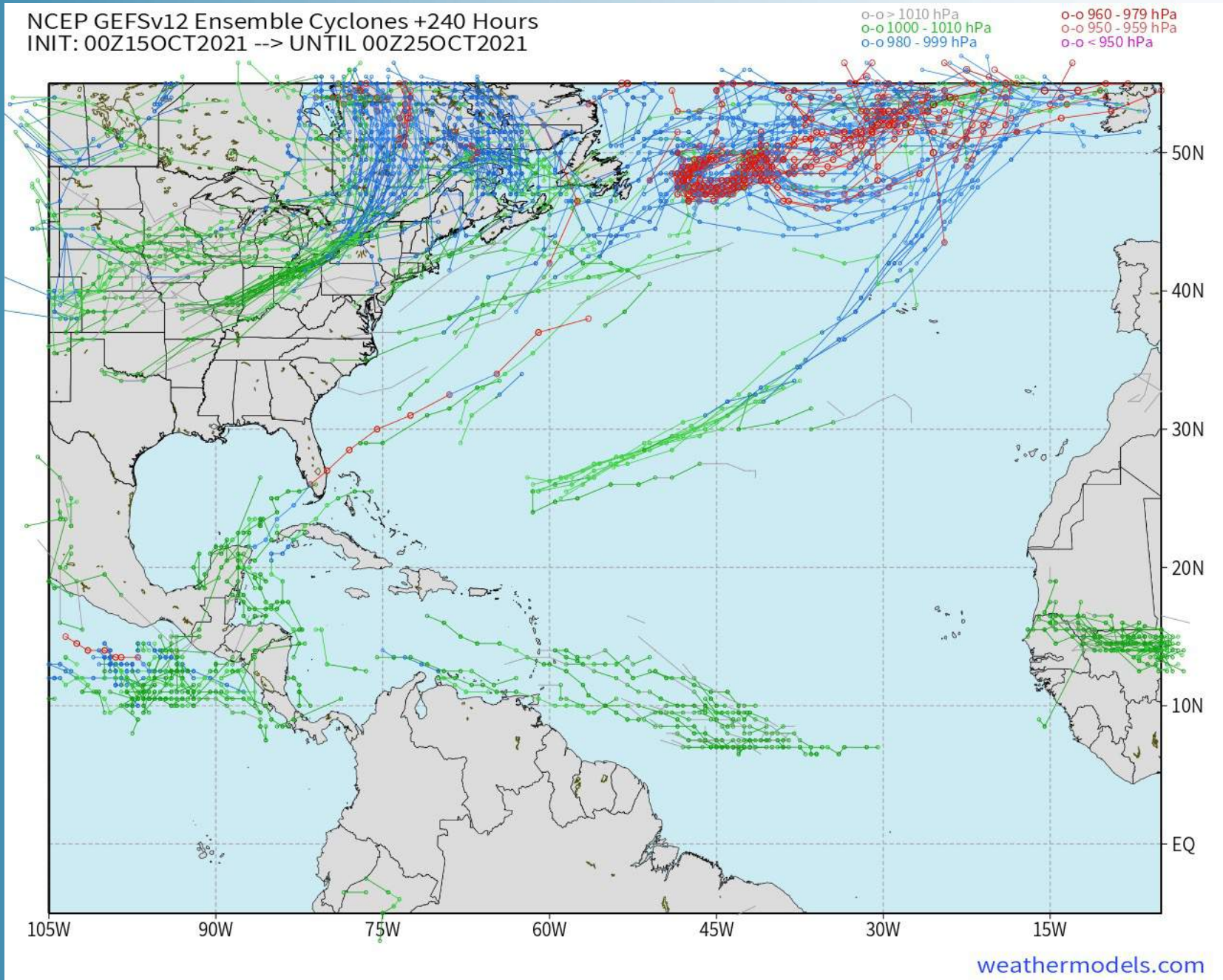


**Updated: 5:00 AM CT, Friday, October 15, 2021**

- **As always, please do not hesitate to reach out to us with any forecast questions via the chat option on the Weather Porthole or our on-call number, **(317)-560-8122** press 1 for forecast questions.**

