



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, SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 P.M. EDT.

WARNING IN EFFECT:	<i>There are currently no public warnings in effect at this time. For additional marine information, please view our marine forecast at our website, met.gov.bs.</i>
GENERAL SITUATION:	<p>A high pressure system centered over the eastern Gulf of Mexico will migrate towards and over the Bahamas through tonight. This system, coupled with a dry air mass blanketing the region, will contribute to near zero rainfall chances, relatively low night time temperatures and gentle to locally fresh winds across the country.</p> <p>Outlook: This pattern will continue through midweek, supporting light to fresh breezes across the island chain. By Wednesday, a weak frontal boundary expected to stall just north of the area may lead to increased showers across the Northern Bahamas. At the same time, weak low-level troughing coupled with low-level moisture moving into the area will enhance shower activity across the Central and Southeast Bahamas, before extending into the Northwest Bahamas by Thursday and into Friday.</p>
SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:	<p>UV Index: Due to the UV index being in the high to very high range, <i>the public is urged to wear sunglasses, sun screen, wide brimmed hats and suitable clothing in the event of prolonged exposure during peak daylight hours (10am – 3pm).</i></p> <p>Rip Currents: There remains a moderate to high risk of rip currents for the Atlantic waters and nearshore areas of the Central and Southeast Bahamas. <i>Swimmers in these areas are urged to remain onshore.</i> There exists a slight to moderate risk of rip currents along all Atlantic exposures of the Northern and Northwest Bahamas. <i>Beachgoers in these areas should continue to exercise caution.</i></p>

NORTHERN BAHAMAS (INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Sunny this afternoon, turning fair tonight.		
PRECIPITATION:	Less than 10% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Variable at 10 knots, falling light and variable at times.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	52°F – 59°F / 12°C – 15°C	N/A

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Sunny this afternoon, turning fair tonight.		
PRECIPITATION:	Less than 10% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable tonight.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	55°F – 61°F / 13°C – 16°C	N/A

CENTRAL BAHAMAS (INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Mostly sunny this afternoon, turning mostly fair tonight.		
PRECIPITATION:	Less than 10% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 82°F / 25°C – 28°C	59°F – 64°F / 15°C – 18°C	N/A



SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Mostly sunny this afternoon, turning mostly fair tonight.		
PRECIPITATION:	Less than 10% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 15 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 82°F / 25°C – 28°C	63°F – 68°F / 17°C – 20°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR: MONDAY 23RD, MARCH 2026.			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Mostly sunny, turning fair at night. Central and Southeast Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, becoming variably cloudy at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 10% chance of showers. Central and Southeast Bahamas: 10 to 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern Bahamas: Southwest to west at 10 knots or less. Northwest Bahamas: Variable at 10 knots or less. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, with higher occasional gusts across the Southeast Bahamas		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 84°F / 25°C – 29°C	64°F – 73°F / 18°C – 23°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR: TUESDAY 24TH, MARCH 2026.			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: Mostly sunny, turning fair at night. Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 10% chance of showers. Central and Southeast Bahamas: 10 to 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern Bahamas: Variable at 10 knots or less Northwest Bahamas: Variable at 10 knots or less, becoming northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots by Tuesday evening. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, increasing 15 to 20 knots by nightfall in the Southeast Bahamas.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 84°F / 26°C – 29°C	64°F – 73°F / 18°C – 23°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR: WEDNESDAY 25TH, MARCH 2026.			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern Bahamas: Partly sunny to sunny Elsewhere: A mix of sun and clouds		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 10 to 20% chance of showers. Central and Southeast Bahamas: 10 to 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern Bahamas: Easterly at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times. Northwest and Central Bahamas: Easterly at 10 to 15 knots. Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 84°F / 26°C – 29°C	68°F – 75°F / 20°C – 24°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR: THURSDAY 26TH, MARCH 2026.			
SKY CONDITIONS:	All areas: Partly sunny to sunny, turning mostly fair at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 10 to 30% chance of showers		
WINDS:	Northern Bahamas: Variable at less than 10 knots Northwest Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, with higher gusts by the evening hours. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 84°F / 26°C – 29°C	70°F – 75°F / 21°C – 24°C	N/A

**EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR: FRIDAY 27TH MARCH 2026.**

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Partly sunny during the day, becoming mostly fair at night. Central and Southeast Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern Bahamas: 10 to 20% chance of showers Elsewhere: 10 to 30% chance of showers or an isolated thunderstorm.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Easterly at 10 to 15 knots, with higher gusts across the Northwest Bahamas Central and Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 15 to 20 knots		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 84°F / 26°C – 29°C	70°F – 75°F / 21°C – 24°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR: SATURDAY 28TH, MARCH 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern Bahamas: Partly sunny Elsewhere: A mix of sun and clouds		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 20 to 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	All areas: Northeast to east at 15 knots.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 84°F / 26°C – 29°C	70°F – 75°F / 21°C – 24°C	N/A

SUNSET:	SUNRISE:	MOONSET:	MOONRISE:
7:20 PM	7:11 AM MON	11:30 PM	10:15 AM MON

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