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BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST

BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST FOR TONIGHT, TOMORROW AND THE NEXT SIX (6) DAYS, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 6:00 P.M. EDT, Sunday, November 1, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 A.M. EDT TOMORROW.

WARNING IN EFFECT:

A ***Near Gale Warning (28 – 33 knots)*** remains in effect for the **Northern and Northwest Bahamas**. Occasional gusts to near-gale force are possible across the aforementioned areas. Boaters, especially small craft operators are advised to remain in port and swimmers are strongly advised to refrain from entering the water.

GENERAL SITUATION:

A mid-level troughing is enhancing a surface trough that is associated with a decaying frontal boundary across the Northwest and Central Bahamas, while low level troughing is over the Southeastern Islands. Scattered showers, rain and isolated thunderstorms are occurring across the chain of islands through tonight and tomorrow in the Northern and Central parts of the country while the southeast will see an improvement in conditions. A strong pressure gradient between an expansive high-pressure system over the northeastern United States and low pressure to the distant south will maintain fresh to strong breezes across the Northern and Northwest Bahamas, where seas will remain moderate to rough. Elsewhere, mainly moderate to locally fresh breezes and slight to moderate seas are expected.

Outlook: The surface trough is expected to gradually dissipate on Monday; however, high pressure to the north will maintain breezy conditions across the northern half of the country. Meanwhile, an upper-level trough, combined with increasing moisture and atmospheric instability moving in from the Gulf, will enhance shower and thunderstorm activity across the Northern and Northwest Bahamas before gradually spreading across the remainder of the islands through Tuesday. Winds are expected to gradually subside across all areas by late Tuesday, although elevated swells will persist across the Northern Bahamas through the middle of the week.

SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:

Rip Currents: There is a ***high*** risk of dangerous, life-threatening rip currents along all northern, eastern and Atlantic coastlines of the **Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas**. ***Beachgoers are urged to stay out of the water in these areas.*** There is a ***moderate*** risk of rip currents in the **Southeast Bahamas**. ***Beachgoers are urged to exercise extreme caution.***

Flooding: There is a ***slight to moderate*** risk of flooding in low-lying and flood-prone areas of the **Northern and Northwest Bahamas** today through Monday as periods of heavy showers and prolonged rainfall continue. ***Residents are asked to take the necessary precautions.***

Coastal and Tidal Flooding: High tides near the end of the king-tide period, combined with moderate to large swells, bring a ***slight to moderate*** risk of coastal and tidal flooding along shorelines and marshland areas. ***Use caution on low-lying coastal roads near high tide.***

Severe Thunderstorm Risk: There is a ***slight*** risk of a few isolated strong to severe thunderstorms over portions of **the country** this tonight and tomorrow. These storms have the potential to produce frequent lightning, gusty winds, heavy downpours and waterspouts. ***Therefore, the public is urged to remain updated on all severe weather warnings issued by the Bahamas Department of Meteorology***

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Cloudy to overcast through tomorrow.

PRECIPITATION: 40 to 60% chance of scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms.

WINDS: Easterly at 20 to 25 knots through tomorrow.

TEMPERATURES:	**MAXIMUM:**	**MINIMUM:**	**HEAT INDEX:**
	82ºF – 86ºF / 28ºC – 30ºC	73ºF – 77ºF / 23ºC – 25ºC	N/A

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Cloudy to overcast through tomorrow.

PRECIPITATION: 40 to 60% chance of scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms.

WINDS: Easterly at 15 to 25 knots through tomorrow morning, decreasing 10 to 15 knots tomorrow afternoon.

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
82ºF – 86ºF / 28ºC – 30ºC	73ºF – 77ºF / 23ºC – 25ºC	N/A

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly cloudy to cloudy through tomorrow

PRECIPITATION: 20 to 40% chance of widely scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms.

WINDS: Easterly at 10 to 15 knots through tomorrow, becoming east-southeast at 10 knots or less tomorrow afternoon.

