

Houston Pilots Forecast Package



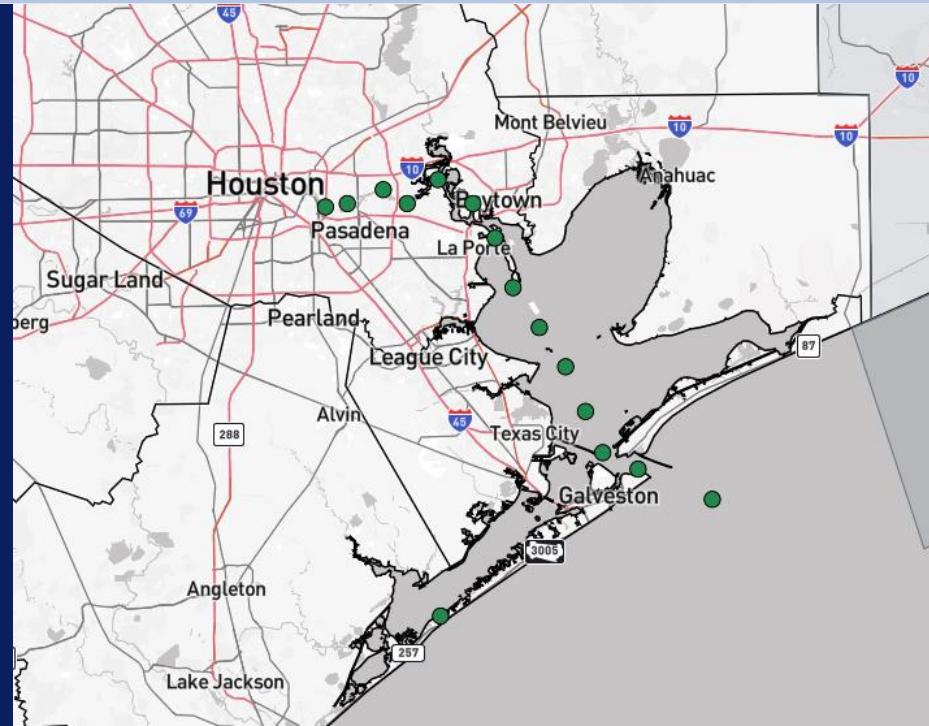
Updated: 5:45 PM CT

Wednesday, January 7, 2026

Forecaster: Hope Kleitsch

Weather Headlines

- Light rain returns Thursday with a few storms Friday.
- Gusts up to 20 kts at times today, with gusts up to 35 kts possible on Thursday.
- We are continuing to monitor sea fog risks this evening and through Thursday AM.



