

# Houston Pilots Forecast Package



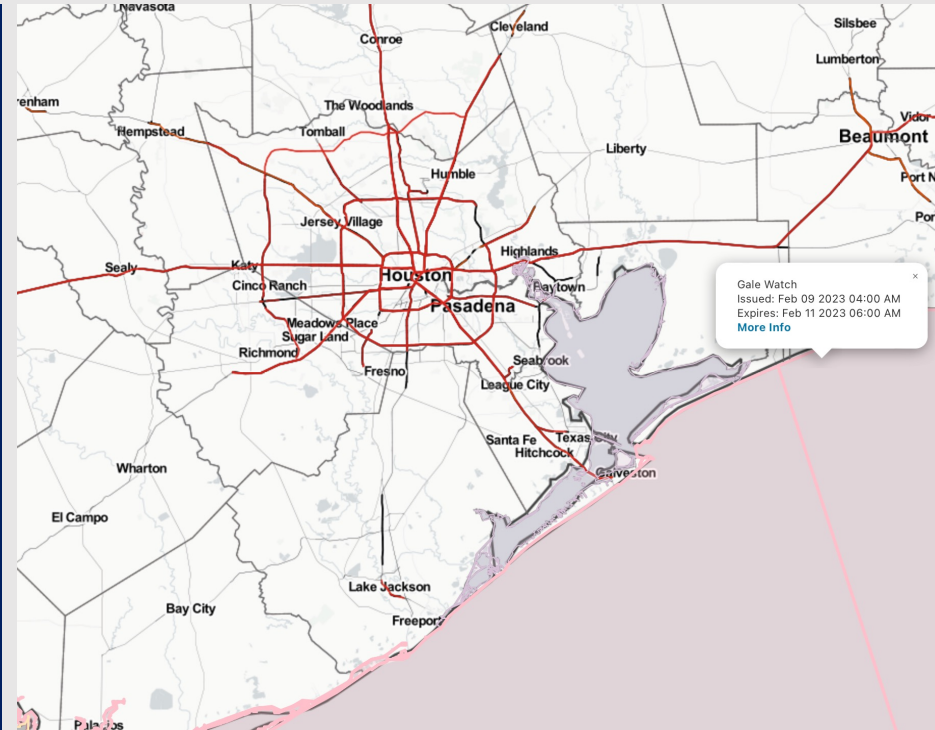
Updated: 5:00 AM CT

Thursday, February 9, 2023

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## Weather Headlines

- **Anticipating areas of patchy fog to stay W and N of stations.**
- **Anticipating dry conditions over the next 3 days.**
- **Calm winds throughout the entire day today before elevated winds pick up again early Friday morning and continue through Saturday evening.**



**Radar/NWS Alerts: 5:00 AM CT**



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# Houston Pilots Extended Range Visibility Report



## Sunday 2/12/23

Southeasterly winds in the 10-15kt range will be possible. As such, sea fog cannot be ruled out towards the late evening hours Sunday.



## Monday 2/13/23

Winds look to be from the SE on Monday out ahead of another cold front. Plentiful low-level moisture ahead of the front will be possible, making sea fog a risk Monday.



## Tuesday 2/14/23

Elevated winds from the SE will continue during the AM hours, with a possible shift towards the w/SW by the PM hours on Tuesday will continue the sea fog risk.



## Chance for Reduced Visibility

Sunday AM	Unlikely
Sunday PM	Possible
Monday AM	Possible
Monday PM	Possible
Tuesday AM	Possible
Tuesday PM	Possible

# Houston Pilots Visibility Report



Time	Thu 4am	Thu 5am	Thu 6am	Thu 7am	Thu 8am	Thu 9am	Thu 10am	Thu 11am	Thu 12pm	Thu 1pm	Thu 2pm	Thu 3pm	Thu 4pm	Thu 5pm	Thu 6pm	Thu 7pm	Thu 8pm	Thu 9pm	Thu 10pm	Thu 11pm	Fri 12am	Fri 1am	Fri 2am	Fri 3am	Fri 4am	Fri 5am	Fri 6am	Fri 7am	Fri 8am	Fri 9am	Fri 10am	Fri 11am	Fri 12pm	Fri 1pm	Fri 2pm	Fri 3pm		
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Refer to the slides above for the official BAM forecast. The chart is likely not 100% accurate with fog.



