FIJI METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

7 Day Weather Outlook for Fiji

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WARNING/ALERTS

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SITUATION

A southwest to southeast wind flow is expected to prevail over the group till Saturday (29/05) then becoming easterly to southeasterly till the end of the outlook period.

Meanwhile, a trough of low pressure is expected to approach Fiji from the north by Saturday. It is expected to affect the group till later Tuesday (01/06) before gradually moving eastwards away from group.

A high pressure system is expected to develop to the far southwest of Fiji and expected to generate and direct heavy to damaging heavy swells over the southern waters and coastal areas of the country from Monday (31/05).

OUTLOOK:

Western Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP
			MAX/MIN
			(CELCIUS)
Thu 27/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate south to southwesterly winds	29/18
Fri 28/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate southerly winds	29/18
Sat 29/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate southeasterly winds	30/19
Sun 30/05	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening showers and thunderstorms.	Moderate southeasterly winds	30/22
Mon 31/05	Cloudy periods with some showers and afternoon or evening thunderstorms.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds	30/22
Tue 01/06	Fine apart from isolated afternoon or evening showers and possible thunderstorms. Cool night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds	30/22
Wed 02/06	Fine apart from possible afternoon showers. Cool night.	Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds	30/22

Eastern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP
			MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thu 27/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate south to southwesterly winds	29/20
Fri 28/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate southerly winds	29/20
Sat 29/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate easterly winds	30/21
Sun 30/05	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly to northerly winds.	29/22
Mon 31/05	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms with isolated heavy falls.	Moderate easterly winds	29/21
Tue 01/06	Some showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate southeasterly winds	29/22
Wed 02/06	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate southeasterly winds, fresh at times	29/21

Northern Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP
			MAX/MIN
			(CELCIUS)
Thu	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate southerly	29/19
27/05		winds	
Fr	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate south to	30/19
28/05		southeast winds	
Sat 29/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate east to northerly winds	30/21
Sun 30/05	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds.	30/22
Mon	Some showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate southeast	30/22
31/05		winds	
Tue	Some showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate southeast	30/22
01/06		winds, fresh at times	
Wed	Cloudy periods with afternoon or evening	Moderate southeast	30/22
02/06	showers.	winds, fresh at times	

Central Division

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP MAX/MIN (CELCIUS)
Thu 27/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate south to southwesterly winds	28/20
Fri 28/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate southerly winds	29/20
Sat 29/05	Mainly fine. Cool night.	Moderate easterly winds	30/21
Sun 30/05	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly to northerly winds.	29/22
Mon 31/05	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms with isolated heavy falls.	Moderate easterly winds	29/21
Tue 01/06	Some showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate southeasterly winds	29/22
Wed 02/06	Cloudy periods with some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate southeasterly winds, fresh at times	29/21

Rotuma

DAY	WEATHER	WINDS	TEMP
			MAX/MIN
			(CELCIUS)
Thu 27/05	Occasional showers and few thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	30/22
Fr 28/05	Some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	30/23
Sat 29/05	Some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	31/23
Sun 30/05	Some showers and possible thunderstorms.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Mon 31/05	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Tue 01/06	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24
Wed 02/06	Cloudy periods with brief showers.	Moderate easterly winds	31/24

Marine:

DAY	WIND Direction/Speed (knots)	SEA/SWELL	VISIBILITY
Thu 27/05	Southerly winds 10 to 15 knots, gusting to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Heavy to damaging southerly swells over the southern waters and coastal areas. Elsewhere, moderate southerly swells	Good
Fri 28/05	Southerly winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southerly swells	Good
Sat 29/05	Northeast to southeast winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southerly swells	Good/fair
Sun 30/05	East to southeast winds 10 to 15 knots	Moderate seas. Moderate southerly swells	Fair/Poor
Mon 31/05	Southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Heavy to damaging southerly swells over the southern waters and coastal areas. Elsewhere, moderate southerly swells.	Fair/Poor
Tue 01/06	Southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Heavy to damaging southerly swells over the southern waters and coastal areas. Elsewhere, moderate southerly swells.	Fair/Poor
Wed 02/06	Southeast winds 15 to 20 knots	Moderate to rough seas. Heavy to damaging southerly swells over the southern waters and coastal areas. Elsewhere, moderate southerly swells.	Good/fair

Note: Wind strengths taken from Beaufort scale.

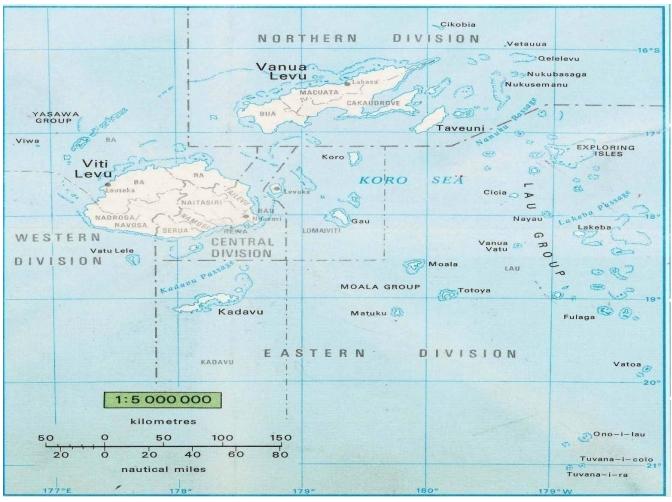
1 knot=1.85 kilometer per hour. Light = 5-10 knots; Moderate = 11-16knots; Fresh = 17-21knots. Strong = 22-27knots; Near Gale= 28-33knots; Gale = 34-47knots; Strom = 48-63knots.

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 31st MAY 2021.



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