# Tropical Update:

## American Ensemble 10-days Tracks



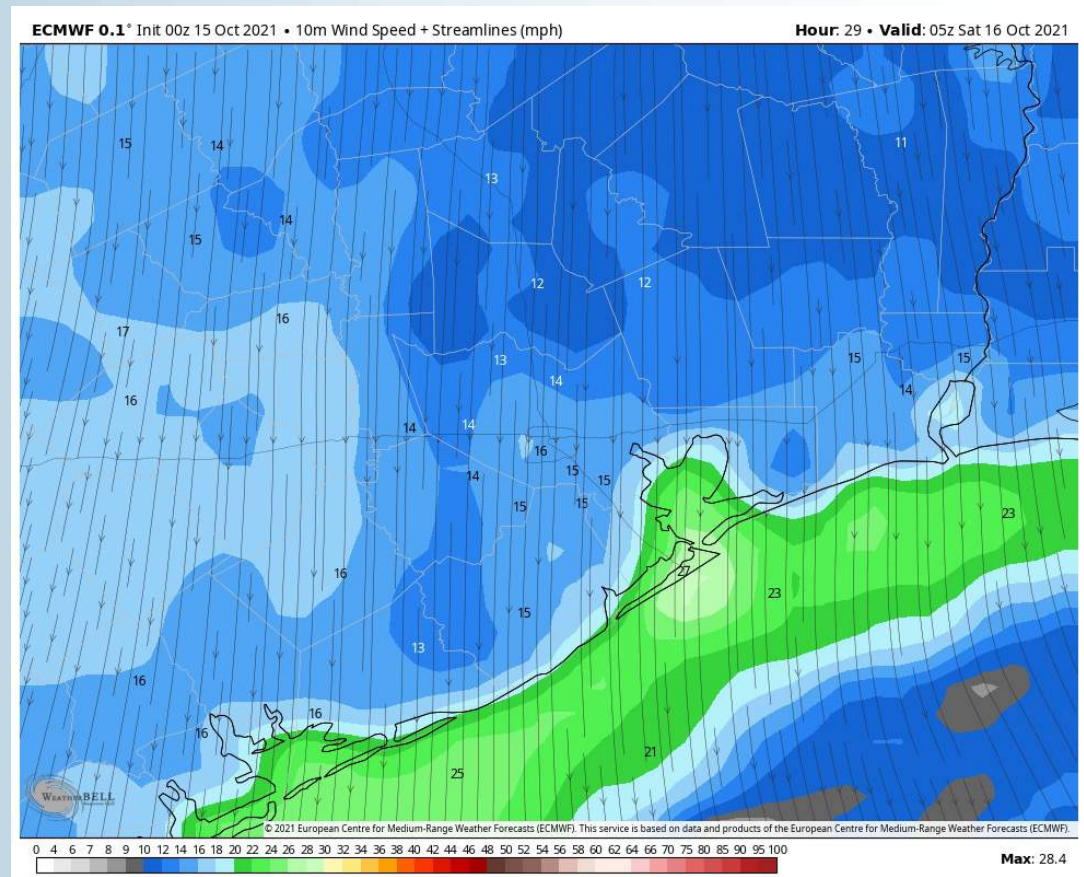
- We continue to favor the Gulf to remain quiet at least for the next 7-10 days.



