



# RISK ASSESSMENT

## WEATHER

### BIG PICTURE - SYNOPSIS

- Improving
- Worsening

### WIND

- Speed
  - Now / Later
- Direction
  - Now / Later
- On Shore
- Off Shore
- Relation to currents

### RAIN / SUN

- Temperature
- Psychology

### VISIBILITY

- Fog
- Night/Dusk

### THUNDERSTORMS

### OTHER HAZARDS

## LAND

### LANDSCAPE

- Terrain
- Remoteness

### OUTS

- Roads
- Help?

### LANDINGS

- Swell
- Beach Type
- Tide

### WILDLIFE

### OTHER HAZARDS

## OTHER FACTORS

- Sunset / Sunrise Time
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## WATER

### SWELL

- Size
- Period
- Direction

### WIND WAVES

- On Shore
- Off Shore
- In relation to Currents

### TIDES

- High
- Low
- Range
- Relation to off shore boomers
- Relation to on shore break

### CURRENTS

- Speed
- Direction
- Relation to wind waves
- Relation to Swell
- Relation to Races and Over falls

### BOAT TRAFFIC AND SHIPPING

### OTHER HAZARDS

## GROUPS

### LEADER/S (Know your limits – 5 Star assessment)

- Walk in Park?
- Can you pick up the pieces and or pull the group out?

### BEHAVIOUR OF INDIVIDUALS IN FORECAST CONDITIONS

### STRENGTH

- Physical
- Mental
- Skills

### PERSONAL EQUIPMENT OF GROUP

- Body
- Boat
- Safety
- Visibility

### HEALTH CONCERNS