# Houston Pilots: Thur. 2/9/2023



## Forecast Discussion

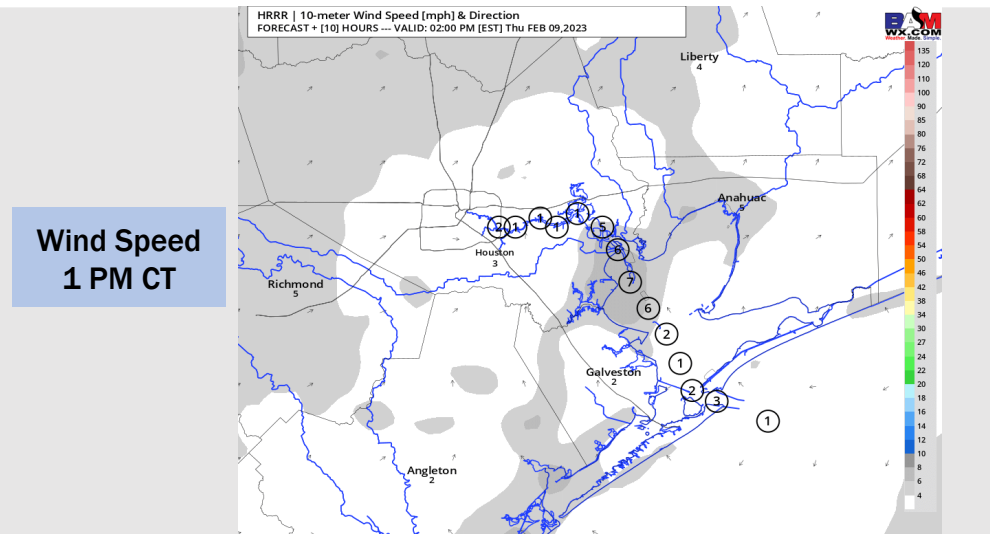
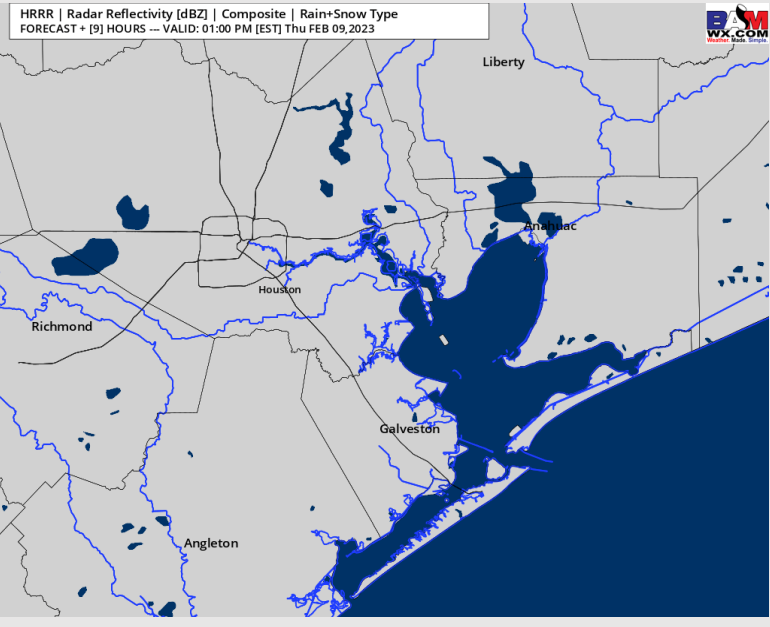
**Precip:** Anticipating dry conditions for all of today.

**Wind:** Winds will be subsiding during the early AM hours behind the exiting cold front to 2– 7 kts across all stations by 6 AM. Winds will then remain at such values for the entire day. Winds will be mostly variable in direction with with instances of being out of the W / SW.