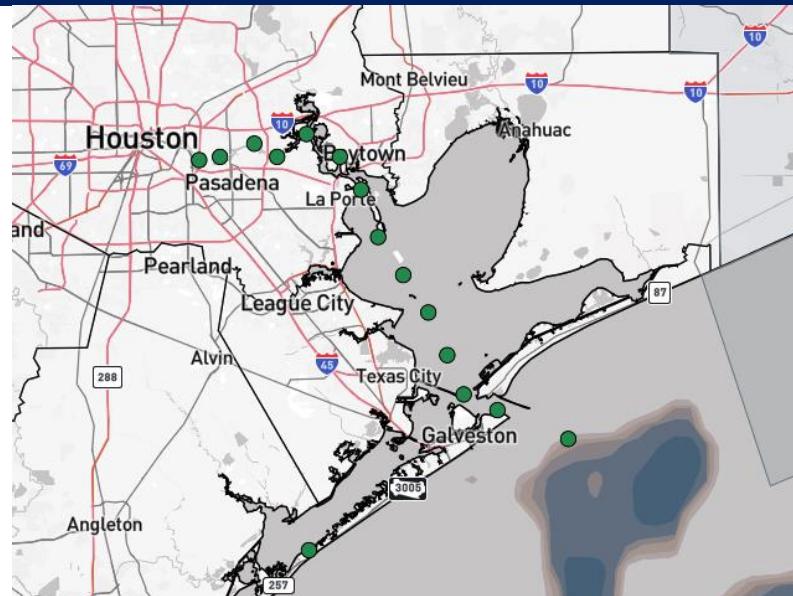
Current Radar: 5:45 PM CT

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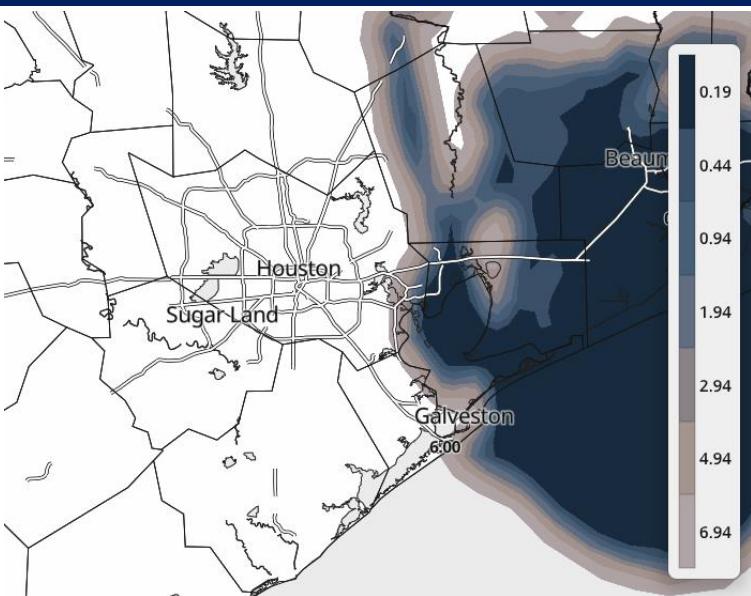
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Houston Pilots Visibility Report

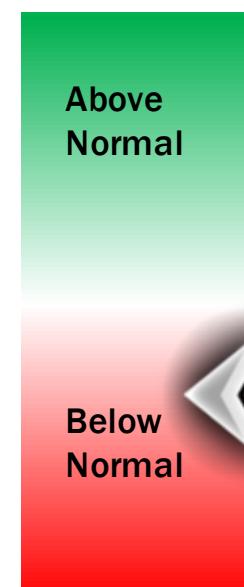
CURRENT VISIBILITY (5:30 PM CT)



1 AM CT THU VISIBILITY



Confidence



TIMEFRAME DISCUSSED

CURRENT - 7 AM THU

THREAT

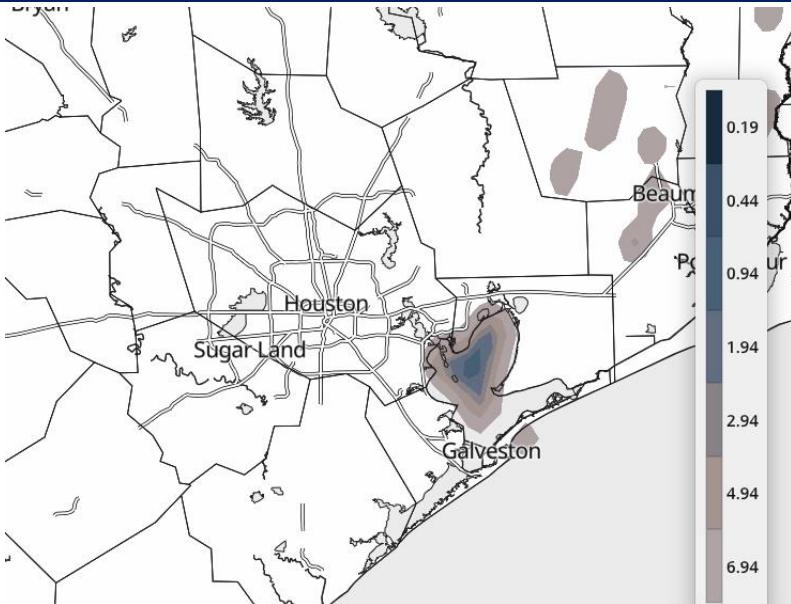
MEDIUM-HIGH

N of Morgans Point: Isolated pockets of fog/mist cannot be ruled out from Morgans Point to Lynchburg Ferries from 9 PM to midnight that can drop visibilities to 1 – 2 miles. In general, we expect these stations to be fog free.

