# **Houston Pilots Forecast Package**

Updated: 1:00 PM CT

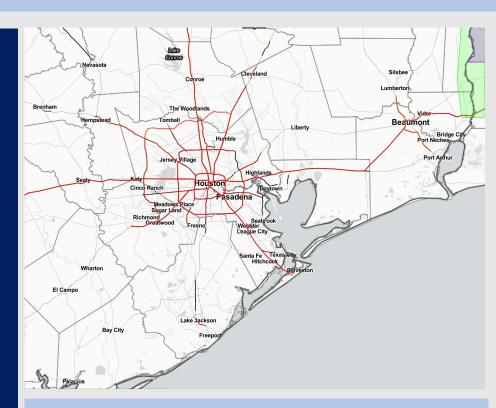
Monday, December 26, 2022





### **Weather Headlines**

- Favoring mostly dry conditions the next couple days with rain chances returning for the back half of the week. Best chances of rain come Thu/Fri where there could be some locally heavier rains.
- Eyeing the back half of the week for winds to turn more out of the SE and allow for multiple days where reduced visibility will need to be monitored. More details on the extended visibility slide.
- Temps will remain above normal after ~Wednesday.



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### **Houston Pilots Extended Range Visibility Report**





**Possible** 

#### **Thursday 12/29/22**

Winds coming from the S + low level moisture will lead to reduced visibility potential. Given rain in the forecast at this time, this is likely a mix of patchy fog and rain that lower visibilities.



#### **Saturday 12/31/22**

Fog risk will continue into Saturday, although at this distance the opportunity is slightly lower than Thu/Fri.

	Confidence	
Above Normal		Below Normal

#### Friday 12/30/22

Similar to Thursday, reduced visibility is certainly possible Friday with rain likely still around the area and data suggestive conditions for fog being on the table.

Con	fidence
Above	Below
Normal	Normal

Chance for Reduced Visibility

Chance for Readoca Fig	Jionity
Thursday AM	Possible
Thursday PM	Possible
Friday AM	Possible
Friday PM	Possible
Saturday AM	Possible

Saturday PM

# **Houston Pilots Visibility Report**





### Confidence

Above Normal

Below Normal

Time		Mon 1pm		Mon 3pm			Mon 6pm	Mon 7pm		Mon 9pm	Mon 10pm	Mon 11pm			Tue 2am	Tue 3am							Tue 10am	Tue 11am				Tue 3pm	Tue 4pm	Tue 5pm	Tue 6pm	Tue 7pm	Tue 8pm	Tue 9pm	Tue 10pm	Tue 11pm
610 Bridge	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Kinder 1	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Greens Bayou	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Shell Crude	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
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Exxon 3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Morgans Point	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
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# **Houston Pilots Wind Report**







