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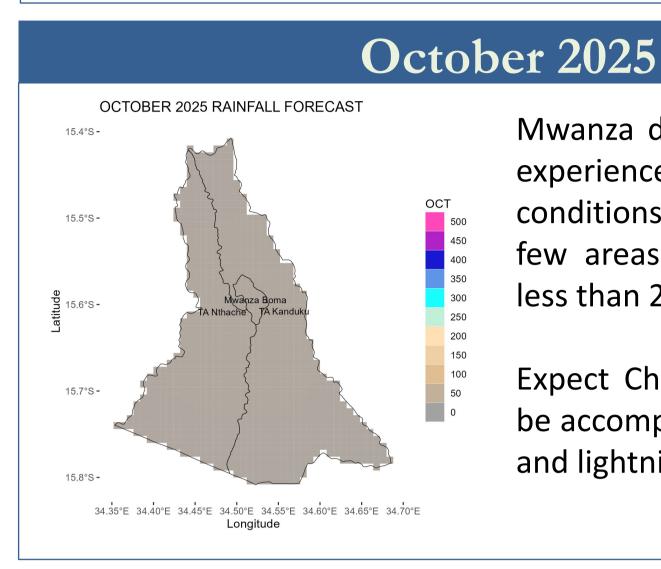
DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

MWANZA DISTRICT DOWNSCALED SEASONAL FORECAST, 2025-2026

Overview of 2025/2026 Rainfall Season

The 2025-2026 rainfall season is likely to be partly influenced by Neutral El Nino Southern Oscillation conditions in the tropical pacific ocean among other factors.

Mwanza District is expected to receive generally normal rainfall amounts during the 2025/2026 rainfall season.

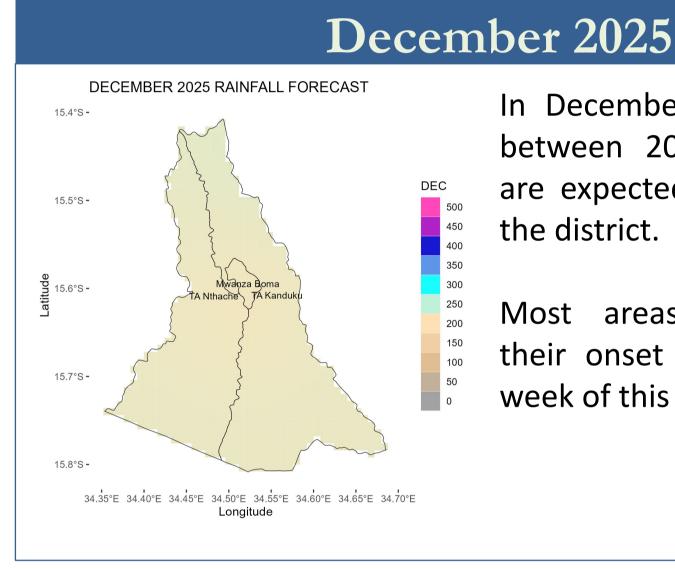


Mwanza district is expected to experience mostly dry conditions in October, with a few areas receiving rainfall of less than 20mm.

Expect Chizimalupsya rains to be accompanied by gusty winds and lightning.

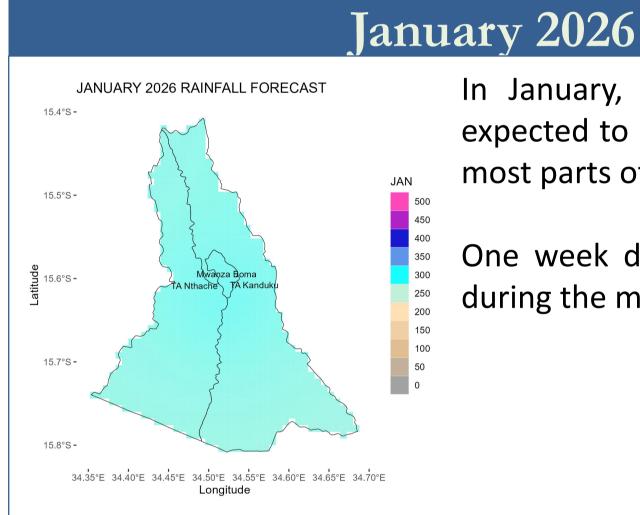
NOVEMBER 2025 RAINFALL FORECAST 15.5°S NOVEMBER 2025 RAINFALL FORECAST In November, ranging from accompanied by lightning are a areas. 15.5°S 34.35°E 34.40°E 34.45°E 34.50°E 34.50°E 34.60°E 34.65°E 34.70°E Longitude

In November, Rainfall amounts ranging from 50 to 100 mm accompanied by strong winds and lightning are anticipated in most areas.



