Winter Weather Event

Tonight – Saturday

NWS Amarillo Weather Briefing

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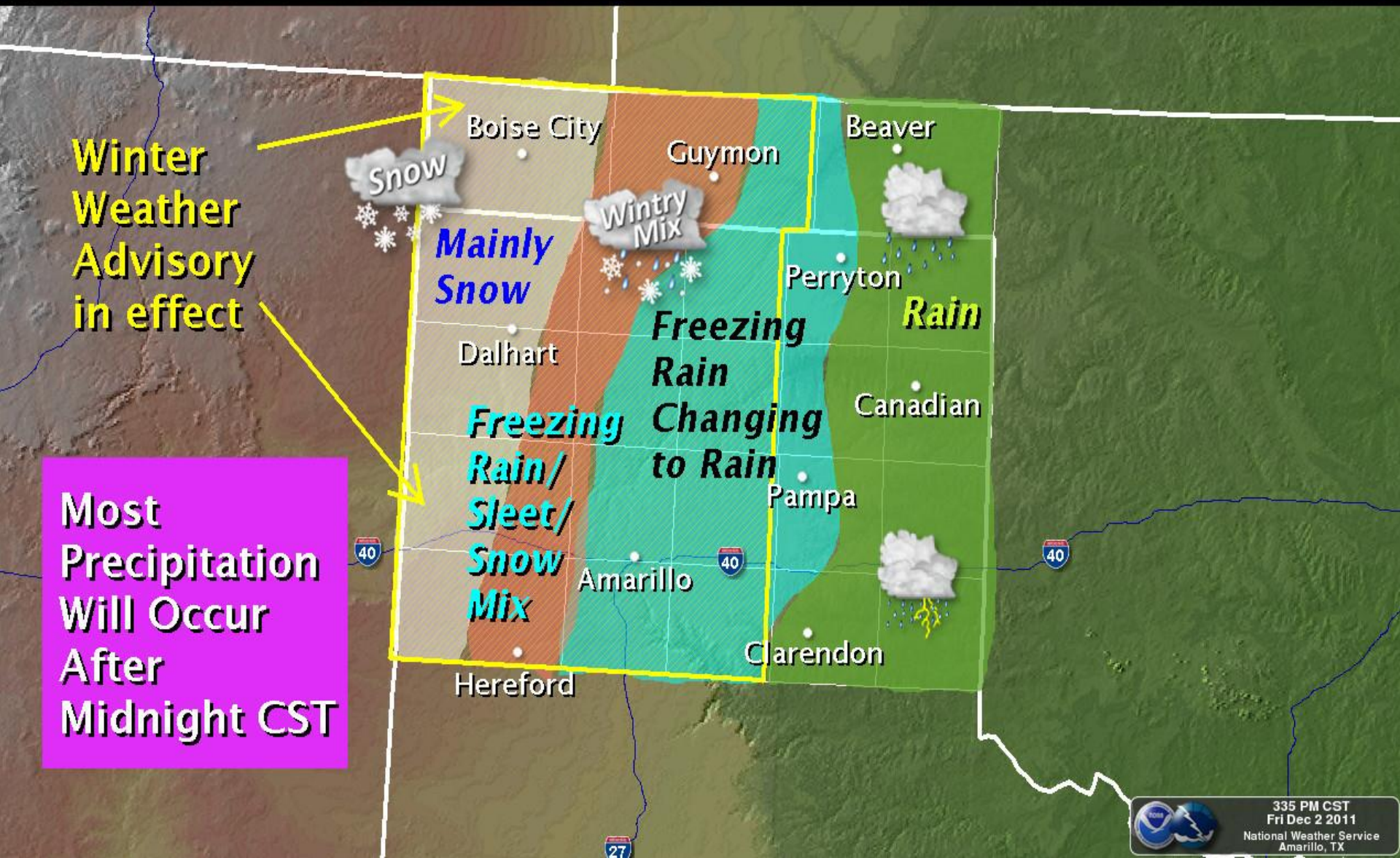
Overview

