

# Houston Pilots Forecast Package



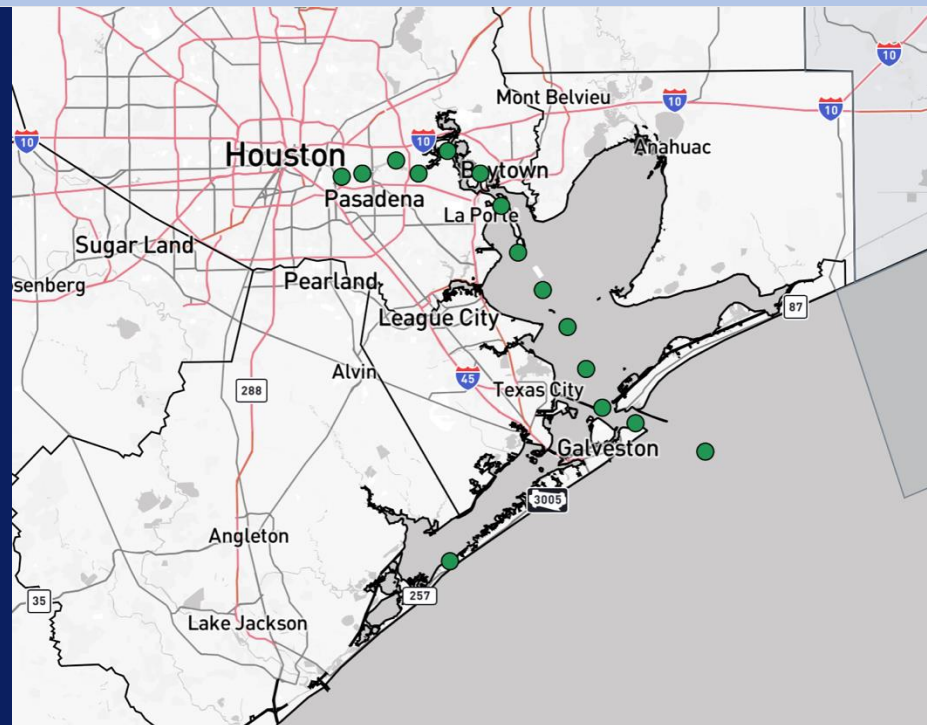
Updated: 3:20 AM CT

Thursday, January 8, 2026

Forecaster: Hope Kleitsch

## Weather Headlines

- Strong to severe storms will be possible late Friday and into early Saturday morning.
- A few gusts up to 33 kts will be possible today from 8AM to 6PM.
- Isolated fog will be possible through 7AM, with additional fog risks returning this evening and into FRI AM.



Current Radar: 3:35 AM CT

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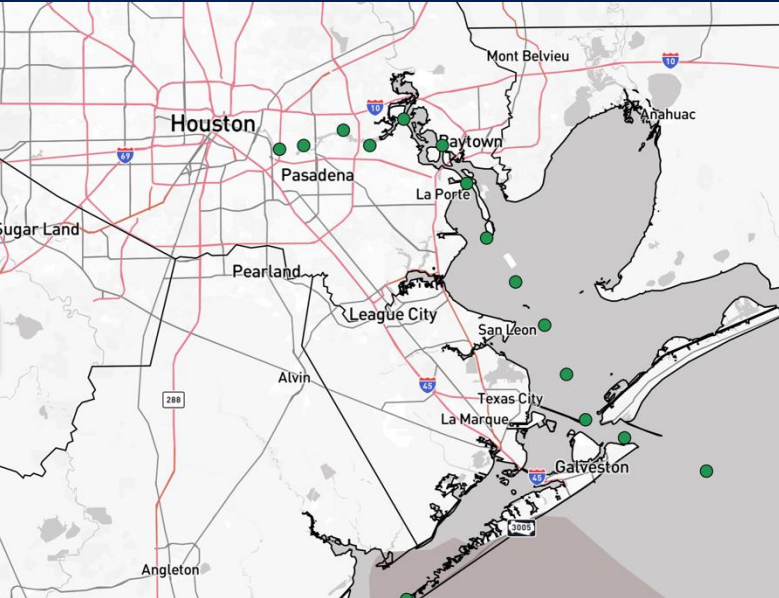