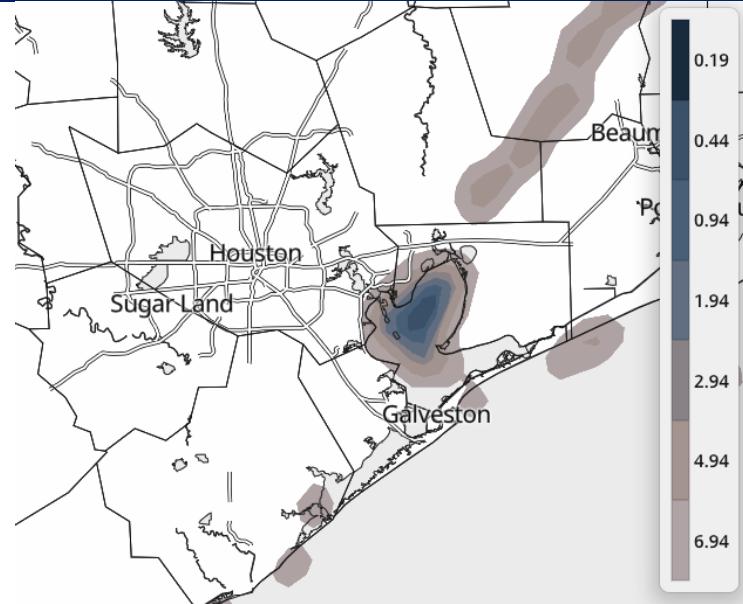
S of Morgans Point: From 6 – 8 PM CT, fog is expected to spread back in predominately through 12 AM. Visibilities of <1 mile with pockets <0.50 mile will be possible. Increasing winds through the overnight WED into THU AM should lead to gradually isolated instances. We suspect after 1 – 2 AM the fog threat can drift north of the **Boarding Station** but will still watch near **Morgan's Point to 63/64** where isolated cases of fog can remain through ~7 AM. *Confidence is lower on when fog will be able to clear out in the AM.*

Houston Pilots Visibility Report

10 PM CT THU VISIBILITY



3 AM CT FRI VISIBILITY



Confidence



TIMEFRAME
DISCUSSED

8 PM THU – 10 AM
FRI

THREAT

Low-Medium

Between Morgans Point/Boarding Station: Isolated to patchy fog, with visibilities of 1 – 2 miles with pockets <1 mile, will be possible from 9 PM THU to 10 AM FRI. Confidence remains much below normal as to the THU PM/ FRI AM fog threat as elevated winds can help mitigate this threat, along with warmer sea surface temperatures. Right now, widespread impacts are not expected.

Houston Pilots Extended Range Visibility Report



Saturday 01/10/2026

Fog is not favored.

Forecast Confidence



Monday 01/12/2026

Fog is not favored.

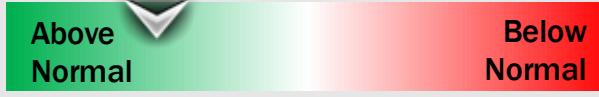
Forecast Confidence



Sunday 01/11/2026

Fog is not favored.

Forecast Confidence



Chance for Fog

Saturday AM	Unlikely
Saturday PM	Unlikely
Sunday AM	Unlikely
Sunday PM	Unlikely
Monday AM	Unlikely
Monday PM	Unlikely

Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)



