



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, Tuesday, October 13, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 A.M. EDT TOMORROW.

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

GENERAL SITUATION:

Trouching associated with the remnants of a cold front will continue to support cloudy spells along with showers and isolated thunderstorm activity across the Northwest Bahamas tonight through tomorrow. Moisture associated with the trough is expected to gradually shift northward through Wednesday sparking some shower and thunderstorm activity over portions of the Northern Bahamas. Additionally, deep tropical moisture in conjunction with a mid-level disturbance is anticipated to move into the Southeast Bahamas tonight bringing increased cloudiness, scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms to the region. These conditions will spread into the Central Bahamas by Wednesday afternoon as the features shift northward.

Outlook: Moisture associated with the disturbance will continue to lift northward through Thursday, sparking occasional shower activity. From Thursday evening into Friday, ridging is expected to extend westward over the area, resulting in moderate to locally fresh winds and more stable conditions. During the weekend into early next week, a stronger cold front is forecast to move southeastward into the Northern and Northwest Bahamas, bringing showers, thunderstorms, and strong to near-gale-force winds.

SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:

Severe Thunderstorm Risk: There is a *slight* risk for a few isolated strong to severe thunderstorms across portions of the **Southeast** Bahamas late tonight through Wednesday. These storms could produce strong gusty winds, frequent lightning, heavy downpours, and waterspout activity. *Mariners should remain vigilant, stay updated on all severe weather warnings issued by the Bahamas Department of Meteorology, and be prepared to seek safe harbour should conditions worsen.*

Flooding: There is a *slight* risk of localized flooding possible across portions of the **Northwest Bahamas** tonight through early Wednesday, mainly in low-lying, flood prone and urban areas during instances of heavy rainfall events.

Rip Currents: There is a *slight risk* along Atlantic waters across 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: Mainly fair to partly cloudy tonight, with a mix of sun and clouds expected tomorrow.
PRECIPITATION: 10 – 20% chance of showers tonight, increasing to a 20 – 40% chance of isolated showers and thunderstorms tomorrow.
WINDS: Northeasterly at 10 knots or less tonight, increasing to 10 to 15 knots tomorrow and settling northeast to east.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** 86°F – 89°F / 30°C – 32°C **MINIMUM:** 75°F – 79°F / 24°C – 26°C **HEAT INDEX:** N/A

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

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight through tomorrow.
PRECIPITATION: 30 – 50% chance of widely scattered showers with isolated thunderstorms tonight through tomorrow.
WINDS: Northeast to east at 10 knots or less tonight, settling east-northeasterly tomorrow.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** 86°F – 89°F / 30°C – 32°C **MINIMUM:** 75°F – 79°F / 24°C – 26°C **HEAT INDEX:** N/A



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

SKY CONDITIONS:	Mainly fair tonight, becoming partly sunny tomorrow with a gradual increase in cloudiness by the afternoon hours.		
PRECIPITATION:	10 – 20% chance of showers tonight through late Wednesday morning, increasing to a 20 – 40% chance of isolated showers and thunderstorms by the afternoon hours.		
WINDS:	East-northeast to east-southeast at 10 – 15 knots tonight through tomorrow.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 88°F – 91°F / 31°C – 33°C	MINIMUM: 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	HEAT INDEX: 100°F – 104°F / 38°C – 40°C

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

SKY CONDITIONS:	Partly cloudy tonight through tomorrow.		
PRECIPITATION:	30 – 50% chance of showers and isolated thunderstorms tonight through tomorrow.		
WINDS:	Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots tonight, settling east to southeast tomorrow.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 88°F – 91°F / 31°C – 33°C	MINIMUM: 75°F – 79°F / 24°C – 26°C	HEAT INDEX: 100°F – 104°F / 38°C – 40°C

TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK: Tropical cyclone formation is not expected within the next seven (7) days.

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 thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots. Central and Southeast Bahamas: East-northeast to east-southeast at 15 knots, with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 86°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C	MINIMUM: 75°F – 82°F / 24°C – 28°C	HEAT INDEX: 96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

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

SKY CONDITIONS:	All areas: A mix of sun and clouds,		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 15 knots, with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 86°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C	MINIMUM: 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C	HEAT INDEX: 96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

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

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Partly cloudy during morning hours with increasing clouds by afternoon into evening hours. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Variably cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms. Northern Bahamas: Variable at 10 knots or less during early morning hours. Expect Northeast to east at 15 to 20 knots, gusting strong to possibly near gale force by nightfall through overnight hours.		
WINDS:	Northwest Bahamas: East-northeast to east-southeast at 10 to 15 knots, falling light and variable at times during the morning hours. Increasing to 15 knots by afternoon hours but 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts by nightfall. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 15 knots, with higher gusts. Expect an increase of 15 to 20 knots by nightfall.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM: 84°F – 88°F / 29°C – 31°C	MINIMUM: 75°F – 79°F / 24°C – 26°C	HEAT INDEX: N/A



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

SKY CONDITIONS: All areas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.

PRECIPITATION: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 30 to 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Elsewhere: 20 to 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms.

WINDS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 25 knots, *with higher gusts to near gale possible*.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 15 knots, with higher gusts.

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
79°F – 86°F / 26°C – 30°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°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: Variably cloudy.

PRECIPITATION: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 30 to 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Elsewhere: 20 to 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms.

WINDS: All areas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots, with higher gusts.

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
79°F – 86°F / 26°C – 30°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR TUESDAY 20TH OCTOBER, 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: Northern Bahamas: Partly sunny during the day, fair at night.
Elsewhere: Partly cloudy.

PRECIPITATION: All Areas: 30 – 50% chance of isolated showers or thunderstorms.

WINDS: Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 15 knots.
Elsewhere: Northeast to east at 15 to 25 knots.

TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
86°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C N / A

SUNSET:

6:43 PM

SUNRISE:

7:08 AM WED

MOONSET:

8:33 PM

MOONRISE:

10:48 AM WED

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