

FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

7 Day Weather Outlook for Fiji

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WARNING/ALERTS:

A STRONG WIND WARNING REMAINS IN FORCE FOR KADAVU PASSAGE AND IS NOW IN FORCE FOR SOUTHERN KORO SEA.

SITUATION:

A trough of low pressure remains slow moving over the northeast of the group. Associated cloud and rain expected to affect the group till Sunday(31/03). Meanwhile, an east to northeast prevails over the group.

OUTLOOK:

Western Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN(C)
Thu 28/03	Afternoon or evening showers. Isolated thunderstorms with heavy falls likely.	Moderate east to northeast winds.	29/23
Fri 29/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate northeast winds.	29/23
Sat 30/03	Occasional rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds.	28/24
Sun 31/03	Occasional rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate north to northwest winds.	28/24
Mon 01/04	Afternoon or evening showers. Isolated thunderstorms with heavy falls likely.	Moderate south to southeast winds	29/23
Tue 02/04	Afternoon or evening showers. Isolated thunderstorms with heavy falls likely.	Moderate southeast winds	31/23
Wed 03/04	Afternoon or evening showers. Isolated thunderstorms with heavy falls likely.	Moderate southeast winds	31/22

Eastern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN(C)
Thu 28/03	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms. Isolated heavy falls expected.	Moderate easterly winds.	27/24
Fri 29/03	Occasional showers and isolated thunderstorms especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate northeast winds.	28/25
Sat 30/03	Occasional showers and isolated thunderstorms especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate northerly winds.	28/24
Sun 31/03	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate north to northwest winds.	30/24
Mon 01/04	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate south to southeast winds	30/24
Tue 02/04	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate southeast winds	30/25
Wed 03/04	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate southeast winds	30/25

Northern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (C)
Thu 28/03	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms. Isolated heavy falls expected.	Moderate northeast winds.	27/24
Fri 29/03	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms. Isolated heavy falls expected.	Moderate northeast winds.	28/24
Sat 30/03	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms. Isolated heavy falls expected.	Moderate northerly winds.	29/24
Sun 31/03	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds.	30/24
Mon 01/04	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers.	Moderate northwest winds.	31/24
Tue 02/04	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers.	Moderate southerly winds.	31/24
Wed 03/04	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers.	Moderate southeast winds.	30/24

Central Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN(C)
Thu 28/03	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms. Isolated heavy falls expected.	Moderate southeast winds.	28/22
Fri 29/03	Occasional showers and isolated thunderstorms especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate southeast winds.	29/23
Sat 30/03	Occasional showers and isolated thunderstorms especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate southeast winds.	30/24
Sun 31/03	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate northwest winds.	30/23
Mon 01/04	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate southwest winds.	30/23
Tue 02/04	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate easterly winds.	29/24
Wed 03/04	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate easterly winds.	29/24

Rotuma

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS/SEA	TEMP MAX/MIN(C)
Thu 28/03	Occasional rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate northeast winds.	29/24
Fri 29/03	Occasional rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds.	29/26
Sat 30/03	Occasional showers, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds.	29/26
Sun 31/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds.	29/27
Mon 01/04	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate easterly winds.	30/26
Tue 02/04	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate easterly winds.	29/26
Wed 03/04	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate easterly winds.	29/26

Marine:

DAY	WIND Direction/Speed (kts)	SEA/SWELL	VISIBILITY
Thu 28/03	East to northeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southeast swells.	Poor visibility in areas of heavy rain and thunderstorms.
Fri 29/03	Northeast winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southerly swells.	Poor visibility in areas of heavy rain and thunderstorms.
Sat 30/03	Northerly winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southerly swells.	Poor visibility in areas of heavy rain and thunderstorms.
Sun 31/03	Northwest winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southeast swells.	Poor visibility in areas of heavy rain and thunderstorms.
Mon 01/04	Northwest winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southeast swells.	Poor visibility in areas of heavy rain and thunderstorms.
Tue 02/04	Southeast winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southeast swells.	Poor visibility in areas of heavy rain and thunderstorms.
Wed 03/04	Easterly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Moderate southeast swells.	Poor visibility in areas of heavy rain and thunderstorms.