Forecast Confidence



Visibility	Wed 7 pm	Wed 8 pm	Wed 9 pm	Wed 10 pm	Wed 11 pm	Thu 12 am	Thu 1 am	Thu 2 am	Thu 3 am	Thu 4 am	Thu 5 am	Thu 6 am	Thu 7 am	Thu 8 am	Thu 9 am	Thu 10 am	Thu 11 am	Thu 12 pm	Thu 1 pm	Thu 2 pm	Thu 3 pm	Thu 4 pm	Thu 5 pm	Thu 6 pm	
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Houston Pilots M - Kinder 1	10	10	10	10	8	6.9	4.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	6.9	9	10	9	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Houston Pilots L - Greens Bayou	10	10	10	10	8	6.9	4.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	6.9	9	10	8	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Houston Pilots K - Shell Crude	10	10	10	10	8	6.9	4.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	5.9	9	10	6.9	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Houston Pilots J - Lynchburg Ferries	10	10	10	10	8	6.9	4.9	3.9	4.9	4.9	5.9	9	10	8	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Houston Pilots I - Exxon 3	10	10	10	10	3.9	3.9	1.1	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.9	6.9	10	8	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Houston Pilots H - Morgans Point	10	10	6.9	6.9	4.9	3.9	2.9	1.1	0.7	0.7	4.9	6.9	10	8	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Houston Pilots G - 75/76	8	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.9	4.9	4.9	2.9	0.5	0.5	0.5	2.5	10	10	6.9	6.9	8	9	9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	9	
Houston Pilots F - 63/64	6.9	4.9	4.9	5.9	5.9	4.9	4.9	2.9	0.5	0.5	0.5	10	10	10	6.9	6.9	8	9	9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	9	
Houston Pilots E - 51/52	3.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	2.9	4.9	6.9	10	10	10	10	6.9	6.9	8	8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.9	9	
Houston Pilots D - 37/38	3.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	9	10	10	10	10	6.9	6.9	8	8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	8	
Houston Pilots C - 25/26	3.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	9	6.9	10	10	10	6.9	6.9	8	8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	8
Houston Pilots B - 11/12	3.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.9	9	10	9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	8
Houston Pilots A - 1 & 2 Bravo	3.9	4.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	5.9	5.9	8	8	5.9	5.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	5.9	5.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	8

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Houston Pilots Wind Chart

Forecast Confidence

Above
Normal



Below
Normal

Sustained Wind 10 Knots

Gusts 15 Knots

Wind from the SE

Example

10
15
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Wind	Wed 7 pm	Wed 8 pm	Wed 9 pm	Wed 10 pm	Wed 11 pm	Thu 12 am	Thu 1 am	Thu 2 am	Thu 3 am	Thu 4 am	Thu 5 am	Thu 6 am	Thu 7 am	Thu 8 am	Thu 9 am	Thu 10 am	Thu 11 am	Thu 12 pm	Thu 1 pm	Thu 2 pm	Thu 3 pm	Thu 4 pm	Thu 5 pm	Thu 6 pm		
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Houston Pilots: WED. 01/07/2026

Forecast Discussion

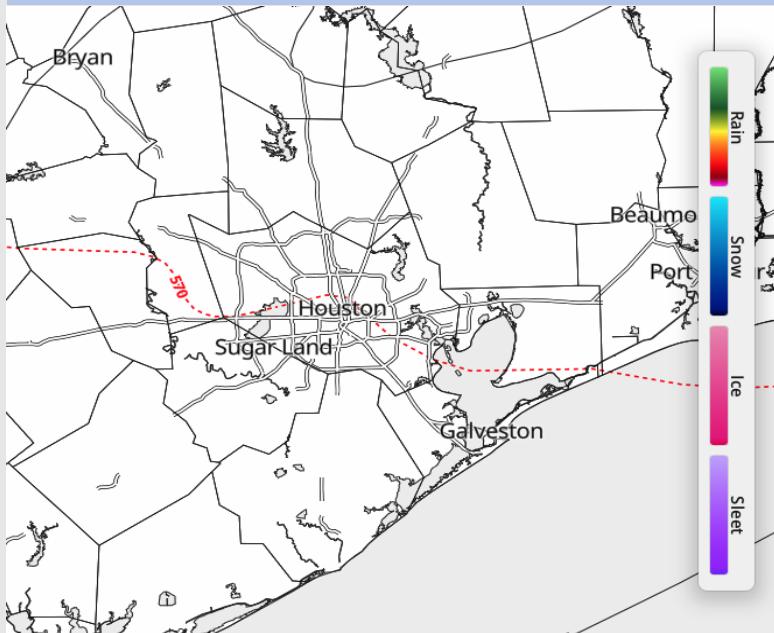
Precip: Dry conditions favored.

