FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE 7 Day Weather Outlook for Fiji Issued from National Weather Forecasting CentreNadi on Thursday 15th August, 2019

WARNING/ALERTS

Nil.

SITUATION

A trough of low pressure with associated clouds and showers is anticipated to lie over the north of the Fiji group on Sunday (18/08) and drift southeast further away from the group. Meanwhile, another trough of low pressure with associated clouds and showers is expected to lie over the southwest of the Fiji group and drift eastwards, away from the group on Monday (19/08). A predominant southeast to southerly wind flow prevails over the Fiji group until the end of the forecast period.

OUTLOOK:

Western Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN(C)
Thu 15/08	Mainly fine weather	Moderate to fresh northeast to southeast winds	30/20
Fri 16/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate to fresh northeast to southeast winds	30/19
Sat 17/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate to fresh southeast winds	29/19
Sun 18/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southeast to southerly winds	29/19
Mon 19/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southerly winds	30/18
Tue 20/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southeast winds	31/19
Wed 21/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southerly to southeast winds	30/18

Eastern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN
Thu 15/08	Fine apart from brief showers	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds	28/24
Fri 16/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers	Moderate to fresh southeast winds	28/22
Sat 17/08	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate southeast winds	27/22
Sun 18/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate easterly to southeast winds	28/21
Mon 19/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate southerly winds	29/21
Tue 20/08	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate southerly winds	27/19
Wed 21/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers	Moderate southerly to southeast winds	27/19

Northern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thu 15/08	Fine apart from brief showers over the eastern parts and interior of Vanua Levu. Elsewhere, mainly fine.	Moderate to fresh southeast winds	32/20
Fri 16/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southeast winds	31/20
Sat 17/08	Fine apart from brief showers	Moderate southeast winds	31/21
Sun 18/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate southeast winds	32/21
Mon 19/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate southeast to southerly winds	29/20
Tue 20/08	Fine apart from brief showers	Moderate easterly winds	30/18
Wed 21/08	Fine apart from brief showers	Moderate southeast winds	29/19

Central Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thu 15/08	Fine apart from brief showers	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds	28/24
Fri 16/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers	Moderate to fresh southeast winds	28/22
Sat 17/08	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate southeast winds	27/22
Sun 18/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate easterly to southeast winds	28/21
Mon 19/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate southerly winds	29/21
Tue 20/08	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate southerly winds	27/19
Wed 21/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers	Moderate southerly to southeast winds	27/19

Rotuma

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP
			MAX/MIN
			(CELCIUS)
Thu 15/08	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate to fresh southeast winds	30/25
Fri 16/08	Brief showers	Moderate southeast to easterly winds	29/25
Sat 17/08	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate easterly to southeast winds	28/24
Sun 18/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh southeast winds	28/26
Mon 19/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate southeast winds	28/25
Tue 20/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate southeast to easterly winds	29/25
Wed 21/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms	Moderate southeast to easterly winds	28/25

Marine:

DAY	WIND Direction/Speed (kts)	SEA/SWELL	VISIBILITY
Thu	East to Southeast winds 15 to	Moderate to rough seas.	Good
15/08	20 knots	Moderate southerly swells	
Fri 16/08	Southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas.	Good
Sat 17/08	Southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Moderate southerly swells	Fair
Sun 18/08	Southerly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Moderate southerly swells	Poor in areas of showers and thunderstorms
Mon 19/08	Southerly to southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas	Poor in areas of showers and thunderstorms
Tue 20/08	Southeast to easterly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas	Fair
Wed 21/08	Southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas	Good

Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

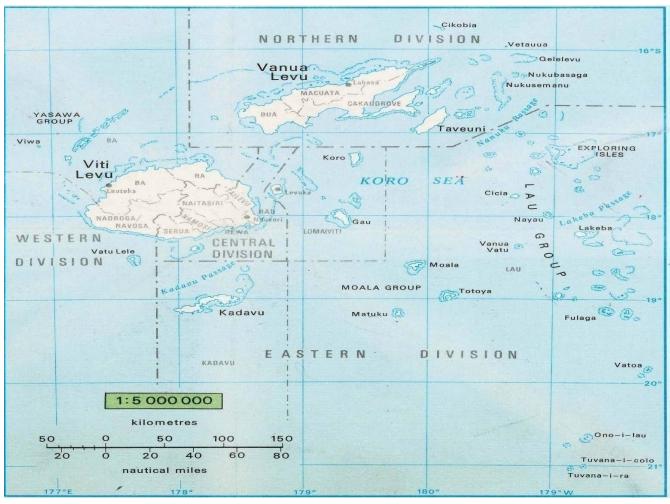
1 knot=1.85 kilometers per hour. Light = 5-10 knots; Moderate = 11-16knots; Fresh = 17-21knots. Strong = 22-27knots; Near Gale= 28-33knots; Gale = 34-47knots; Strom = 48-63knots.

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 MONDAY 19THAUGUST, 2019.



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