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
88ºF – 91ºF / 31ºC – 33ºC	75ºF – 79ºF / 24ºC – 26ºC	N/A

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight, becoming a mix of sun and clouds tomorrow.

PRECIPITATION: 20 to 40% chance of widely scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms tonight, becoming 10 to 30% chance of isolated showers and a thunderstorm tomorrow.

WINDS: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots tonight, becoming 10 knots or less tomorrow.

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
88ºF – 91ºF / 31ºC – 33ºC	75ºF – 79ºF / 24ºC – 26ºC	N/A

TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK: ***Tropical cyclone activity is not expected during the next 7 days.***

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR TUESDAY 3RD NOVEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: **All areas:** Partly cloudy to cloudy.

PRECIPITATION: **All areas:** 30 to 40% chance of showers and thunderstorms.

WINDS: **Northern Bahamas:** East at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts
Northwest Bahamas: East at 10 to 15 knots
Central and Southeast Bahamas: Variable at 10 knots or less.

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
82ºF – 88ºF / 28ºC – 31ºC	73ºF – 79ºF / 23ºC – 26ºC	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: **All areas:** Partly cloudy

PRECIPITATION: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** 10 to 20% chance of showers.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.

WINDS: **Northern Bahamas:** North at 15 to 25 knots
Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas: Variable at 10 knots or less.

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
82ºF – 89ºF / 28ºC – 32ºC	73ºF – 79ºF / 23ºC – 26ºC	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 5TH NOVEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: **Southeast Bahamas:** Partly cloudy
Elsewhere: A mix of sun and clouds, turning fair at night.

PRECIPITATION: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** 20% chance of showers
Central and Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 30% chance of showers

WINDS: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** Northwest to west at 15 to 20 knots
Central and Southeast Bahamas: West at 10 to 15 knots or less.

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
86ºF – 89ºF / 30ºC – 32ºC	73ºF – 77ºF / 23ºC – 25ºC	N/A

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EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR FRIDAY 6TH NOVEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: **All areas:** Partly sunny to sunny, turning mostly fair at night.

PRECIPITATION: **All areas:** 10 – 30% chance of showers.

WINDS: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** Northwest at 15 to 20 knots decreasing to 10 to 15 knots in the afternoon.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: West to northwest at 15 knots with higher gusts

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
86ºF – 89ºF / 30ºC – 32ºC	72ºF – 77ºF / 22ºC – 25ºC	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SATURDAY 7TH NOVEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: **Southeast Bahamas:** A mix of sun and clouds
Elsewhere: Partly sunny to sunny

PRECIPITATION: **All Areas:** 10 to 30% chance of showers

WINDS: **Northern Bahamas:** Southwest to west at 10 knots or less
Northwest Bahamas: Variable at 10 knots or less
Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 knots or less

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
86ºF – 89ºF / 30ºC – 32ºC	72ºF – 77ºF / 22ºC – 25ºC	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SUNDAY 08TH, NOVEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas**: Partly to mostly sunny
Central and Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy becoming overcast by afternoon in the Southeast Islands.

PRECIPITATION: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas:** 10% chance of a passing shower.
Central Bahamas: 30 to 50% chance of widely scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms.
Southeast Bahamas: 40 to 60% chance of scattered to numerous showers and widely scattered thunderstorms.

WINDS: **Northern and Northwest Bahamas**: Light and variable, occasionally southwest through northwest at 10 knots or less.
Central Bahamas: Light and variable becoming east to southeast at 10 to 15 knots in the afternoon.
Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots increasing 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts in the late afternoon.

TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
86ºF – 89ºF / 30ºC – 32ºC	72ºF – 77ºF / 22ºC – 25ºC	N/A

SUNRISE:	SUNSET:	MOONRISE:	MOONSET:
6:18 AM MON	5:27 MON	1:00 AM MON	2:02 PM MON

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