

**FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE**  
**7-Days Weather Outlook for Fiji**  
**Issued from NWFC Nadi on Thursday**  
**18<sup>TH</sup> February 2021.**

**WARNING/ALERTS:**

**Nil**

**SITUATION:**

An easterly wind flow prevails over the Fiji. A frontal system is expected to move to the south of the group by later Saturday (20/02/21) bringing trade showers over the eastern parts of the group. A trough of low pressure is anticipated to lie just to the north of the country by Sunday (21/02/21) and gradually drift south over the group by later Tuesday (23/02/21) bringing cloud and rain over most parts of the country.

**OUTLOOK**

**Western Division**

<b>DAY</b>	<b>WEATHER</b>	<b>WIND( Speed and Direction)</b>	<b>TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)</b>
<b>Thu (18/02)</b>	<b>Fine apart from isolated afternoon showers and possible thunderstorms.</b>	<b>Moderate easterly winds</b>	<b>31/24</b>
<b>Fri (19/02)</b>	<b>Fine apart from isolated afternoon showers and possible thunderstorms.</b>	<b>Moderate easterly winds</b>	<b>31/24</b>
<b>Sat (20/02)</b>	<b>Fine apart from isolated afternoon showers and possible thunderstorms.</b>	<b>Moderate easterly winds</b>	<b>31/23</b>
<b>Sun (21/02)</b>	<b>Fine apart from isolated afternoon showers and possible thunderstorms.</b>	<b>Moderate easterly winds</b>	<b>31/23</b>
<b>Mon (22/02)</b>	<b>Fine apart from isolated afternoon showers and possible thunderstorms.</b>	<b>Moderate easterly winds, fresh at times</b>	<b>31/24</b>
<b>Tues (23/02)</b>	<b>Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.</b>	<b>Moderate east to northeast winds, fresh at times</b>	<b>31/24</b>
<b>Wed (24/02)</b>	<b>Occasional showers and few thunderstorms. Showers possibly increasing to rain.</b>	<b>Moderate to fresh northeasterly winds</b>	<b>30/25</b>

## Eastern Division

<b>DAY</b>	<b>WEATHER</b>	<b>WIND( Speed and Direction)</b>	<b>TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)</b>
Thu (18/02)	Fine apart from brief showers.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Fri (19/02)	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Sat (20/02)	Cloudy periods with some showers.	Moderate easterly winds	31/23
Sun (21/02)	Occasional showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds	30/23
Mon (22/02)	Occasional showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds, gusty at times.	30/23
Tues (23/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	31/24
Wed (24/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh east northeast winds	30/25

## Northern Division

<b>DAY</b>	<b>WEATHER</b>	<b>WIND( Speed and Direction)</b>	<b>TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)</b>
Thu (18/02)	Fine apart from isolated afternoon or evening showers and thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	31/25
Fri (19/02)	Fine apart from isolated afternoon or evening showers and thunderstorms..	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Sat (20/02)	Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Sun (21/02)	Occasional showers over the eastern and interior parts. Fine apart from afternoon or evening showers and isolated thunderstorms elsewhere.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Mon (22/02)	Occasional showers and isolated afternoon or evening thunderstorms.	Moderate east to northeast winds	32/25
Tues (23/02)	Occasional showers and isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Showers expected to increase to rain.	Moderate northeasterly winds, fresh at times.	31/24
Wed (24/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh northeasterly winds	30/25

## Central Division

<b>DAY</b>	<b>WEATHER</b>	<b>WIND( Speed and Direction)</b>	<b>TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)</b>
Thu (18/02)	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate easterly winds	31/25
Fri (19/02)	Some showers. Isolated afternoon thunderstorms possible.	Moderate easterly winds	31/25
Sat (20/02)	Occasional showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Sun (21/02)	Occasional showers, heavy at times and afternoon or evening thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds	30/24
Mon (22/02)	Occasional showers, heavy at times and afternoon or evening thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds, gusty at times.	30/24
Tues (23/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms	Moderate to fresh easterly winds	30/25
Wed (24/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh east northeast winds	29/25

## Rotuma

<b>DAY</b>	<b>WEATHER</b>	<b>WIND( Speed and Direction)</b>	<b>TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)</b>
Thu (18/02)	Fine apart from brief showers	Northeast winds 10 to 15 knots. Moderate seas.	32/25
Fri (19/02)	Fine apart from brief showers	Northeast winds 10 to 15 knots. Moderate seas.	32/25
Sat (20/02)	Cloudy periods with some showers and isolated thunderstorms.	Northeasterly winds 10 to 15 knots. Moderate seas.	32/25
Sun (21/02)	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms.	Northerly winds 10 to 15 knots. Moderate seas.	31/25
Mon (22/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms.	Northerly winds 15 to 20 knots. Moderate to rough seas.	30/25
Tues (23/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms.	Northerly winds 20 to 25 knots. Rough seas.	30/25
Wed (24/02)	Occasional rain and few thunderstorms.	Northerly winds 20 to 25 knots. Rough seas.	32/25

