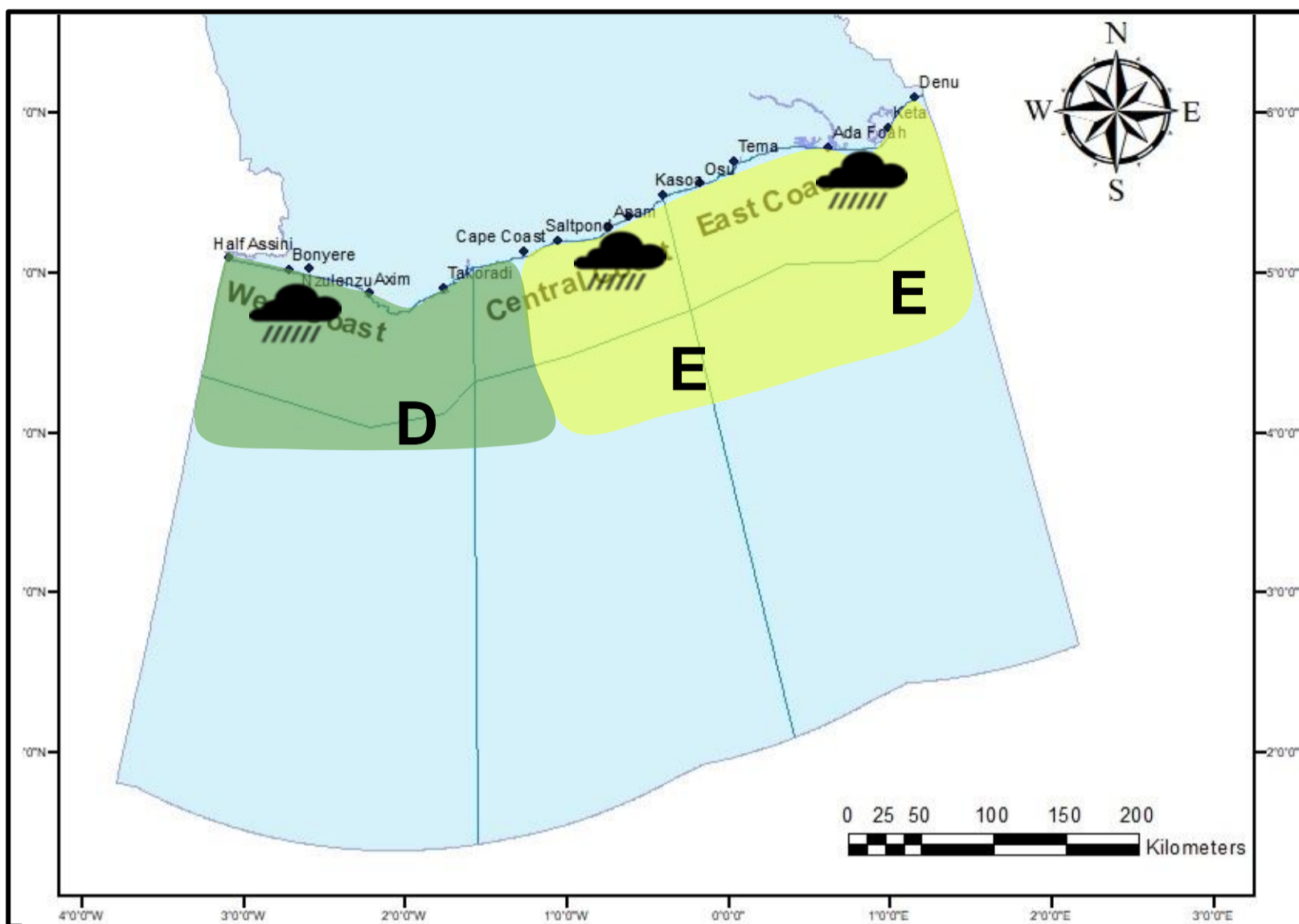




## COASTAL & MARITIME FORECAST FOR GHANA

IMPACT-BASED FORECAST  
VALID AT 0000Z 18/05/2026



<b>Date Issued</b>	17/05/2026
<b>Time Issued</b>	4:00 PM
<b>Valid From</b>	12:00 AM
<b>Nowcasting Risk</b>	Take Action
	Be aware
	Low risk
	No risk

Likelihood ↑	High (>60%)	G	H	I
	Medium (40%-60%)	D	E	F
	Low (<40%)	A	B	C
		Low	Medium	High
		Impact →		

State of the Sea:



Time	Surface Wind	Visibility	Sea Surface Temperature	Sig. Wave Height	Tide	Wave Current (m/s)
12 hours	SW 08KT MAX 20KT	(3 – 10) km	(28 – 30) °C	(1.4 – 2.2) Meters	(0.41 – 1.62) Meters	Average: E 0.63 m/s Max (0.73 – 0.87)
24 hours	S/SW 07KT MAX 23KT	(3 – 10) km	(28 – 30) °C	(1.4 – 2.4) Meters	(0.05 – 1.81) Meters	Average: E/NE 0.60 m/s Max (0.70 – 0.84)

**WEATHER SUMMARY:** Mostly cloudy conditions are expected over the country's marine space in the morning through to the afternoon. There is a 40-60% likelihood of thunderstorms and rain with different intensities over the eastern, central and western coasts between the morning and afternoon hours. Gusty winds are expected to precede the rains.

**NB:** Rough seas are expected throughout the forecast duration.

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