



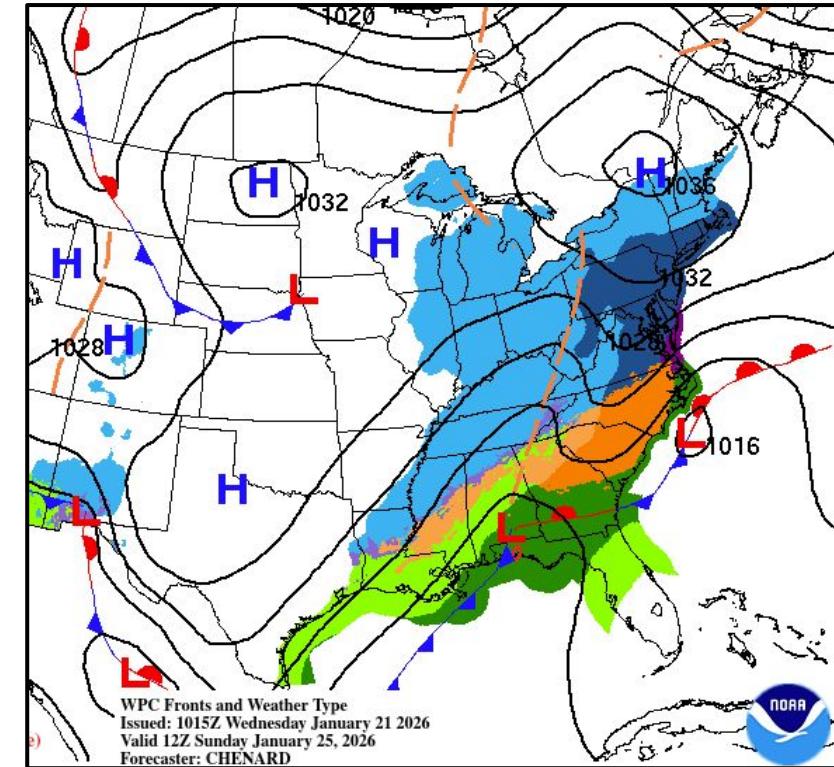
# Storm Possible Sunday Night - Monday (1/25 - 1/26)

January 21, 2026  
1445 UTC

**CALL TO ACTION: Vessels planning to be in the area should execute avoidance plans.**

## KEY MESSAGES:

- Low pressure should gradually strengthen and broaden off of the east coast Sunday into Monday.
- As the low moves east, storm-force sustained winds are possible, currently with the better chances to start Sunday night in and near the Gulf Stream east of 68W.
- Depending on the strength and track of the low, areas of storm-force sustained winds could occur again Monday especially north of 36N and east of 70W.
- Mariners should monitor later forecasts on the track and strength of the low, and the exact impacts to areas off of the east coast.
- Avoidance plans may eventually be needed depending on the voyage planned and the vessel's cargo.
- By Tuesday afternoon, areas of light-to-moderate freezing spray could occur as far south as off of the mid-Atlantic coast.
- Keep abreast of the latest in the tropics and high seas marine weather information at [hurricanes.gov](https://hurricanes.gov) and [ocean.weather.gov](https://ocean.weather.gov). The next briefing will be an update on Thursday, January 22 by noon EST, or 1700 UTC.



Weather Prediction Center Forecast Valid 7 AM EST / 12 UTC Sunday, January 25



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**Outlook: East Coast N of 31N to 65W**



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