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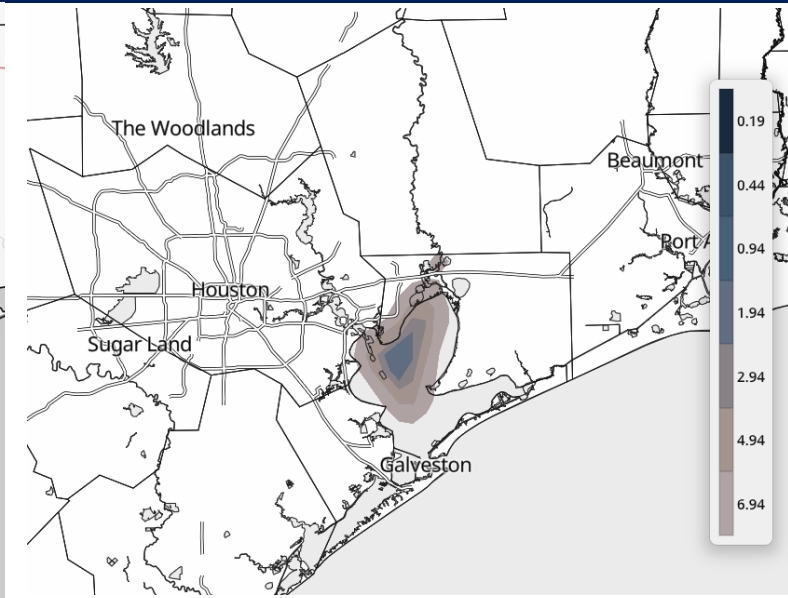
# Houston Pilots Visibility Report



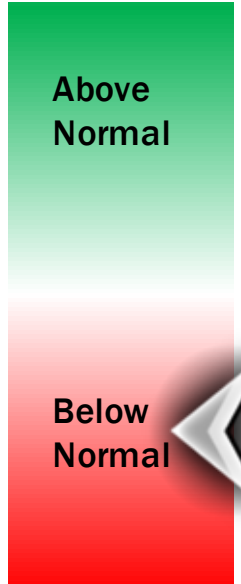
## CURRENT VISIBILITY (3:15 AM CT)