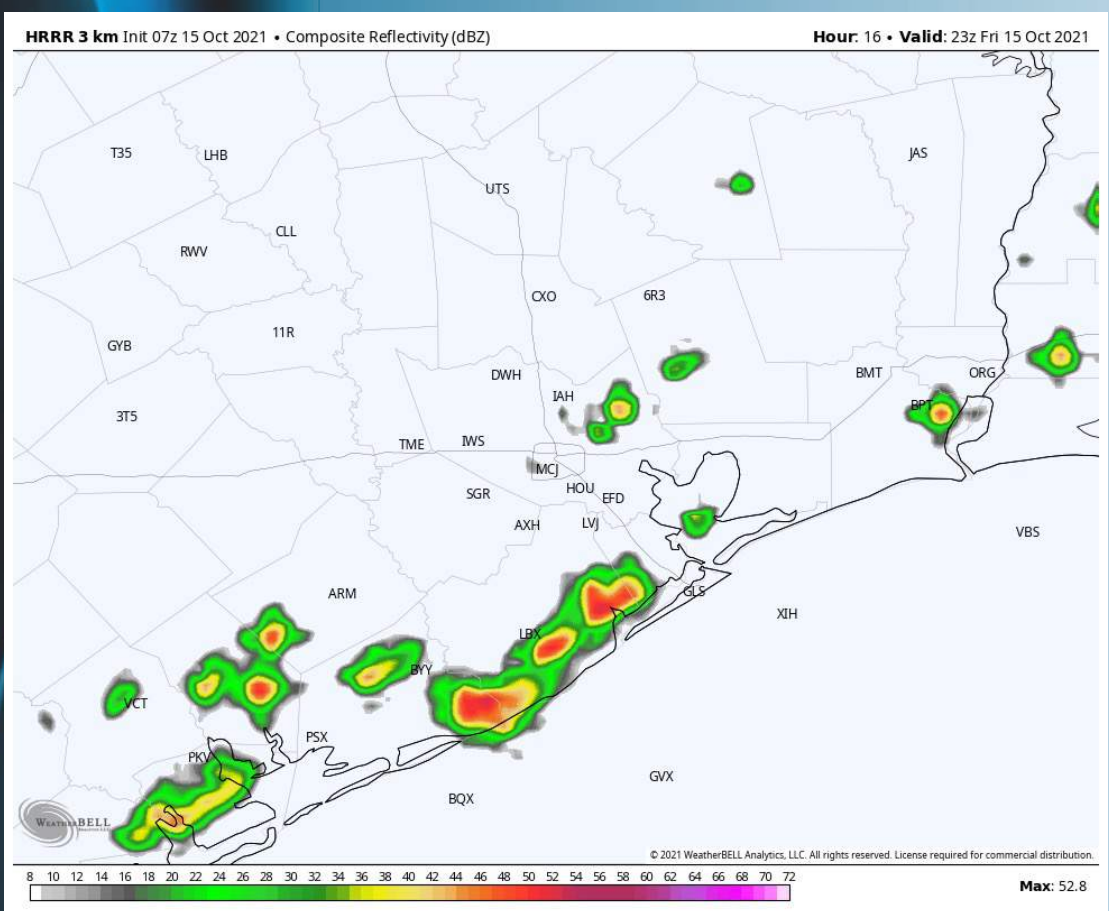
## Short-Term Forecast Discussion

- Mostly dry conditions are favored this morning outside of a very isolated shower. Mostly dry conditions are favored out through 5 PM (extremely isolated chances of shower). Best chances will be from 5 PM – 10 PM for a few scattered showers – and perhaps a rumble of thunder – out ahead and along a cold front.
- Winds are anticipated to continue to slow a bit throughout the morning into the early afternoon sustained out of the S/ SSW around 5 – 10 MPH with gust around 15 MPH possible. Winds start to shift more out of the north around 7 – 8 PM with a sharp uptick around 10 PM – midnight into the early morning hours of Saturday. Winds around midnight are expected to be around the 15 – 25 MPH sustained and gust around 30 – 40 MPH possible. Sustained winds towards the boarding station may approach 30 MPH at this time as well.
- Mid 80s are again favored for the day Friday. Warmer temps expected towards the HOU metro.
- **Fog is not expected for Friday.**

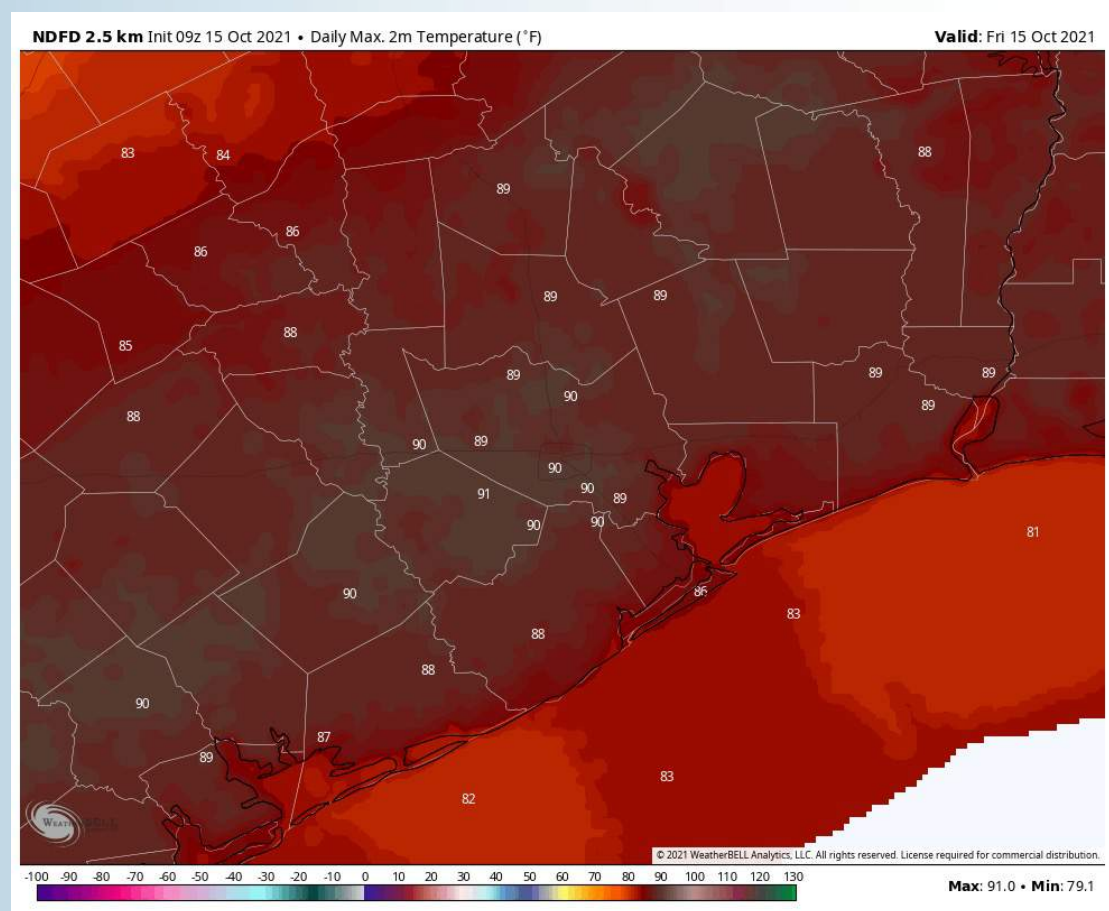
## Sustained Winds (12 AM CT)



