

# Houston Pilots Forecast Package



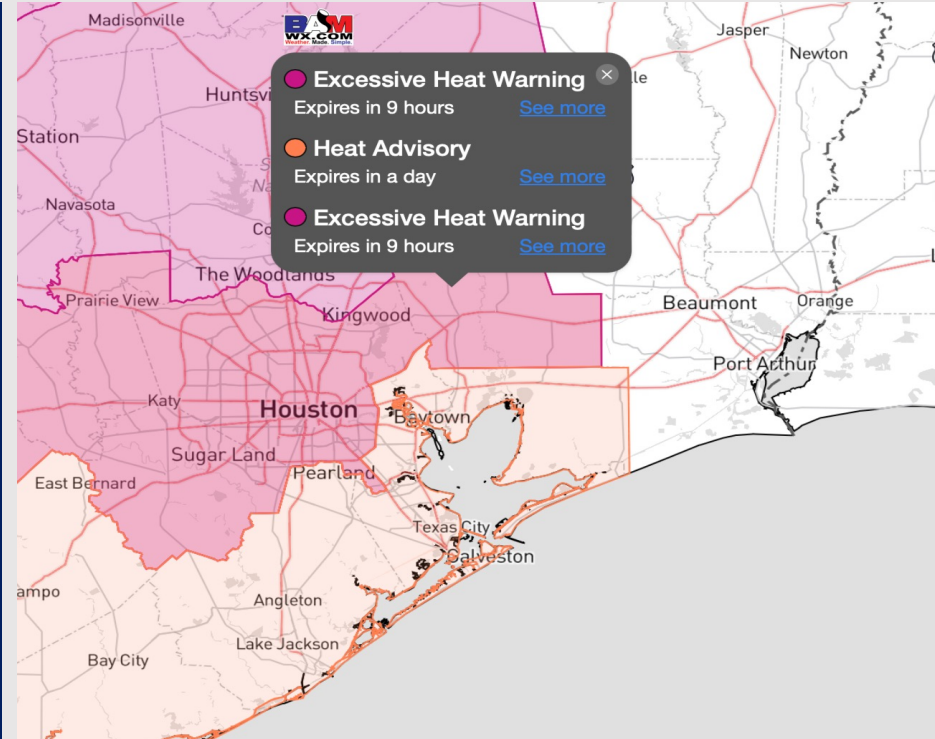
Updated: 1:15 PM CT

Thursday, August 24, 2023

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## Weather Headlines

- No tropical threats anticipated over the next 5 days. **Monitoring development in the eastern Gulf of Mexico for mid next week.**
- Scattered afternoon showers /storms will be possible this afternoon and Saturday PM.
- Feels like temperatures of 105-110 F will be possible during the afternoon hours across this weekend.
- Not anticipating any visibility concerns over the next 72 hours.



