



FIVE DAY WEATHER FORECAST

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SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE

Key: Warning level

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|-------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Likelihood | High | | 2 | 6 | 10 |
| | Medium | | 1 | 5 | 9 |
| | Low | | | 4 | 8 |
| | Very low | | | 3 | 7 |
| | | Minimal | Minor | Significant | Severe |
| Impact | | | | | |

Expect **localized heavy thunderstorms and rain** due to the Convergence of north easterlies and north westerly enhanced by Tropical storm FILIPO.

WINDS: Variable but **destructive in stormy** areas.

| REGION | WEATHER ELEMENT | 12 March | 13 March | 14 March | 15 March | 16 March |
|--|--|---|---|--|---|---|
| | | SHIRE VALLEY (areas along Shire River and around Lake Chiuta and Chilwa) | Weather  Scattered rain |  Scattered rain |  Scattered rain |  Isolated rains |
| | Maximum Temperature(°C) | 37 | 38 | 37 | 33 | 35 |
| | Minimum Temperature(°C) | 23 | 25 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| | Wind Speed (Km/h) | 13 | 11 | 09 | 14 | 08 |
| | Wind Direction | E | E | SE | SE | SE |
| | WARNING | POSSIBLE FLOODING(5) | POSSIBLE FLOODING(5) | | | |
| SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS (Shire highlands, Kirk Range up to Dedza) | Weather  Isolated heavy rain |  Scattered thunderstorms |  Scattered thunderstorms |  Isolated rains |  Localized rains | |
| | Maximum Temperature(°C) | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 28 |
| | Minimum Temperature(°C) | 20 | 21 | 20 | 22 | 20 |
| | Wind Speed (Km/h) | 18 | 19 | 20 | 15 | 08 |
| | Wind Direction | E | NE | NE | NE | E |
| | WARNING | FLASH FLOODS(4) | STRONGWINDS(3) | HEAVY RAINS(5) | | |



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| CENTRAL AREAS (Lilongwe, Mchinji, Ntchisi, Dowa, Kasungu and part of Mzimba District) | Weather | | | | | |
| | | Scattered heavy rain | Scattered rain | Scattered rain | Scattered rain | Scattered rain |
| | Maximum Temperature(°C) | 28 | 29 | 27 | 29 | 28 |
| | Minimum Temperature(°C) | 19 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 19 |
| | Wind Speed (Km/h) | 11 | 10 | 16 | 16 | 09 |
| | Wind Direction | NE | NE | E | E | E |
| WARNING | | | | | | |
| LAKESHORE AREAS (Mangochi, Salima, Nkhotakota, Nkhata Bay, Likoma, Karonga) | Weather | | | | | |
| | | Isolated rains | Isolated Thunderstorms | Isolated Thunderstorms | Localized Thunderstorms | Localized Thunderstorms |
| | Maximum Temperature(°C) | 32 | 33 | 31 | 32 | 30 |
| | Minimum Temperature(°C) | 24 | 22 | 21 | 22 | 22 |
| | Wind Speed (Km/h) | 17 | 13 | 15 | 32 | 36 |
| | Wind Direction | NW | SE | NW | NE | SE |
| WARNING | | | | | | |
| NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore) | Weather | | | | | |
| | | Isolated thunderstorms | Thunderstorms | Thunderstorms | Thunderstorms | Thunderstorms |
| | Maximum Temperature(°C) | 27 | 26 | 28 | 27 | 26 |
| | Minimum Temperature(°C) | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| | Wind Speed (Km/h) | 09 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 10 |
| | Wind Direction | E | E | E | SE | SE |
| WARNING | | FLASH FLOODS | FLASH FLOODS | | | |

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