



BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST

BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST FOR THIS AFTERNOON, –NIGHT AND THE NEXT SIX (6) DAYS, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 12:00 P.M. EDT, SUNDAY, JULY 5, 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 islands of the Northern Bahamas (Grand Bahama, Abaco and Bimini).*

An unsettled weather pattern will continue across sections of the northern half of the country this afternoon driven by streaming tropical moisture combined with the effects of the northern extent of a tropical wave. Elsewhere, a surface ridge will continue to support gentle to moderate breezes while keeping conditions relatively stable as a plume of Saharan Dust attempts to suppress shower activity near the Southeast Bahamas associated with a nearby mid-level disturbance.

GENERAL SITUATION:

Outlook: Periodic bouts of showers and thunderstorms may persist through Monday as a result of lingering moisture and slight troughing. Conditions will become more stable and drier on Tuesday, as a thick plume of Saharan dust permeates the area, bringing on hazy and hot conditions while reducing the air quality through to midweek. By Thursday, a robust tropical wave is expected to enter the Southeast Bahamas and make its way through the Northern territories, allowing an unsettled weather pattern to affect the island chain through to next weekend.

Severe Weather Risk: There is a *slight to moderate* risk for a few isolated strong to severe thunderstorms particularly across portions of the **Northern & Northwest Bahamas** this afternoon through this evening. *The public is urged to remain updated on all severe weather warnings issued by the Bahamas Department of Meteorology.*

Flooding: There is a *slight to moderate risk* of localized flooding occurring in low-lying, flood prone and urban areas during heavy rainfall events across portions of the Northern & Northwest Bahamas this afternoon through this evening. The public is urged to exercise caution while traversing these areas.

Rip Currents: A *slight to moderate* risk of rip currents exists along Atlantic-exposed coastlines today and through the next several days, especially in the Southeast Bahamas. *Beachgoers are urged to exercise caution when entering the water.*

SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:

Heat Index: The public is urged to keep hydrated, limit strenuous outdoor activities and seek shaded areas, as heat indices may reach into *the triple digits*.

Saharan Dust: A Dust Advisory will come into effect for the *Southeast Bahamas and Turks & Caicos Islands* by this evening and for the *Central Bahamas* by tomorrow morning. Residents, especially those with respiratory conditions, should take the necessary precautions to safeguard their health.

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

SKY CONDITIONS:	Partly cloudy to occasionally cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	30 to 50% chance of scattered showers with isolated thunderstorms. <i>Some thunderstorms may become strong to severe at times.</i>		
WINDS:	South-southeast to south-southwest at 10 knots or less.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	90°F – 93°F / 32°C – 34°C	77°F – 81°F / 25°C – 27°C	100°F – 106°F / 39°C – 42°C

**NORTHWEST BAHAMAS**

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly cloudy to occasionally cloudy.
PRECIPITATION: 30 to 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms. *Some thunderstorms may become strong to severe at times.*
WINDS: South-southeast to south-southwest at 10 knots or less.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 90°F – 93°F / 32°C – 34°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°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 sunny this afternoon, becoming mainly fair tonight.
PRECIPITATION: 10 to 30% chance of showers with a slight chance of a few isolated afternoon thunderstorms.
WINDS: Southeasterly at 10 to 15 knots.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 90°F – 93°F / 32°C – 34°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: Variably cloudy and hazy this afternoon, becoming mostly fair tonight.
PRECIPITATION: 10 to 30% chance of showers.
WINDS: Southeasterly 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 N/A

TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK: *Tropical cyclone formation is not expected during the next seven (7) days.***EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR MONDAY 06TH JULY, 2026:**

SKY CONDITIONS: **All areas:** Partly to occasionally cloudy.
PRECIPITATION: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: 10 to 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.
Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts.
WINDS: **Central and Southeast Bahamas:** East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots, with higher gusts in the Southeast Bahamas.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 88°F – 91°F / 31°C – 33°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 98°F – 104°F / 37°C – 40°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR TUESDAY 07TH JULY, 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: **Northern Bahamas:** Partly cloudy and hazy.
Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas: Partly to mostly sunny and hazy, fair at night.
Northern Bahamas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
PRECIPITATION: **Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas:** 10 to 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.
Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeast at 10 to 15 knots.
WINDS: **Central Bahamas:** East at 15 at 20 knots
Southeast Bahamas: East at 15 to 25 knots gusting at times
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
 88°F – 93°F / 31°C – 34°C 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C 100°F – 106°F / 38°C – 41°C

**EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 8TH JULY, 2026:**

SKY CONDITIONS: All areas: Partly sunny and slightly hazy, fair at night

PRECIPITATION: All areas: 10 to 20% chance of showers.
Northern Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots occasionally falling to 10 knots or less.

WINDS: Northwest Bahamas: Southeast at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts.
Central Bahamas: East at 15 at 20 knots
Southeast Bahamas: East at 15 to 25 knots gusting at times

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
88°F – 93°F / 31°C – 34°C 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C 98°F – 106°F / 31°C – 41°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 9TH JULY, 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning partly cloudy at night.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.

PRECIPITATION: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: 30 to 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Northern Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times.

WINDS: Northwest Bahamas: Southeasterly at 10 to 15 knots increasing to 15 to 20 knots at night.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 25 knots with gusts to near gale in the Southeast Bahamas at night.

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
84°F – 93°F / 29°C – 34°C 73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C 98°F – 106°F / 31°C – 41°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR FRIDAY 10TH JULY, 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: All areas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.

PRECIPITATION: All areas: 30 to 60% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times.

WINDS: Central Bahamas: Southeasterly at 15 knots with higher gusts.
Southeast Bahamas: Southeasterly at 15 to 20 knots, with higher gusts.

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
82°F – 88°F / 28°C – 31°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SATURDAY 11TH JULY, 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Cloudy to overcast.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning mostly fair at night.

PRECIPITATION: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 40 to 70% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.

WINDS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 25 knots.

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
79°F – 86°F / 26°C – 30°C 75°F – 79°F / 24°C – 26°C N/A

SUNSET:

08:02 PM

SUNRISE:

6:26 AM MON

MOONSET:

11:18 AM

MOONRISE:

11:49 PM

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