## 5 AM CT THU VISIBILITY



## Confidence

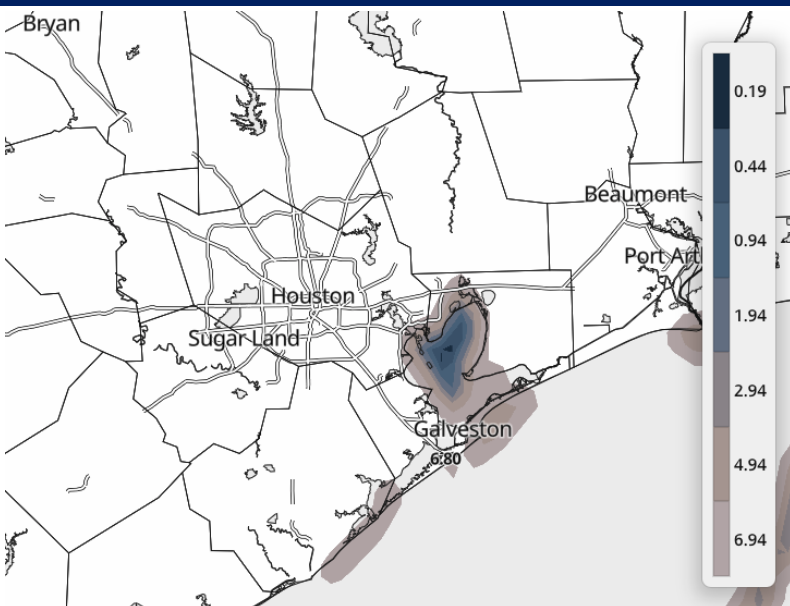


TIMEFRAME DISCUSSED	THREAT
CURRENT - 7 AM THU	Low End

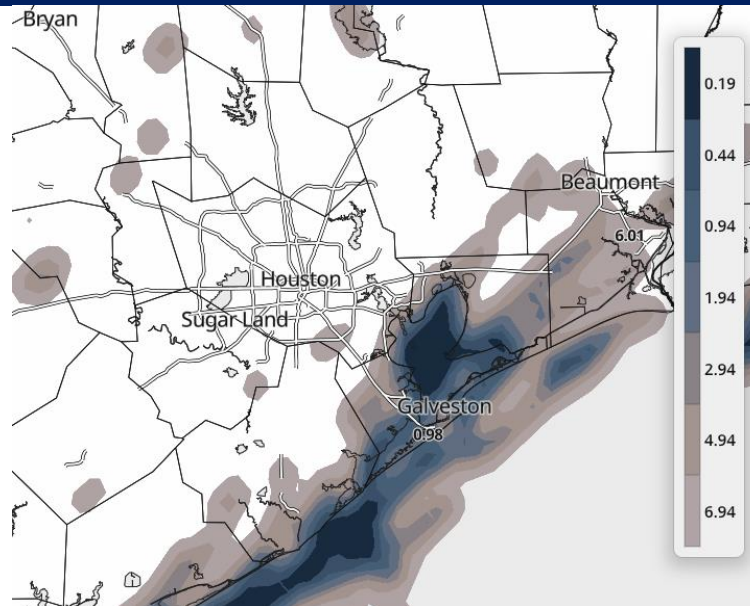
**S of Morgans Point:** The main Stations of concern will be **Morgan's Point to Station 51/52** for very localized pockets of fog. Visibilities of 1 – 2 miles will be possible, with localized instances <1 mile. Increasing winds & warmer sea surface temps continue to keep fog isolated at best. Isolated 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



## 5 AM CT FRI VISIBILITY



## Confidence

Above  
Normal

Below  
Normal

TIMEFRAME  
DISCUSSED

THREAT

10 PM THU – 10 AM  
FRI

Low-Medium

**N. of Morgan's Point:** Conditions may be misty at times, reducing visibilities to 3 – 4 miles, however, fog is not favored at this time.

**Between Morgans Point/Boarding Station:** Isolated to patchy fog, with visibilities of 1 – 2 miles with pockets <1 mile, will be possible from 10 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



Sunday 01/11/2026

Fog is not favored.

## Forecast Confidence



Tuesday 01/13/2026

Fog is not favored.

## Forecast Confidence



Monday 01/12/2026

Fog is not favored.

