

# Dangerously Cold Wind Chills Today

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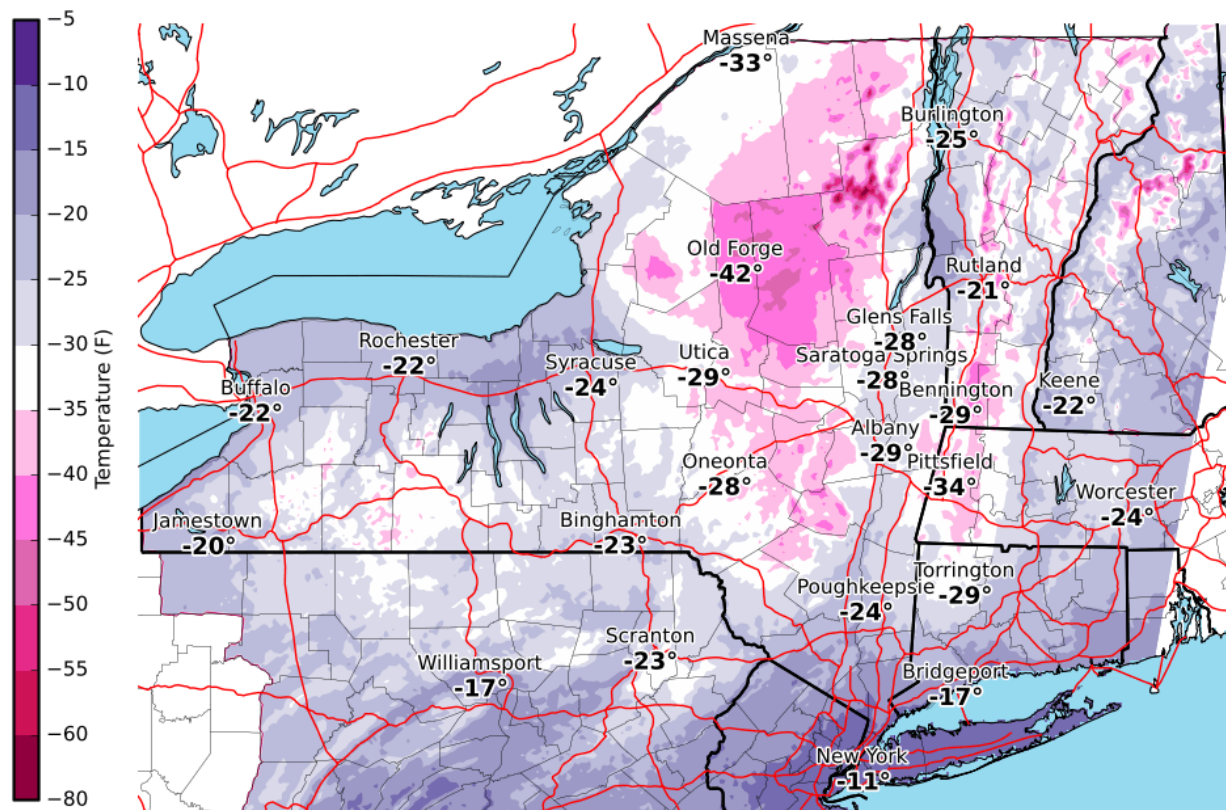
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# Main Points

Hazard	Impacts	Location	Timing
<b>Blowing Snow</b> 	Blowing and drifting snow that may re-cover cleared roadways and sidewalks. Also, localized reduced visibility.	Eastern New York and western New England	Through this evening
<b>Wind Chill</b> 	Increased risk for frostbite and hypothermia.	Eastern New York and western New England	Through this evening

## Lowest Wind Chill Valid: This Morning



## Impacts:

- ✓ **Life-Threatening** Wind Chills of -15 to -40 degrees possible through this evening.
- ✓ Frostbite and hypothermia can occur to exposed skin in 10 to 30 minutes.