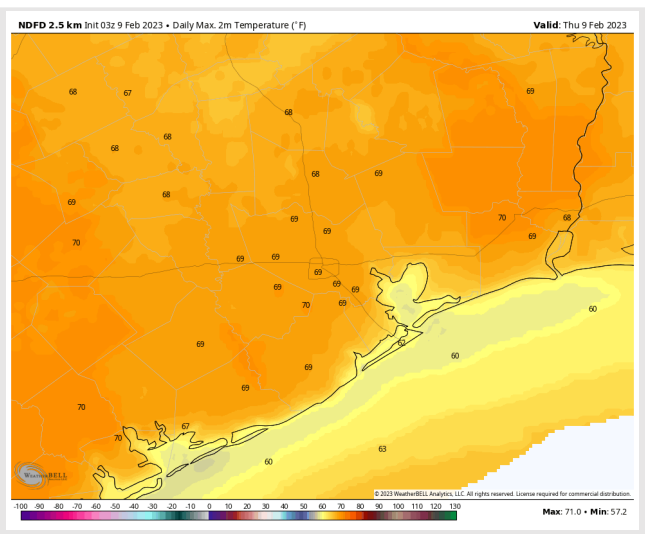
**Temps:** High temperatures will be in the upper 60s F north of Morgan’s Point and in the mid 60s south of Morgan’s Point. Temps near the Boarding Station will be near 60.

**Visibility:** Areas of patchy radiation fog expected to stay W and N of stations. Not anticipating any fog concerns to impact stations at this time.