Wind: Winds will be generally out of the S/SE. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 4 – 9 kts. **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 8 – 13 kts for the remainder of the day. **A few gusts to 20 kts will be possible for all Stations.**

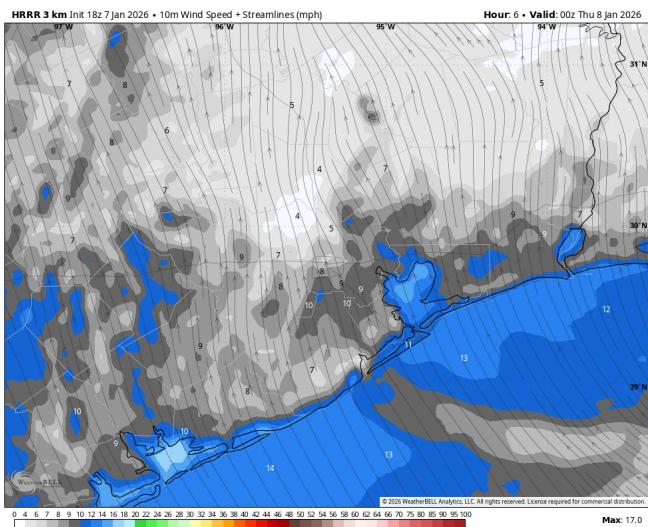
Low Temps: **N of Morgan's Point:** High 60s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Mid 60s F.

Visibility: Patchy fog can linger throughout the day. Additional details on this can be found in visibility slide. Watching for return of patchy sea fog for late WED PM.

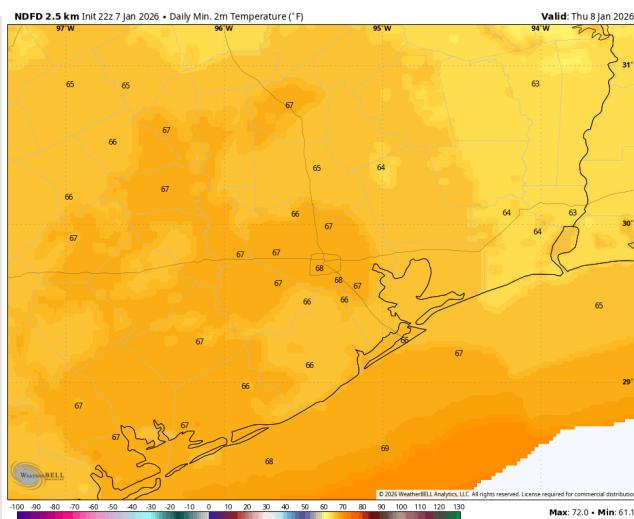
Precip Image: 7 PM CT



Wind Speed:
8 PM CT



Low Temps
THU AM



Houston Pilots: THU. 01/08/2026

Forecast Discussion

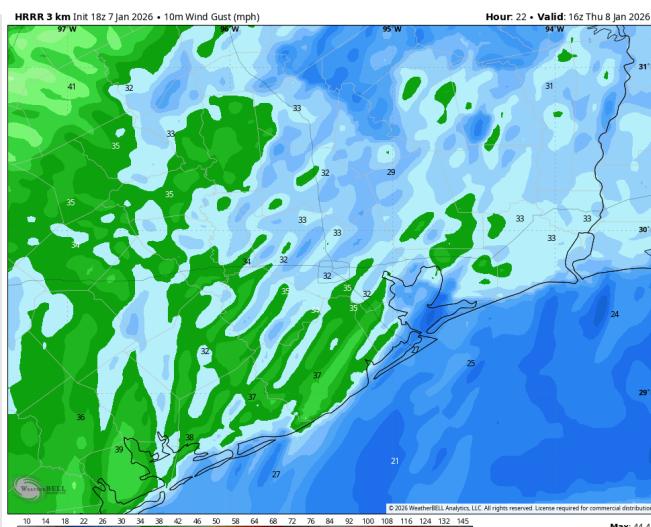
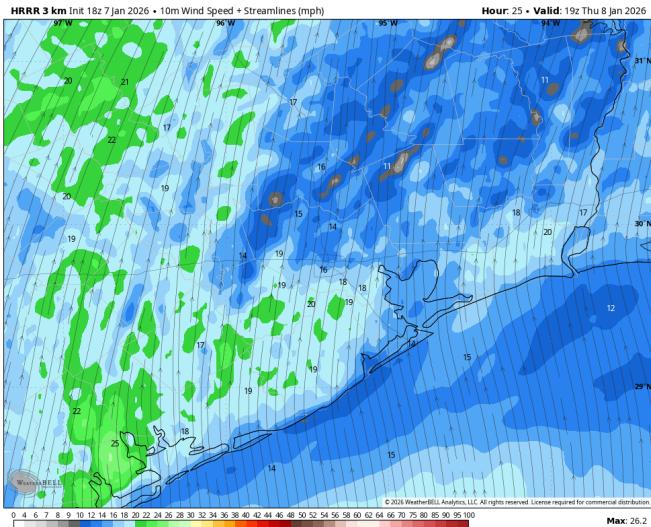
Precip: A few light, brief, isolated showers from 8 AM – 3 PM. A washout is NOT anticipated, but on-and-off shower activity is favored.