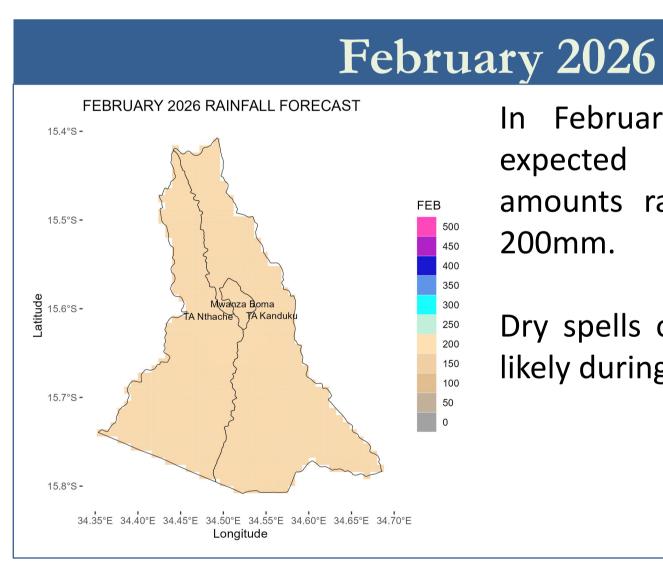
In December, rainfall amounts between 200mm and 250mm are expected, in most parts of the district.

Most areas may experience their onset during the second week of this month.



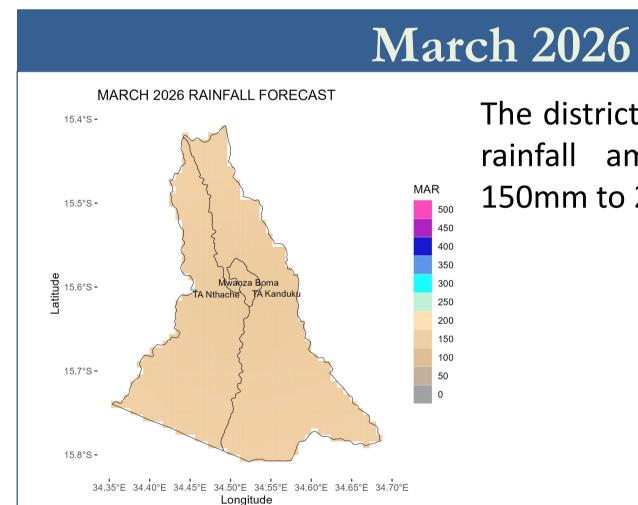
In January, rainfall amounts are expected to be 300mm or more in most parts of the district.

One week dry spells are likely to during the month.

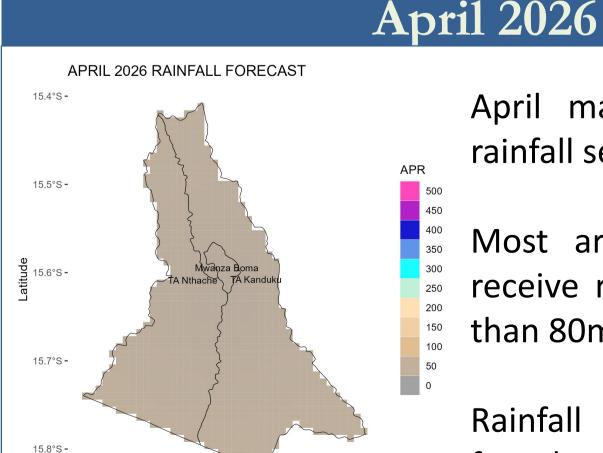


In February, most areas are expected to receive rainfall amounts ranging from 150 to 200mm.

Dry spells of about a week are likely during the month.



The district is expected to receive rainfall amounts ranging from 150mm to 200mm.



April marks the end of the rainfall season in the district.

Most areas are expected to receive rainfall amount of less than 80mm during this month.

Rainfall cessation is expected from last week of April.



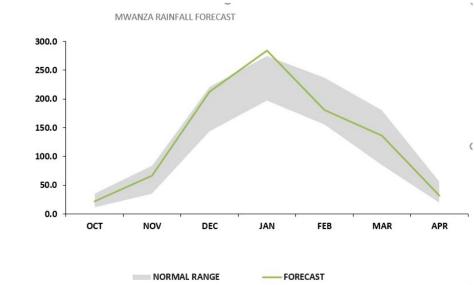
- Cessation is expected last week of April.

 The expected to open from 420 to 420.
- The season is expected to span from 120 to 130 days.
- Likelihood of dry spells of about a week in January and February.

The table and figure below show monthly rainfall distribution for the season with a normal band in grey.

MWANZA RAINFALL FORECAST

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MONTH	NORMAL RANGE		FORECAST
OCT	10.9	36.2	22.2
NOV	34.5	84.9	67.1
DEC	143.4	221.4	213.0
JAN	196.9	275.7	284.3
FEB	154.8	237.4	181.4
MAR	84.8	181.3	136.1
APR	19.0	56.9	31.9



The forecast will be updated in December 2025 For further information contact: The Director of Climate

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