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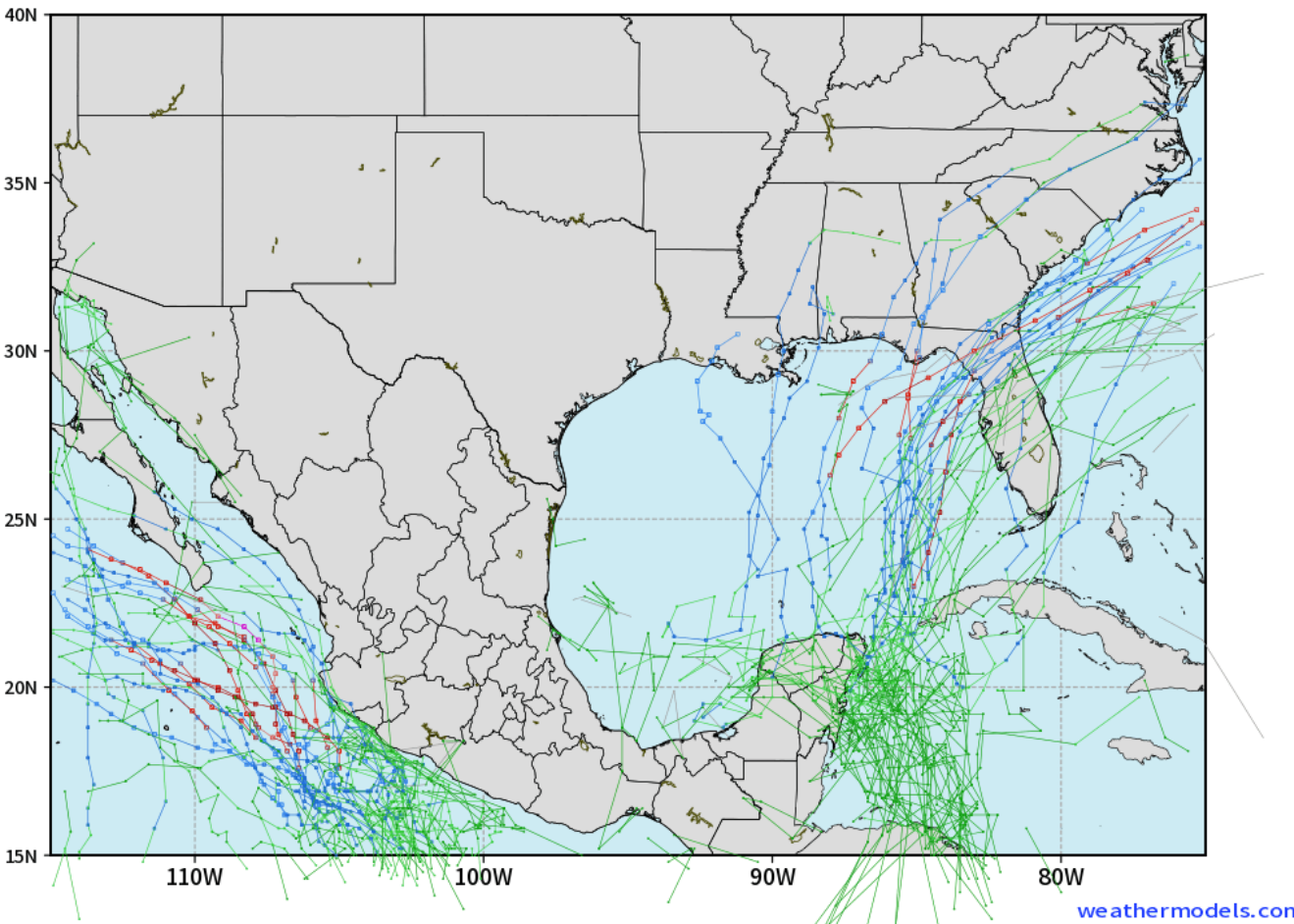
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# Houston Pilots Tropical Update

## Potential Tropical System Tracks Next 10 Days

ECMWF GULF EPS Cyclone Locations --> Next [10-days]  
INIT: 00Z24AUG2023 --> UNTIL 00Z03SEP2023

o-o ENSEMBLE MEAN  
o-o 1000 - 1010 hPa  
o-o 980 - 999 hPa  
o-o 960 - 979 hPa  
o-o 950 - 959 hPa  
o-o < 950 hPa



We are monitoring the potential for development of a low-pressure system in the southern Caribbean towards Tuesday of next week, however favoring it to stay in the eastern Gulf.

# Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)



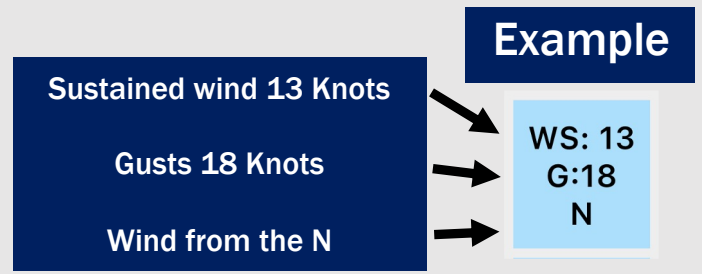
## Forecast Confidence



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# Houston Pilots Wind Chart



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# Houston Pilots: Thu. 8/24/2023



