



BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST

BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND THE NEXT SIX (6) DAYS, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 6:00 P.M. EDT, Monday, October 12, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 A.M. EDT TOMORROW.

WARNING IN EFFECT: *There are no public warnings in effect at this time.*

A weak frontal boundary, coupled with a mid- to upper-level trough, is expected to move into the Northern Bahamas this evening and overnight, increasing shower and isolated thunderstorm chances across portions of the Northern and Northwest Bahamas. Activity may persist across the Northwest Bahamas through Tuesday evening, although relatively dry conditions should help to limit overall coverage. Meanwhile, high pressure and a dry, stable air mass will maintain generally fair weather across the remainder of the island chain on Tuesday.

GENERAL SITUATION:

Outlook: The frontal boundary is expected to advance southeastward and stall near the Central Bahamas. Moisture ahead of the front will support showers and possible thunderstorms across the Northwest and Central Bahamas through Wednesday as the boundary begins to shift northward before dissipating. By the latter part of the week, high pressure is expected to rebuild across the region, promoting more stable weather conditions.

SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:

There is a *moderate* risk of rip currents on the **offshore and Atlantic waters of the Southeast Bahamas**. There is a *slight* risk along Atlantic shorelines across the remainder of the Bahamas. *Swimmers are advised to exercise caution, especially in the Southeast Bahamas.*

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Variably cloudy this evening, becoming a mix of sun and clouds on Tuesday

PRECIPITATION: 20 to 30% chance of showers and isolated thunderstorms this evening

WINDS: North to northeast at 10 knots or less by this evening, increasing to 10 to 15 knots by Tuesday evening.

TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	88°F – 92°F / 31°C – 33°C	73°F – 77°F / 23°C – 25°C	97°F – 100°F / 36°C – 38°C

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Variably cloudy this evening, becoming mostly fair overnight and a mix of sun and clouds on Tuesday.

PRECIPITATION: 20 to 30% chance of isolated showers with a slight chance of an isolated thunderstorm this evening, increasing to a 30 to 50% chance of scattered showers with isolated afternoon thunderstorms on Tuesday.

WINDS: Northeast to east at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times this evening through early Tuesday, increasing to 10 to 15 knots by Tuesday evening.

TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	88°F – 92°F / 31°C – 33°C	73°F – 77°F / 23°C – 25°C	100°F – 102°F / 38°C – 39°C

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Mostly fair tonight, becoming partly sunny on Tuesday.

PRECIPITATION: 20 to 30% chance of a few isolated showers.

WINDS: East-northeast to east-southeast at 10 knots this evening, decreasing to 10 knots or less Tuesday morning, and increasing to 10 to 15 knots by the evening hours

TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	88°F – 92°F / 31°C – 33°C	75°F – 82°F / 24°C – 28°C	100°F – 104°F / 38°C – 40°C



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SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS

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

SKY CONDITIONS:	Mostly fair tonight, becoming partly sunny to sunny on Tuesday.		
PRECIPITATION:	10 to 20% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts at times, falling to 10 knots or less across Acklins and Mayaguana on Tuesday, before increasing again to 10 to 15 knots by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	88°F – 92°F / 31°C – 33°C	75°F – 82°F / 24°C – 28°C	100°F – 104°F / 38°C – 40°C

TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK:

Eastern Tropical Atlantic:

An elongated area of low pressure centered a few hundred miles west of the Cabo Verde Islands continues to produce a large but disorganized area of showers and thunderstorms. Formation chance through 7 days is low at 20 percent.

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 14TH OCTOBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS:	Central Bahamas: Partly sunny through the afternoon hours, becoming a mix of sun and clouds during the afternoon and mostly fair at night. Elsewhere: a mix of sun and clouds		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 10 to 30% chance of showers. Central and Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times, becoming easterly at 15 knots with higher gusts by the evening hours. Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots, with higher gusts by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	88°F – 92°F / 31°C – 33°C	73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C	100°F – 104°F / 38°C – 40°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS:	All Areas: A mix of sun and clouds		
PRECIPITATION:	All Areas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times. Northwest and Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots. Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 10 to 15 knots, increasing 15 to 20 knots by evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	84°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C	73°F – 81°F / 23°C – 27°C	98°F – 102°F / 37°C – 39°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR FRIDAY 16TH OCTOBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS:	All areas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning fair at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 knots or less Central and Southeast Bahamas: East at 10 to 15 knots		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	84°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C	75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SATURDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS:	All areas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning partly cloudy at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 10 to 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: northeast at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times. Central and Southeast Bahamas: East at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	86°F – 90°F / 30°C – 32°C	75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	96°F – 104°F / 36°C – 40°C



EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SUNDAY 18TH OCTOBER, 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Cloudy to overcast.		
	Central and Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 40 to 70% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
	Central and Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: North to northeast at 20 to 25 knots with winds gusting to gale force.		
	Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	86°F – 90°F / 30°C – 32°C	75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR MONDAY 19TH OCTOBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy		
	Central and Southeast Bahamas: Partly to variably cloudy		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 40 to 60% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
	Central and Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern Bahamas: East-northeast to east-southeast at 20 to 25 knots with winds gusting to near gale force.		
	Northwest Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts		
TEMPERATURES:	Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts		
	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	86°F – 90°F / 30°C – 32°C	75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	N/A

SUNSET:

06:44 PM

SUNRISE:

07:07 AM TUE

MOONSET:

07:52 PM

MOONRISE:

09:51 AM TUE

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