



METSIT 212 29-Feb A large low pressure system countinues southwards through the Ross Sea towards the ice shelf. The low pressure system will cause higher winds and cloud cover along the boat's route with some precipitation expected later tomorrow. Occasional drops due to fog are anticipated throughout the forecast period.

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	29-Feb 21Z	1-Mar 06Z	1-Mar 12Z	1-Mar 18Z	2-Mar 00Z	2-Mar 06Z	2-Mar 12Z	2-Mar 18Z
SKY CONDITION	CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY
WEATHER	SNOW & FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	SNOW & FOG	NONE
VISIBILITY (NM)	1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 3	4 - 6	1 - 3	UNRESTRICTED
SFC WINDS (DIR & KTS)	SE 18-22	SE 18-22	SE 15-20	SE 15-20	SE 24-28	SE 25-30	SE-S 22-25	SE-S 15-20
SFC MAX/MIN (°C)	-14/-24				-10/-22			
SST RANGE (°C)	-1/-2				-1/-2			
SEAS (DIR & FT)	S 2-4	S 1-3	SE 1-3	SE 3-5	SE 2-4	NW 4-6	NW 6-8	SE 6-9
ICE ACCRETION	EXTREME	EXTREME	EXTREME	EXTREME	EXTREME	EXTREME	EXTREME	EXTREME
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