## Forecast Discussion

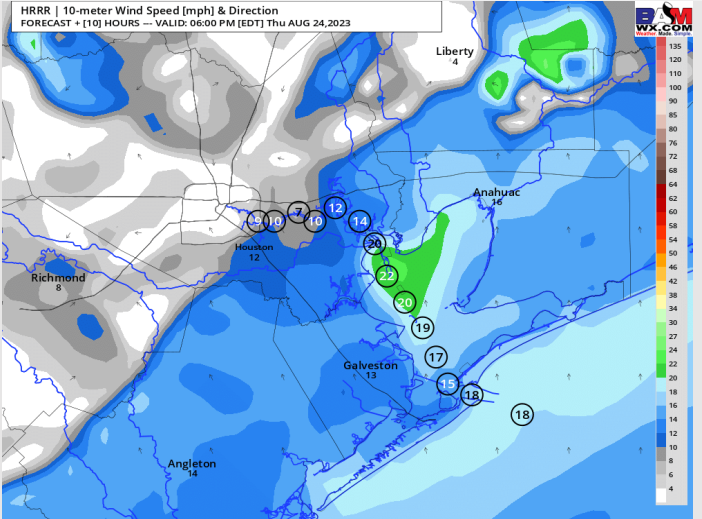
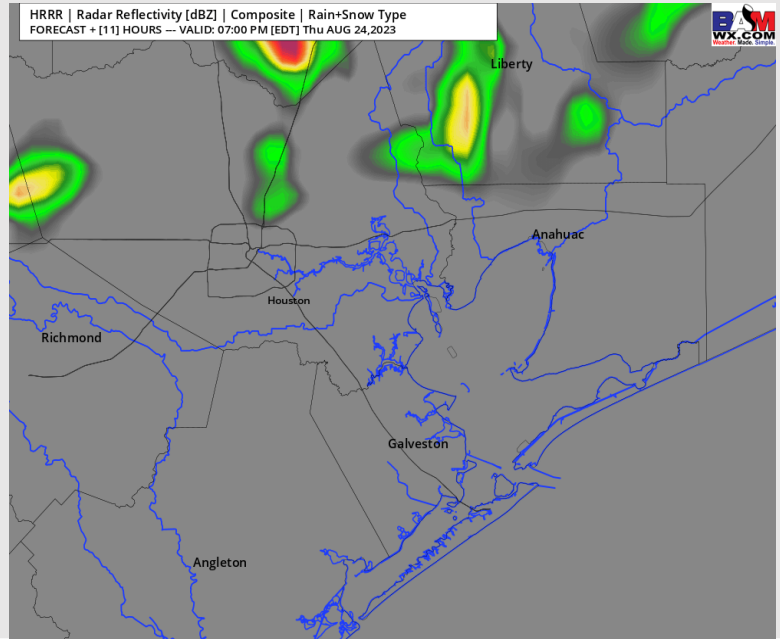
**Precip:** Dry conditions anticipated this morning with scattered showers/storms (20-30%) after 5 PM for stations primarily north of Morgan's Point. Storms capable of producing heavy downpours and lightning.

**Wind:** Winds will be out of the NW through 2 PM, gradually shifting out of the S/SW by 5 PM and continue there the rest of the evening. **Winds N of Morgan's Point** will be 3-8 kts until 6 PM, increasing to 9 - 13 kts for the remainder of the evening. **Winds S of Morgan's Point** will be 9-14 kts until 5 PM, increasing to 12 - 17 kts for the remainder of the evening. Storm related gusts of up to 45 mph are possible this afternoon mainly north of Morgan's Point. **A few nonrelated storm wind gusts of up to 20 kts are also possible south of Morgan's Point towards 7 PM.**