## Simulated Radar Snapshot (6 PM CT)



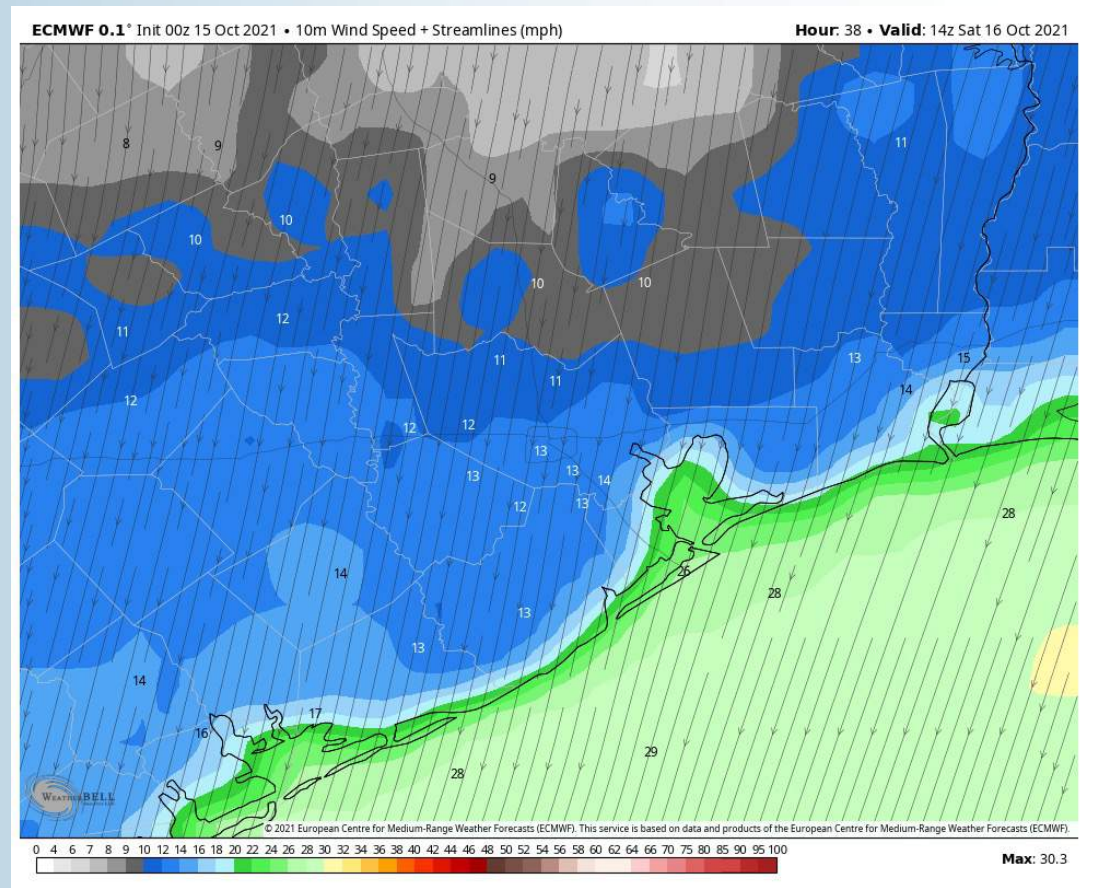
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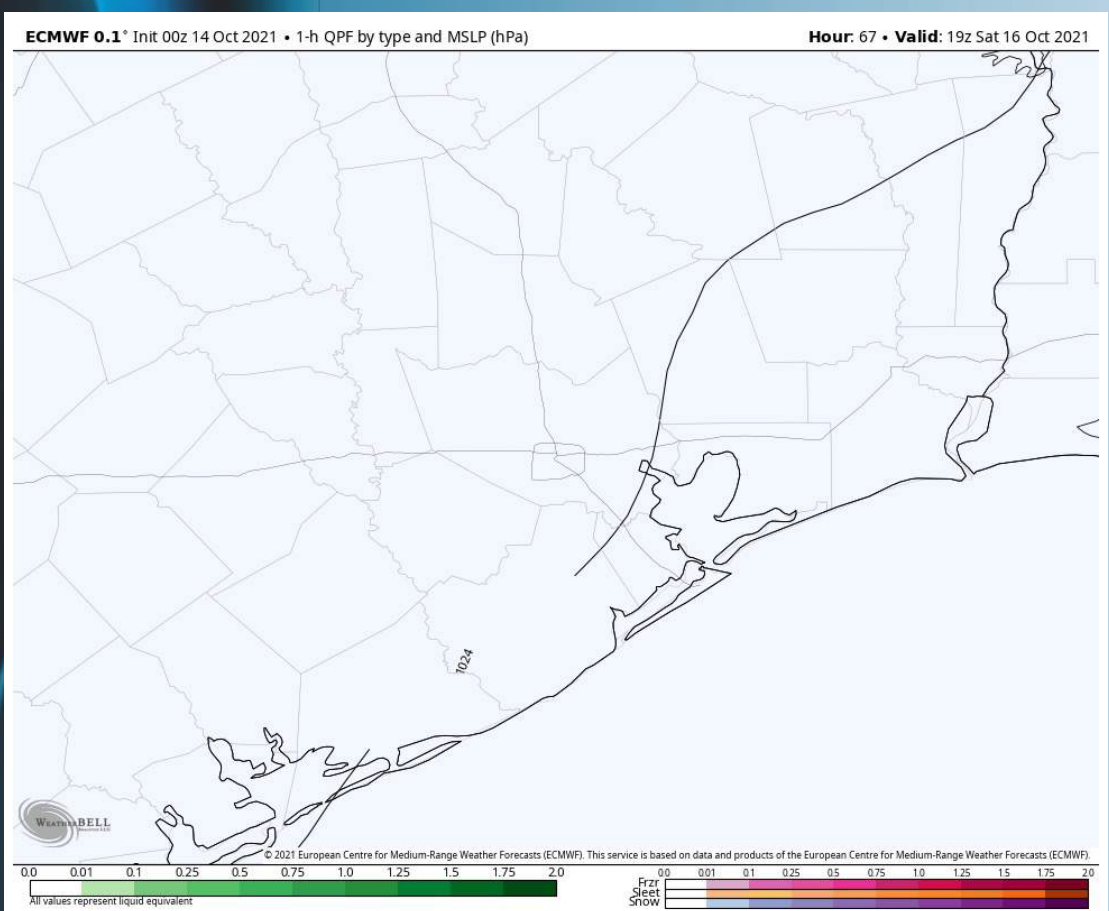
## Short-Term Forecast Discussion

