



**MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHANGE**  
**DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES**



**FIVE DAY WEATHER FORECAST**

Issued on 20<sup>th</sup> October 2025; Valid until 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2025

**Key:** Warning level

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

**Expect windy and partly cloudy conditions with a significant drop in daytime temperatures with a chance of isolated thunderstorms due to South easterly air mass.**

**Rough conditions are expected over Lake Malawi and other water bodies due to Mwera winds.**

**In addition, a tropical storm, CHENGE has formed in the Southwest Indian Ocean, with an approximately 30% likelihood of entering into the Mozambique Channel towards the end of the week.** The department is closely tracking its trajectory and evolution. Should this storm present any threat to Malawi, the public will be promptly notified.

REGION	WEATHER ELEMENT					
		21 <sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER	22 <sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER	23 <sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER	24 <sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER	25 <sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER
<b>SHIRE VALLEY</b> (areas along Shire River and around Lake Chiuta and Chilwa)	Weather					
	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Partly cloudy	Sunny	Sunny
	Maximum Temperature( °C)	35	34	32	34	37
	Minimum Temperature( °C)	23	22	21	19	21
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	24	24	22	21	18
	Wind Direction	SE	SE	SE	SE	SE
<b>SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS</b> (Shire highlands, Kirk Range up to Dedza)	WARNING	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>
	Weather					
	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Partly cloudy	Sunny	Sunny
	Maximum Temperature( °C)	28	28	28	29	31
	Minimum Temperature( °C)	16	17	16	15	17
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	25	24	18	14	19
	Wind Direction	SE	SE	SE	SE	NE



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	WARNING	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY
<b>CENTRAL AREAS</b> (Lilongwe, Mchinji, Ntchisi, Dowa, Kasungu and part of Mzimba District)	Weather					
	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny
	Maximum Temperature( °C)	30	32	31	31	32
	Minimum Temperature( °C)	17	18	17	16	17
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	19	22	17	14	20
	Wind Direction	NE	SE	SE	NE	NE
	WARNING	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY
	Weather					
	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny
	Maximum Temperature( °C)	32	32	32	33	35
<b>LAKESHORE AREAS</b> (Mangochi, Salima, Nkhotakota, Nkhata Bay, Likoma, Karonga)	Minimum Temperature( °C)	21	22	21	19	21
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	23	21	21	17	18
	Wind Direction	SE	SE	SE	SE	NE
	WARNING	MWERA	MWERA	MWERA	MWERA	MWERA
	Weather					
	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Partly cloudy	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms
	Maximum Temperature( °C)	30	29	28	27	29
	Minimum Temperature( °C)	15	16	17	18	17
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	21	21	22	21	21
	Wind Direction	SE	SE	SE	NE	E
<b>NORTHERN AREAS</b> (all areas in the north except lakeshore)	WARNING	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY
	Weather					
	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms	Partly cloudy	Isolated Thunderstorms	Isolated Thunderstorms
	Maximum Temperature( °C)	30	29	28	27	29
	Minimum Temperature( °C)	15	16	17	18	17
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	21	21	22	21	21
	Wind Direction	SE	SE	SE	NE	E
	WARNING	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY	WINDY

**Next to be issued on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2025. For further information, please contact:** The Director, Department of Climate Change and Meteorological Services, Ministry of Natural Resources and Climate Change, P. O. Box 1808, Blantyre, Malawi. Tel: (265) 995 155 050; Email: [metmalawi.gov.mw](http://metmalawi.gov.mw), Website: [www.metmalawi.gov.mw](http://www.metmalawi.gov.mw)