## Forecast Confidence



## Chance for Fog

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

# Houston Pilots Visibility Chart (miles)



Visibility	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	Thu 7 pm	Thu 8 pm	Thu 9 pm	Thu 10 pm	Thu 11 pm	Fri 12 am	Fri 1 am	Fri 2 am	Fri 3 am	Fri 4 am
Houston Pilots N - 610 Bridge	10	10	10	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	5.9	3.9	2.9	0.7
Houston Pilots M - Kinder 1	9	10	10	9	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	5.9	3.9	2.9	0.7
Houston Pilots L - Greens Bayou	9	9	10	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	5.9	3.9	0.7	0.5
Houston Pilots K - Shell Crude	9	9	10	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	5.9	3.9	0.7	0.5
Houston Pilots J - Lynchburg Ferries	9	9	10	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	5.9	3.9	0.7	0.5
Houston Pilots I - Exxon 3	9	9	10	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	5.9	3.9	0.7	0.5
Houston Pilots H - Morgans Point	6.9	9	10	8	8	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	8	6.9	5.9	3.9	0.7	0.5
Houston Pilots G - 75/76	2.5	1.6	2	1.6	8	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	5.9	4.9	3.9	2	1.6
Houston Pilots F - 63/64	2.5	1.6	2	5.9	8	8	10	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	8	6.9	5.9	4.9	3.9	2	1.6
Houston Pilots E - 51/52	6.9	9	10	10	8	8	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	9	8	6.9	5.9	4.9	3.9	2	2
Houston Pilots D - 37/38	10	9	10	10	8	8	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	6.9	5.9	4.9	3.9	1.6	1.6
Houston Pilots C - 25/26	10	9	10	10	6.9	8	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	6.9	5.9	4.9	4.9	1.1	1.1
Houston Pilots B - 11/12	10	9	10	10	6.9	8	8	8	7.9	7.9	9	9	10	10	10	10	9	6.9	6.9	5.9	4.9	3.9	0.2	0.2
Houston Pilots A - 1 & 2 Bravo	5.9	5.9	10	10	6.9	8	8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.9	9	9	9	7.9	6.9	6.9	5.9	4.9	4.9	3.9	0.2	0.2

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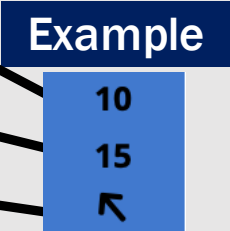
# Houston Pilots Wind Chart



Forecast Confidence



Sustained Wind 10 Knots  
Gusts 15 Knots  
Wind from the SE



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# Houston Pilots: THU. 01/08/2026

## Forecast Discussion

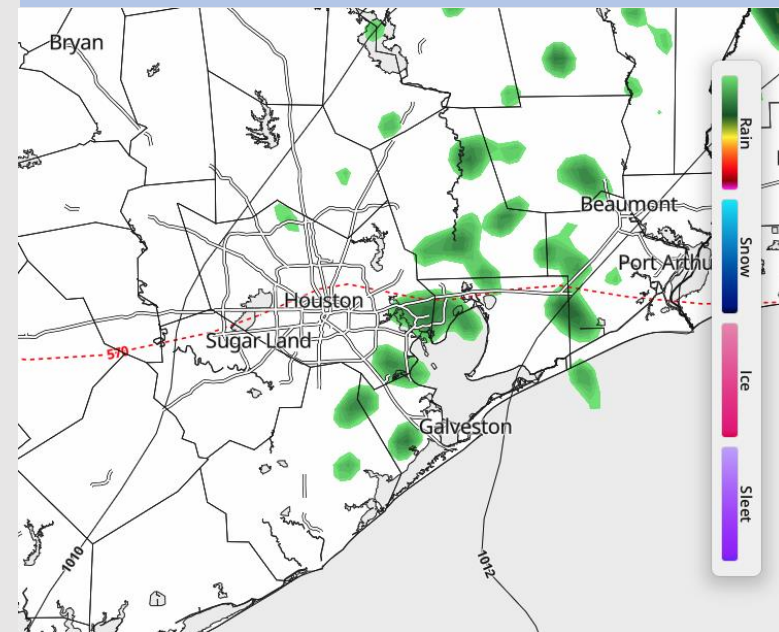
**Precip:** A few light, brief, isolated showers from 9 AM – 6 PM. A washout is NOT anticipated, but on-and-off shower activity is favored.