## Precip Forecast: 12 PM CT



Wind Speed  
1 PM CT



High Temps  
Today

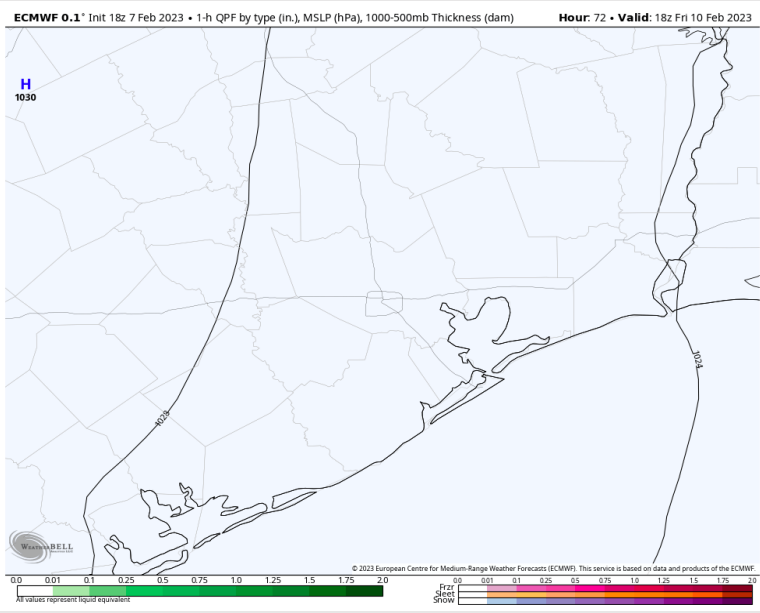
# Houston Pilots: Fri. 2/10/2023



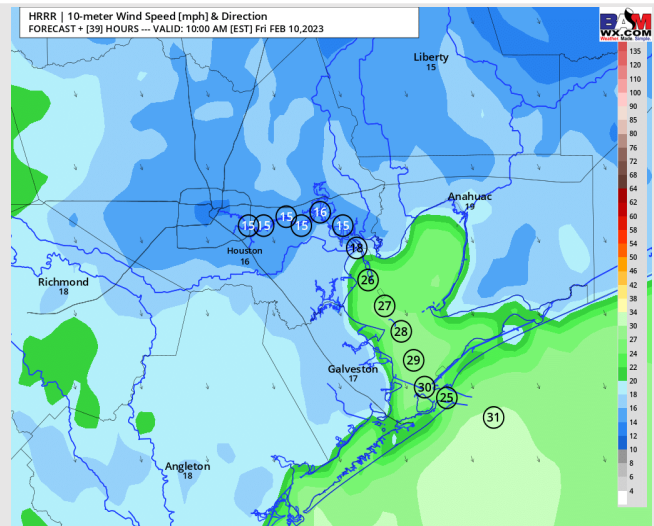
## Forecast Discussion

- Precip:** Anticipating a dry day for Friday.
- Wind:** Sustained winds will be from the NW on Friday. Winds will start out at less than 6 kts across all stations until 3 AM, where winds will then pickup to 10 – 16 kts north of Morgan’s Point and 16 – 22 kts south of Morgan’s Point by 9 AM. By 12 PM winds will be 18 – 24 kts across all stations. From 6 – 12 PM winds will calm north of Morgan's point to 4 – 7 kts but remain elevated south of Morgan's point at 12 – 20 kts. **Wind gusts could be as high as 30 kts across all stations from 8 AM – 4 PM. After 4 PM, 30 kt gusts will be possible mainly at 11/12 and the Boarding Station.**
- Temps:** High temperatures Friday will be in the mid to upper 50s F across all stations.
- Visibility:** Not anticipating any visibility concerns at this time.

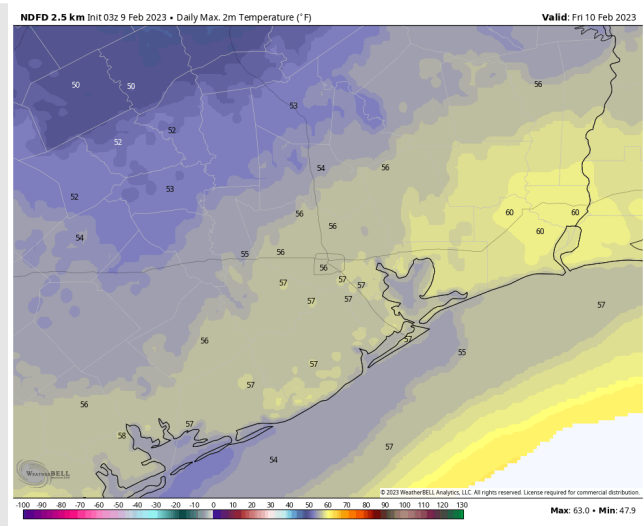
## Precip Forecast: 12 PM CT



Wind Speed  
9 AM CT



High Temps  
Friday



# Houston Pilots: sat. 2/11/2023



## Forecast Discussion

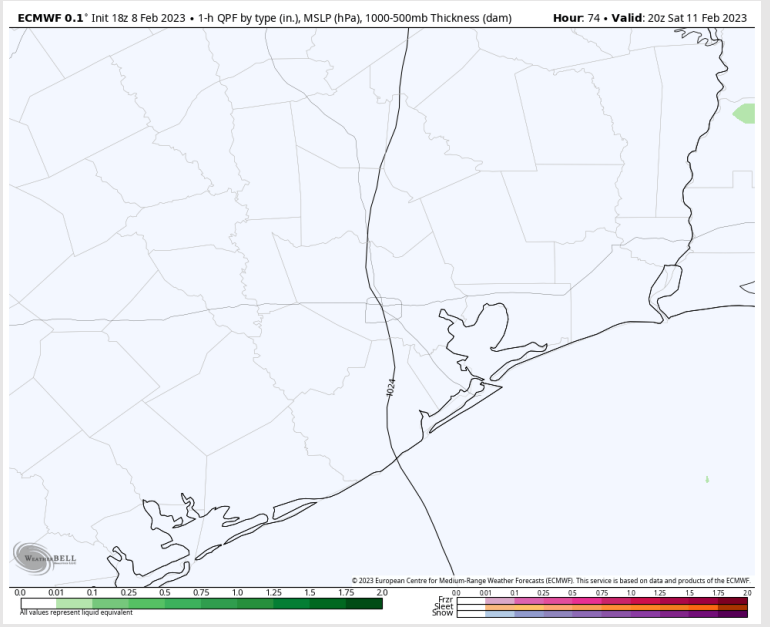
**Precip:** Anticipating dry conditions for Saturday.

