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Subject: Corrected Request for Comments for Experimental Gridded Marine  
Products through December 31, 2011

Corrected to add Primary Swell Height/Direction and Primary Wave Period  
to the listed of gridded products offered in the experimental 5-day  
forecast.

The NWS Tropical Analysis and Forecast Branch (TAFB) is seeking user  
feedback on its experimental gridded marine products through December 31,  
2011.

TAFB is providing, on an experimental basis, 5-day forecasts of gridded  
Mean Sea Level Pressure, Surface (10 meter) winds, Significant Wave  
Heights, Primary Swell Height/Direction and Primary Wave Period. These  
gridded products are produced by TAFB marine forecasters using the  
Advanced Weather Interactive Processing System (AWIPS) Graphical Forecast  
Editor (GFE).

These experimental products are generated by TAFB twice daily. The  
gridded marine weather elements are based upon the 0000 Coordinated  
Universal Time (UTC) and 1200 UTC cycles of the numerical weather  
prediction models. The products are then posted at approximately 0600  
UTC and 1800 UTC to the National Hurricane Center (NHC) website at:

[http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/tafb/gridded\\_marine/index.php](http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/tafb/gridded_marine/index.php)

A comprehensive description of the gridded marine forecast product is  
posted at:

<http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/aboutgriddedmarine.shtml>

Users are encouraged to provide feedback on this experimental product by  
using the brief survey and comment form available online at:

<http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=tafb-egmf>

A link to all NHC experimental products is also provided at:

<http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/aboutexperimental.shtml>

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