



WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 01st JANUARY, 2025

SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Expect mostly cloudy conditions associated with scattered rain and thunderstorms which will be locally heavy to persist as unstable air mass continues influencing the weather.

ADVISORY: Flash floods may be triggered due to these anticipated localised heavy rain and thunderstorms. As such, let's continue avoiding crossing fast moving or flooded water and also seeking shelter under trees or weak infrastructures.

SHIRE VALLEY (areas along Shire River and around Lake Chiuta and Chilwa)

Expect warm and cloudy conditions with isolated rain and thunderstorms during tonight and tomorrow morning. Mostly hot coupled with localised rain and thunderstorms in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu Min.26°C and Max.36°C

SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS (Shire highlands, Kirk Range up to Dedza i.e. Ntcheu, Neno, Mwanza, Mulanje, Thyolo, Zomba, Chiradzulu, Phalombe and Blantyre)

Mostly cloudy conditions coupled with rain and thunderstorms which will be locally heavy expected during tonight and in the morning. Expect hot conditions coupled with localised heavy rain and thunderstorms later in the day.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre Min.19°C and Max.30°C

CENTRAL AREAS (Lilongwe, Mchinji, Ntchisi, Dowa, Kasungu and part of Mzimba District)

Expect mild and cloudy conditions associated with rain and thunderstorms during tonight and tomorrow morning. Generally cloudy and hot coupled with localised rain and thunderstorms in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe Min.19°C and Max.28°C

LAKESHORE AREAS (Mangochi, Salima, Nkhotakota, Nkhata Bay, Likoma, Karonga)

Warm weather conditions with locally heavy rain and thunderstorms to persist during tonight and tomorrow morning. Expect cloudy and hot conditions coupled with isolated thunderstorms and rain during the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi Min. 22°C and Max.32°C

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Mild weather conditions coupled with localised heavy rain and thunderstorms to continue tonight and in the morning. Expect cloudy and warm conditions with localised heavy rain and thunderstorms later in the day.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu Min. 17°C and Max.27°C

WINDS: Generally north easterlies...

FORECAST FOR THURSDAY: Cloudy conditions coupled with localized heavy rains to continue...

TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 01st JANUARY, 2025

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:23	18:13	12:50
LILONGWE	05:20	18:17	12:57
BLANTYRE	05:12	18:16	13:04

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