Experimental Gulf of Mexico Harmful Algal Bloom Bulletin
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Analysis
spotty moderately high chlorophyll near shore in Captiva area. Elevated chlorophyll extends south along 82d20 W. No indication of bloom south of Sanibel. Panhandle has remained near background.

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Wind conditions from Venice Pier
Wind speed and direction are averaged over 12 hours from measurements made on NOAA buoys. Length of line indicates speed; angle indicates direction. Red indicates that the wind direction favors upwelling near the coast.

Winds have remained favorable for bloom maintenance.
Wind conditions from Dauphin Island, AL