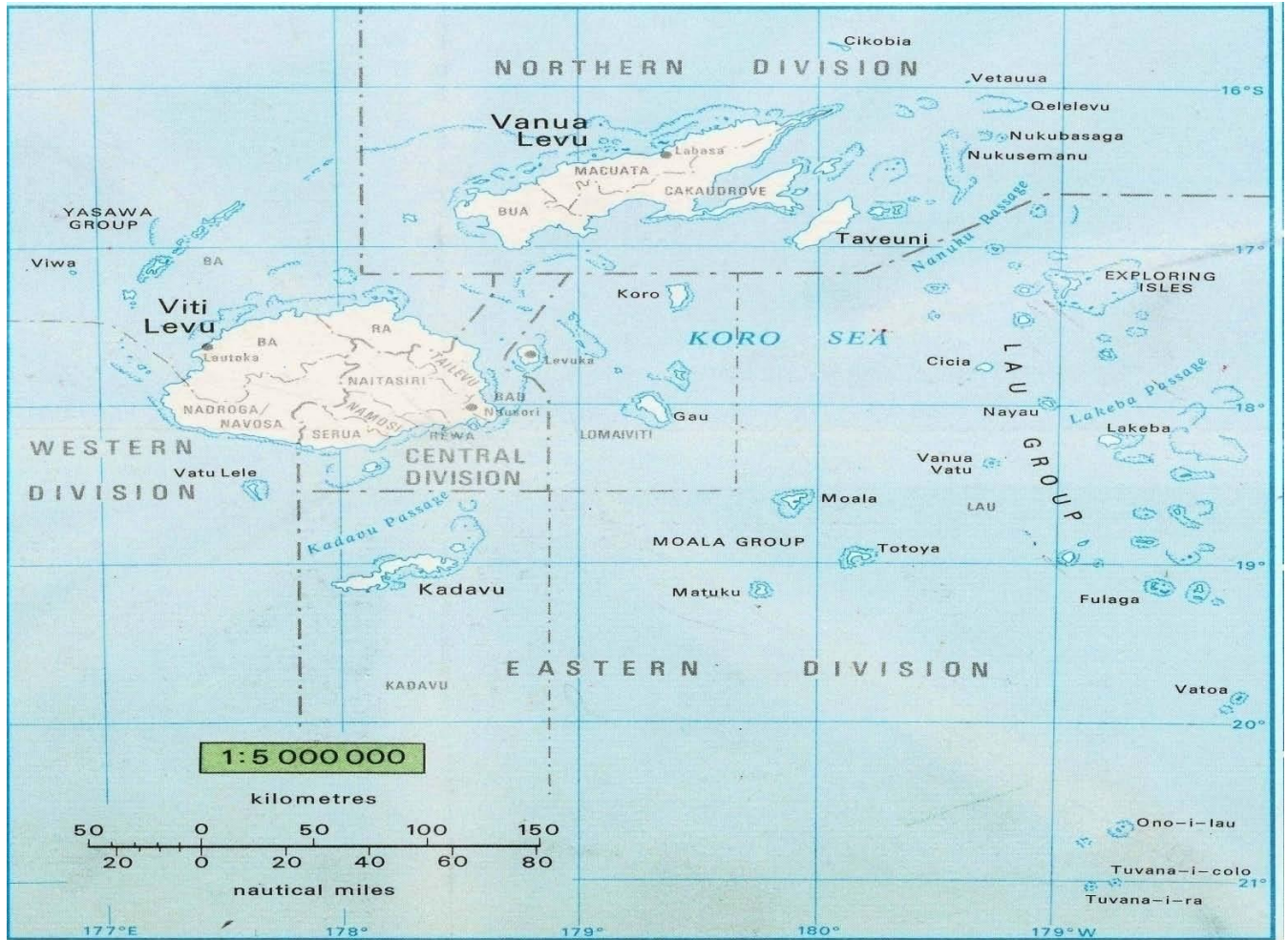
## Marine

<b>DAY</b>	<b>WIND( Direction/Speed( knots)</b>	<b>SEA STATE/SWELLS</b>	<b>VISIBILITY</b>
<b>Thu (18/02)</b>	<b>Easterly winds 10 to 15 knots.</b>	<b>Moderate seas.</b>	<b>Good</b>
<b>Fri (19/02)</b>	<b>Easterly winds 10 to 15 knots.</b>	<b>Moderate seas.</b>	<b>Good</b>
<b>Sat (20/02)</b>	<b>Easterly winds 10 to 15 knots.</b>	<b>Moderate seas.</b>	<b>Good/Fair</b>
<b>Sun (21/02)</b>	<b>East to southeast winds 20 to 25 knots over Southern Lau waters. Easterly winds 15 to 20 knots elsewhere.</b>	<b>Moderate seas.</b>	<b>Good/Fair</b>
<b>Mon (22/02)</b>	<b>East to southeast winds 20 to 25 knots over Southern Lau waters, Koro sea, Southwest Viti Levu waters and the passages. Easterly winds 15 to 20 knots elsewhere.</b>	<b>Moderate to rough seas.</b>	<b>Moderate/Poor</b>
<b>Tues (23/02)</b>	<b>East to northeast winds 15 to 20 knots.</b>	<b>Moderate to rough seas.</b>	<b>Moderate/Poor</b>
<b>Wed (24/02)</b>	<b>East to northeast winds 15 to 20 knots.</b>	<b>Moderate to rough seas.</b>	<b>Moderate/Poor</b>

**Note:** Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale. 1 knot=1.85 kilometres per hour.

<b>Winds</b>	<b>Swells</b>	<b>Visibility</b>
Light = 5-10 knots	Low Swells: 0-2 meters (0-6.5feet)	Greater than 10km: Good
Moderate = 11-16 knots	Moderate Swells: 2-4 meters (6.5-13 feet)	5 to 10 km: Fair/Moderate
Fresh = 17-21knots	Heavy Swells: Greater than 4 meters (> 13 feet)	Less than 5km : Poor
Strong = 22-27 knots		
Near Gale= 28-33 knots.		
Gale = 34-47 knots.		

**THE NEXT REVIEW WILL BE BY 10AM ON MONDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2021.**



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