

# Wintry Weather & Strong Winds








Boston/Norton, MA

WEATHER FORECAST OFFICE

## OVERVIEW:

- Rain changes to snow late Sat morning with 4-8" expected in the Berkshires, tapering down to 1-2" from the Worcester Hills into northern CT
- Strong NW winds late this afternoon, tonight and Sunday morning

<b>TIMING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Rain changes to snow from NW to SE late Saturday morning through Saturday afternoon</li><li>▪ NW winds gusts to 40-50 mph late Saturday afternoon through early Sunday morning</li></ul>	
<b>HAZARDS &amp; IMPACTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Slippery travel across the interior Saturday, especially in the hills</li><li>▪ Minor wind damage may occur late Saturday into early Sunday (some downed branches or wires)</li></ul>	
<b>NWS ALERTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Winter Storm Warning for Berkshire County</li><li>▪ Winter Weather Advisory for Franklin, Hampshire, Hampden, Worcester &amp; Northwest Middlesex in Massachusetts. Litchfield, Harford &amp; Tolland County in Connecticut</li><li>▪ Wind Advisory for east slopes of the Berkshires, northern Worcester County, Hartford county &amp; eastern coastal counties</li></ul>	
<b>POST-EVENT OUTLOOK</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Clearing and colder Sunday with gradually diminishing winds</li><li>▪ Gusts fall below 30 mph by early Sunday afternoon</li></ul>	<p><b>Expected Snowfall - Official NWS Forecast</b> Valid: 03/12/2022 01:00 AM - 03/13/2022 08:00 AM EST</p>
<b>NEXT BRIEFING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ This will likely be the last briefing</li></ul>	<p>  National Weather Service Boston/Norton, MA 03/12/2022 03:53 AM EST</p> <p>Follow Us:    <a href="https://www.weather.gov/Boston/winter">weather.gov/Boston/winter</a></p>