Wind: Winds out of the S through the day. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 5 – 10 kts, increasing to 12 – 17 kts from 11 AM to 5 PM. **Gusts of 18 – 23 kts through the day, increasing to 27 – 33 kts from 8AM to 6PM.** **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 10 – 15 kts through 9 AM slightly increasing to 13 – 18 kts through 5 PM before falling back to 8 – 13 kts through evening. **Gusts of 20 – 25 kts through the day, with slightly higher gusts of 25 – 30 kts from 9AM to 5PM.**

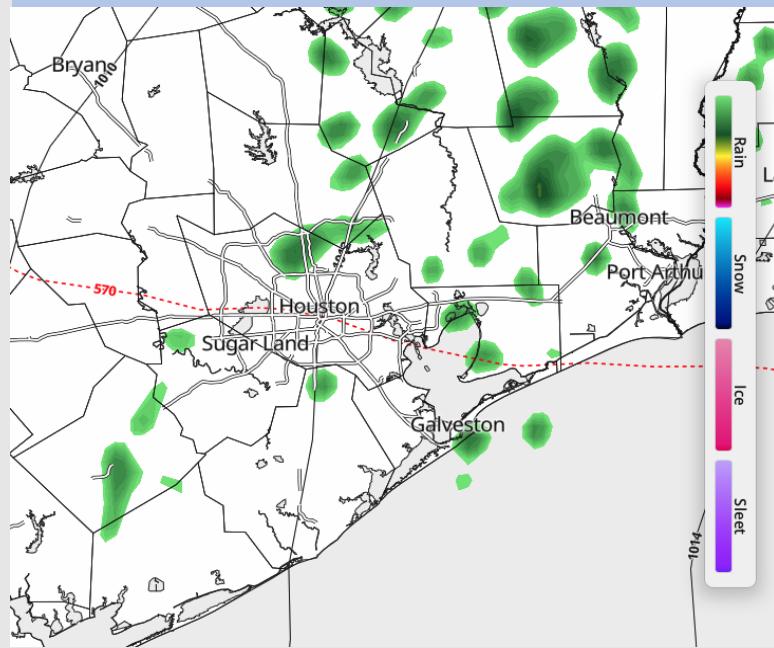
High Temps: **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 80s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Mid 70s F.

Visibility: Patchy sea fog will be a risk once again early Thursday AM and then late Thursday PM for all stations. Winds and rain chances will be the limiting factors.

Wind Speed:
1 PM CT



Precip Image: 11 AM CT



Peak Gusts
THU

Houston Pilots: FRI. 01/09/2026

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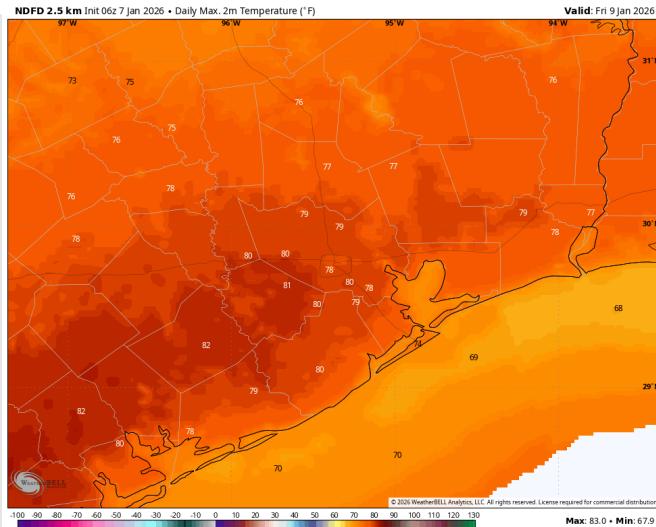
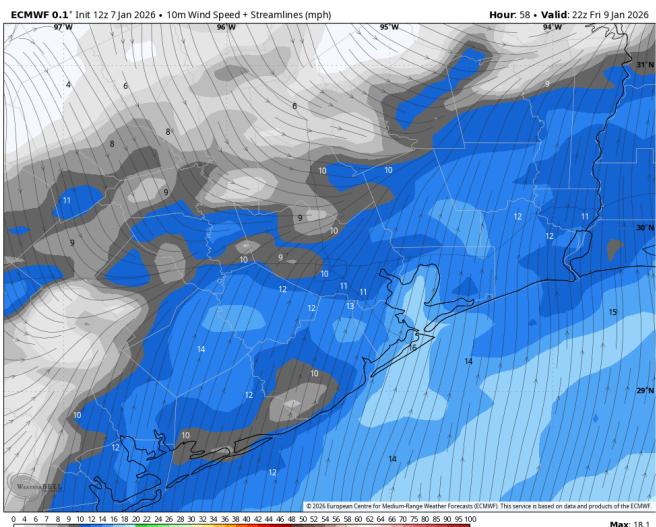
Precip: Scattered showers and storms favored after 7AM for all Stations. After 3PM, coverage will likely increase and a few storms, perhaps a few strong will be possible. **Lightning and wind gusts up to 35 kts will be possible within any storm.**