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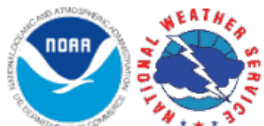
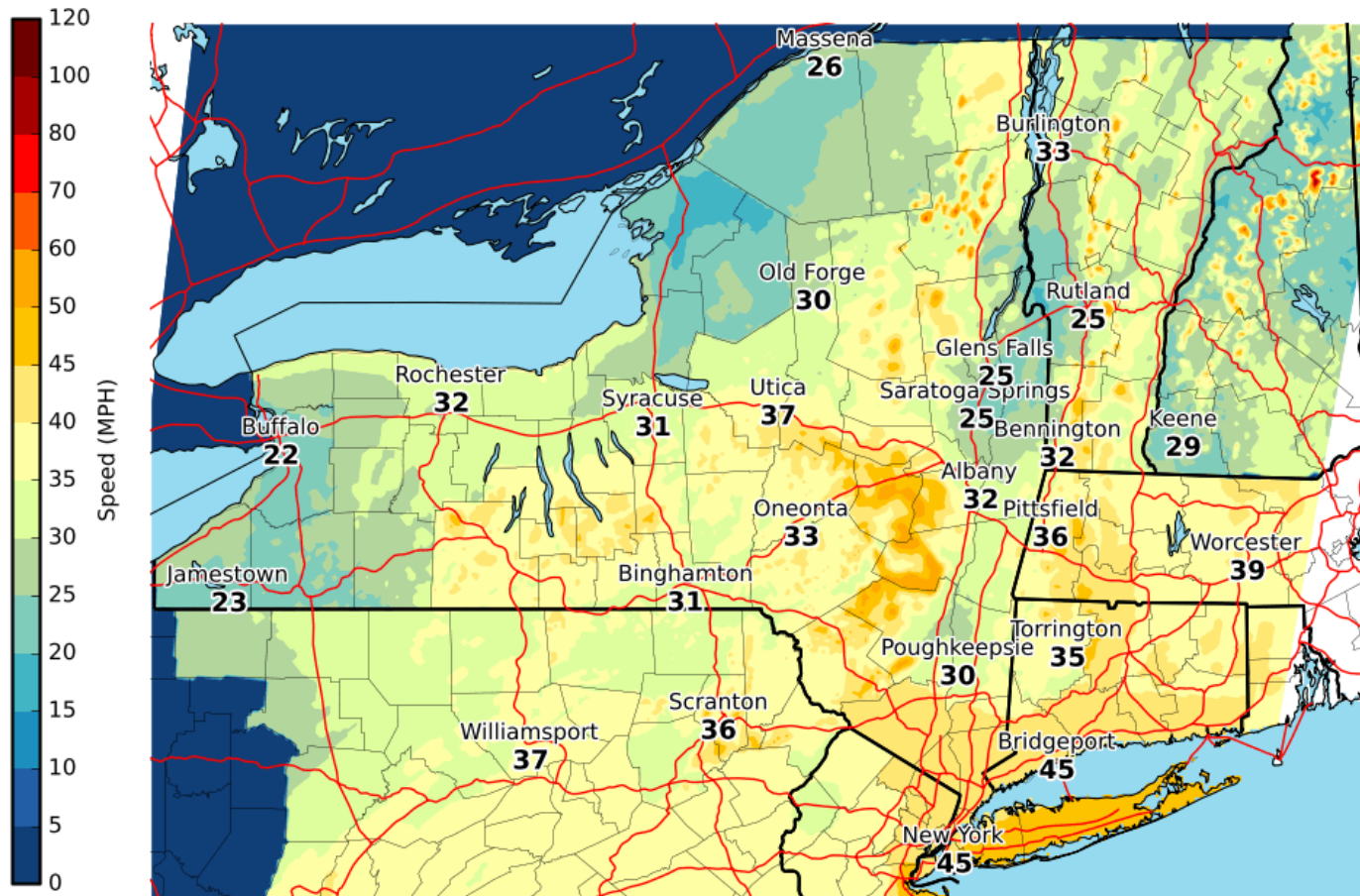
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## Maximum Wind Gusts Valid: Today



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## Event Summary – Dangerous Wind Chills

- ✓ Confidence is **HIGH** that this event will occur and **HIGH** on expected impacts
- ✓ Period of greatest impact: Through this evening



Gusty winds today may lead to areas of blowing and drifting snow resulting in reduced visibilities and snow covered roadways.

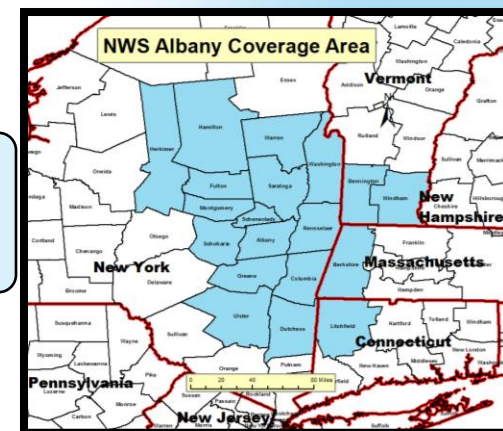


Life-threatening wind chills expected through this evening which will result in increased risk of hypothermia and frostbite. Wind chill headlines may need to be extended into tonight for some areas.

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