Houston Pilots Forecast Package

Updated: 1:45 PM CT

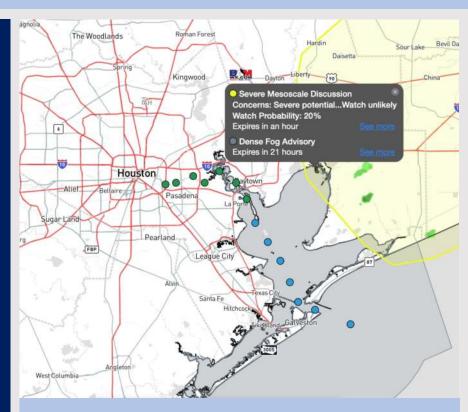
Tuesday, March 5, 2024

Forecaster: Alyssa Elliott



Weather Headlines

- Favored mostly dry conditions for the evening and for tomorrow now that storms have pushed E of the region.
- Winds will be generally calm over the next few days outside of a few stronger gusts up to 25 kts through the next few hours of the afternoon.
- Sea fog risks will remain in play through late week. See slides below for additional information.



Radar/NWS Alerts: 1:45 PM CT



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Houston Pilots Visibility Report



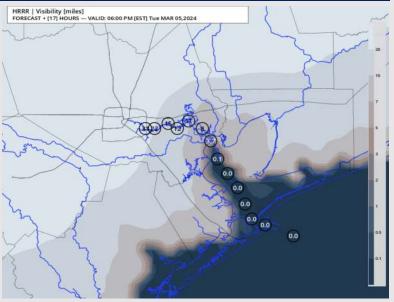


CURRENT VIS. as of 1:20 PM CT

5 PM CT TUE VISIBILITY











- ➤ Dense / patchy dense fog is expected to be a continued risk across the Galv. Bay / Houston Metro region this evening and tomorrow. The threat may not completely exit until FRI PM when the winds shift out of the NNW.
- ➤ Light variable winds are keeping patchy to widespread dense sea fog around, reducing visibilities to 0.75 mile or less for stations S of Morgan's Point. Stations N. of Morgan's Point are seeing patchy fog / hazy conditions with visibilities at to 2 4 miles at times.
- ➤ Over the next few hours, widespread sea fog with visibility of 0.75 miles or less will once again begin to creep N, reaching Morgan's Point by 6 PM CT. After 6 PM CT, this fog will continue to creep north, impacting all stations N of Morgan's Point by 11 PM, where dense fog will then continue into the overnight, impacting all stations. (See next fog slide)

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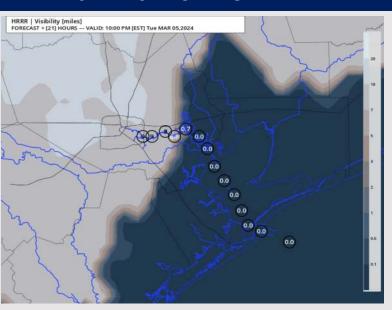


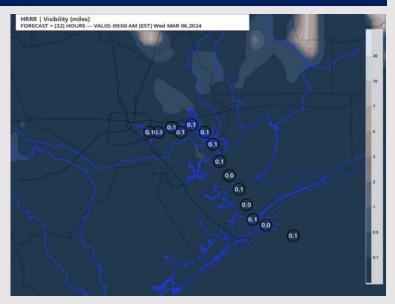


9 PM CT TUE VISIBILITY

8 AM CT WED VISIBILITY

Confidence







TIMEFRAME DISCUSSED

6 PM TUE - 11 PM WED

HIGH

THREAT

- ➤ After 6 PM, widespread dense fog with reduced visibilities of 0.5 mile or less will progress Northward from Morgan's Point to Bridge 610. Lower confidence on exact timing but current favored progression would have dense fog at all stations by 11 PM 12 AM-CT with this widespread, dense threat continuing until 9 AM CT Wednesday.
- ➤ This dense fog will begin to retreat after 9 AM, and break up to become patchier in nature by 1 PM CT, where visibility will be at 3 5 miles N of Morgan's Point and 1 3 miles between Morgan's Point and Station 25/26. Station 11/12 and the Boarding Station will continue to see visibility of less than 0.5 mile in a patchy fashion.
- ➤ Patchy dense sea fog will once again progress N, impacting stations N of Station 25/26 after 5 6 PM CT, where the fog threat will continue for the evening.