Wind: Winds will be out of the S, shifting to be out of the SW after 4PM before rotating to be out of the NW after 10PM. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 4 – 9 kts. **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 9 – 14 kts, with slightly higher winds of 12 – 17 kts at the Boarding Station from 2 – 6PM. **Wind gusts up to 23 kts from 12PM to 5PM for all Stations.**

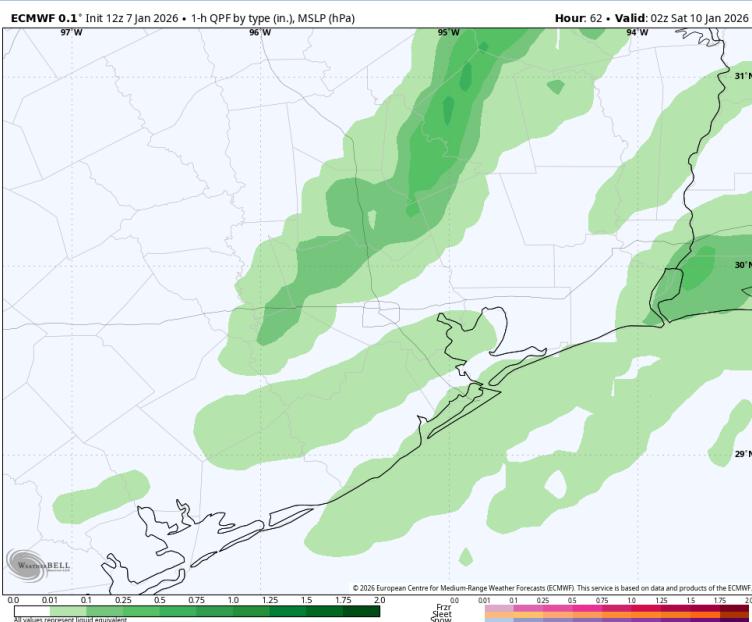
High Temps: **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 80s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Mid 70s F.

Visibility: A low-end risk for fog S of Morgan's Point through 7AM, however confidence is lower on this risk.