**Wind:** Winds will continue out of the NW all day on Saturday. Winds north of Morgan's Point will start off at 5-10 kts and south of Morgan's Point will be at 13-18 kts. By 12 PM, winds north of Morgan's Point will increase to 10-15 kts until 7 PM. After 7 PM, winds North of Morgan's Point decrease to 3-7 kts and South of Morgan's Point to 8-13 kts. **Wind gusts of 25 kts will be possible across all stations from 12 – 6 PM Saturday.**

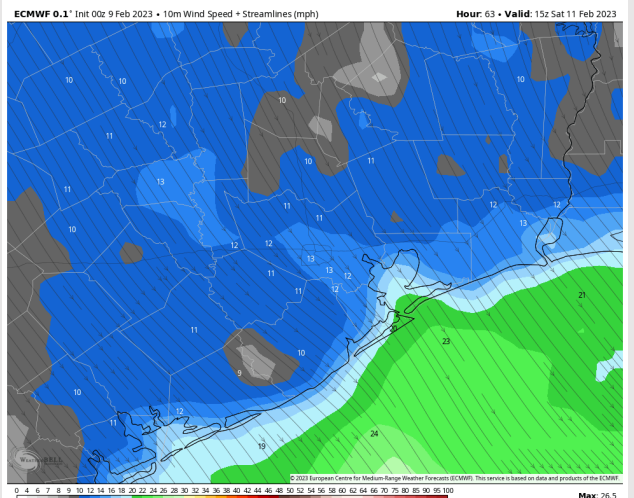
**Temps:** High temperatures will be in the mid to upper 50s F across all stations Saturday.