Houston Pilots Extended Range Visibility Report





Friday 3/8/24

Not favoring a fog risk for Friday.

Saturday 3/9/24

Calm winds after Friday rains can allow for fog formation Saturday AM.

Forecast Confidence

Above Normal

Below Normal

Forecast Confidence

Above Normal Below Normal

Sunday 3/10/24

Fog not favored for Sunday with Northerly winds.

Chance for Fog

Friday AM

Friday PM

Unlikely

Possible

Unlikely

Unlikely

Saturday AM

PM Unlikely

Forecast Confidence

Above Below Normal Normal

Saturday PM Unlikely

Saturday AM Unlikely

Saturday PM

Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)





Forecast Confidence

Above Normal Below Normal

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Time	Tue 2pm	Tue 3pm	Tue 4pm	Tue 5pm	Tue 6pm	Tue 7pm	Tue 8pm	Tue 9pm	Tue 10pm	Tue 11pm	Wed 12am	Wed 1am	Wed 2am	Wed 3am	Wed 4am	Wed 5am	Wed 6am	Wed 7am	Wed 8am	Wed 9am	Wed 10am	Wed 11am	Wed 12pm	Wed 1pm
610 Bridge	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	6	5	2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	3	5	6	9
Kinder 1	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	6	5	2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	4	6	8	9
Greens Bayou	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	6	5	2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	4	6	9	10
Shell Crude	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	6	5	2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	4	6	9	10
Lynchburg Ferries	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	5	4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	4	6	9	10
Exxon 3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	6	4	1	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	4	6	9	10
Morgans Point	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	6	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	4	6	9	10
75/76	10	10	10	10	10	10	7	6	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0	Ö	0.2	0.2	0.2	1	4	5	6	9
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Houston Pilots Wind Chart





Forecast Confidence



Below Normal **Sustained wind 13 Knots**

Gusts 18 Knots

Wind from the N

WS: 13
G:18
N

Time	Tue	Tue	Tue	Tue	Tue	Tue	Tue	Tue	Tue	Tue	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed	Wed
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Houston Pilots: Tue. 3/5/2024





Forecast Discussion

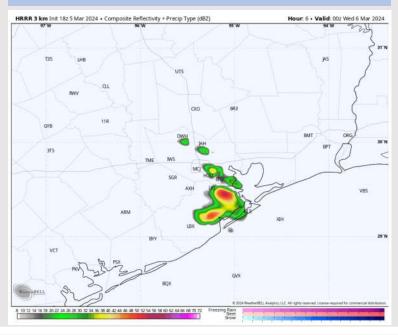
Precip: The majority of showers and storms have now exited the region. Isolated showers (10-20%) will be possible between 6 – 7 PM, otherwise anticipating dry conditions.

Wind: Winds will be variable through much of the day, settling out of the S/SE by 7 PM. N of Morgan's Point: Winds at 8 – 13 kts through 6 PM today. Then winds decrease to 3 – 7 kts throughout the PM. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at 15 – 20 kts will drop to 5 – 10 kts after 8 PM and continue for the evening. Gusts up to 25 kts cannot be ruled out through 6 PM.

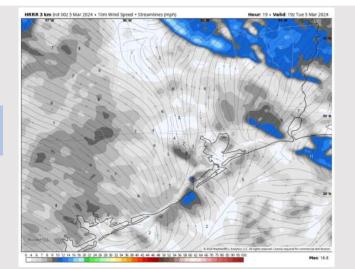
Low Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Low to mid 60s F. S of Morgan's Point: Low to near 60 F.

Visibility: Patchy to widespread dense fog will be a risk throughout the evening. More details in visibility slide.

Precip Image: 6 PM CT



Wind Speed: 1 PM CT





Low Temps WED AM

Houston Pilots: Wed. 3/6/2024





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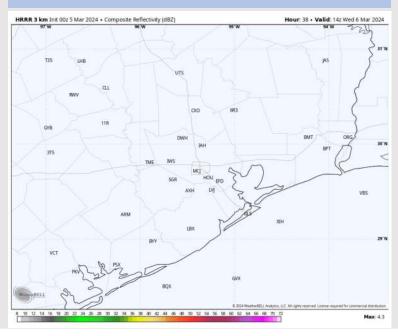
Precip: Dry conditions favored for Wednesday.

