

FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE
7 Day Weather Outlook for Fiji
Issued from NWFC Nadi on Thursday 19th March, 2020.

WARNING:

A HEAVY RAIN WARNING REMAINS IN FORCE FOR THE EASTERN HALF AND INTERIOR OF VITI LEVU AND THE LAU AND LOMAIVITI GROUP.

Situation:

An active trough of low pressure with associated clouds and rain continues to affect the group.

OUTLOOK

Western Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thurs 19/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms with possible heavy falls especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh south-east to north-westerly winds	29/24
Fri 20/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms with possible heavy falls especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh south-east to north-westerly winds	30/24
Sat 21/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms with possible heavy falls especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh south-east to north-westerly winds	31/24
Sun 22/03	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate to fresh south-east winds	32/24
Mon 23/03	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh south-east winds	32/24
Tues 24/03	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh south-east winds	32/24
Wed 25/03	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh south-east winds	32/24

Eastern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thurs 19/03	Periods of rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh north-westerly winds	29/24
Fri 20/03	Periods of rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh north-westerly winds	30/25
Sat 21/03	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh north-westerly winds	30/25
Sun 22/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh north-westerly winds	30/25
Mon 23/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh west to westerly winds	31/25
Tues 24/03	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate to fresh southerly winds	31/25
Wed 25/03	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate to fresh west to westerly winds	31/25

Northern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thurs 19/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms with possible heavy falls especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh north-westerly winds	29/25
Fri 20/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms with possible heavy falls especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	29/25
Sat 21/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms with possible heavy falls especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	32/23
Sun 22/03	Cloudy periods with isolated afternoon or evening showers and thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	32/23
Mon 23/03	Cloudy periods with isolated afternoon or evening showers and thunderstorms.	Moderate to westerly winds	32/24
Tues 24/03	Cloudy periods with isolated afternoon or evening showers and thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Wed 25/03	Cloudy periods with isolated afternoon or evening showers and thunderstorms.	Moderate east to south-easterly winds	31/24

Central Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thurs 19/03	Periods of rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh north-westerly winds	31/25
Fri 20/03	Periods of rain, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	32/24
Sat 21/03	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds	32/24
Sun 22/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds	32/24
Mon 23/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate south-east winds	31/24
Tues 24/03	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate south-east winds	31/24
Wed 25/03	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate south-east winds	31/24

Rotuma

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS/SEA	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thurs 19/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate northerly winds. Moderate seas.	30/26
Fri 20/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate north-easterly. Moderate seas.	30/26
Sat 21/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate north-easterly winds. Moderate seas.	30/26
Sun 22/03	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate north-easterly winds. Moderate seas.	30/26
Mon 23/03	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate east to south-east winds. Moderate seas.	30/26
Tues 24/03	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate south-east winds. Moderate seas.	31/26
Wed 25/03	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate south-east winds. Moderate seas.	31/26

Marine:

DAY	WIND Direction/Speed (kts)	SEA/SWELL	VISIBILITY
Thurs 19/03	South-east to north-westerly winds 15 to 20knots.	Moderate to rough seas.	Fair
Fri 20/03	South-east to north-westerly winds 15 to 20knots.	Moderate to rough seas.	Fair
Sat 21/03	South-east winds 10 to 15 knots.	Moderate seas.	Fair
Sun 22/03	South-east winds 10 to 15 knots.	Moderate seas	Good
Mon 23/03	South-east winds 10 to 15 knots.	Moderate seas	Good
Tues 24/03	South-east winds 10 to 15 knots.	Moderate seas	Good
Wed 25/03	South-east winds 10 to 15 knots.	Moderate seas	Good

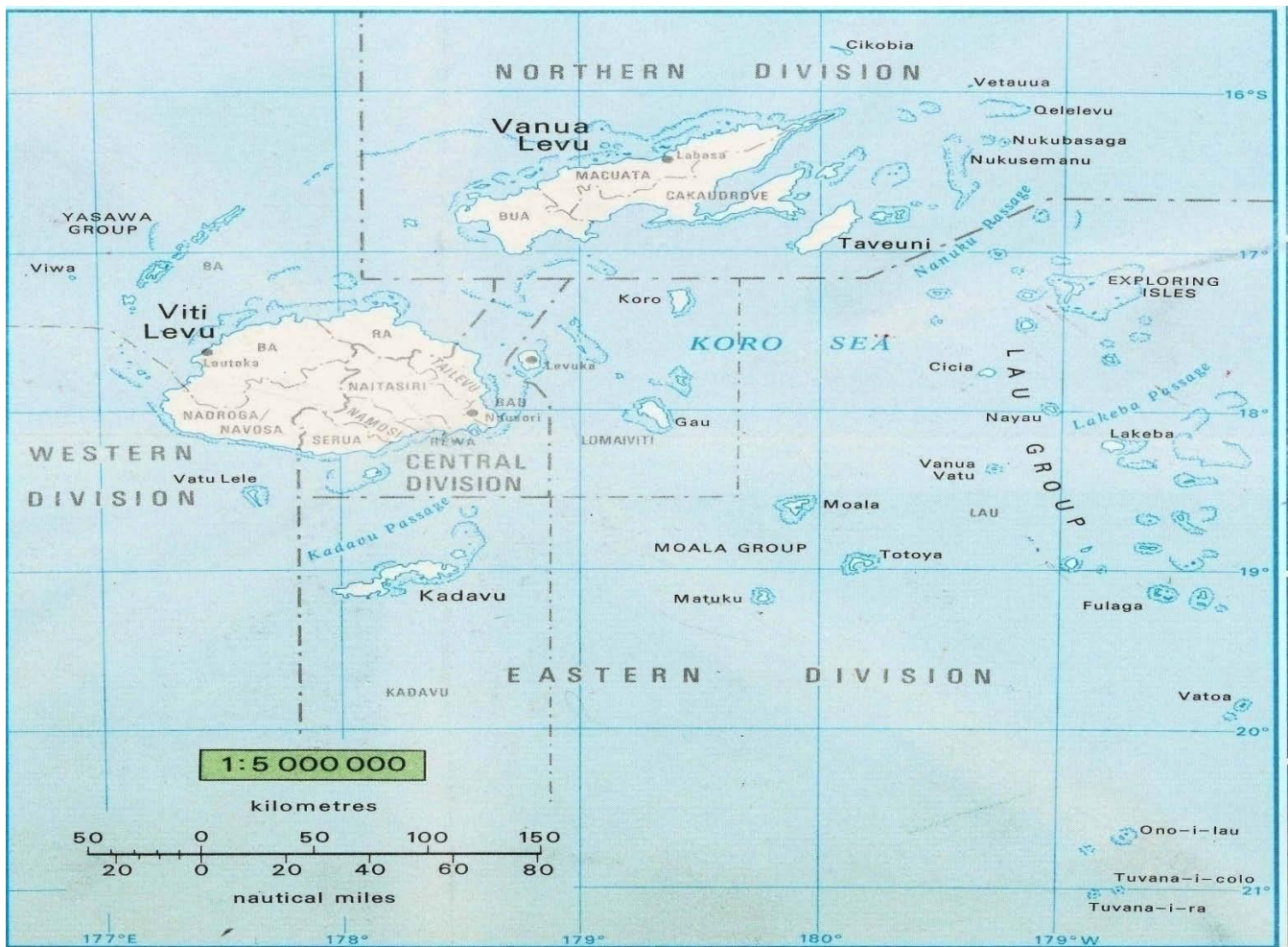
Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

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; 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 23rd MARCH, 2020.



Fiji Map with Four Divisions

Map Source: Atlas of the South Pacific