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

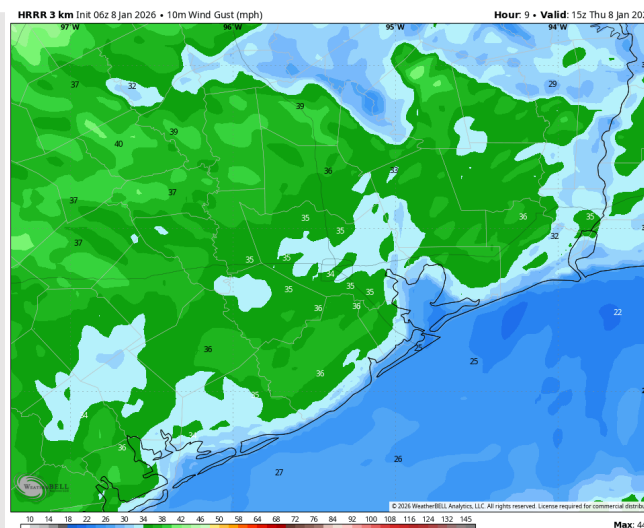
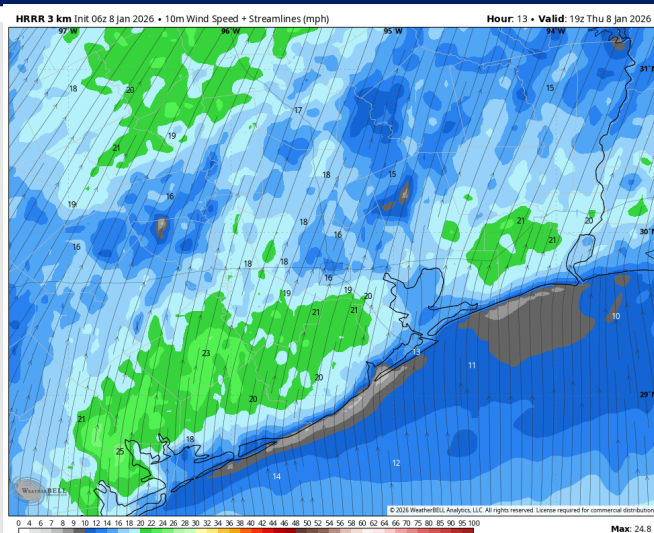
**High Temps:** **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 80s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Mid 70s F.

**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.

## Precip Image: 12 PM CT



**Wind Speed:**  
1 PM CT



**Peak Gusts**  
**THU**

# Houston Pilots: FRI. 01/09/2026

## Forecast Discussion

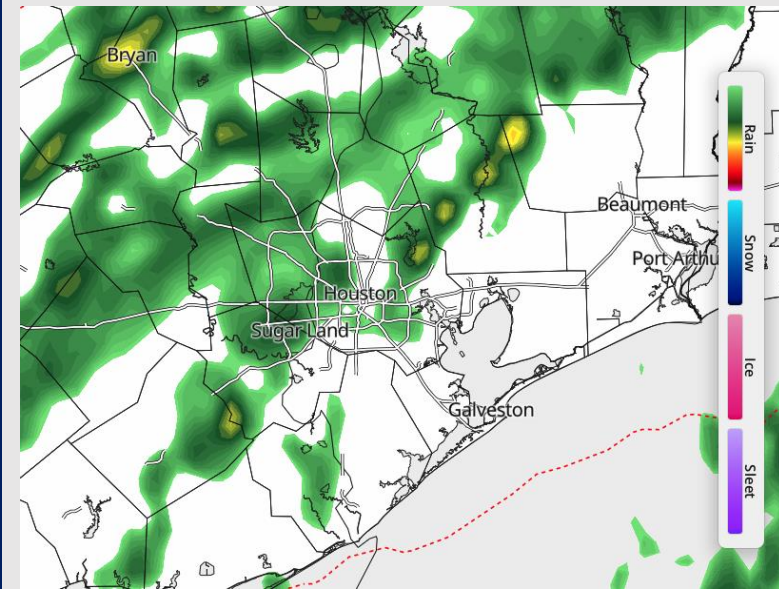
**Precip:** Scattered showers will be possible from 5AM to 4PM. A front will likely stall just north of Stations before beginning to push back to the SE after midnight SAT.