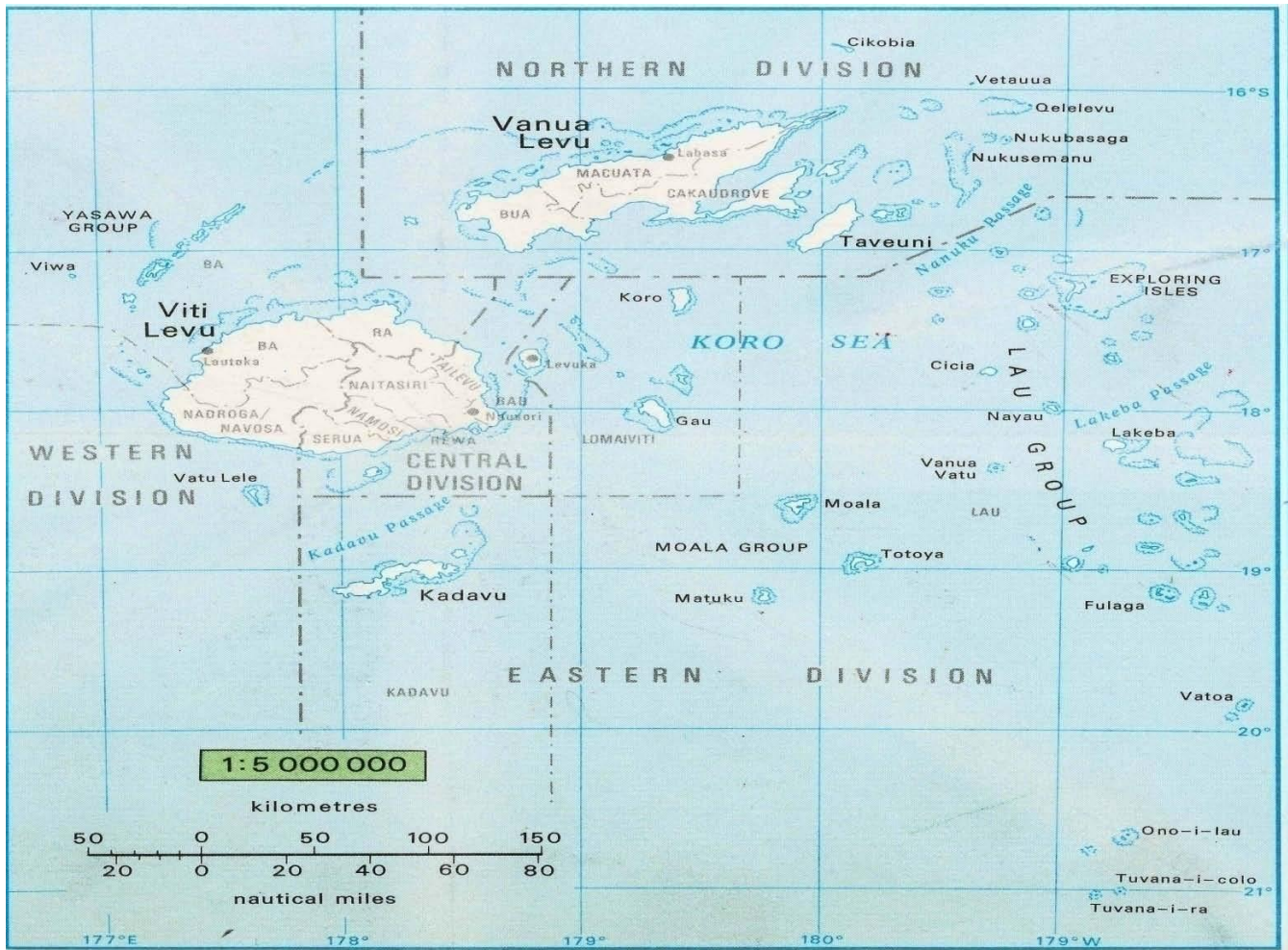
Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

1 knot=1.85 kilometers per hour. Light = 5-10 knots; Moderate = 11-16knots; Fresh = 17-21knots. Strong = 22-27knots; Near Gale= 28-33knots; Gale = 34-47 knots; Strom = 48- 63knots.

**Swells Low Swells: 0-2 meters (0-6.5feet) Moderate Swells: 2-4 meters (6.5-13 feet)
Heavy Swells: Greater than 4 meters (> 13 feet)**

Visibility 5 to 10 km: Fair/Moderate; Less than 5km: Poor Greater than 10km: Good

THE NEXT REVIEW WILL BE ON MONDAY 1st APRIL, 2019.



Fiji Map with Four Divisions Map (Source: Atlas of the South Pacific)