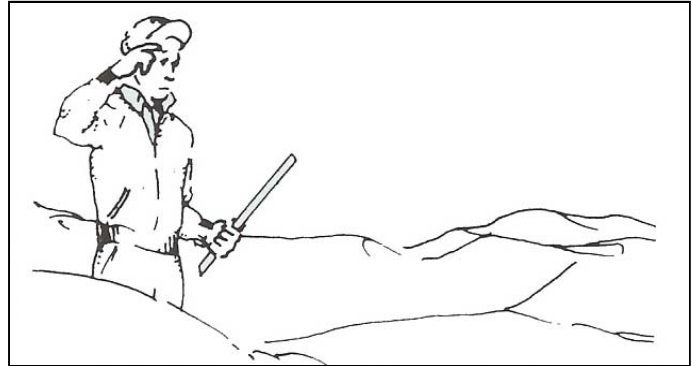


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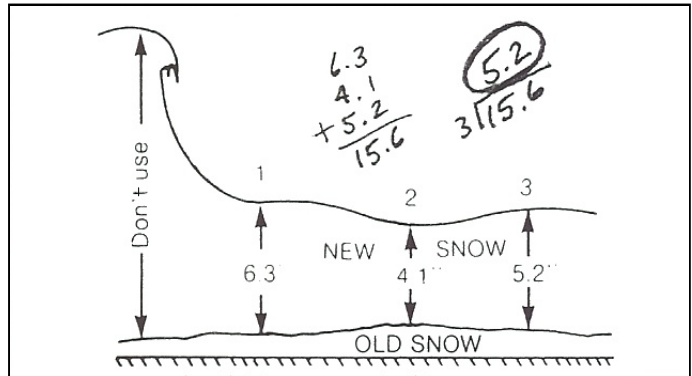
Guidelines for our Weather Spotter Teams

Use good judgment in selecting spots where the snow is least affected by drifting.



Take several measurements where the snow is least affected by drifting (don't include deep drifts), then find the average. Report to the nearest tenth of an inch.

Use of a "snow board" can help. Brush off the board after each event.



Contact us:

- After 2 inches of snow falls
- After 4 inches of snow falls (and, if possible, every couple hours if the snow continues)
- If significant freezing drizzle/freezing rain is occurring
- If significant blowing/drifting snow is occurring
- Storm total—**Important!**
- Dense fog with visibility less than ¼ mile.

Submit a report to the NWS:

Trained storm spotters can send information to the NWS via the **Toll-Free Storm Spotter Hotline**

*Use the above method to ensure forecasters receive the info **immediately!***

Others can send storm totals to the NWS via:

- ✓ **Email:** nws.greenbay@noaa.gov
- ✓ **Twitter:** <https://www.twitter.com/NWSGreenBay>
- ✓ **Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/NWSGreenBay>

When contacting us, tell us:

- * Who you are
- * Where you are
- * What you measured
(and time frame it fell)
- * Current weather

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