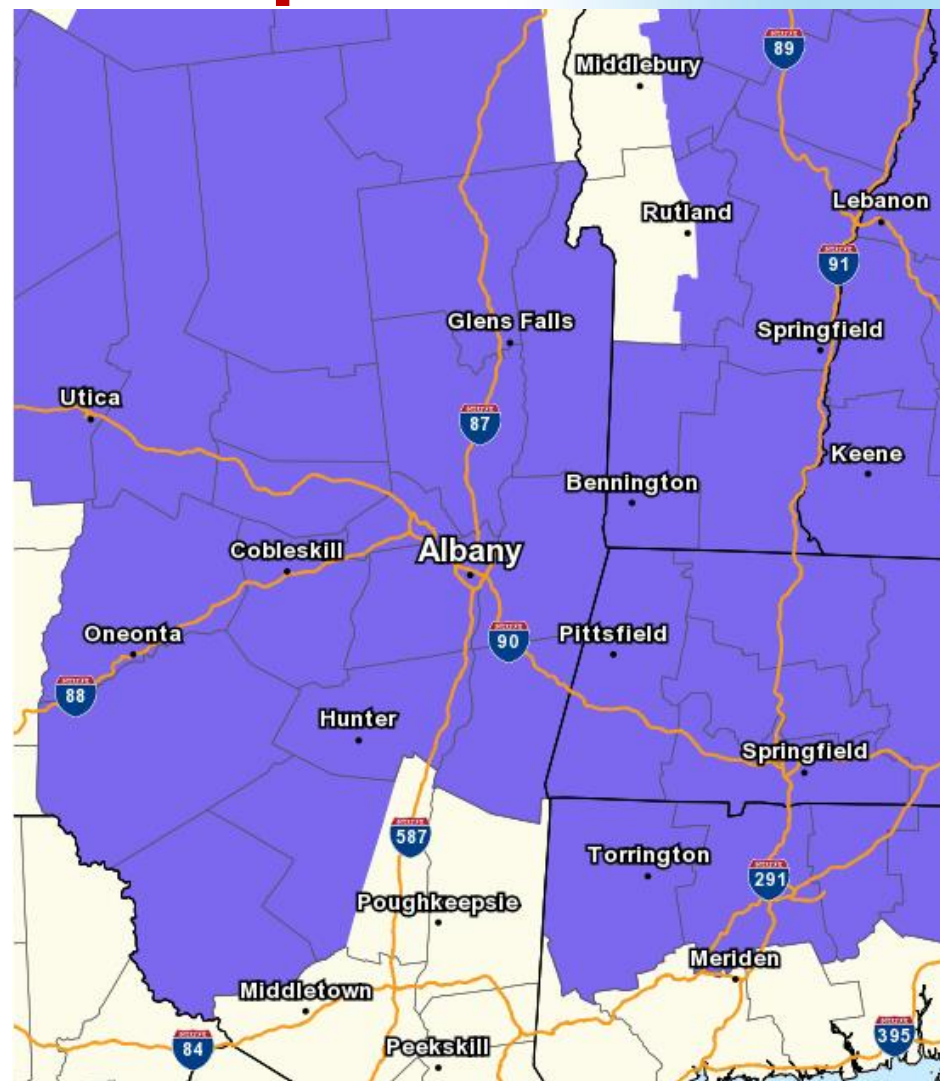


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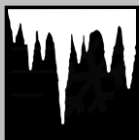
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## ***What Has Changed?***

- ✓ *Winter Weather Advisories have been expanded into NW CT*
- ✓ *Timing has been refined for parts of the Advisory area*



# Main Points

Hazard	Impacts	Location	Timing
<b>Snow/Sleet</b> 	<p>Total snow and sleet accumulation a coating to up to an inch in a few spots</p> <p>Untreated roads will become slick and hazardous</p>	<p>Northwestern CT, Northern portions of the Mid-Hudson valley, eastern Catskills, Schoharie Valley, central and northern Taconics, Mohawk Valley, the Greater Capital Region, southern Adirondacks, Lake George-Saratoga Region, Berkshires and southern Vermont</p>	<p>Snow and sleet begins between 1 am and 3 am Friday morning across the entire area and will quickly transition over to freezing rain.</p>
<b>Ice</b> 	<p>Up to one tenth of an inch (0.1 inches) of ice accumulation in most locations</p> <p>Untreated roads will become slick and hazardous</p>		<p>Freezing rain will transition to plain rain between 5 am and 10 AM</p> <p>The morning commute will be impacted, especially across northern parts of the area</p>

