



BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST

BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST FOR THIS AFTERNOON AND TONIGHT AND THE NEXT SIX (6) DAYS, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 12:00 P.M. EDT, FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 P.M. EDT.

WARNING IN EFFECT:

A **Heat Advisory** remains in effect for the **Northern and Northwest Bahamas (inclusive of the islands of New Providence, Grand Bahama, Bimini, Abaco, The Berry Islands, Andros and Bimini)**. The public should remain hydrated, limit strenuous outdoor activities and seek shaded areas during peak heat hours.

High pressure ridging will continue to support high temperatures and moderate to fresh winds throughout the country. Meanwhile, hot and humid conditions will produce passing showers and late afternoon thunderstorms across the Northern half of the country increasing over the Northern Bahamas tonight.

GENERAL SITUATION:

Outlook: Beginning early Saturday, troughing and a low pressure area over Florida will help weaken the prevailing wind pattern while increasing shower and thunderstorm activity across the northernmost islands through next week. This may provide some much-needed relief from the excessively hot conditions currently affecting those areas. Across the southern half of the country, stable, very warm, hazy and occasionally breezy conditions are expected to continue through early next week. Rain chances are forecast to increase slightly by late Monday as an approaching tropical wave moves into the region.

UV Index: Members of the public are advised to wear protective clothing and sunscreen, and seek shaded areas while outside during peak sunshine hours (10am – 4pm), as UV indices are expected to be in the **very high to extreme** range.

SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:

Rip Currents: A **slight to moderate** risk of rip currents exists along Atlantic-exposed beaches of the archipelago. *Beachgoers, should exercise caution when entering the water.*

Saharan Dust: Saharan dust is expected to infiltrate the **Southeast Bahamas**, and the Turks and Caicos Islands by late Friday night, the Central Bahamas by Saturday morning and the Northwest Bahamas by Saturday night. The level of dust is expected to reach **moderate** levels which may impact air quality and hinder visibility while persisting through the remainder of the weekend. Residents are advised to exercise caution, especially those with respiratory illnesses, should take precautions to safeguard their health.

NORTHERN BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS:	Expect a mix of sun and clouds this afternoon becoming partly cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	20% chance of showers with the chance of isolated offshore thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Southerly at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	90°F – 93°F / 32°C – 34°C	77°F – 81°F / 25°C – 27°C	104°F – 110°F / 40°C – 43°C

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS:	Expect a mix of sun and clouds becoming variably cloudy tonight.		
PRECIPITATION:	20 to 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	90°F – 93°F / 32°C – 34°C	75°F – 79°F / 24°C – 26°C	102°F – 106°F / 39°C – 41°C



CENTRAL BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly sunny and a bit hazy today becoming mostly fair tonight.
PRECIPITATION: 10 to 20% chance of showers this afternoon decreasing to 10% chance of showers tonight.
WINDS: East to southeast at 15 knots with occasional gusts.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 88°F – 91°F / 31°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 98°F – 102°F / 37°C – 39°C

SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly sunny and hazy today becoming mostly fair and hazy tonight. .
PRECIPITATION: 10% chance of s stray shower.
WINDS: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 88°F – 91°F / 31°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 98°F – 102°F / 37°C – 39°C

TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK:

There is (1) area of interest currently being monitored for development:
Offshore the East Coast of the United States (Remnants of Arthur): Showers and thunderstorms associated with a trough of low pressure (the remnants of Arthur) are located over the southeastern United States. **This system has a low or 10% chance of formation through the next seven (7) days.**

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SATURDAY 20TH JUNE, 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS: **Northern Bahamas:** Partly cloudy to cloudy.
Northwest Bahamas: Partly sunny, turning mostly fair at night.
Central & Southeast Bahamas: Partly sunny and hazy.
PRECIPITATION: **Northern Bahamas:** 30 to 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas: 10 – 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.
WINDS: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** East-southeast to south-southeast at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at night.
Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts.
Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 86°F – 91°F / 30°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 96°F – 106°F / 36°C – 41°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SUNDAY 21ST JUNE, 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS: **Northern Bahamas:** Partly cloudy to cloudy.
Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas: A mix of sun, clouds and haze, turning partly cloudy at night.
PRECIPITATION: **Northern Bahamas:** 30 – 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Northwest and Central Bahamas: 20 – 40% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.
Southeast Bahamas: 10 – 20% chance of showers.
WINDS: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** South to southeast at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times
Central Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots.
Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 86°F – 91°F / 30°C – 33°C 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C 96°F – 104°F / 36°C – 40°C

**EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR MONDAY 22ND JUNE, 2026.**

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning partly cloudy at night. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Mostly sunny, turning mostly fair at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 20 – 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms. Central and Southeast Bahamas: 10 – 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: South-southeast to south-southwest at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times. Central Bahamas: Southeasterly at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts. Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 25 knots, decreasing 15 to 20 knots by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 84°F – 91°F / 29°C – 33°C	MINIMUM: 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C	HEAT INDEX: 96°F – 104°F / 36°C – 40°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR TUESDAY 23RD JUNE 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern Bahamas: Partly cloudy. Northwest and Central Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, becoming increasingly cloudy throughout the period. Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy, turning partly sunny by the afternoon hours. Expect mostly fair conditions at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times, shifting east to south east at 10 knots or less by nightfall. Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 84°F – 91°F / 29°C – 33°C	MINIMUM: 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C	HEAT INDEX: 96°F – 104°F / 36°C – 40°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 24TH JUNE, 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern Bahamas: Partly cloudy. Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, becoming partly cloudy at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times, shifting east to south east at 10 knots or less by nightfall. Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 knots, decreasing 10 to 15 knots by the afternoon hours. Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 84°F – 92°F / 29°C – 33°C	MINIMUM: 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C	HEAT INDEX: 96°F – 104°F / 36°C – 40°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 25TH JUNE, 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern Bahamas: Partly cloudy Elsewhere: A mix of sun and clouds		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 10 to 30% showers and isolated thunderstorms		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 knots Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast 15 to 20 knots.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 84°F – 92°F / 29°C – 33°C	MINIMUM: 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C	HEAT INDEX: 96°F – 104°F / 36°C – 40°C

SUNSET:

8:00 PM

SUNRISE:

6:21 AM SAT

MOONSET:

12:07 AM SAT

MOONRISE:

12:05 PM SAT

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