- A much cooler and drier day is expected on Saturday, remaining quite windy as well.
- Winds are still expected to be 15-25 MPH sustained from the NNE throughout the morning hours with gust around 35 MPH (isolated gust around 40 MPH still possible towards the boarding station). Winds slowly begin to taper off into the afternoon. However, winds will still be a bit elevated, sustained out of the NNE around 10 – 20 MPH and gust around 25 MPH throughout the afternoon/ evening.
- Mid 70s are favored for the day Saturday.
- **Fog is not expected for Saturday.**

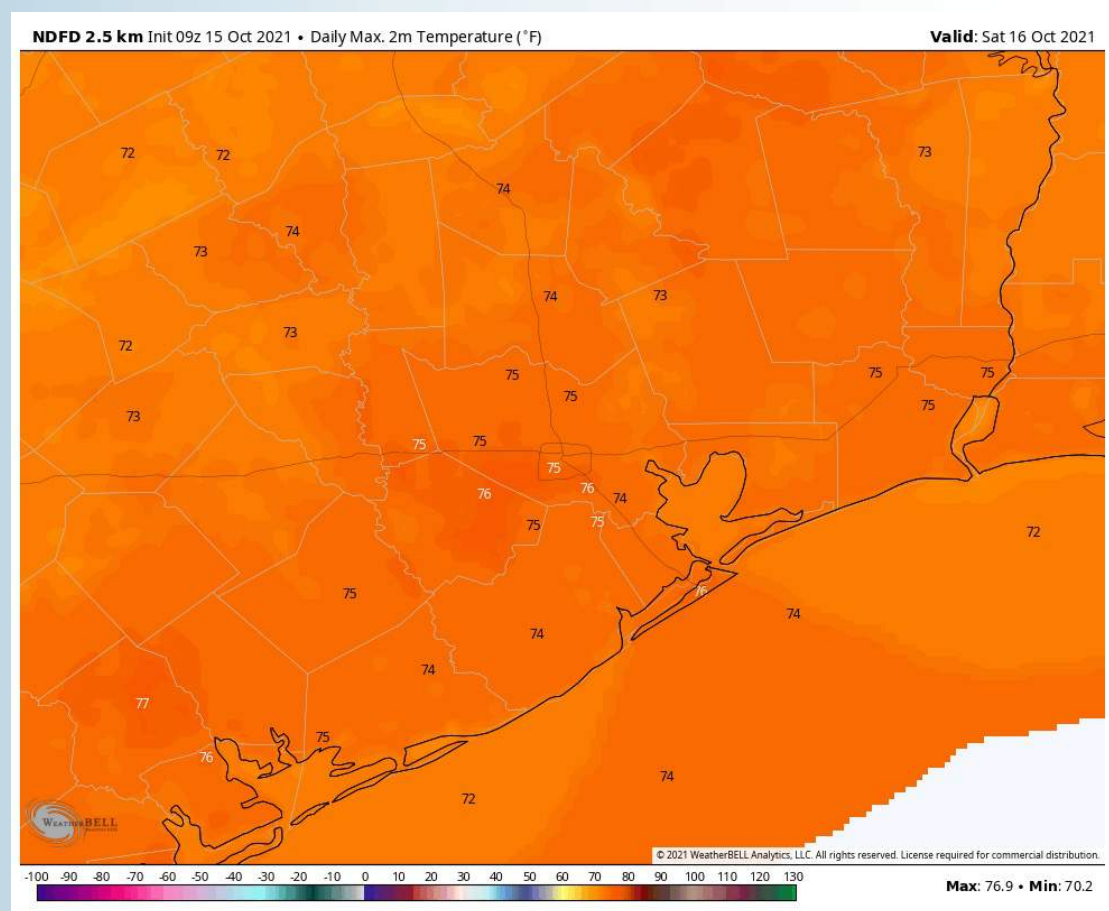
## Sustained Winds (9 AM CT)