Sustained wind 13 Knots

Gusts 18 Knots

Wind from the N

WS: 13 G:18 N

Example

Time Knots			Mon 2pm	Mon 3pm	Mon 4pm	Mon 5pm	Mon 6pm		Mon 8pm		Mon 10pm	Mon 11pm		Tue 1am	Tue 2am	Tue 3am	Tue 4am	Tue 5am	Tue 6am	Tue 7am	Tue 8am	Tue 9am	Tue 10am	Tue 11am	Tue 12pm	Tue 1pm	Tue 2pm	Tue 3pm	Tue 4pm	Tue 5pm	Tue 6pm	Tue 7pm	Tue 8pm	Tue 9pm	Tue 10pm	Tue 11pm
610 Bridge	5 8 N	1 6 N	3 9 NNW	6 9 NNW	3 6 NW	4 6 NW	4 6 NNW	4 7 NW	3 5 NNW	4 6 NNW	4 7 NNW	5 13 NW	6 16 N	8 17 N	8 18 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	7 10 N	6 8 N	6 7 N	4 6 NNE	4 5 NNE	4 5 NNE	3 5 NE	4 5 E	5 5 SE	5 5 ESE	4 6 SE	4 5 SSE	4 5 SSE	4 5 SSE	4 5 SE
Kinder 1	5 8 N	1 6 NNW	2 9 NNW	5 9 N	3 6 NW	4 6 NNW	4 6 NW	4 7 N	3 5 NNW	4 6 NNW	4 7 NNW	5 13 NW	6 16 N	8 17 N	8 18 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	6 10 N	5 10 N	6 10 N	7 10 N	6 7 N	5 7 N	4 6 NNF	3 5 NNE	3 5 NNF	3 4 NF	3 4 F	5 5 FSF	4 5 ESE	4 5 SF	4 5 SSE	4 5 SSE	4 5 SSF	4 5 SE
Greens Bayou	4 6 N	1 6 SSE	1 9 NNW	4 9 N	3 6 N	4 7 N	4 6 N	4 6 N	3 4 N	4 5 NNW	4 6 NNW	5 12 NW	5 16 N	7 17 N	8 16 N	6 11	6 10	6 10	6 10	5 10	6 10	7 10 N	6 8	5 7 N	4 6	4 5 NNE	3 5 NNE	3 4 NE	4	5 5 ESE	4 5 ESE	4 5 SE	4 5 SSE	4 5 SSE	4 4 SSE	4 5 SSE
Shell Crude	5 6	1 6 N	2 9	5 9	3 6 NNW	4 7 N	3 6	4 6	2 3	4 4 NNW	4 5 NNW	5 11 NW	5 15	7 17	8 16	7 12 N	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 8	6 8 NNE	5 7 NNE	4 6	4 5 NNE	3 5 NE	4 5 ENE	5 5	5 5	5 5	5 5	4 5 SSE	4 5	4 5 SSE
Lynchburg Ferries	5 6	1 6	3 6 NW	5 9 NNW	2 6 N	2 7	3 3 ENE	3 3 N	3	4 4 NNW	4 5 NW	5 10	5 14 NNW	7 17	8 17 N	8 13 N	9 13	9 13	9 12	9 12	9 12	8 11	8 9	6 8	5 7	5 6	4 5	4 5 NE	5 5 ENE	5 5 ESE	6 6	6 7	6 7 SSE	6 6 SSE	6 6	6 6 SSE
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1 & 2 Bravo	11 11 N	11 11 N	8 8 N	7 7 N	9 10 N	5 5 N	6 7 N	9 11 N	9 11 N	9 12 N	10 13 N	8 12	8 12	11 15 NNW	16 21 N	16 19 N	16 18 N	15 17 N	15 17 N	14 17 NNE	14 16 N	13 15 NNE	12 14 NNE	10 12 NNE	9 10 N	7 9 NNE	6 8 NNE	5 7 NNE	5 7 NE	5 6 ENE	4 6 ESE	6 7 SE	7 7 SE	7 8 SE	8 9	9 10 SSE

## Houston Pilots: Mon. 12/26/2022





### **Forecast Discussion**

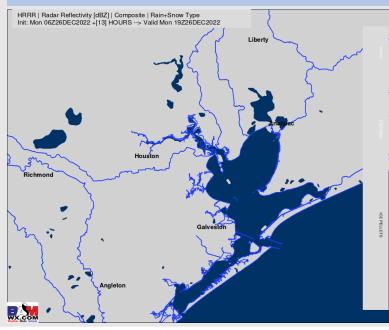
**Precip:** Anticipating dry weather the rest of the day.

Wind: Winds continue out of the north between 5-10 knots coming from the north. See slide below for front passing early Tue AM.

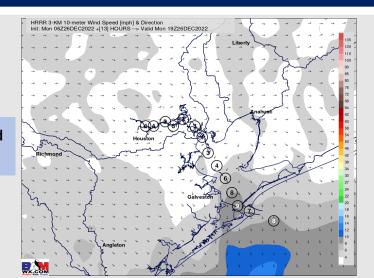
Temps: Lows fall back to near freezing for most locations, upper 30s near the boarding station.

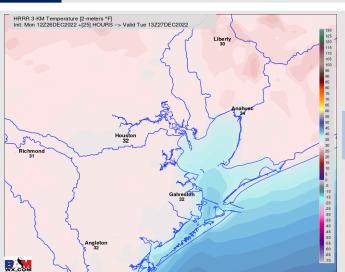
Visibility: No reduced visibility expected.

#### **Precip Forecast: M CT**



Wind Speed 5 PM CT





Low Temps Tonight

## Houston Pilots: Tue. 12/27/2022





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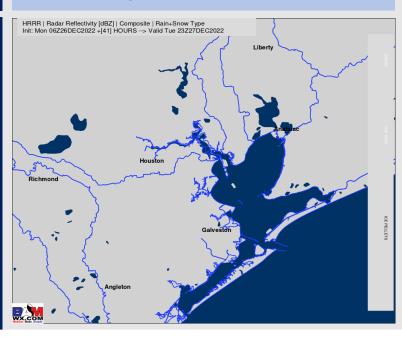
**Precip:** Tuesday is favored to stay dry.

Wind: Around 1-2 AM a front will work through the area and increase winds from the NNW. Expecting a period of sustained winds 15-20 knots from ~1 AM to 10 AM (gusts 20-25 kts possible). Beyond this, winds will be 5-10 knots sustained for the rest of the day. Right around sundown, winds likely shift out of the SE.