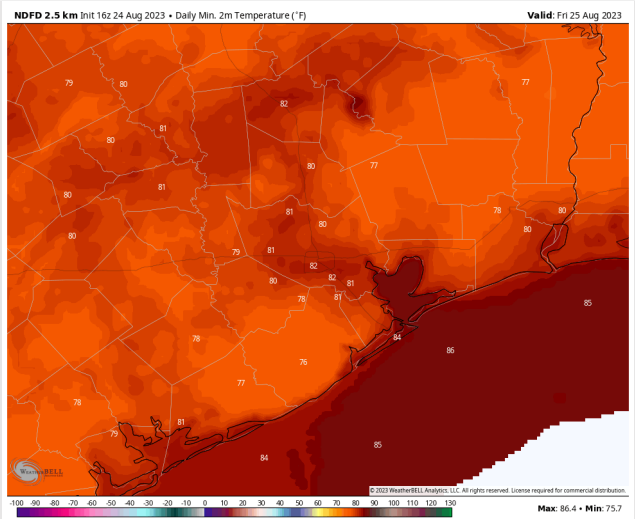
**Low Temps:** **S of Morgan's Point:** Mid 80s F. **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 80s F.

**Visibility:** No visibility issues expected today.

## Precip Image: 6 PM CT



**Wind Speed:**  
7 PM CT



**Low Temps**  
Fri AM

## Forecast Discussion

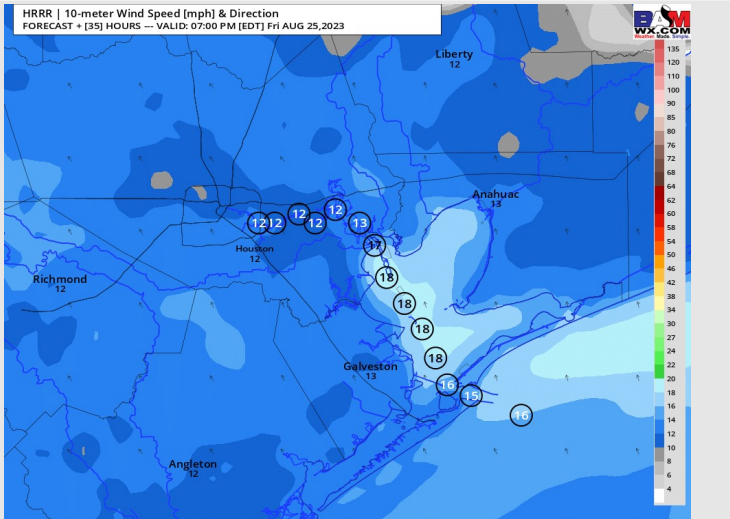
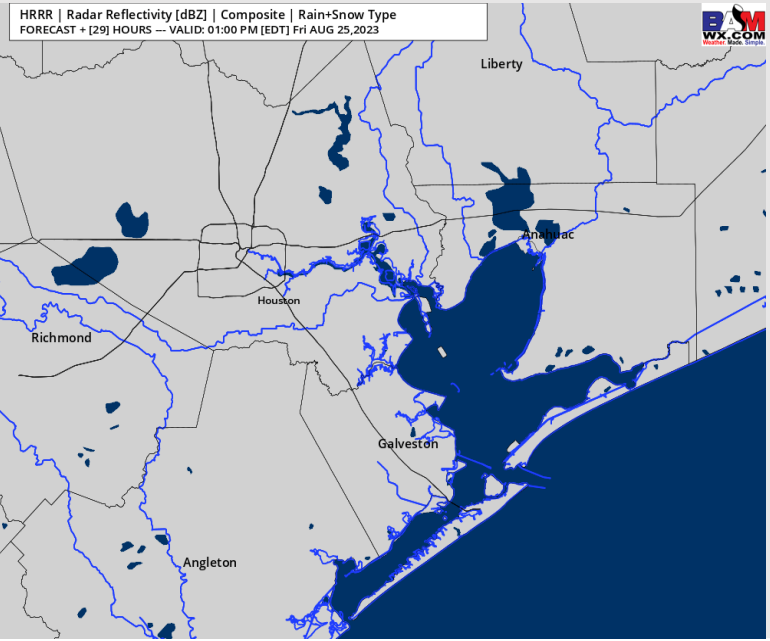
**Precip:** Dry conditions anticipated for Friday.

