



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, JUNE 21, 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 portions of the Northwest Bahamas (inclusive of the islands of Grand Bahama, Bimini, Abaco and The Berry Islands). The public should remain hydrated, limit strenuous outdoor activities and seek shaded areas during peak heat hours.*

A strong ridge associated with a broad Atlantic high pressure system continue to dominate the weather across the Bahamas. Except for small pockets of moisture in the Northwestern islands that are generating showers and thunderstorms, the remainder of the country is relatively dry due to the Saharan Dust that is across the Central and Southeast Islands and migrating north. Light winds in the north, will increase to fresh as you travel southeastward through the islands. Seas will build from slight in the north to rough in the Southern Islands.

GENERAL SITUATION:

Outlook: Over the next few days, expect slight to moderate seas across the chain of islands along with moderate to fresh breezes. Winds may occasionally gust strong across portions of the Southeast Bahamas by late Monday into Tuesday. Weak troughing and tropical moisture will persist over the Northern Bahamas through Tuesday, keeping showers and thunderstorms in the forecast for those islands. Over the remainder of the country, a secondary plume of Saharan dust and broad ridging will dominate, acting to suppress rainfall and convective activity while maintaining very warm temperatures. By Thursday, increasing troughing over the northern islands is expected to raise shower and thunderstorm chances once again on Friday into Saturday.

Severe Thunderstorm Risk: There is a *moderate* risk of a few severe thunderstorms that may impact portions of the **Northern & Northwest Bahamas** today. Residents are urged to remain updated on all severe weather warnings issued by the Bahamas Department of Meteorology.

Rip Currents: There is a *slight* risk of rip currents along Atlantic-exposed beaches of the archipelago. *Beachgoers are urged to exercise caution.*

SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:

Saharan Dust: *Moderate* Saharan dust concentrations are affecting the Central and Southeast Bahamas and Turks & Caicos Islands, reducing visibility and impacting air quality. Residents, especially those with respiratory conditions, should take the necessary precautions to safeguard their health.

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.

NORTHERN BAHAMAS

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

SKY CONDITIONS:	Partly to mostly sunny today, fair tonight		
PRECIPITATION:	10% chance of passing showers		
WINDS:	South-southeast to south-southwest at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable tonight.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	88°F – 93°F / 31°C – 34°C	79°F – 82°F / 26°C – 28°C	102°F – 108°F / 39°C – 42°C

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS

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

SKY CONDITIONS:	Variably cloudy today, fair tonight		
PRECIPITATION:	10 to 20% chance of isolated showers and thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	86°F – 91°F / 30°C – 33°C	79°F – 82°F / 26°C – 28°C	98°F – 102°F / 37°C – 39°C

**CENTRAL BAHAMAS**

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly to mostly sunny and hazy today, fair and hazy tonight.
PRECIPITATION: 10% chance of isolated showers
WINDS: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 88°F – 91°F / 31°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 96°F – 100°F / 36°C – 38°C

SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly to mostly sunny and hazy today, fair and hazy tonight.
PRECIPITATION: 10% chance of isolated showers
WINDS: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gust.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 88°F – 91°F / 31°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 96°F – 100°F / 36°C – 38°C

TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK: *Tropical cyclone formation is not expected during the next seven (7) days.***EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR MONDAY 22ND JUNE, 2026.**

SKY CONDITIONS: **Southeast Bahamas:** Partly sunny and hazy, turning mostly fair at night.
Elsewhere: A mix of sun, clouds, and haze during the day, turning partly cloudy at night.
PRECIPITATION: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** 10 – 20% chance of isolated showers and thunderstorms.
Central & Southeast Bahamas: 10% chance of showers.
WINDS: **Central & Southeast Bahamas:** East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.
Northern Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 knots or less increasing 10 to 15 knots .
Northwest Bahamas: Southeast at 10 to 15 knots.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 84°F – 91°F / 29°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 TUESDAY 23RD JUNE 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS: **All Areas:** A mix of sun and clouds,
PRECIPITATION: **All Areas:** 10 – 20% chance of isolated showers.
WINDS: **Northern & Northwest Bahamas:** Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots, **Central & Southeast Bahamas:** East to southeast at 15 to 25 knots.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 84°F – 91°F / 29°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 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 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
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.
WINDS: **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:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 84°F – 92°F / 29°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 THURSDAY 25TH JUNE, 2026.**

SKY CONDITIONS: Northern Bahamas: Partly cloudy
Elsewhere: A mix of sun and clouds

PRECIPITATION: Northern Bahamas: 20 to 40% showers and isolated thunderstorms
Elsewhere: 10 to 30% chance of showers or isolated thunderstorm

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:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
84°F – 92°F / 29°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 FRIDAY 26TH JUNE, 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS: All Areas: 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:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
86°F – 92°F / 30°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 96°F – 104°F / 36°C – 40°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SATURDAY 27TH JUNE, 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS: All Areas: Partly cloudy.

PRECIPITATION: All Areas: 10 to 30% chance of showers with the chance of isolated thunderstorms.
Northern Bahamas: Southeasterly at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable.

WINDS: Northwest Bahamas: Southeasterly at 15 knots with higher gusts.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots.

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
86°F – 92°F / 30°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 98°F – 104°F / 37°C – 40°C

SUNSET:	SUNRISE:	MOONRISE:	MOONSET:
8:01 PM	6:21 AM MON	1:01 PM	1:11 AM MON

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