FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE 7 Day Weather Outlook for Fiji Issued from National Weather Forecasting CentreNadi on MONDAY 5thAugust, 2019

WARNING/ALERTS

A strong wind warning remains in force for all Fiji waters.

SITUATION

A trough of low pressure to the north is anticipated to drift towards the group and affect the northern parts of Fiji from Tuesday and later spreading to the rest of the group. Meanwhile, a high pressure system to the far southwest of Fiji directs a strong southeast wind flow over Fiji waters. A predominant east to southeast wind flow prevails over the Fiji group until the rest of the forecast period.

OUTLOOK:

Western Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN(C)
Mon 05/08	Cloudy periods with possible afternoon or evening showers. Cool at night	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	30/22
Tue 06/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible afternoon or evening thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	29/22
Wed 07/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible afternoon or evening thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	29/22
Thu 08/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible afternoon or evening thunderstorms	Moderate east to northeast winds	30/22
Fri 09/08	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers	Moderate easterly winds	30/22
Sat 10/08	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers	Moderate east to southeast winds	31/21
Sun 11/08	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southeast winds	31/21

Eastern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN
Mon 05/08	Some showers. Isolated heavy falls and possible thunderstorms from later today	Moderate to fresh southeast winds	26/22
Tue 06/08	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderatesoutheast winds	27/22
Wed 07/08	Occasional showers with isolated heavy falls and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	28/22
Thu 08/08	Occasional showers with isolated heavy falls and few thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	29/21
Fri 09/08	Some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate northeast to southeast winds	29/22
Sat 10/08	Brief showers	Moderate easterly winds	29/21
Sun 11/08	Brief showers	Moderate easterly winds	29/21

Northern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Mon 05/08	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening showers	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds	30/22
Tue 06/08	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Fresh to strong east to southeast winds	29/22
Wed 07/08	Occasional showers with isolated heavy falls and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	28/22
Thu 08/08	Some showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	29/22
Fri 09/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate easterly winds	30/22
Sat 10/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	31/21
Sun 11/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southeast winds	31/21

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Wed 07/08	Occasional showers with isolated heavy falls and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	26/22
Thu 08/08	Occasional showers with isolated heavy falls and few thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	26/22
Fri 09/08	Some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate northeast to southeast winds	28/22
Sat 10/08	Brief showers	Moderate easterly winds	29/21
Sun 11/08	Brief showers	Moderate easterly winds	29/21

Rotuma

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Mon 05/08	Some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds	29/23
Tue 06/08	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Fresh to strong east to southeast winds	28/24
Wed 07/08	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	29/23
Thu 08/08	Some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	29/24
Fri 09/08	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds	30/23
Sat 10/08	Fine apart from brief showers	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	30/24
Sun 11/08	Some showers	Moderate easterly winds	31/25

<u>Marine:</u>

DAY	WIND Direction/Speed (kts)	SEA/SWELL	VISIBILITY
Mon 05/08	Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots	Rough seas. Moderate southerly swells	Poor in areas of showers and thunderstorms
Tue 06/08	Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots	Rough seas. Moderate southerly swells	Poor in areas of showers and thunderstorms
Wed 07/08	Easterly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Moderate southerly swells	Poor in areas of showers and thunderstorms
Thu 08/08	East to northeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Moderate southerly swells	Poor in areas of showers and thunderstorms
Fri 09/08	Easterly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas.	Fair
Sat 10/08	Easterly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas.	Good
Sun 11/08	Northeast to southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas.	Good

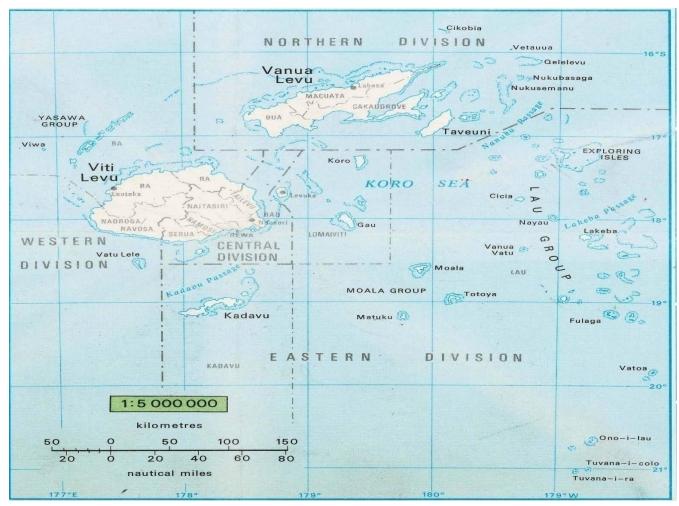
Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

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 = 34-47knots; 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 THURSDAY 08THAUGUST, 2019.



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