**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 9PM. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 4 – 9 kts. **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 7 – 12 kts, with slightly higher winds of 13 – 18 kts at the Boarding Station after 9PM. **A few gusts up to 20 kts after 9AM for all Stations, with gusts increasing to 23 – 28 kts after 9PM, mainly S of Morgan's Point.**

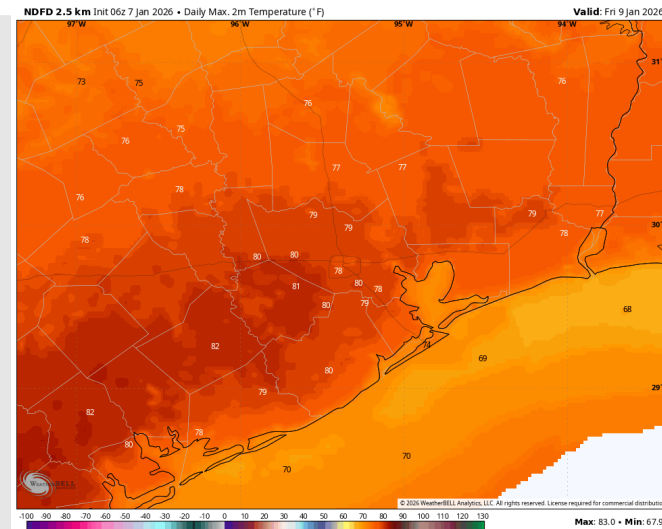
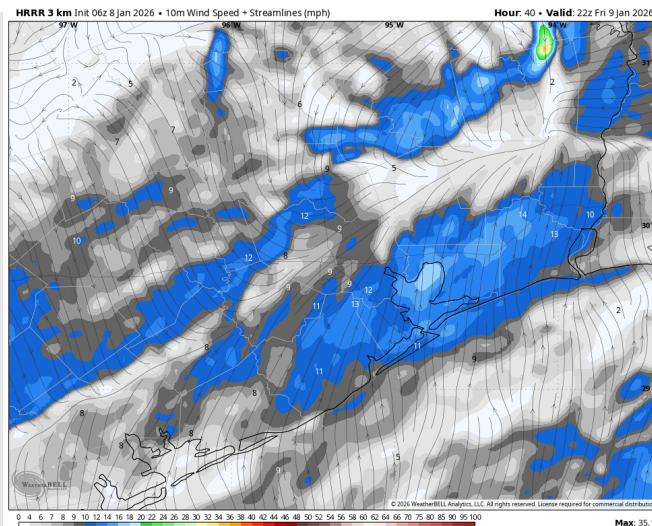
**High Temps:** **N of Morgan's Point:** Upper 70s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Mid 70s F.

