

# Accumulating Snow Monday Night

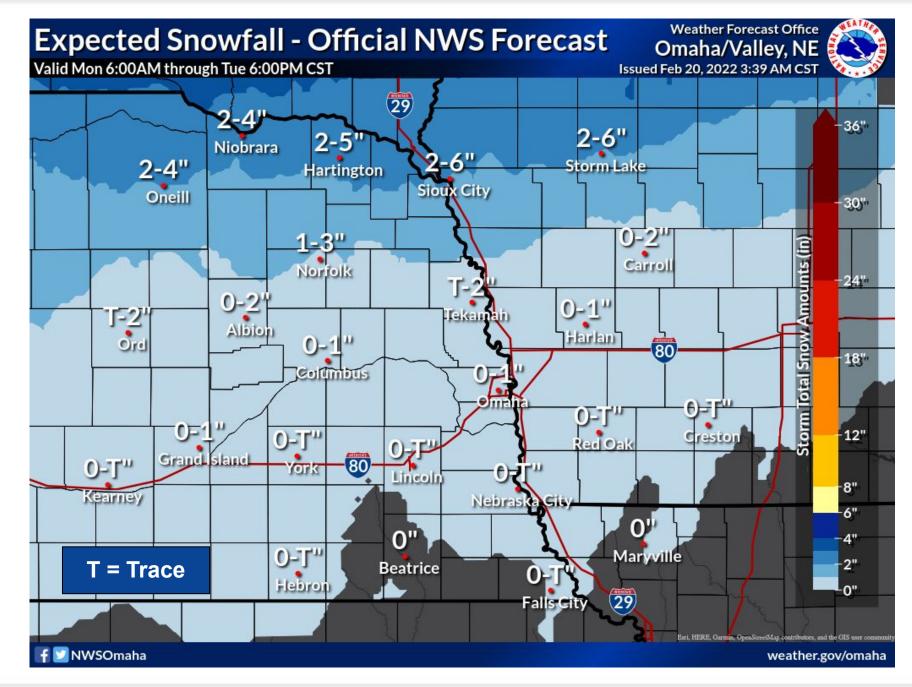
Winter Storm will Clip the Northern Portions of the Area

### **Key Messages**

- Greatest potential for accumulating snow is across northern Nebraska.
- Precipitation may begin as freezing rain on Monday before changing to snow on Monday night.
- Much colder air will pour into the area on Monday and Tuesday producing biting wind chills.

### **Next Scheduled Briefing**

→ The forecast and this packet will be updated by late Sunday afternoon.





## Latest Ice Forecast

Hazardous Travel Likely Friday, Especially Across Northern Nebraska and Western Iowa

#### **Winter Weather Details**

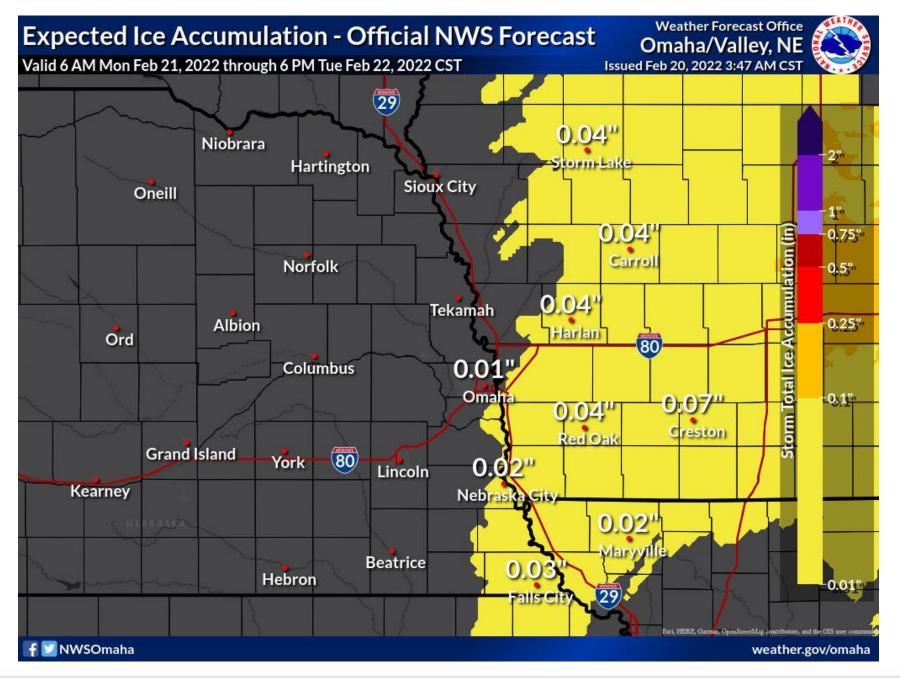
- → Light precip begins Monday morning along the SD state line.
- → There is a chance (30%) of freezing rain Monday and Monday night before turning to snow.
- → Accumulating snow ends on Tuesday morning.
- → Northerly winds will gust up to 30-35 mph on Tuesday.
- → Early morning low temps will slip close to zero degrees Wednesday and Thursday.