## Simulated Radar Snapshot (2 PM CT)



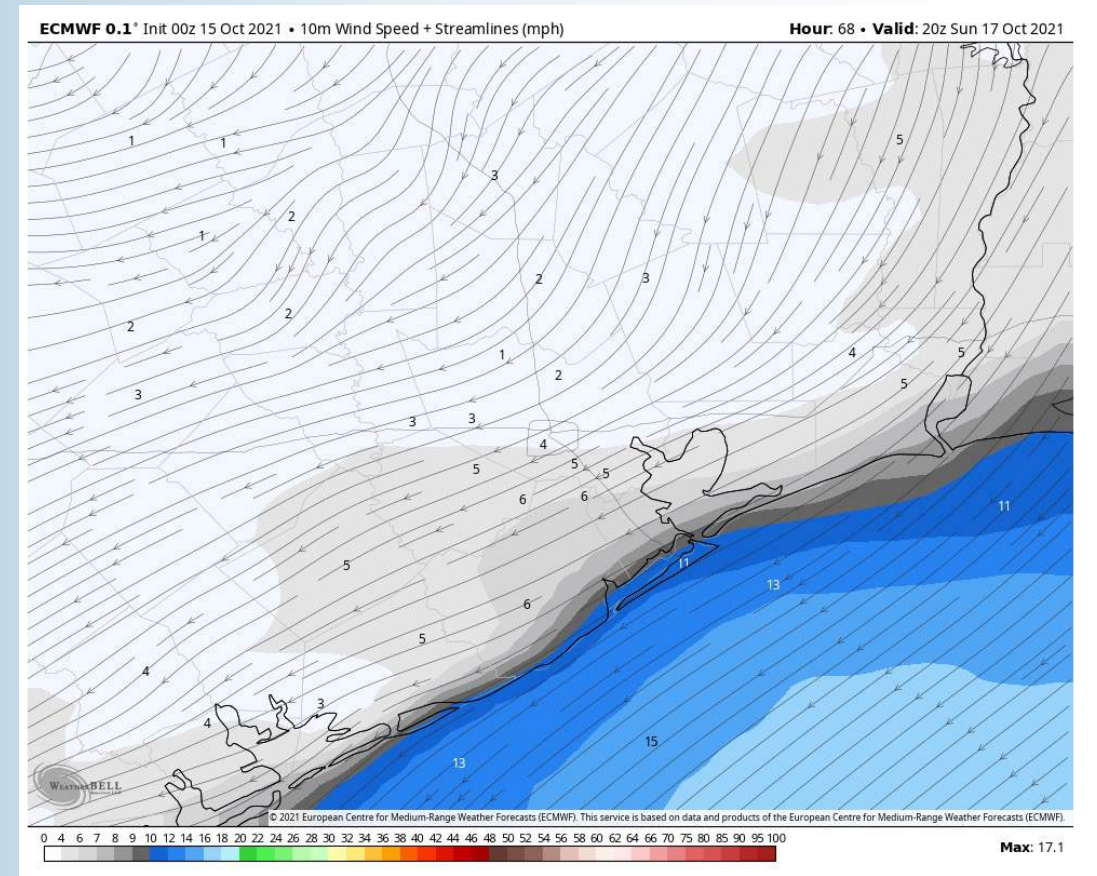
## High Temps Saturday



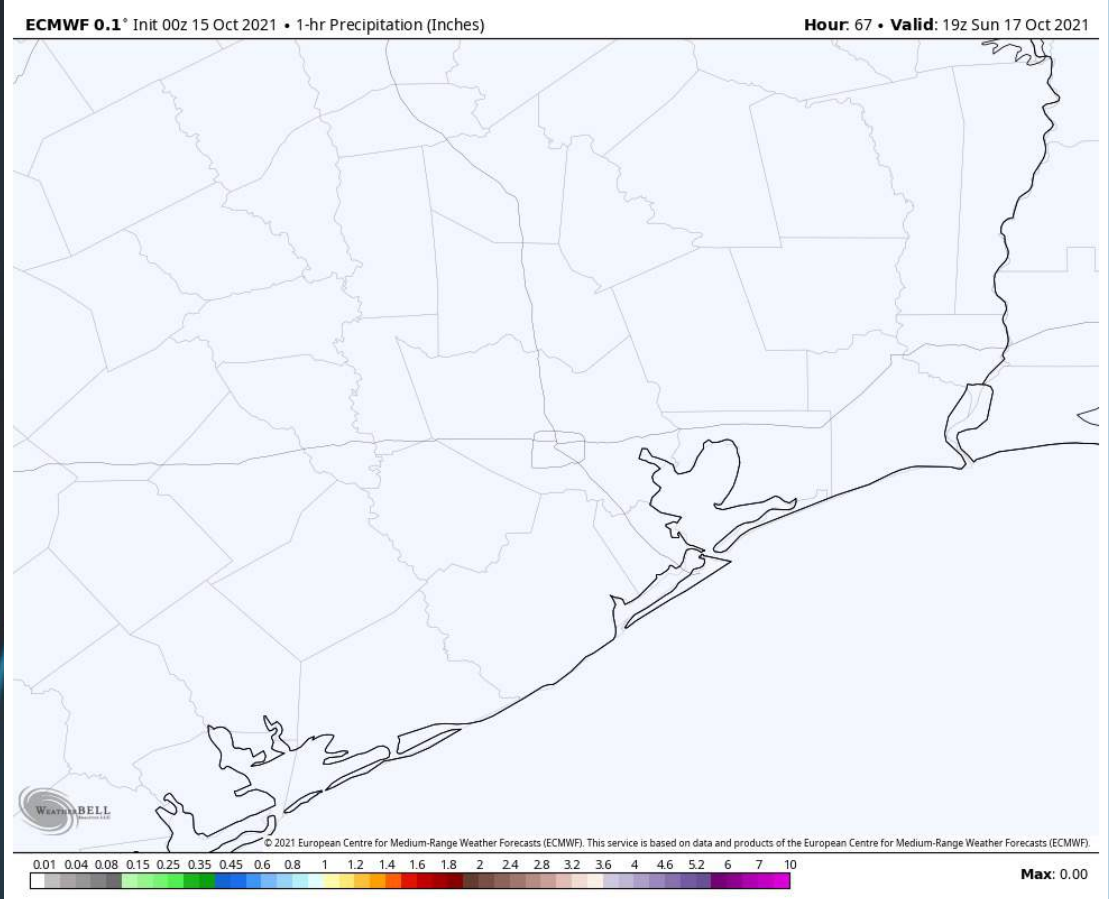
## Short-Term Forecast Discussion

- Another dry day is anticipated for Sunday
- Winds are expected to continue to weaken throughout the day on Sunday, although they may be slightly elevated around 10 – 20 MPH sustained in the morning hours. Into the afternoon, winds slow down to about 5 – 10 MPH sustained. Winds are anticipated to be out of the NE throughout the day.
- High Temperatures on Sunday look to once again get in the mid 70's F.
  - **Fog is not expected for Sunday.**