- *Tonight through Saturday:*
  - Heavier precipitation will spread across the Panhandles
  - Snow far NW, wintry mix central (including Amarillo), and mainly rain east
  - Snow and ice accumulations expected across the western half of the Panhandles

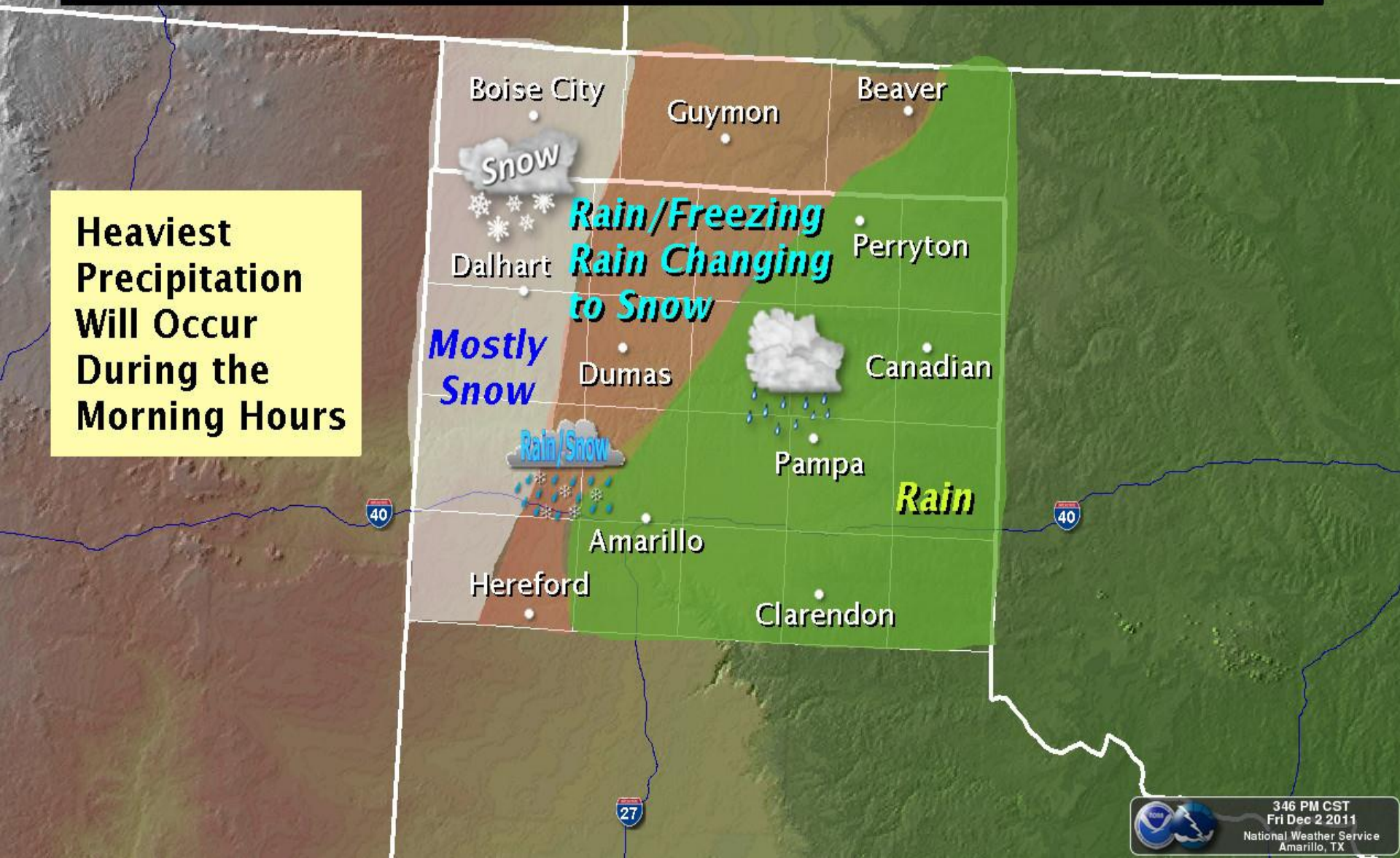
Tonight

Prime period for precipitation and snow and ice accumulations