### **Impacts**



Travel may become difficult especially in western Iowa and northern Nebraska.

If freezing drizzle develops, roads may become deceptively slick.





## Low End and High End Amounts

#### Reasonable "Best Case" and "Worst Case" Scenarios





Visit <u>weather.gov/oax/winter</u> for additional details.





# Winter Weather Timing

	Monday 6 AM - Noon	Monday Noon - 6 PM	Monday 6 PM - Midnight	Tuesday Midnight - 6 AM	Tuesday 6 AM - Noon	Tuesday Noon - 6 PM
Niobrara	20% chance of flurries and freezing rain	30% chance of light snow	Light Snow	Light Snow	Light Snow	Chance of Flurries
Norfolk	Dry	20% chance of flurries and freezing rain	30% chance of light snow	Light Snow	Light Snow	Snow has ended
Omaha/CB	Dry	Dry	20% chance of flurries and freezing rain	Light Snow and Freezing Rain	30% chance of Light Snow	Snow has Ended
Lincoln	Dry	Dry	Dry	Light snow	20% chance of Light Snow	Snow has ended
Red Oak	Dry	Dry	20% chance of light rain	Light Freezing Rain	20% chance of Light Snow	Snow has ended

Heavy Rain	Heavy Snow	Heavy Sleet/Ice Pellets	Heavy Freezing Rain/Drizzie	Heavy Wintry Mbx
Moderate Rain	Moderate Snow	Moderate Sleet/Ice Pellets	Moderate Freezing Rain/Drizzle	Moderate Wintry Mix
Light Rain	Light Snow	Light Sleet/Ice Pellets	Light Freezing Rain/Drizzle	Light Wintry Mix





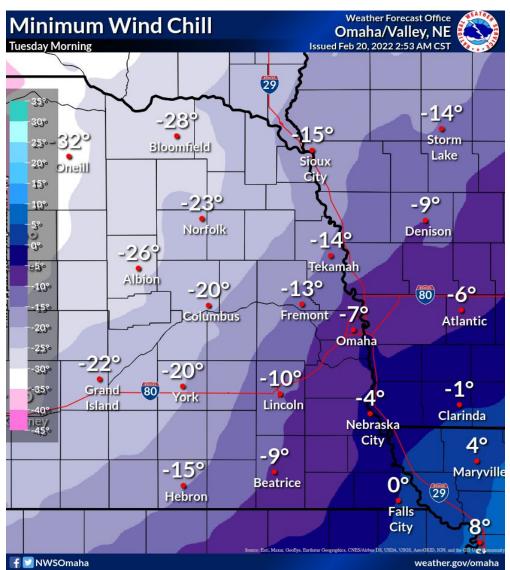
## Biting Wind Chills Forecast

Wind Chill: The portion of the cooling of a human body caused by air motion

Maximum wind gusts up to around 30 mph expected Tuesday.

These winds will push wind chills below zero on Tuesday morning.

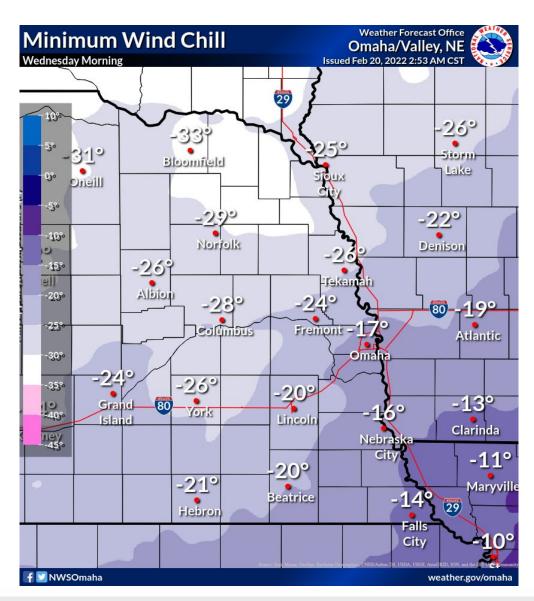
Wednesday morning will bring slower winds but colder temps mean even colder wind chill values.



### **TUESDAY MORNING**



### WEDNESDAY MORNING -







# Safety and Resources

### **Points to Remember**

- → Focus on the potential.

  Winter forecasts can change and the axis of heaviest snow can shift.
- → Stay informed. Please reach out to us with additional questions.

#### **Additional Resources**

- → NWS Omaha Web Page
- → NWS Omaha Winter Page
- → Winter Storm Severity Index
- → Winter Weather Safety
- → Reporting Winter Weather
- → Recent Snowfall Reports
- → NE 511 | IA 511

Social Media: Facebook | Twitter



### **Indoor Winter Safety**

Check your smoke/carbon monoxide (CO) detectors. The danger of CO poisoning is greater during winter storms when doors and windows stay closed and fireplaces and gas heaters are in use. You can also be exposed to deadly CO levels when "warming up" your car in the garage or when snow covers your tail pipe.