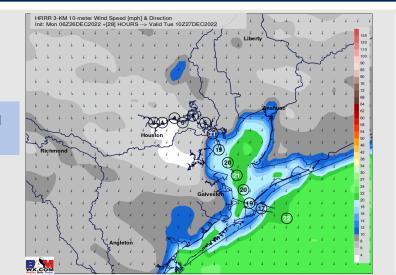
**Temps:** Tuesday's highs favored to top out in the upper 50s.

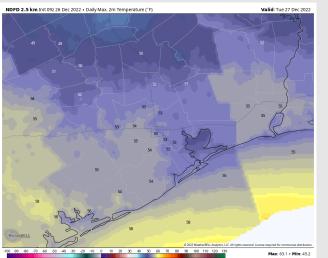
Visibility: Not anticipating any visibility concerns at this time.

#### **Precip Forecast: 3 PM CT**



Wind Speed 3 AM CT





High Temps Tuesday

## Houston Pilots: Wed. 12/28/2022





### **Forecast Discussion**

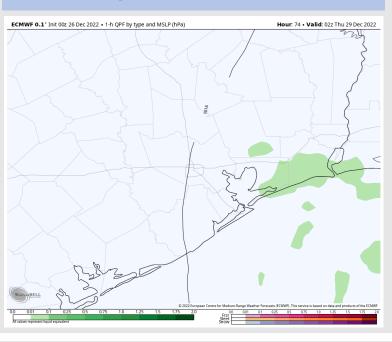
Precip: The AM hours will stay dry, however the late PM into the evening hours will be favored to see some spotty, hit and miss rain showers work back into the picture. Chances overall ~30-40%.

Wind: Winds will consistently be out of the SE Wednesday. The morning hours sees sustained winds 5-10 knots with gusts to 15, while the afternoon hours are more 8-13 knots with gusts to 18 knots.

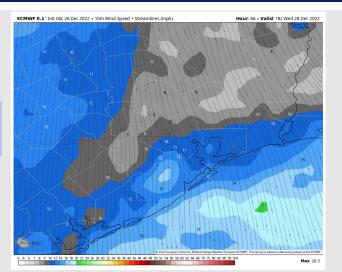
Temps: Wednesday will be much warmer, highs in the upper 60s to lower 70s.

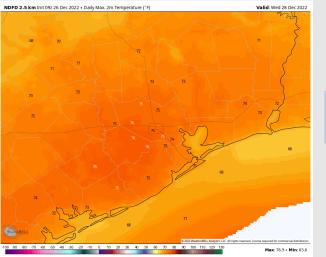
Visibility: Worth watching the late evening hours of Wednesday for an increased reduced visibility threat.

#### **Precip Forecast: 7 PM CT**



Wind Speed 9 AM CT



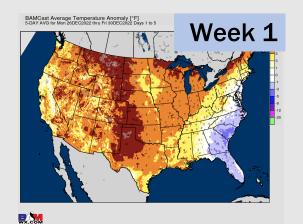


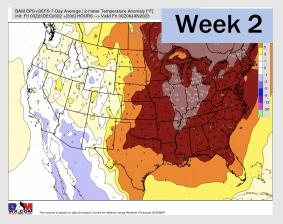
High Temps Wednesday

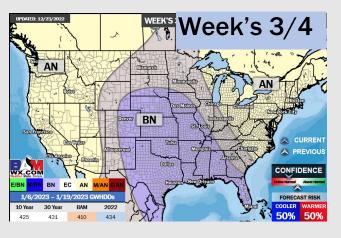
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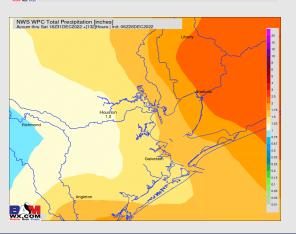


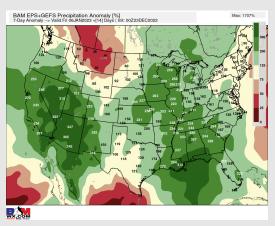


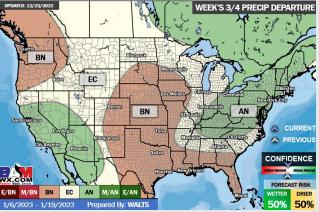












- > An overall dry forecast is expected the next few days with the better shot for rain moving in Thursday (low chances late Wed). Temperatures rise to above average to end the year.
- Week 2 precipitation is expected to be above normal for the week 2 timeframe.
  Temperatures are to be much above normal.
- ► Below normal moisture and cooler weather is expected in the weeks 3/4 timeframe.