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

## Precip Image: 10 AM CT



**Wind Speed:**  
4 PM CT



**High Temps**  
**FRI**

# Houston Pilots: SAT. 01/10/2026

## Forecast Discussion

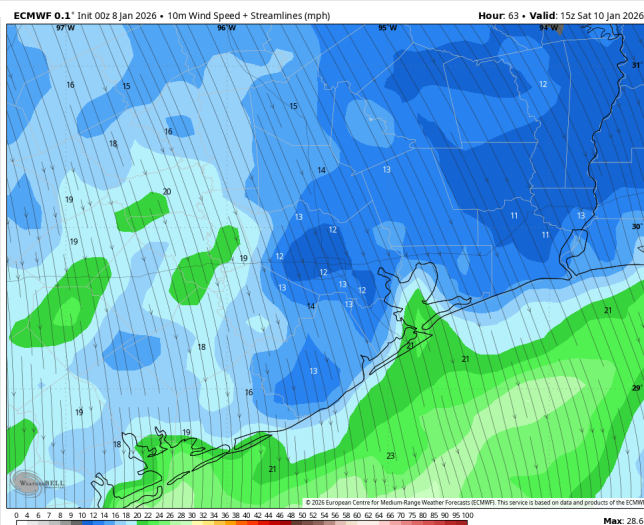
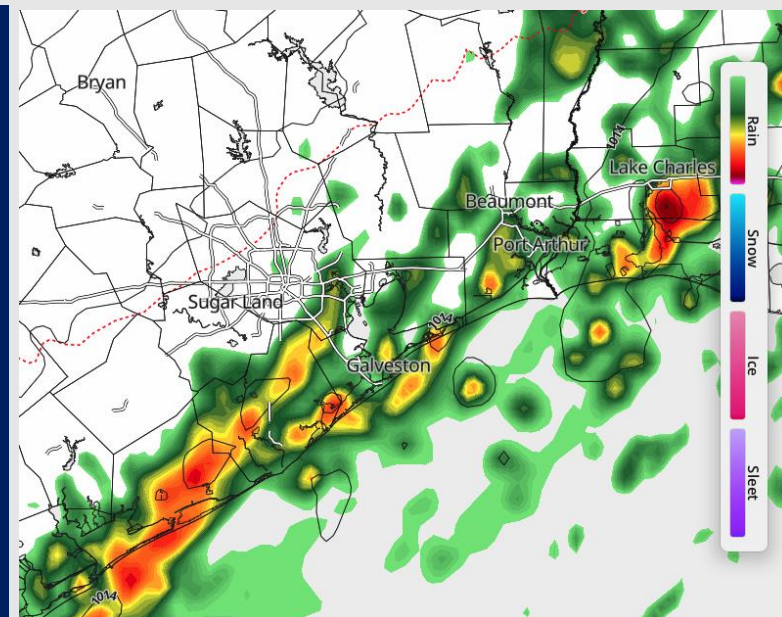
**Precip:** A line of storms is expected to work through from NW to SE through 6AM. Storms will be capable of lightning, wind gusts up to 40 – 50 kts, and large hail.

**Wind:** Winds will quickly turn to be out of the N/NW after 12AM and for the rest of the day. **N of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 5 – 10 kts. **Wind gusts up to 23 kts after 7AM.** **S of Morgan's Point:** Winds of 8 – 13 kts, increasing to 15 – 20 kts after 7AM. **Wind gusts up to 25 kts after 7AM,** with gusts up to 30 kts at the Boarding Station.

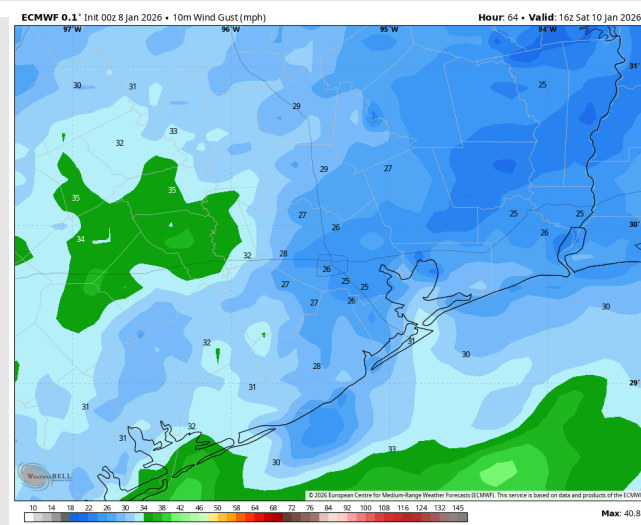
**High Temps:** **N of Morgan's Point:** Low 60s F. **S of Morgan's Point:** Low 60s F.

