

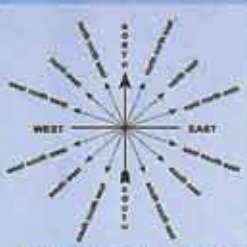


# Cyclone Tracking Map

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Use the compass rose to establish:

- The direction in which a cyclone lies from a town or place. For example Conway Reef is 536 kilometres (290 miles) south south west of Nadi.
- The direction in which the centre of a cyclone is moving. For example if the centre of a cyclone was located at Conway Reef and was travelling north it would pass to the left of Viti Levu but if it was travelling north east it would go straight over Viti Levu and Vanua Levu.

The distance between one latitude line (the horizontal lines) and the next is 60 nautical miles or 111 kilometres.

100 nautical miles = 115 statute or ordinary miles = 185 kilometres  
 100 knots = 115 miles per hour = 185 kilometres per hour



**Fiji's Cyclone Season is from November to April.**

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