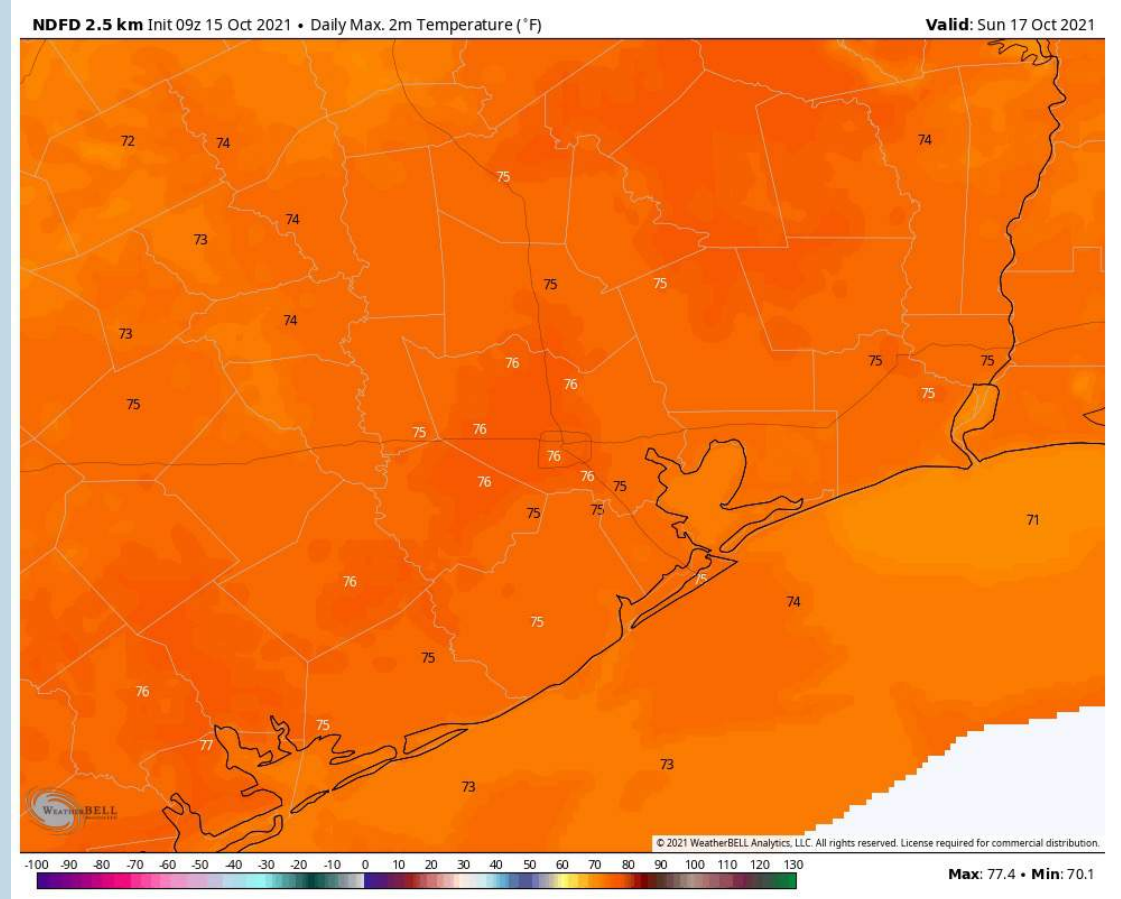
## Sustained Winds (3 PM CT)