## Forecast snowfall and sleet through 1 pm Friday

## Forecast Snowfall

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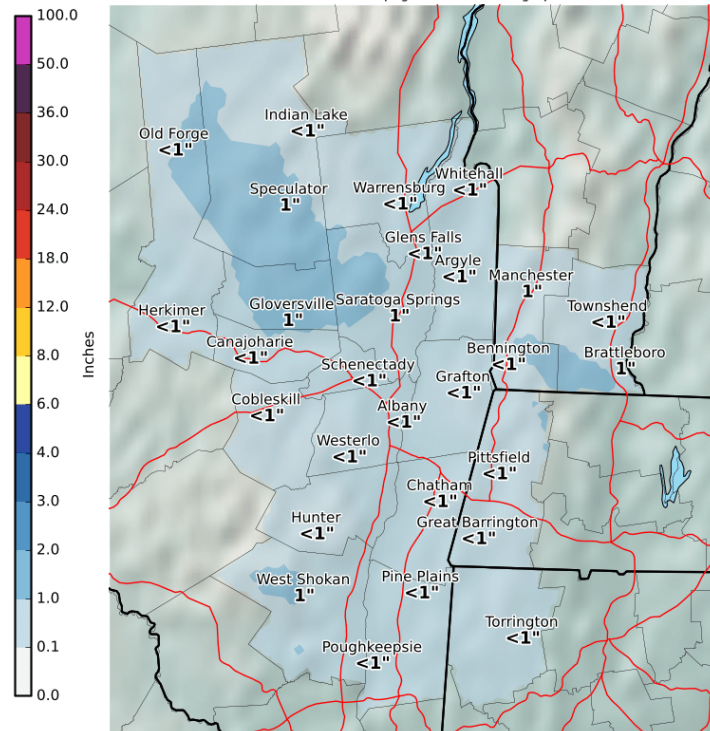


# Probabilistic Snowfall Forecast

## Expected Snowfall

**Expected Snowfall - Official NWS Forecast**  
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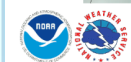
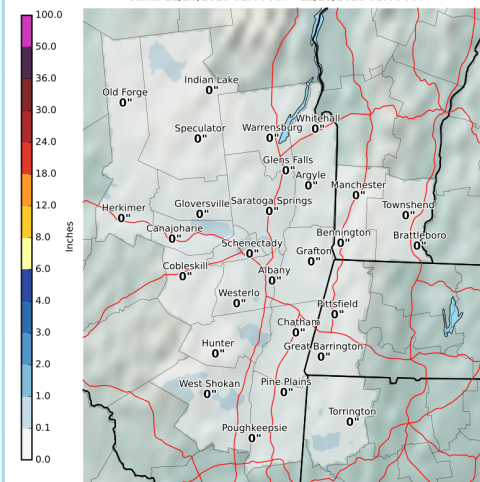
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## Low End Amount

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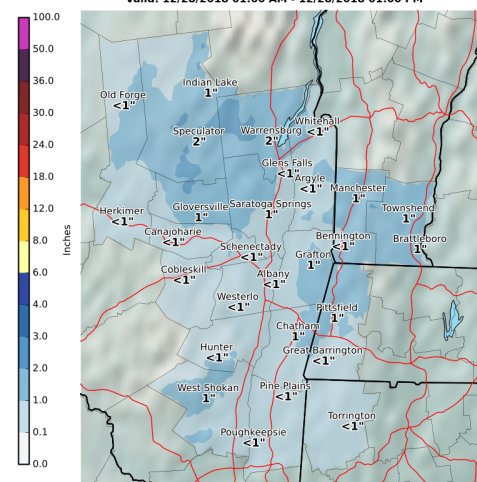