**Wind:** Winds will start out of the SW in the AM hours before shifting to being out of the SE by 12 PM. After 12 PM, winds will be out of the S/SE the rest of the day. Winds **N of Morgan's Point** will be 3-8 kts until 2 PM before increasing to 7-12 kts the rest of the day. Winds **S of Morgan's Point** will be 5 - 10 kts through 6 AM, then decrease to 2 - 7 kts until 12 PM. From 12 - 3 PM, winds increase to 11 - 16 kts and remain as such for the rest of the day.

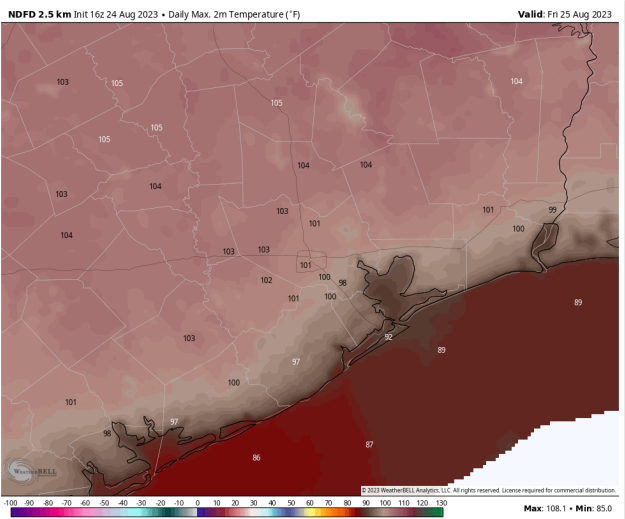
**High Temps:** **S of Morgan's Point:** Low 90s F. **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 100s F.

**Visibility:** No Visibility concerns at this time.

## Precip Image: 12 PM CT



Wind Speed:  
6 PM CT



High Temps  
Friday

# Houston Pilots: sat. 8/26/2023



## Forecast Discussion

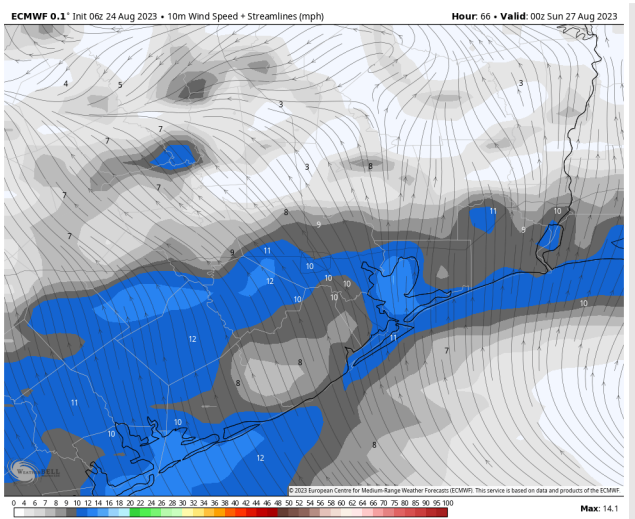
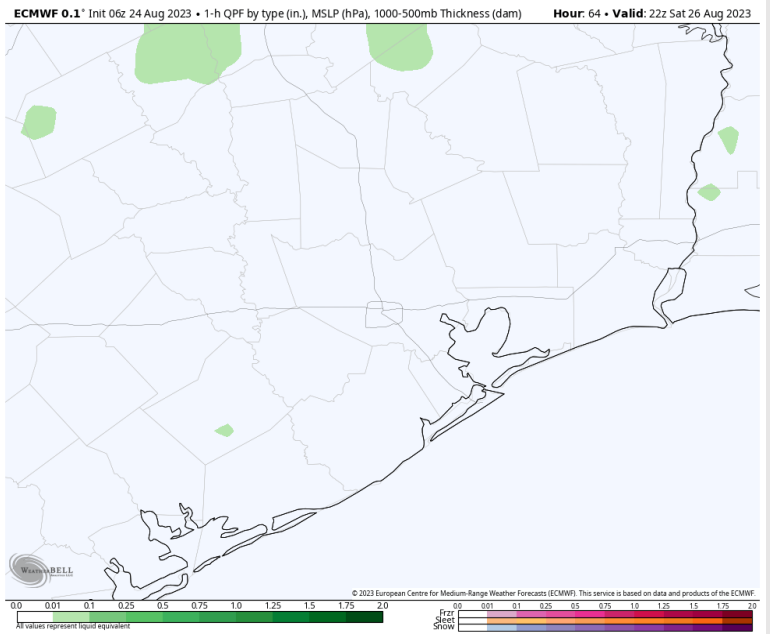
**Precip:** Favoring dry conditions for the majority of the day, with a brief 10% chance for isolated showers between 3-6 PM.