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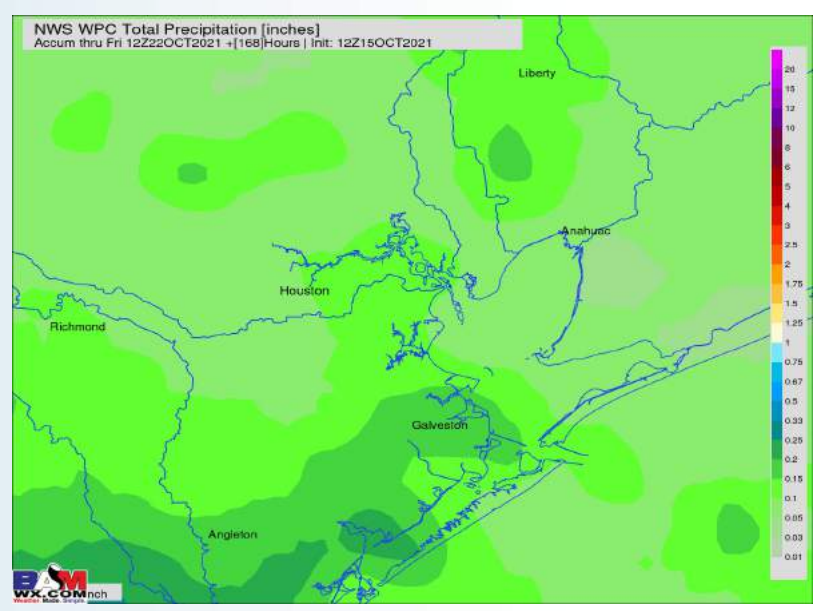
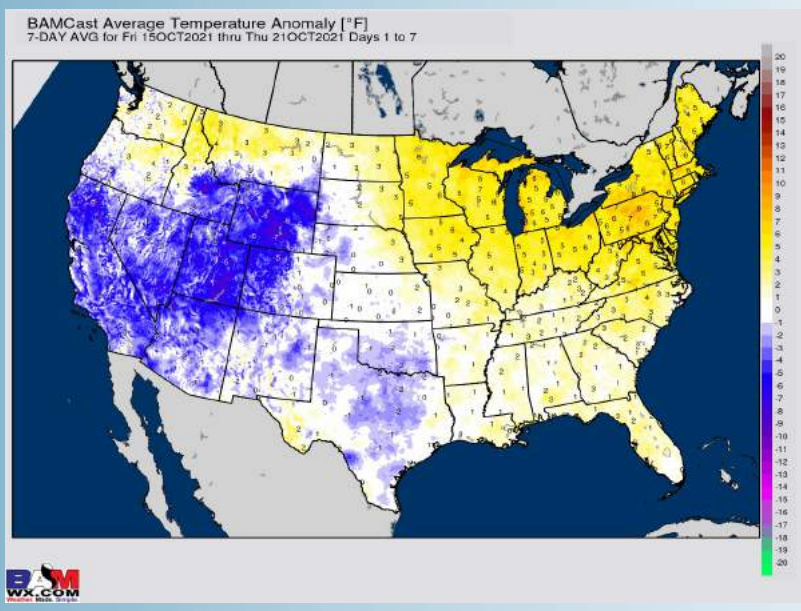
## Low Temps Fri Morning



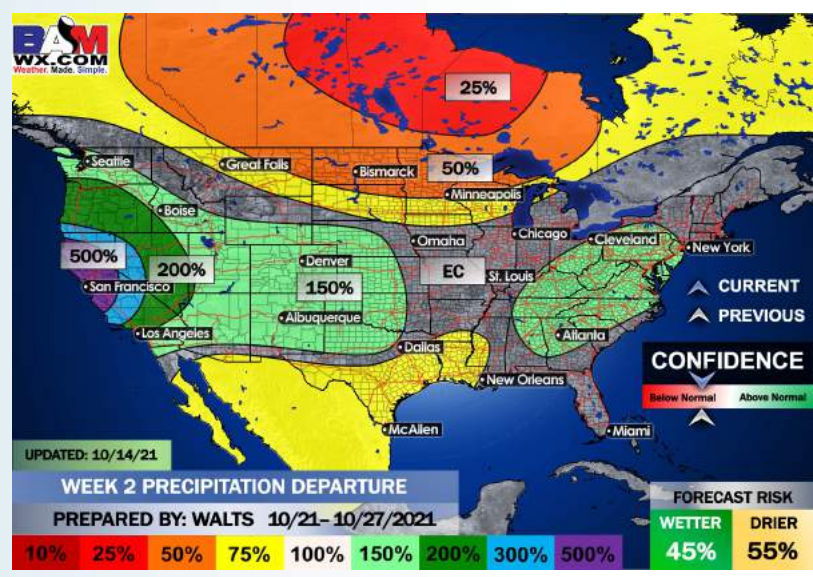
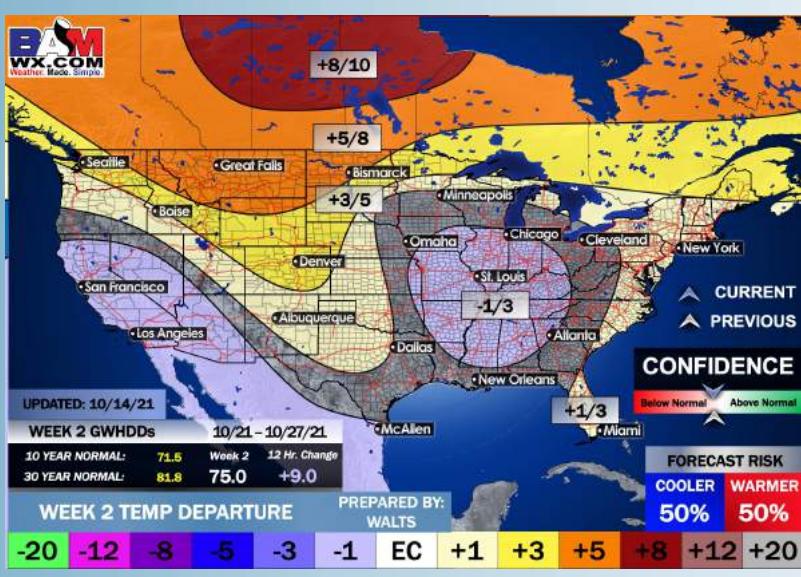
## Long-Range Forecast Discussion

- Temps look to average out to near normal the next 7 days. An overall quieter period is anticipated with scattered chances possible again by next THU – FRI.
  
- The week 2 timeframe is expected to have below average temps with slightly below average risks for precip. Not eyeing a specific threat for a tropical storm or hurricane at this distance but will need to continue to monitor for potential development.
  
- Right now, we have risks slightly below normal temps and normal to slightly below normal precip for the weeks 3/4 period. We will continue to monitor for tropical disturbances during this time.

## Week 1 Forecast



## Week 2 Forecast



## Weeks 3/4 Forecast