**Visibility:** Not anticipating any visibility concerns at this time.

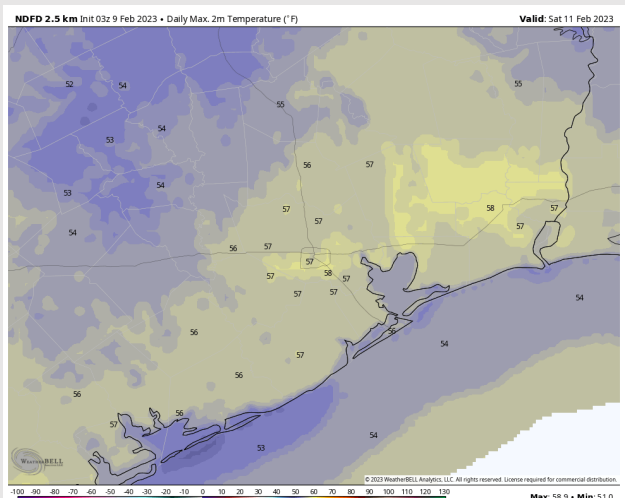
## Precip Forecast: 4 PM CT



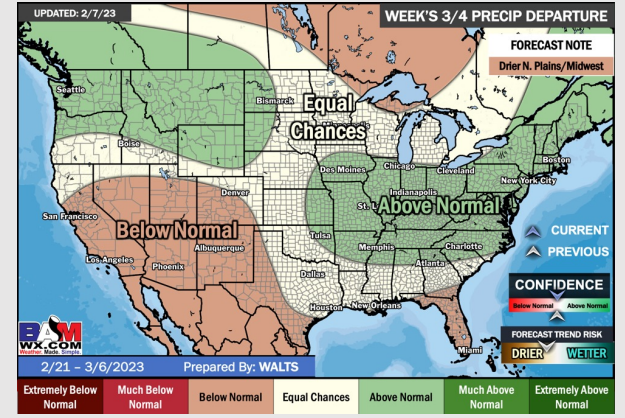
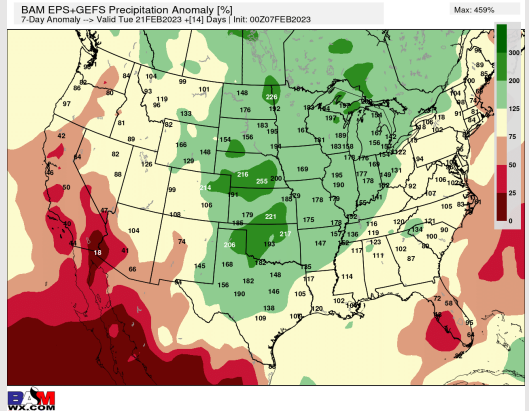
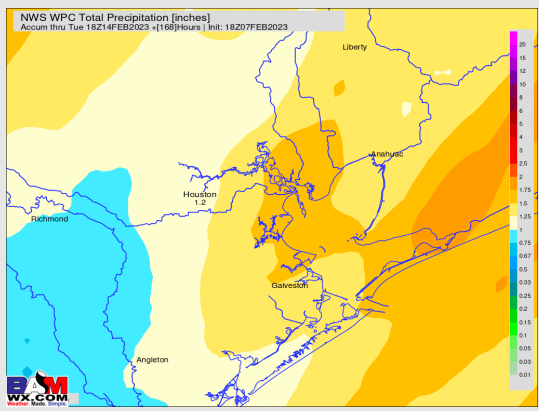
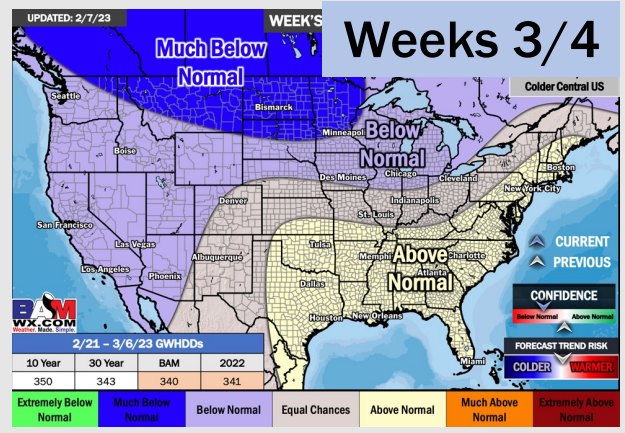
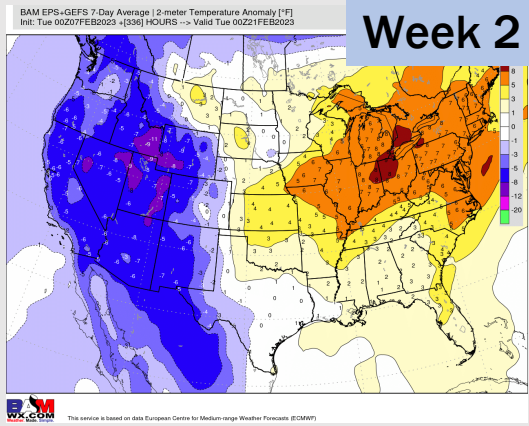
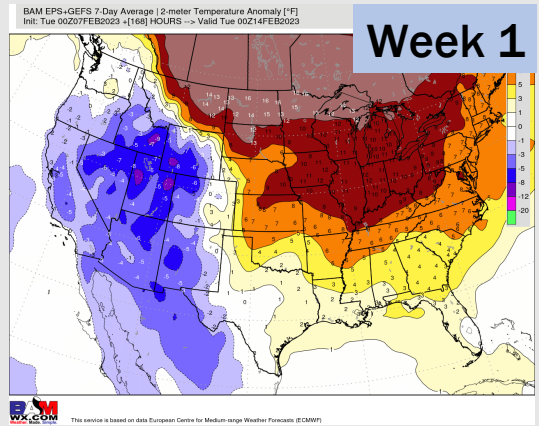
Wind Speed  
9 AM CT



High Temps  
Saturday



# Houston Pilots: 2/9/23



- Wednesday will be the best shots at precip over the next several days (next best chance coming early next week). Temps will stay slightly above average.
- Expecting near normal precipitation chances and normal temperatures for the week 2 timeframe.
- Equal chances for precipitation and above normal temperatures favored in the week 3/4 timeframe.