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## High End Amount

**High End Amount - 1 in 10 Chance (10%) Of Higher Snowfall**  
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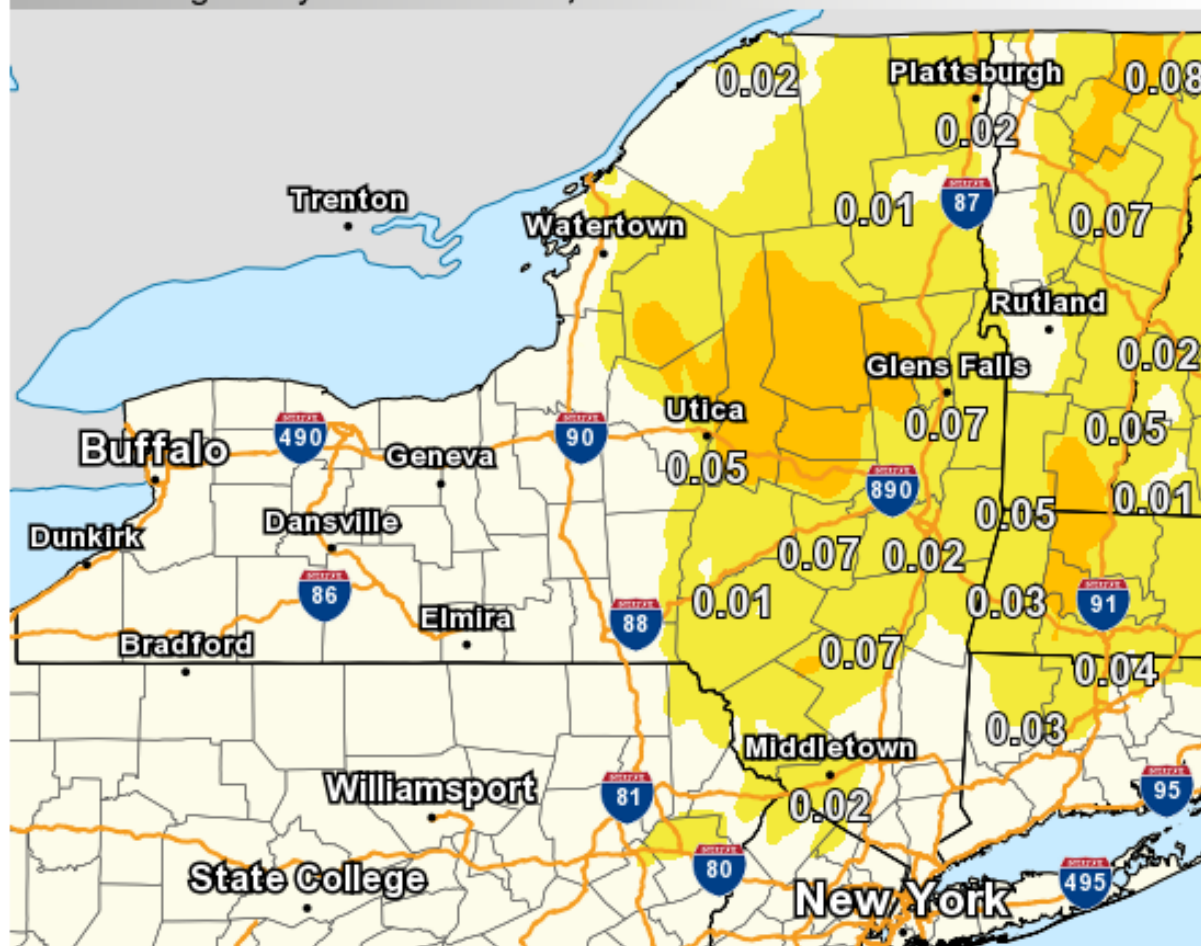
Forecast ice accumulation through 1 pm Friday

