



METSIT 21Z 1-Apr As a squall passes through the Drake Passage, the boat will be hit with a period of gusty winds and rain. Once it passes, the lack of pressure gradient will lighten the winds, creating optimum conditions for fog formation. Expect periods of restricted visibility due to fog along the route.

FORECASTER NOTES MCMURDO STATION WINTER OPERATIONS ARE IN EFFECT. WEAX SUPPORT WILL BE DONE BY THE MCMURDO STATION WEATHER OFFICE AND ISSUED BY 2100Z. SEE CONTACT INFO BELOW.

VALID TIME	1-Apr 21Z	2-Apr 06Z	2-Apr 12Z	2-Apr 18Z	3-Apr 00Z	3-Apr 06Z	3-Apr 12Z	3-Apr 18Z
SKY CONDITION	CLEAR	MOSTLY CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY
WEATHER	NONE	RAIN & FOG	RAIN	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	RAIN & FOG
VISIBILITY (NM)	UNRESTRICTED	1/2 - 1	1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 3	1/2 - 1	2 - 4	2 - 4
SFC WINDS (DIR & KTS)	NW 25-30 GUST 40	NW 18-22 GUST 30	NW 15-20 GUST 25	NW 15-20	NW 10-15	NW 10-15	NW 10-15	W 5-10
SFC MAX/MIN (°C)	9 / 5				5 / 1			
SST RANGE (°C)	7 / 3				3 / 1			
SEAS (DIR & FT)	SW 8-12	SW 14-17	SW 14-17	SW 12-15	SW 10-13	SW 10-13	SW 12-15	SW 10-13
ICE ACCRETION	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL