

## **BAHAMAS MARINE FORECAST**

MARINE FORECASTS FOR THE BAHAMAS ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 6:00 A.M. EST, Tuesday, December 2, 2025, FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECASTS WILL BE ISSUED AT 12:00 P.M. EST.

WARNINGS:	Hazardous Marine Conditions persist on the Atlantic waters of the island chain through midweek – small craft are urged to exercise caution when entering the Atlantic waters.
GENERAL	A high pressure system is slowly being pushed southeastward across the country. Mild temperatures, a gentle to moderate breeze and a few passing showers are occurring over most of the area. Meanwhile a stationary frontal boundary near the Northern Islands is generating a moderate to fresh breeze over the above mentioned area.  Outlook: A weak cold front will move into the Northern Bahamas on early Wednesday, generating a few
SITUATION:	isolated showers across the area before stalling and weakening across the Central Bahamas by Thursday. In its wake, high pressure will once again build over the area, restoring mild and more stable conditions across the Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas ahead of the weekend. An Atlantic trough is migrating westward and is forecasted to pass through the Southeast Bahamas on Wednesday and Thursday bringing showers and thunderstorms to these Islands.

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<b>NORTHERN BAHAMAS</b> (INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):	
ADVISORY:	A Small craft operators should exercise caution over all areas.
WINDS:	Southeast through southwest at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.
LOCAL SEAS:	2 to 4 feet in sheltered waters and 4 to 6 feet over open waters, up to 7 feet in Atlantic exposures.
GULF STREAM:	Winds: South 15 -20g25kts, Seas: 2-4 up to 5 feet, Intracoastal waters moderate chop.
SWELLS:	Slight north and northeasterly swells.
WEATHER:	10 to 20% chance of isolated showers.

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):		
ADVISORY:	A small craft caution in effect for the Atlantic exposed waters	
WINDS:	Southeast through southwest at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable tonight.	
LOCAL SEAS:	3 feet or less in sheltered areas, 2 to 4 feet over open waters building up to 5 feet along Atlantic exposures,	
SWELLS:	Slight east and northeasterly swells.	
WEATHER:	10 to 20% chance of isolated showers.	

CENTRAL BAHAMAS (INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):	
ADVISORY:	A small craft caution in effect for the Atlantic exposed waters
WINDS:	Easterly at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable this afternoon.
LOCAL SEAS:	3 feet or less in sheltered areas, 2 to 4 feet over open waters building up to 5 feet along
SWELLS:	Atlantic exposures, Slight easterly swells.
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WEATHER:	10 to 20% chance of isolated showers.



SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):	
ADVISORY:	A small craft caution in effect for the Atlantic exposed waters and approaches to the Windward Passage
WINDS:	Easterly at 10 to 15 knots falling light and variable this afternoon.
LOCAL SEAS:	3 feet or less in sheltered areas, 2 to 4 feet over open waters building up to 5 feet along Atlantic exposures,
SWELLS:	Slight easterly swells.
WEATHER:	10 to 20 % chance of isolated showers.

MOONRISE:	MOONSET:
3:13 P.M.	5:05 A.M. WED

ISLAND TIDES:	NORTHERN (GRAND BAHAMA):	NORTHWEST (NEW PROVIDENCE):	CENTRAL (EXUMA):	SOUTHEAST (INAGUA):
LOW TIDE:	11:43 A.M.	11:19 A.M.	12:14 P.M.	11:35 A.M.
HIGH TIDE:	5:37 P.M.	5:07 P.M.	5:56 P.M.	5:29 P.M.

(For specific times for other islands, please see <u>Tide Table Publication</u>.)

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 03 <sup>RD</sup> , DECEMBER 2025.			
ADVISORY:	A small craft caution in effect for the Atlantic exposed waters.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southwest to west at 10 knots or less ahead of the front, and west to northwest at 10 knots or less behind the front. Becoming north to northeast at 10 knots or less Wednesday afternoon.  Central and Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times. Becoming Northeasterly at 10 to 15 knots across the Southeast Bahamas Thursday evening.  Gulf Stream: Northwest at 5 to 10 knots.		
SEAS:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: 2 feet or less on the sheltered waters and 2 to 4 feet over open waters and up to 5 feet on the Atlantic exposures.  Southeast Bahamas: 2 to 4 feet in sheltered waters and 4 to 6 feet over open waters, up to 7 feet in Atlantic exposures.  Gulf Stream: 2 to 3 feet.		
SWELLS:	Slight easterly swells in the Southeast Bahamas.		
WEATHER:	Central Bahamas: 10% chance of showers. Elsewhere: 20% chance of showers.		

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 04 <sup>TH</sup> , DECEMBER 2025.		
ADVISORY:	A small craft caution in effect for the Atlantic exposed waters.	
	Northern and Northeast Bahamas: North to northeast at 10 to 15 knots, becoming	
	northeasterly at 15 to 20 knots by Thursday evening.	
WINDS:	<b>Central Bahamas:</b> Northeasterly at less than 10 knots, increasing to 15 knots with higher gusts	
WINDS:	by Thursday evening.	
	<b>Southeast Bahamas:</b> Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts.	
	Gulf Stream: East at 5 to 10 knots.	
	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: 3 feet or less on the sheltered waters and	
	4 to 6 over open waters, 7 feet on the Atlantic waters.	
SEAS:	Southeast Bahamas: 2 feet or less on the sheltered waters and 2 to 4 feet over open	
	waters and 5 feet on the Atlantic exposures.	
	Gulf Stream: 2 to 3 feet.	
SWELLS:	All Areas: Slight easterly swells.	
WEATHER:	Southeast Bahamas: 20% chance of showers	
WEATHER:	Elsewhere: 10% chance of showers	





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