# Ice Accumulation Forecast

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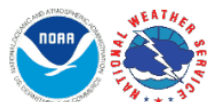
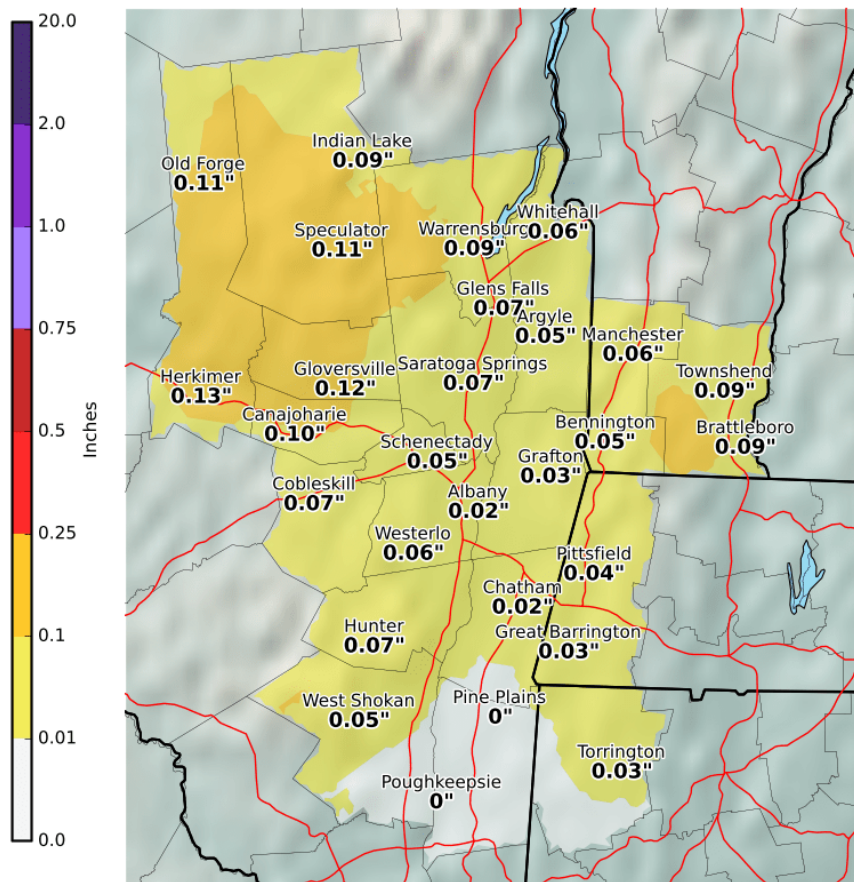
- 0.01 to 0.10 inch
- 0.10 to 0.25 inch
- 0.25 to 0.50 inch
- 0.50 to 0.75 inch
- 0.75 to 1.0 inch
- 1.0 to 2.0 inch
- Greater than 2.0 inch



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## Expected Ice Accumulation- Official NWS Forecast

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## Impacts and Timing:

**Timing:** Snow and sleet begins between 1 am and 3 am Friday morning across the entire area and will quickly transition over to freezing rain.

Freezing rain will transition to plain rain between 5 am and 10 AM

**Impacts:** Slippery surfaces including roadways and sidewalks. Light freezing rain, snow and sleet accumulations on exposed surfaces will lead to slippery conditions. The morning commute may be slow in some areas.



## Event Summary

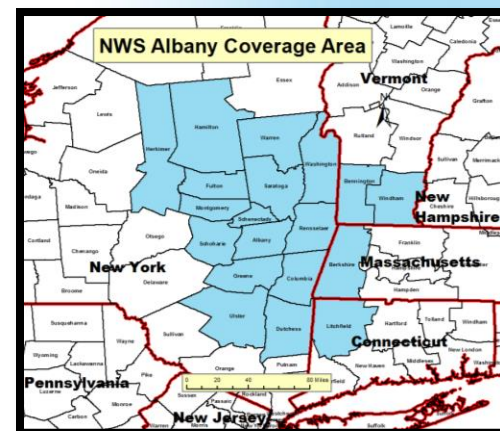
### Mixed precipitation including snow, sleet and freezing rain Late Tonight into Friday Morning

- ✓ Confidence is **HIGH** that this event will occur and **Moderate** on travel impacts Friday morning
  - Slippery road conditions are likely on untreated roads that will impact the morning commute
- ✓ **Period of greatest impact:** Late Tonight into Friday Morning
- ✓ **Winter Weather Advisories:**
  - **1 AM Friday – 7 AM Friday:** Northwestern Connecticut, eastern Catskills, Schoharie Valley, northern portions of the mid Hudson Valley, the Greater Capital Region, Mohawk Valley, central and southern Taconics and the Berkshires of western Massachusetts
  - **1 AM Friday – 10 AM Friday:** Southern and eastern Adirondacks, the Lake George and Saratoga Region, and southern Vermont.

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