**Wind:** Winds favored to be out of the SSW until 4 AM at near-calm wind speeds (2 -5 kts), veering out of the NNW towards 8 AM before settling out of the SE by 1 PM. **Winds for all Stations** expected to sit at 4 - 9 kts throughout the day post 3 PM.

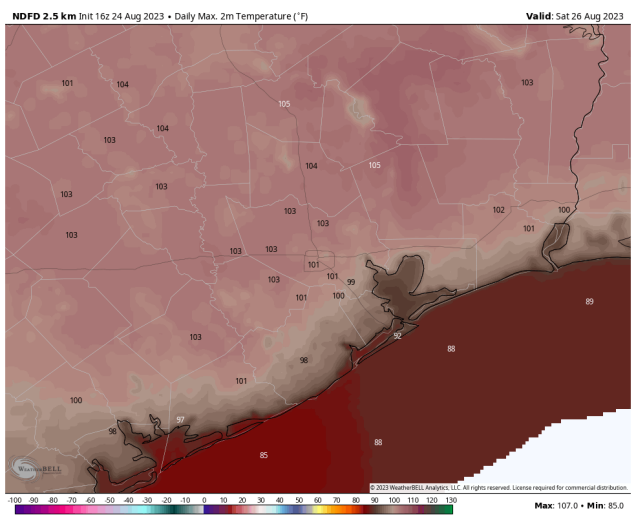
**High Temps:** **S of Morgan's Point:** Low/mid 90s F. **N of Morgan's Point:** Upper 90s/low 100s F.

