

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 YASAWA GROUP, LAU AND LOMAIVITI GROUP, SOUTHERN PARTS OF VITI LEVU, KADAVU AND NEARBY SMALLER ISLANDS, SOUTHERN PARTS OF VANUALEVU AND TAVEUNI AND NEARBY SMALLER ISLANDS.

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

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

SITUATION

A high pressure system to the far southwest of the group directs a fresh to strong southeast wind flow over Fiji waters. Meanwhile a trough of low pressure is expected to approach the group from the west on Sunday and affect the group till Monday. Southeasterly wind flow is expected to be dominant afterwards till the end of the forecast period.

OUTLOOK:

Western Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELSIUS)
Thu 30/07	Fine. Cool at night.	Fresh to strong southeasterly winds.	30/19
Fri 31/07	Fine. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds, gusty at times.	30/19
Sat 01/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds.	30/19
Sun 02/08	Cloudy periods with some showers especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh east to northeast winds.	31/21

Mon 03/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh northerly winds.	30/22
Tue 04/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	30/19
Wed 05/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	30/19

Eastern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELSIUS)
Thu 30/07	Fine apart from brief showers. Cool at night.	Fresh to strong southeasterly winds.	29/19
Fri 31/07	Fine apart from brief showers. Cool at night.	Fresh to strong easterly winds.	27/19
Sat 01/08	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds, gusty at times.	28/21
Sun 02/08	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate to fresh northeasterly winds.	28/22
Mon 03/08	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh northwesterly winds.	27/20
Tue 04/08	Fine apart from brief showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	28/20
Wed 05/08	Fine apart from brief showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	28/20

Northern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELSIUS)
Thu 30/07	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Fresh to strong southeasterly winds.	31/21
Fri 31/07	Cloudy periods with brief showers over the southeastern parts. Fine weather expected elsewhere. Cool at night	Moderate to fresh easterly winds, gusty at times.	31/19
Sat 01/08	Fine apart from possible afternoon or evening showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds.	31/19
Sun 02/08	Cloudy periods with some showers especially in the afternoon or evening.	Moderate to fresh northeasterly winds.	30/21
Mon 03/08	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate to fresh northerly winds.	29/22
Tue 04/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers over the southeastern parts. Fine weather expected elsewhere. Cool at night	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	31/20
Wed 05/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers over the southeastern parts. Fine weather expected elsewhere. Cool at night	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	31/20

Central Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELSIUS)
Thu 30/07	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Fresh to strong southeasterly winds.	30/21
Fri 31/07	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds, gusty at times.	30/21
Sat 01/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate to fresh easterly winds.	29/21
Sun 02/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate to fresh northeasterly winds.	29/22
Mon 03/08	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh northerly winds.	28/21
Tue 04/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	28/20
Wed 05/08	Cloudy periods with brief showers. Cool at night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds.	28/20

Rotuma

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELSIUS)
Thu 30/07	Occasional showers, heavy at times and few thunderstorms.	Southeast winds 20 to 25 knots. Rough seas. Moderate southerly swells.	29/23
Fri 31/07	Some showers.	Southeast winds 15 to 20 knots. Moderate to rough seas.	29/23
Sat 01/08	Some showers	Southeast 15 to 20 knots. Moderate to rough seas.	29/23
Sun 02/08	Some showers	Southeast 15 to 20 knots. Moderate to rough seas.	29/22
Mon 03/08	Some showers	Southeast 10 to 15 knots. Moderate seas.	29/22

Tue 04/08	Some showers	Southeast 10 to 15 knots. Moderate seas.	28/23
Wed 05/08	Some showers	Southeast 10 to 15 knots. Moderate seas.	29/22

Marine:

DAY	WIND Direction/Speed (kts)	SEA/SWELL	VISIBILITY
Thu 30/07	Southeasterly winds 20 to 30 knots.	Rough to very rough seas / moderate southeasterly swells	Good
Fri 31/07	Easterly winds 20 to 25 knots.	Rough seas / moderate southeasterly swells.	Good
Sat 01/08	Easterly winds 15 to 20 knots.	Moderate to rough seas.	Good
Sun 02/08	Northeasterly winds 15 to 20 knots.	Moderate to rough seas.	Fair
Mon 03/08	Northerly winds 10-15 knots.	Moderate seas	Poor
Tue 04/08	Southeasterly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas/ Moderate southerly swells.	Good
Wed 05/08	Southeasterly winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas/ Moderate southerly swells.	Good

Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

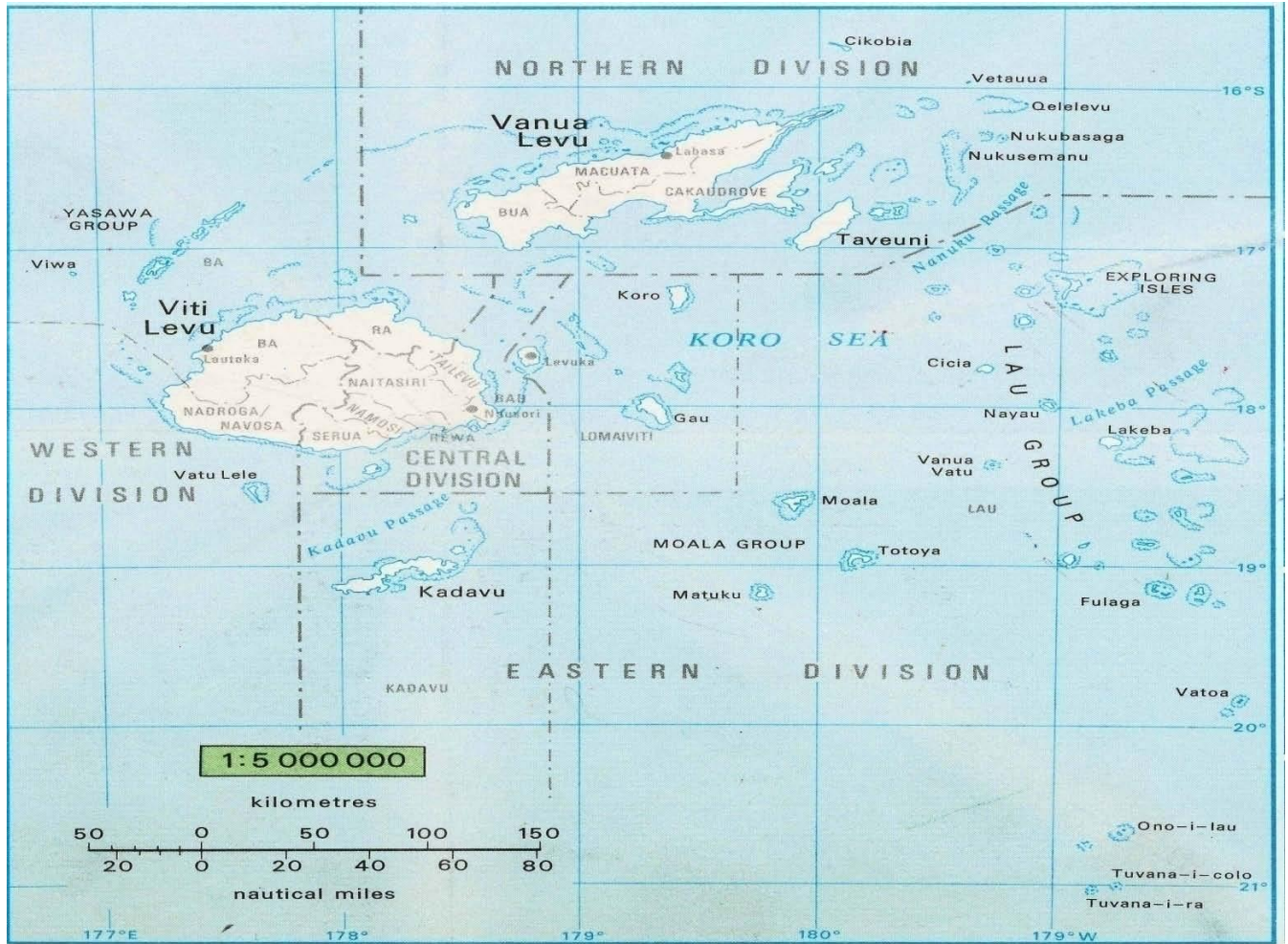
1 knot=1.85 kilometers per hour.

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 3rd August, 2020.



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