

FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

7 Day Weather Outlook for Fiji

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WARNING/ALERTS

Nil.

SITUATION

A southerly wind flow prevails over the group. Meanwhile, a trough of low pressure to the northeast of the country is expected to drift southwards and affect especially the northern and eastern parts of Fiji from tonight. The trough is then anticipated to gradually affect the rest of the group by tomorrow (Friday 13/12) till Tuesday (17/12). The southeast trades will thereafter become dominant again from Wednesday (18/12)

OUTLOOK:

Western Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN(C)
Thu 12/12	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers.	Moderate southerly	31/23
Fri 13/12	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers	Moderate southeast	31/23
Sat 14/12	Showers especially in the afternoon or evening	Moderate easterly	30/23
Sun 15/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Mon 16/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Tue 17/12	Showers especially in the afternoon or evening	Moderate easterly	30/23
Wed 18/12	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers.	Moderate southeast	31/23

Eastern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN
Thu 12/12	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate southeast	31/23
Fri 13/12	Occasional showers	Moderate southeast	31/23
Sat 14/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	30/23
Sun 15/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Mon 16/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Tue 17/12	Occasional showers	Moderate easterly	29/23
Wed 18/12	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate easterly	31/23

Northern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thu 12/12	Some showers becoming frequent overnight.	Moderate easterly	33/22
Fri 13/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate southeast	31/23
Sat 14/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	30/23
Sun 15/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Mon 16/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Tue 17/12	Occasional showers	Moderate easterly	29/23
Wed 18/12	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate easterly	31/23

Central Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thu 12/12	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate southeast	31/25
Fri 13/12	Occasional showers	Moderate southeast	30/25
Sat 14/12	Occasional showers	Moderate easterly	29/25
Sun 15/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Mon 16/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	29/23
Tue 17/12	Occasional showers	Moderate easterly	29/23
Wed 18/12	Cloudy periods with some showers	Moderate southeast	31/23

Rotuma

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thu 12/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	31/25
Fri 13/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate easterly	30/25
Sat 14/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate northeast	29/25
Sun 15/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate northerly	29/25
Mon 16/12	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms	Moderate northerly	29/25
Tue 17/12	Fine	Moderate easterly	31/25
Wed 18/12	Fine	Moderate easterly	31/25

Marine:

DAY	WIND Direction/Speed (kts)	SEA/SWELL	VISIBILITY
Thu 12/12	South to southeast 15	Moderate / moderate southerly	Good
Fri 13/12	Southeast 15	Moderate / moderate southerly	Fair
Sat 14/12	Easterly 15	Moderate / moderate southeast	Poor
Sun 15/12	Easterly 15 to 20	Moderate to rough / moderate southeast	Poor
Mon 16/12	Easterly 15 to 20	Moderate to rough / moderate southeast	Poor
Tue 17/12	Easterly 15	Moderate / moderate southeast	Fair
Wed 18/12	East to southeast 15	Moderate / moderate southeast	Good

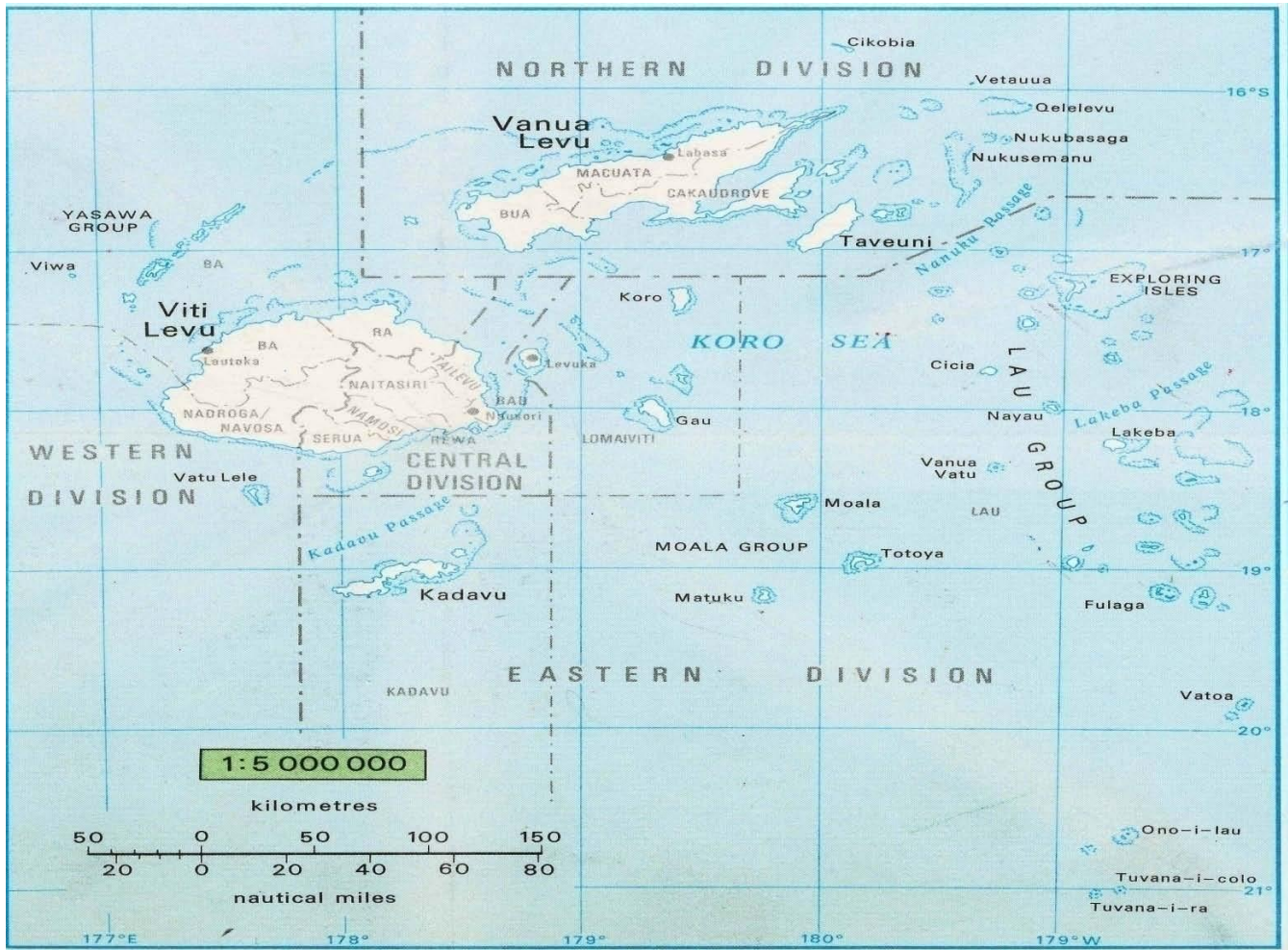
Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

**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; Storm = 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 16th DECEMBER, 2019.



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