Wind: Winds out of the S initially will become variable by 3 AM, then settle out of the S/SE by 2 PM. N Morgan's Point: 3-8 kts throughout the day. S of Morgan's Point: Winds at 4 - 9 kts through 7 PM before increasing slightly to 6-11 kts.

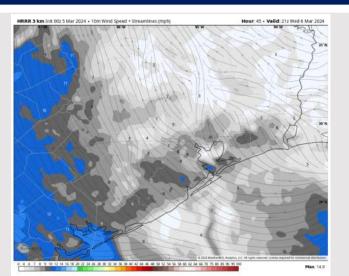
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Low 80s F. S of Morgan's Point: Upper 60s-Low 70s F.

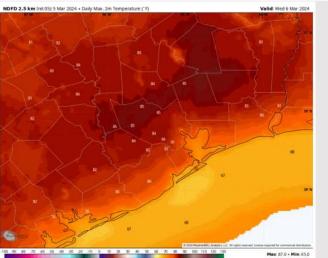
Visibility: Sea fog is expected to continue throughout much of the day Wednesday. See visibility slide for more info.

Precip Image: 8 AM CT



Wind Speed: 3 PM CT





High Temps Wednesday

Houston Pilots: Thu. 3/7/2024





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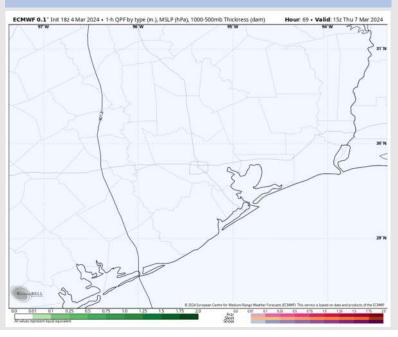
Precip: Dry conditions favored for Thursday

Wind: Winds will be out of the S/SE throughout the day. N Morgan's Point: 3-8 kts through 11 AM before increasing to 9-14 kts the rest of the day. S of Morgan's Point: Winds will be 9-14 kts throughout the entire day on Thursday.

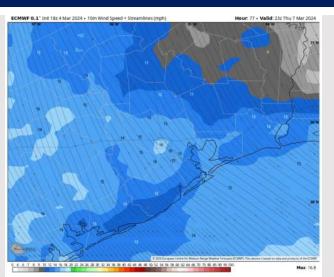
High Temps: N of Morgan's Point: Mid 70's F. S of Morgan's Point: Upper 60s F.

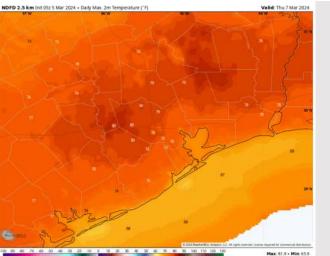
Visibility: Winds out of the S/SE will help make for favorable conditions for fog development THU AM before winds increase in speed. Lower confidence as to how widespread coverage will be THU AM.

Precip Image: 9 AM CT



Wind Speed: 5 PM CT





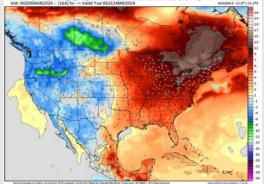
High Temps Thursday

Houston Pilots: 3/5/24





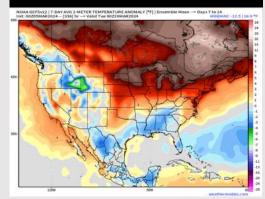
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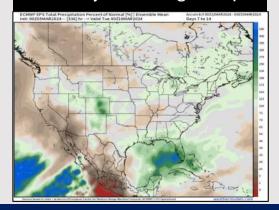
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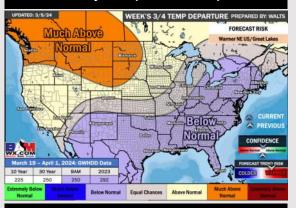
8-14 Day Temperature Departure



8-14 Day % of Average Precip.



15-30 Day Temperature Departure



15-30 Day % of Average Precip.



- > Scattered rain chances are favored for later into the week, the greatest chances being Friday. Above normal temperatures favored for the week ahead.
- > Slightly above normal precipitation chances are at play during the week 2 timeframe. Temps expected to be seasonable to slightly below normal.
- Below normal temperatures and seasonable chances for precipitation are favored in the weeks 3/4 timeframe.