



## Tropical Cyclone Outlook for The Coral Sea

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#### Existing Cyclones in the Eastern Region:

Nil.

#### Potential Cyclones:

A low pressure system southeast of the Papua New Guinea mainland is forecast to develop over the next few days while drifting slowly southwest. Conditions are expected to become more favourable for tropical cyclone development in the coming days, particularly from Saturday onwards.

At this stage, the likelihood for a tropical cyclone in the Eastern Region is moderate - this rating should continue into next week.

#### Likelihood of a tropical cyclone in the Eastern Region on:

Thursday:	Very Low
Friday:	Low
Saturday:	Moderate

**NOTES:** The likelihood is an estimate of the chance of each system being a tropical cyclone in the Region for each day.

Very Low:	less than 5%	Low:	5% to 20%
Moderate:	20 to 50%	High:	Over 50%

The area of coverage for this outlook is the Coral Sea and northern Tasman Sea west of 160E.

Further information on Tropical Cyclones is available at [www.bom.gov.au/weather/cyclone/](http://www.bom.gov.au/weather/cyclone/)

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