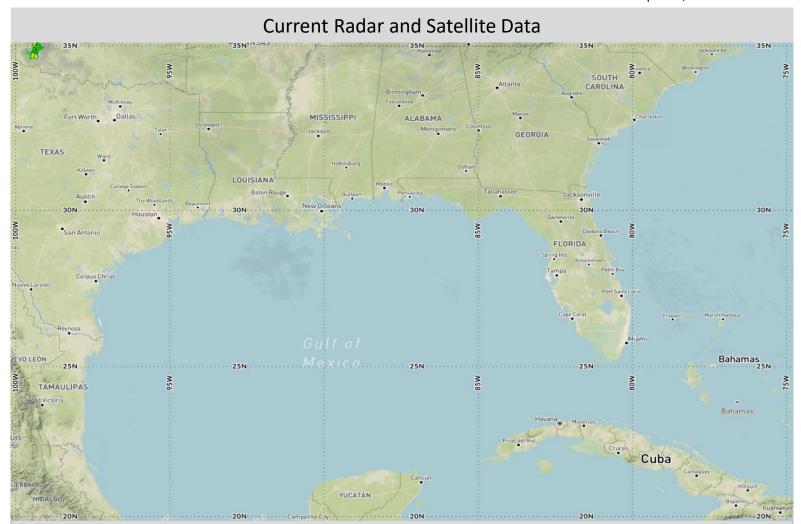


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Today and Tomorrow's Weather

High-pressure continues to dominate the area today and tomorrow bringing quiet and calm conditions across the region. Some showers or isolated storms may be possible in far southwestern portions of the Gulf today. Although some isolated activity is expected, no hazards are anticipated. Winds today across the central and eastern Gulf will be at gentle to low-end moderate speeds while the western Gulf will see moderate winds throughout the day. By Thursday, winds will begin increasing in the central and western Gulf with moderate to low-end fresh winds expected. Lowered winds will continue across the eastern Gulf. Seas today and tomorrow will generally range from smooth to slight for all areas in the Gulf except for locations closest the Texas shoreline where low-end moderate seas may be seen.

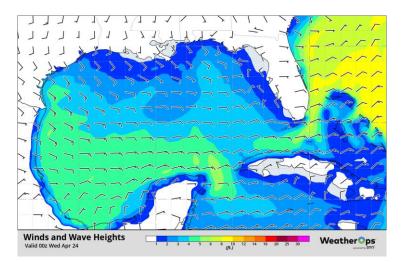
Day Three through Seven Weather Hazards

Towards the end of the week and into the weekend, a low-pressure system over the U.S. will lead to a tightening pressure gradient as it battles with a strong high-pressure to the northeast of the Gulf. Easterly moderate winds will increase to strong southeasterly speeds across the Gulf Friday through Sunday. Seas will also increase back up to 6-10 feet with highest seas expected in the western Gulf and lower seas expected as you work eastward in the Gulf. A few isolated showers or storms will occur across the region through the extended period but none of this activity is expected to be strong or severe. By the start of next week, conditions will gradually ease with the return of moderate winds and seas.

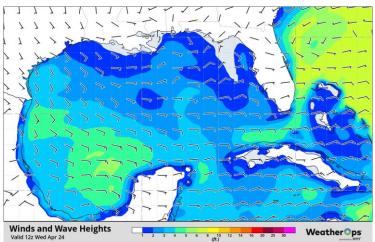




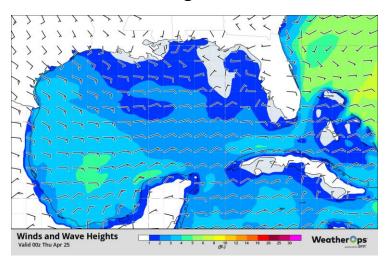
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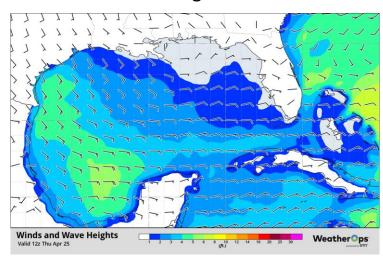
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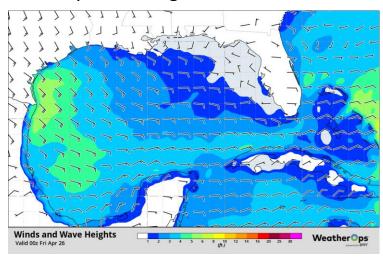
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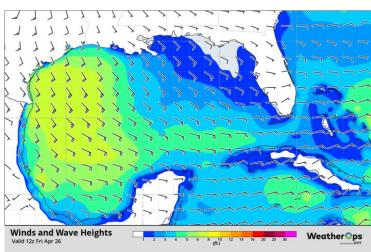
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Day 3 Morning Winds and Seas



Day 3 Evening Wind and Seas







Weather ops

Day 1 Surface Chart



Day 3 Surface Chart



Day 5 Surface Chart



Day 2 Surface Chart



Day 4 Surface Chart



Day 6 Surface Chart