**Visibility:** Fog is not favored, however, visibilities can be reduced in heavy downpours.

## Precip Image: 4 AM CT



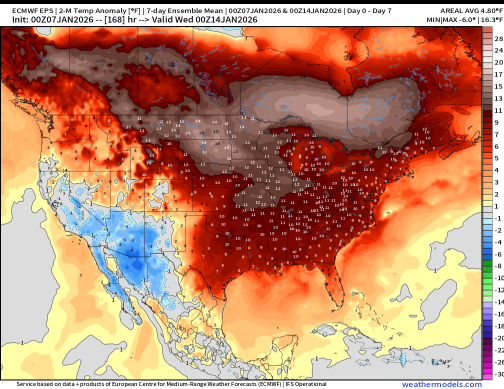
Wind Speed:  
9 AM CT



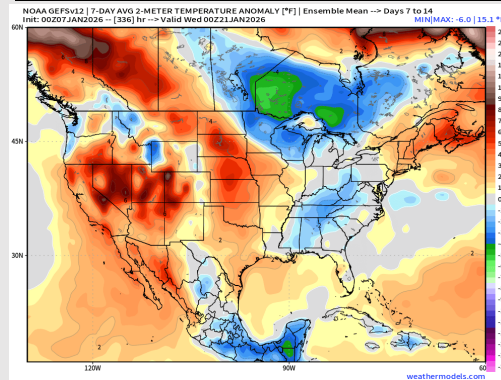
PEAK Wind  
Gusts

# Houston Pilots: 01/08/2026

## Next 7 Day Temperature Departure



## 8-14 Day Temperature Departure

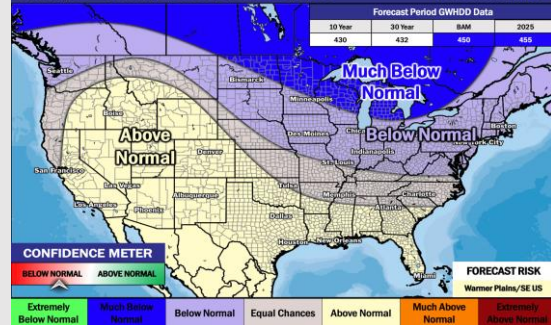


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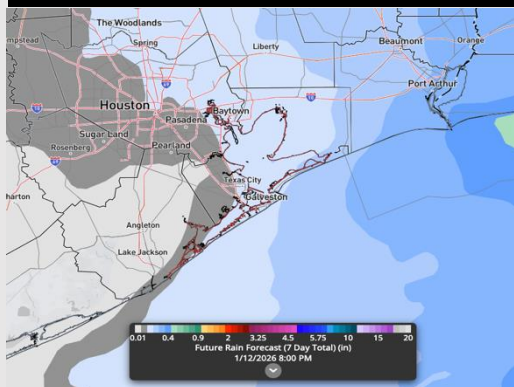
### Week 3/4 Temperature Outlook

January 20 - February 2, 2026 | Updated: 1/6/26

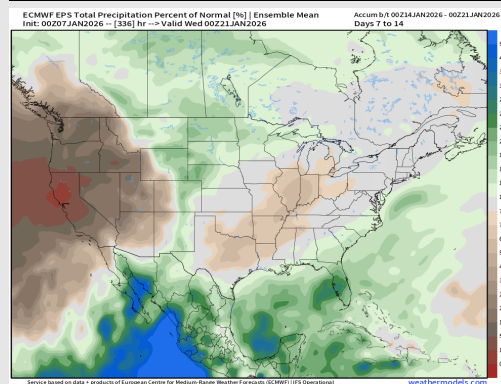
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## Next 7 Day Total Precipitation



## 8-14 Day % of Average Precip.

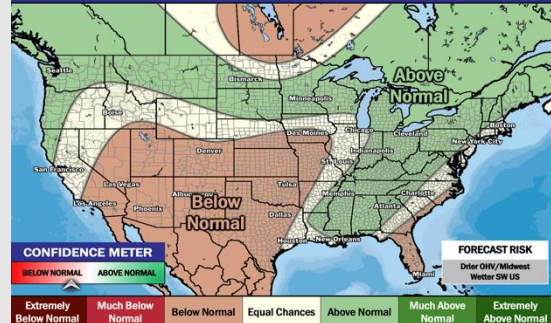


## 15-30 Day % of Average Precip.

### Week 3/4 Precipitation Outlook

January 20 - February 2, 2026 | Updated: 1/6/26

Forecaster: Walts



- Above normal temps are favored over the next 7 days, with rain chances into the weekend.
- 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.