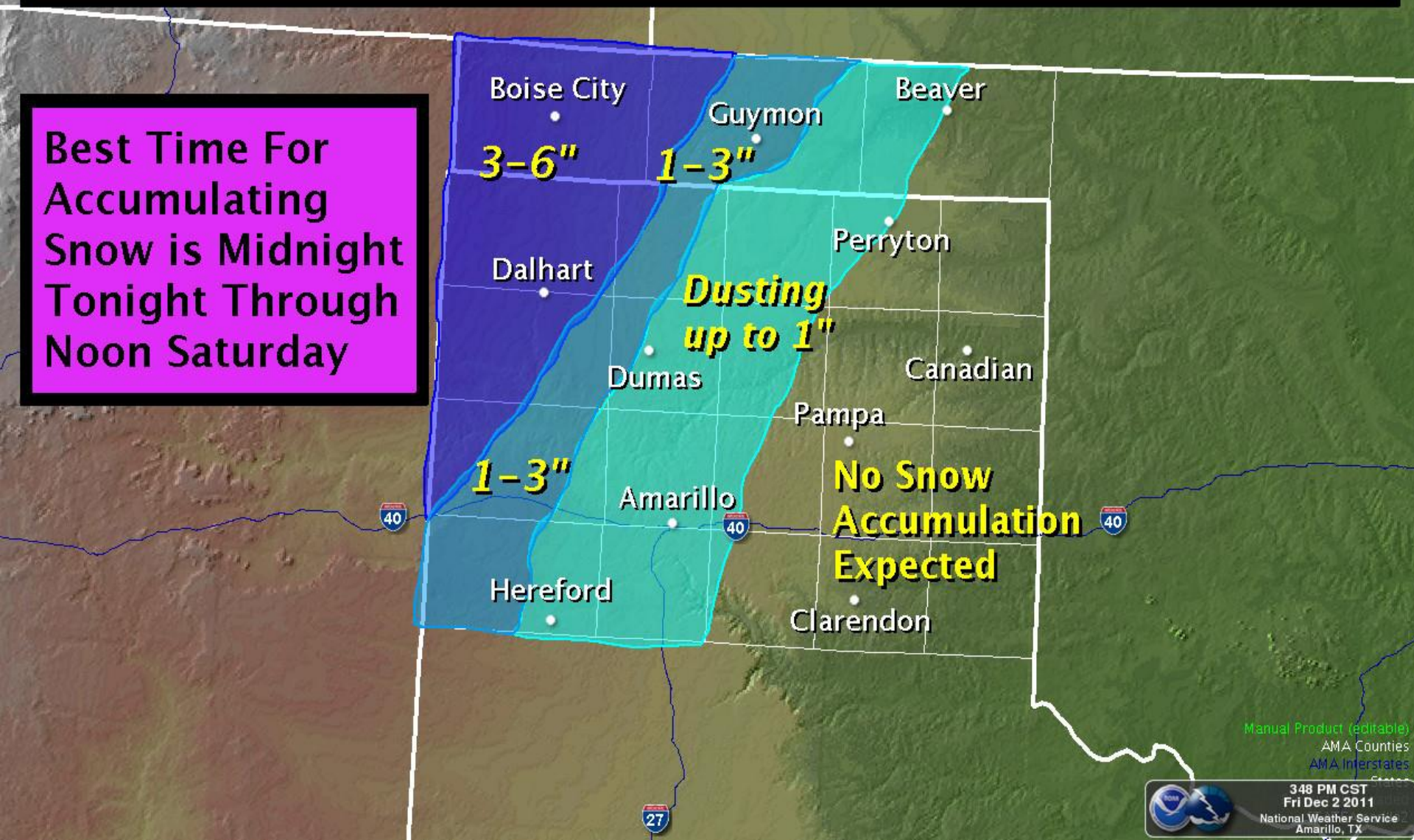
Saturday

Precipitation Will Taper Off and Move Out of the Area by Evening

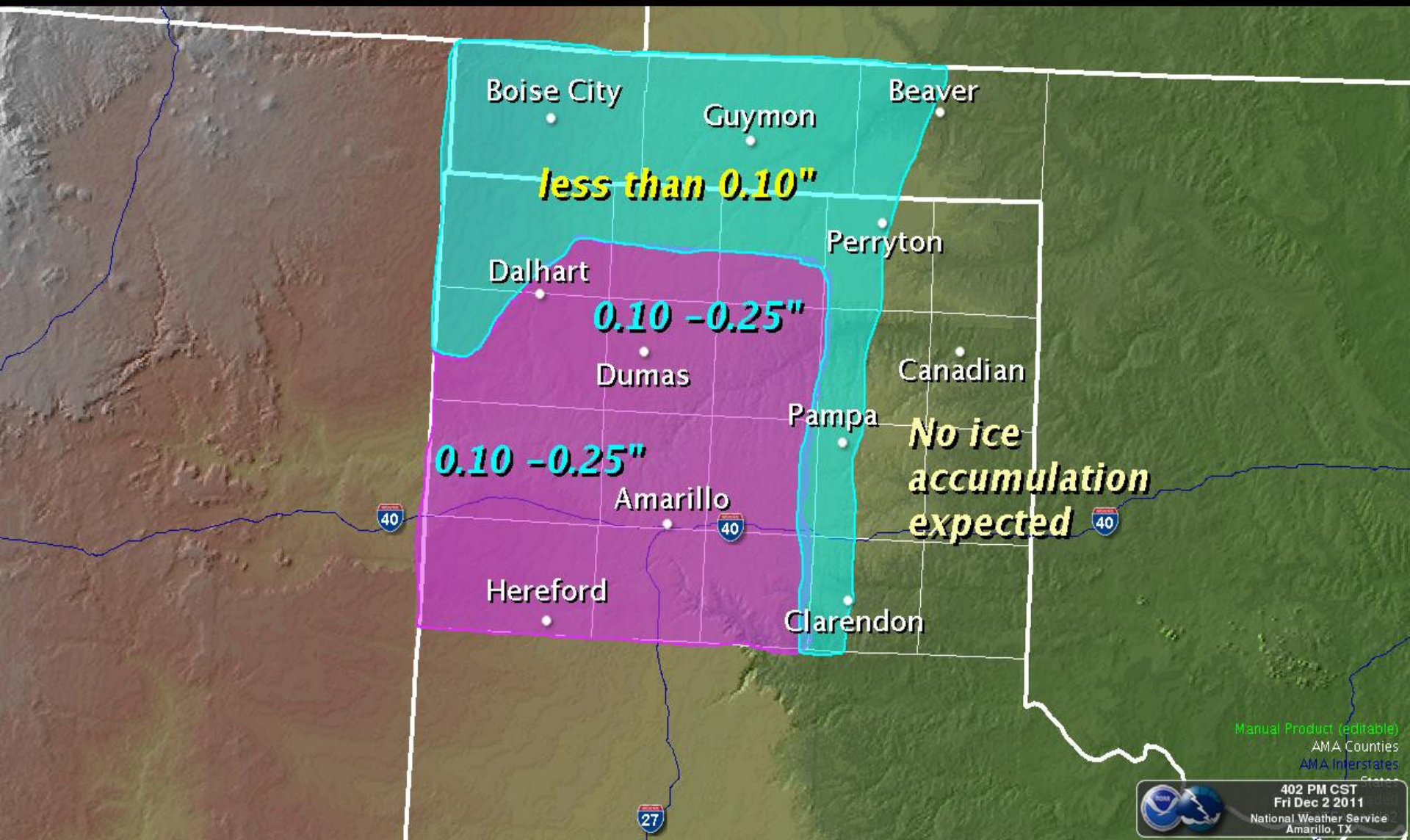


Total Forecast Snow Accumulation

Best Time For Accumulating Snow is Midnight Tonight Through Noon Saturday



Total Forecast Ice Accumulation



Confidence

- Chance of precipitation –High
  - Tonight into Saturday morning
- Precipitation Type – Low to Medium
  - Small differences in temperatures will lead to big differences in precipitation type
- Snow/Ice Amounts – Low to Medium
  - Due to low confidence in precipitation type
  - Highest in the northwestern Panhandles

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