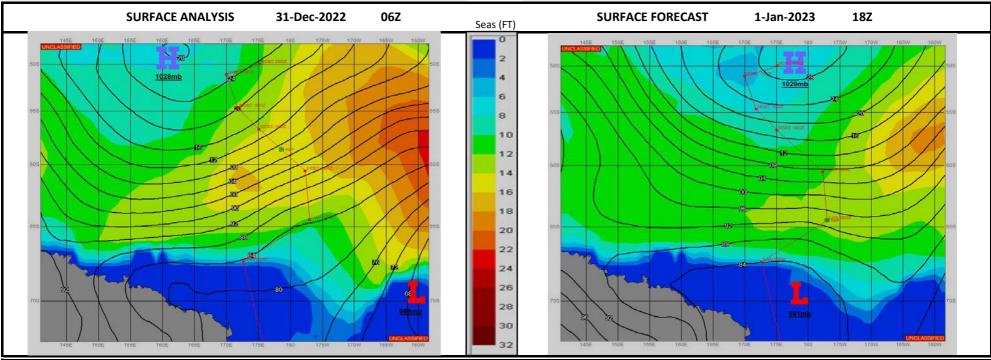


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A STRONG HIGH PRESSURE RIDGE IS FIRMLY IN PLACE, BUT SO IS THE PRESSURE GRADIENT BETWEEN THE HIGH AND THE LOW CENTERS. CLOUDS, RAIN, FOG, AND WIND CONTINUE TO DEFINE THE FORECAST. AS YOU TRAVEL FURTHER SOUTH, THE WINDS WILL SLOWLY LET UP A BIT MORE TOWARDS THE END OF THE FORECAST PERIOD. WITH AIR TEMPERATURES REFLECTING THE SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURES, FOG WILL REMAIN FAIRLY THICK AT TIMES. ALL THAT BEING SAID, THE WORST OF THE WEATHER SHOULD BE BEHIND YOU AT THIS POINT, WHICH IS A GREAT WAY TO START 2023. HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

FORECASTER NOTES

VALID TIME	31-Dec 12Z	31-Dec 18Z	1-Jan 00Z	1-Jan 06Z	1-Jan 12Z	1-Jan 18Z	2-Jan 00Z	2-Jan 06Z	
SKY CONDITION	PARTLY CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	
WEATHER	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	RAIN & FOG	
VISIBILITY (NM)	1/2 - 1	1/2 - 1	2 - 4	1/2 - 1	<1/2	<1/2	<1/2	1/2 - 1	
SFC WINDS (DIR & KTS)	W 25-30	W 25-30	W 25-30	W 25-30	W 20-25	NW 20-25	W 20-25	W 20-25	
	GUST 40	GUST 40	GUST 45	GUST 40	GUST 40	GUST 35	GUST 35	GUST 35	
SFC MAX/MIN (°C)	4/1				1/-1				
SST RANGE (°C)	4/1				1/-1				
SEAS (DIR & FT)	E 14-16	E 14-16	E 15-17	E 15-17	E 13-15	E 12-13	E 11-13	E 10-12	
ICE ACCRETION	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	
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