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SUBJECT: Updated: Soliciting Comments until April 30, 2018, on  
          the Expansion of the Winter Weather Probabilistic  
          Experiment beginning December 15, 2017

Updated to expand experiment to an additional 21 NWS Weather  
Forecast Offices (WFO) and extend comment period to  
April 30, 2018

Effective immediately, 21 additional WFOs will start producing  
probabilistic storm total snow products ahead of anticipated  
winter storms. These offices will join 44 offices which issued  
the products last winter.

The graphical products will be available online at the following  
65 WFO webpages:

Aberdeen, SD:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/abr/winter">http://www.weather.gov/abr/winter</a>
Albany, NY:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/aly/winter">http://www.weather.gov/aly/winter</a>
Albuquerque, NM:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/abq/winter">http://www.weather.gov/abq/winter</a>
Atlanta, GA:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/ffc/winter">http://www.weather.gov/ffc/winter</a>
Baltimore, MD-Washington, DC:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/lwx/winter">http://www.weather.gov/lwx/winter</a>
Binghamton, NY:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/bgm/winter">http://www.weather.gov/bgm/winter</a>
Bismarck, ND:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/bis/winter">http://www.weather.gov/bis/winter</a>
Blacksburg, VA:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/rnk/winter">http://www.weather.gov/rnk/winter</a>
Boulder, CO:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/bou/winter">http://www.weather.gov/bou/winter</a>
Burlington, VT:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/btv/winter">http://www.weather.gov/btv/winter</a>
Caribou, ME:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/car/winter">http://www.weather.gov/car/winter</a>
Charleston, SC:	<a href="http://www.weather.gov/chs/winter">http://www.weather.gov/chs/winter</a>

Charleston, WV: <http://www.weather.gov/rlx/winter>  
Cheyenne, WY: <http://www.weather.gov/cys/winter>  
Chicago, IL: <http://www.weather.gov/lot/winter>  
Columbia, SC: <http://www.weather.gov/cae/winter>  
Detroit, MI: <http://www.weather.gov/dtx/winter>  
Des Moines, IA: <http://www.weather.gov/dmx/winter>  
Dodge City, KS: <http://www.weather.gov/ddc/winter>  
Duluth, MN: <http://www.weather.gov/dlh/winter>  
Eastern North Dakota: <http://www.weather.gov/fgf/winter>  
Gaylord, MI: <http://www.weather.gov/apx/winter>  
Goodland, KS: <http://www.weather.gov/gld/winter>  
Grand Junction, CO: <http://www.weather.gov/gjt/winter>  
Grand Rapids MI: <http://www.weather.gov/grr/winter>  
Gray, ME: <http://www.weather.gov/gyx/winter>  
Green Bay, WI: <http://www.weather.gov/grb/winter>  
Greenville/Spartanburg, SC: <http://www.weather.gov/gsp/winter>  
Hastings, NE: <http://www.weather.gov/gid/winter>  
Indianapolis, IN: <http://www.weather.gov/ind/winter>  
Jackson, KY: <http://www.weather.gov/jkl/winter>  
Kansas City, MO: <http://www.weather.gov/eax/winter>  
LaCrosse, WI: <http://www.weather.gov/arx/winter>  
Lincoln, IL: <http://www.weather.gov/ilx/winter>  
Louisville, KY: <http://www.weather.gov/lmk/winter>  
Lubbock, TX: <http://www.weather.gov/lub/winter>  
Marquette, MI: <http://www.weather.gov/mqt/winter>  
Milwaukee, WI: <http://www.weather.gov/mkx/winter>  
Minneapolis, MN: <http://www.weather.gov/mpx/winter>  
Mt. Holly, NJ: <http://www.weather.gov/phi/winter>  
New York, NY: <http://www.weather.gov/okx/winter>  
Newport/Morehead City, NC: <http://www.weather.gov/mhx/winter>  
Norman, OK: <http://www.weather.gov/oun/winter>  
North Platte, NE: <http://www.weather.gov/lbf/winter>  
Northern Indiana: <http://www.weather.gov/iwx/winter>  
Omaha/Valley NE: <http://www.weather.gov/oax/winter>  
Paducah, KY: <http://www.weather.gov/pah/winter>  
Pittsburgh, PA: <http://www.weather.gov/pbz/winter>  
Pueblo, CO: <http://www.weather.gov/pub/winter>  
Quad Cities, IL: <http://www.weather.gov/dvn/winter>  
Raleigh, NC: <http://www.weather.gov/rah/winter>  
Rapid City, SD: <http://www.weather.gov/unr/winter>  
Reno, NV: <http://www.weather.gov/rev/winter>  
Riverton, WY: <http://www.weather.gov/riw/winter>  
St. Louis, MO: <http://www.weather.gov/lxs/winter>  
Sioux Falls, SD: <http://www.weather.gov/fsd/winter>  
Springfield, MO: <http://www.weather.gov/sgf/winter>

State College, PA: <http://www.weather.gov/ctp/winter>  
Taunton, MA: <http://www.weather.gov/box/winter>  
Topeka, KS: <http://www.weather.gov/top/winter>  
Tulsa, OK: <http://www.weather.gov/tsa/winter>  
Wakefield, VA: <http://www.weather.gov/akq/winter>  
Wichita, KS: <http://www.weather.gov/ict/winter>  
Wilmington, NC: <http://www.weather.gov/ilm/winter>  
Wilmington, OH: <http://www.weather.gov/iln/winter>

The comment period runs through April 30, 2018. Please submit comments to:

[www.nws.noaa.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=NWS/PSTS/FY16](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=NWS/PSTS/FY16)

Graphical and tabular products will show the low end, official forecast and high end snow amounts a storm is likely to produce. Examples of these products can be viewed at:

[https://nws.weather.gov/products/PDD/PDD\\_WinterWxProbabilisticExperiment.pdf](https://nws.weather.gov/products/PDD/PDD_WinterWxProbabilisticExperiment.pdf)

Narrow ranges between the minimum and maximum snowfall totals indicate high forecast certainty, while large ranges between minimum and maximum totals indicate low forecast certainty.

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National Service Change Notices are online at:

<http://www.weather.gov/os/notif.htm>

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