

**WEAX for ARSV Laurence M. Gould** 

26-Dec-2020

12Z

METSIT 06Z

The low center to the west is now expected to generate two additional low centers. The first (the 976 mb low depicted in the 26/06Z image) will track southeastward today, remaining west of your track but producing rain in the area and significantly strengthening the winds and seas. The second will form in approximately the same location but move eastward, passing just south of Tierra Del Fuego and across your route (as seen in the 27/18Z chart), bringing a second bout of rain and higher winds and seas.

## FORECASTER NOTES

NIWC Polar Programs

VALID TIME	26-Dec 12Z	26-Dec 18Z	27-Dec 00Z	27-Dec 06Z	27-Dec 12Z	27-Dec 18Z	28-Dec 00Z	28-Dec 06Z
SKY CONDITION	MOSTLY CLOUDY	CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY
WEATHER	NONE	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	FOG	FOG	RAIN & FOG	RAIN	NONE
VISIBILITY (NM)	UNRESTRICTED	1 - 3	2 - 4	3 - 5	2 - 4	1 - 3	3 - 5	UNRESTRICTED
SFC WINDS (DIR & KTS)	NE 15-20	N 20-30	NW 35-40	W-NW 25-30	NW 15-20	NE 10-15	NW 25-30	SW 20-25
		GUSTS TO 45	GUSTS TO 55	GUSTS TO 40			GUSTS TO 45	GUSTS TO 35
SFC MAX/MIN (°C)	4/2				7/5			
SST RANGE (°C)	1-4				4-7			
SEAS (DIR & FT)	NW 9-12	NW 10-13	NW 15-19	NW 13-17	W 9-12	W 7-10	W 9-12	SW 5-7
ICE ACCRETION	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
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