



BAHAMAS MARINE FORECAST

MARINE FORECASTS FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 6:00 A.M. EDT, Tuesday, April 28, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 12:00 P.M. EDT.

WARNINGS:	<i>None.</i>
GENERAL SITUATION:	<p>A weak frontal boundary near the northern islands will continue to support pockets of shower activity across that area through this afternoon. Elsewhere, a ridge of high pressure dominates with fair weather conditions, light to gentle breezes and smooth to slight seas.</p> <p>Outlook: The frontal boundary is expected to dissipate overnight, with high pressure building in behind it. This will support favorable boating and beach conditions across the country, with gentle to moderate winds and generally calm seas through the end of the week. However, a prefrontal trough could bring some unsettled weather to parts of the Northern Bahamas from Thursday into Friday. Meanwhile, a mid- to upper-level disturbance may increase the chances of showers over the southernmost islands before exiting the area. High pressure is then expected to reestablish itself over the weekend, supporting fair weather conditions.</p>

NORTHERN BAHAMAS (INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):	
ADVISORY:	<i>Small craft caution for Atlantic waters.</i> Small craft advisory along ALL northern facing shorelines and Gulf Stream waters.
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times.
LOCAL SEAS:	3 feet or less nearshore and among sheltered areas, building up to 6 to 8 feet in Gulf Stream waters but up to 5 feet in Atlantic waters.
GULF STREAM:	Moderate northeasterly swell; 6 to 8 feet; east-northeasterly at 15 knots.
SWELLS:	Light northeasterly swell on Atlantic waters.
WEATHER:	20 – 30% chance of isolated showers. Slight chance of an isolated afternoon thunderstorm or two.

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):	
ADVISORY:	None.
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times.
LOCAL SEAS:	2 – 4 feet over the ocean.
SWELLS:	No significant swell activity.
WEATHER:	20 – 30% chance of isolated showers. Slight chance of an isolated afternoon thunderstorm or two.

CENTRAL BAHAMAS (INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):	
ADVISORY:	None.
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 - 15 knots.
LOCAL SEAS:	2 – 4 feet over the ocean.
SWELLS:	No significant swell activity.
WEATHER:	10 – 20% chance of isolated afternoon showers.

SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):	
ADVISORY:	None.
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 - 15 knots.
LOCAL SEAS:	2 – 4 feet over the ocean.
SWELLS:	No significant swell activity.
WEATHER:	20% chance of isolated showers.



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MOONSET:	MOONRISE:
5:07 AM WED	5:11 PM

ISLAND TIDES:	NORTHERN (GRAND BAHAMA):	NORTHWEST (NEW PROVIDENCE):	CENTRAL (EXUMA):	SOUTHEAST (INAGUA):
LOW TIDE:	12:32 P.M.	12:30 P.M.	12:23 P.M.	12:52 A.M.
HIGH TIDE:	6:23 A.M.	6:14 AM	6:16 A.M.	6:30 P.M.

(For specific times for other islands, please see [Tide Table Publication](#).)

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 29TH APRIL, 2026:

ADVISORY:	None.
WINDS:	<p>Northern Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 knots or less with occasional higher gusts, becoming southeast to south at 10 knots or less falling light and variable by the evening hours</p> <p>Northwest Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 knots with higher gusts during the morning hours, decreasing to less than 10 knots by the afternoon hours.</p> <p>Central and Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, decreasing to 10 knots or less across the Central Bahamas by the afternoon hours.</p>
SEAS:	All areas: 2 – 4 feet over the ocean.
WEATHER:	All areas: 10 to 20% chance of showers.

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 30TH APRIL, 2026:

ADVISORY:	<i>Small craft caution in the Northern Bahamas.</i>
WINDS:	<p>Northern Bahamas: South to southwest at 10 to 15 knots, with higher gusts during the evening hours.</p> <p>Northwest Bahamas: Southeast to south at 10 knots or less</p> <p>Central and Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times across the Central Bahamas.</p>
SEAS:	All areas: 2 – 4 feet over the ocean.
WEATHER:	<p>Northern & Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 30% chance of isolated showers and thunderstorms.</p> <p>Elsewhere: 10 to 20% chance of showers</p>

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