

FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

7 Day Weather Outlook for Fiji

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WARNING/ALERTS

A STRONG WIND WARNING REMAINS IN FORCE FOR THE LAND AREAS OF THE LAU AND LOMAIVITI GROUP AND IS NOW ALSO IN FORCE FOR THE LAND AREAS OF NORTHERN VANUA LEVU.

A STRONG WIND WARNING REMAINS IN FORCE FOR ALL FIJI WATERS.

SITUATION

A high pressure system to the southwest of the group directs a fresh to strong wind flow over the country. A predominant east to southeast wind flow is expected to prevail over the Fiji group until the end of the forecast period.

OUTLOOK:

Western Division

| DAY | WEATHER | WINDS | TEMP MAX/MIN(C) |
|----------------------|---|--|----------------------------|
| Mon 23/09 | Fine. Cool at night | Moderate to fresh southeast to easterly winds | 30/18 |
| Tue 24/09 | Fine. Cool a night. | Moderate to fresh southeast to easterly winds | 30/19 |
| Wed 25/09 | Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers. | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 31/19 |
| Thu 26/09 | Fine. Cool at night. | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 30/18 |
| Fri 27/09 | Fine. Cool at night. | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 30/18 |
| Sat 28/09 | Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers | Moderate southeast winds | 31/19 |
| Sun 29/09 | Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers | Moderate easterly winds | 30/20 |

Eastern Division

| DAY | WEATHER | WINDS | TEMP MAX/MIN |
|----------------------|---|--|-------------------------|
| Mon 23/09 | Cloudy periods with isolated brief showers | Fresh to strong southeast winds | 26/21 |
| Tue 24/09 | Cloudy periods with isolated brief showers | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 27/19 |
| Wed 25/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 27/20 |
| Thu 26/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 26/21 |
| Fri 27/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 27/21 |
| Sat 28/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 28/23 |
| Sun 29/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate easterly winds | 29/23 |

Northern Division

| DAY | WEATHER | WINDS | TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS) |
|----------------------|---|--|--|
| Mon 23/09 | Mainly fine. Cool at night | Fresh to strong southeast winds. | 33/18 |
| Tue 24/09 | Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 32/19 |
| Wed 25/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 32/18 |
| Thu 26/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 31/19 |
| Fri 27/09 | Brief showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 32/18 |
| Sat 28/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 31/19 |
| Sun 29/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh easterly winds | 31/19 |

Central Division

| DAY | WEATHER | WINDS | TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS) |
|----------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| Mon 23/09 | Cloudy periods with isolated brief showers | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 26/21 |
| Tue 24/09 | Cloudy periods with isolated brief showers | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 27/19 |
| Wed 25/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 27/20 |
| Thu 26/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 26/21 |
| Fri 27/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 27/21 |
| Sat 28/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 28/23 |
| Sun 29/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate easterly winds | 29/23 |

Rotuma

| DAY | WEATHER | WINDS | TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS) |
|----------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| Mon 23/09 | Cloudy periods with brief showers | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 29/25 |
| Tue 24/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 29/25 |
| Wed 25/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 28/26 |
| Thu 26/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms. | Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds | 27/25 |
| Fri 27/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 28/26 |
| Sat 28/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate to fresh southeast winds | 29/25 |
| Sun 29/09 | Some showers and possible thunderstorms | Moderate easterly winds | 29/26 |

Marine:

| DAY | WIND Direction/Speed (kts) | SEA/SWELL | VISIBILITY |
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| Mon 23/09 | Southeast winds 20 to 30 knots, gusting to 35 knots through the passages | Rough to very rough seas. Moderate southerly swells | Good |
| Tue 24/09 | Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots gusting up to 30 knots through the passages. | Rough seas. Moderate southerly swells | Good |
| Wed 25/09 | Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots | Rough seas. Moderate southerly swells | Good |
| Thu 26/09 | Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots | Rough seas. | Fair |
| Fri 27/09 | Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots | Rough seas. | Fair |
| Sat 28/09 | Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots | Rough seas. Moderate southerly swells | Fair |
| Sun 29/09 | Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots | Rough seas. Moderate southerly swells | Fair |

Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

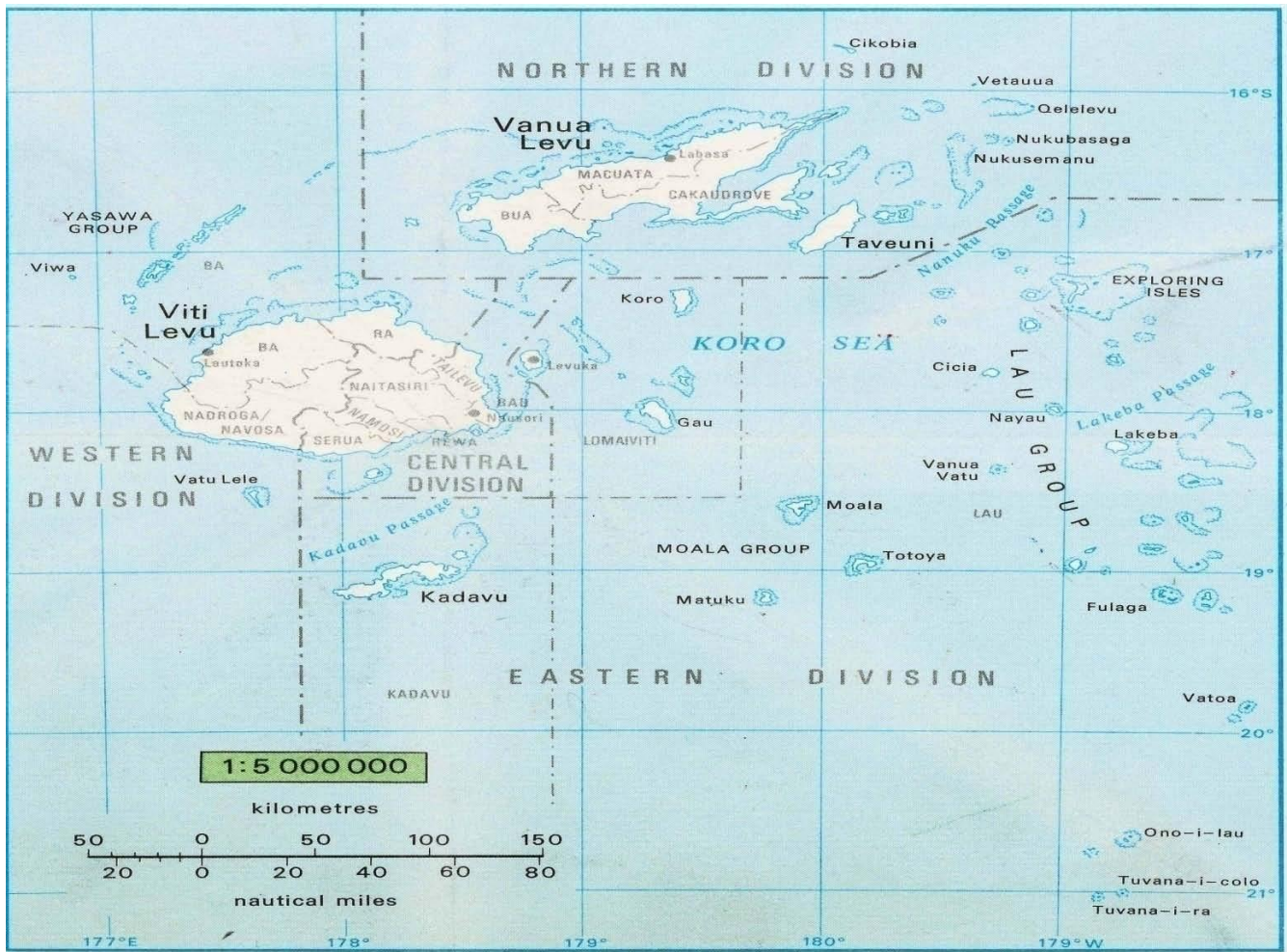
1 knot=1.85 kilometers per hour. Light = 5-10 knots; Moderate = 11-16knots; Fresh = 17-21knots. Strong = 22-27knots; Near Gale= 28-33knots; Gale = 34-47knots; Strom = 48- 63knots.

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 26TH SEPTEMBER, 2019.



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