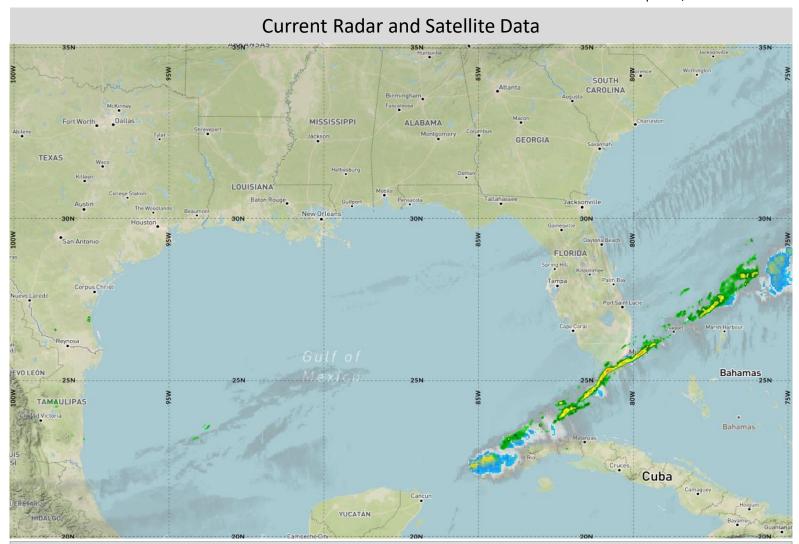


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Today and Tomorrow's Weather

A weak frontal boundary will move into the northern basin and become diffuse as high pressure moves in today. This will cause a more northerly shift of the winds before settling back out of the west-northwest to northwest at moderate to fresh speeds. The pressure gradient will relax today bringing winds down to gentle/moderate with seas reducing to slight. This will continue through tomorrow with mostly clear skies expected.

Day Three through Seven Weather Hazards

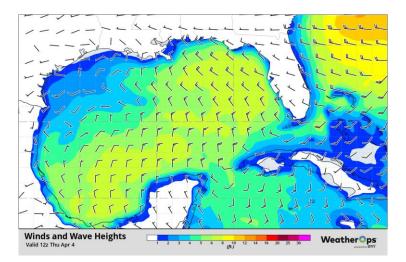
High pressure will quickly push eastward this weekend, shifting winds out of the southeast and increasing speeds to fresh by the end of the weekend. The pressure gradient will tighten once again early next week thanks to another storm system forming over the central US. Winds will become sustained at 15-25 knots Days 5-7 with gusts in excess of 30 knots. Seas will build to 5-7 feet for the early week before creeping into rough territory for Days 6-7 at 7-9 feet. Dry weather is expected through Day 7 outside of a few isolated showers as higher moisture returns to the basin.



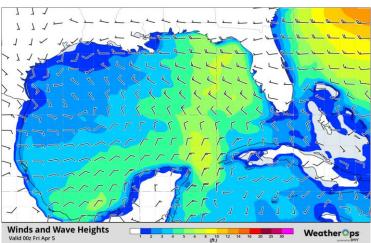




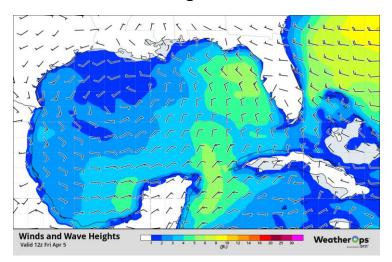
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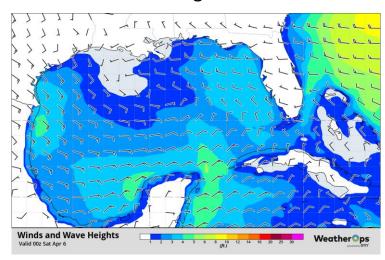
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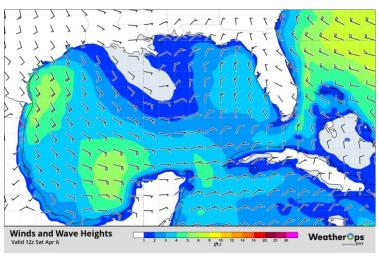
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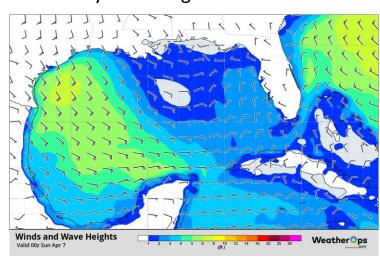
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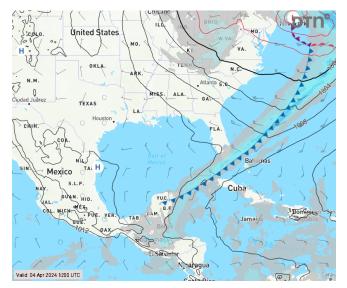
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Day 1 Surface Chart



Day 3 Surface Chart



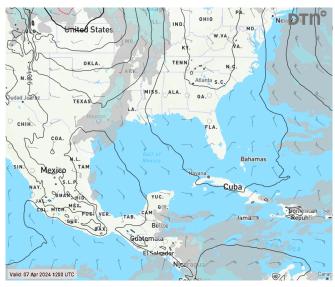
Day 5 Surface Chart



Day 2 Surface Chart



Day 4 Surface Chart



Day 6 Surface Chart