**Visibility:** Not anticipating any fog issues at this time.

## Precip Image: 5 PM CT

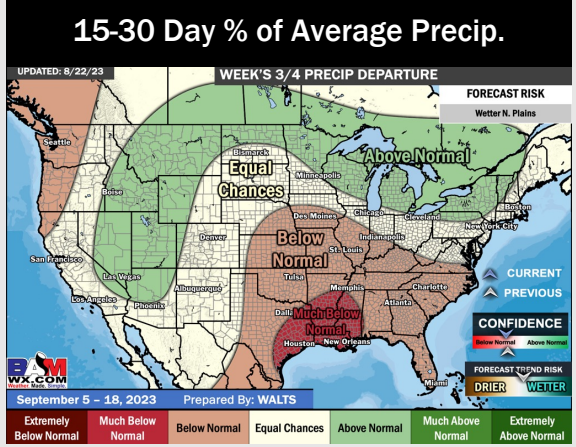
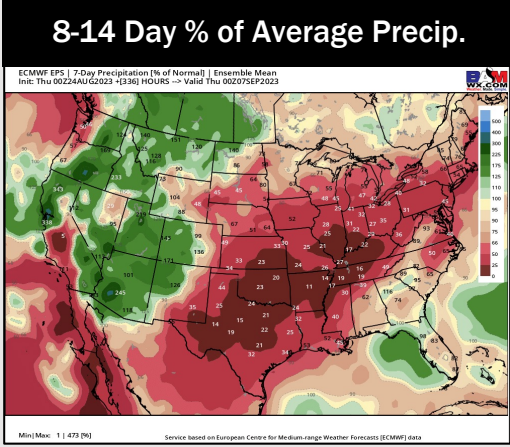
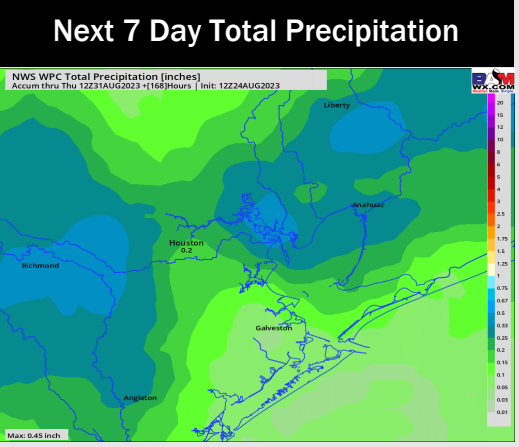
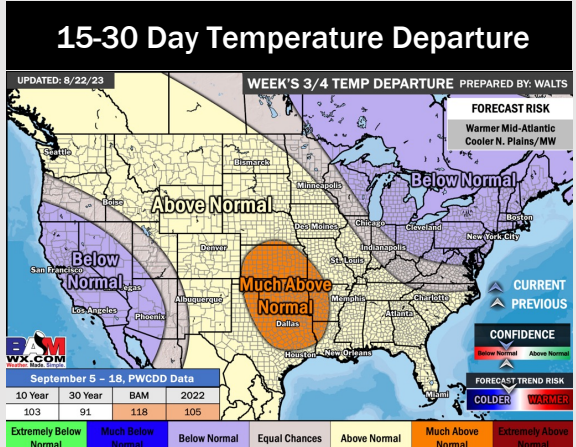
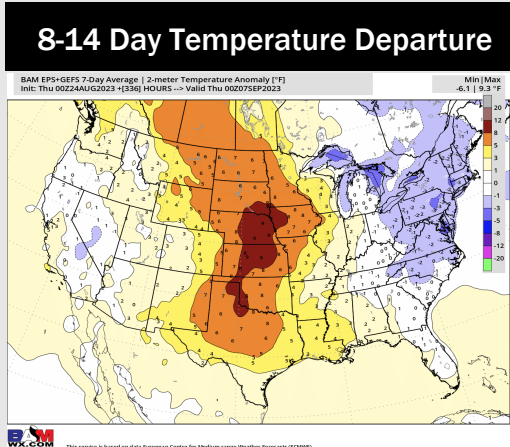
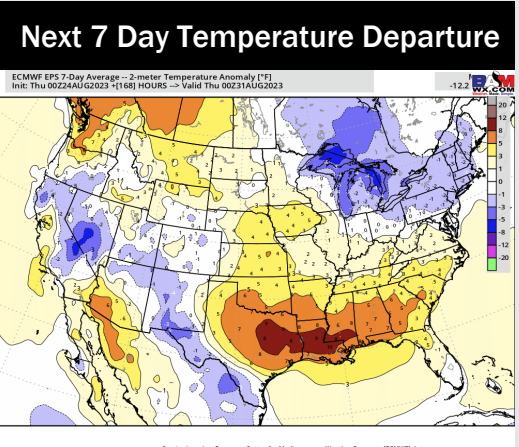


Wind Speed:  
7 PM CT



High Temps  
Saturday

# Houston Pilots: 8/24/23



- Today will be the best day for low end chances of precipitation, with some additional minor chances Sunday - Tuesday of next week. Expect temperatures to continue to remain above normal.
- Expecting below normal precipitation chances and above normal temperatures for the week 2 timeframe.
- Above normal temperatures and much below normal chances for precipitation are favored in the weeks 3/4 timeframe.