Wind Speed:
4 PM CT

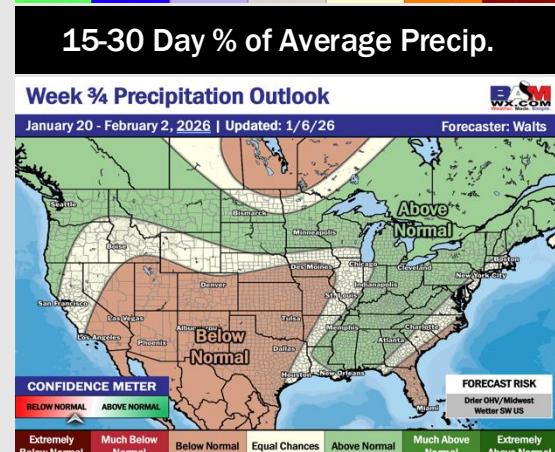
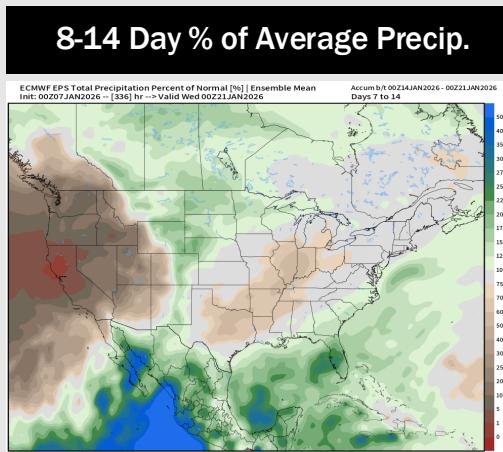
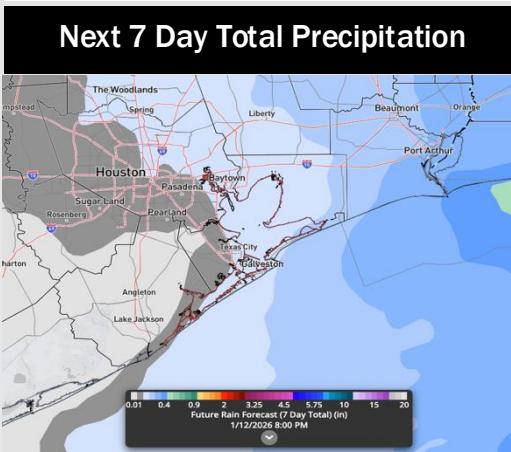
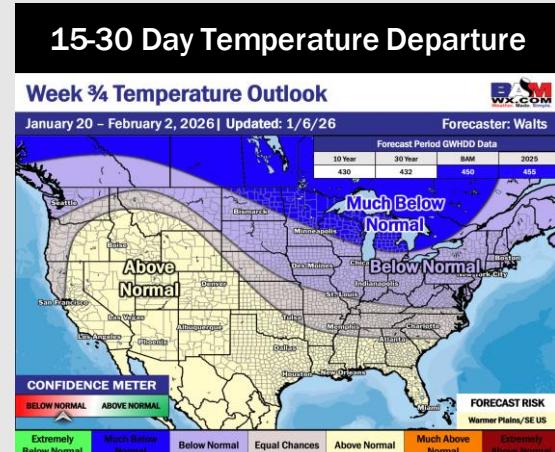
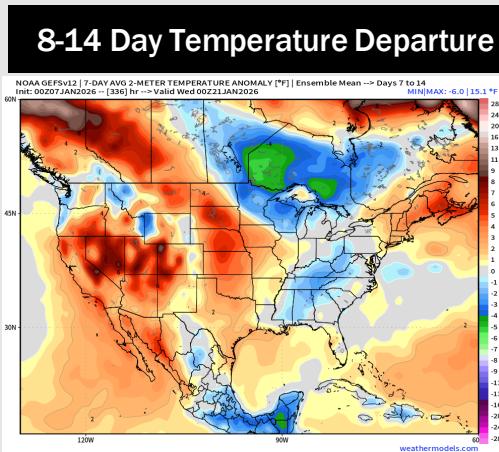
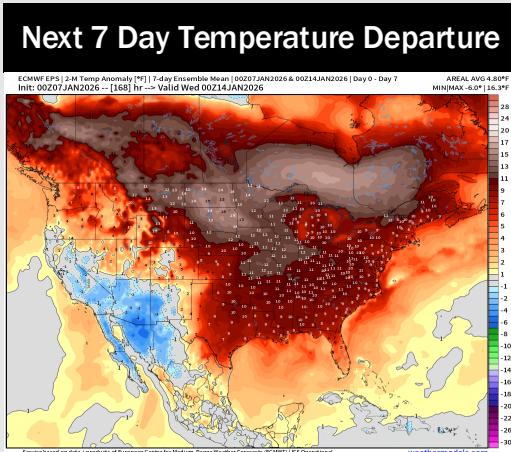


Precip Image: 8 PM CT



High Temps
FRI

Houston Pilots: 01/07/2026



- Above normal temps are favored over the next 7 days, with minimal / isolated rain chances over the next 7 days.
- Above normal temperatures and near normal rainfall favored in the Week 2 timeframe.
- Above normal temperatures and near normal rainfall expected for mid/late January.