



**NIGERIAN METEOROLOGICAL AGENCY**

**Central Forecast Office (CFO)**

**WEATHER OUTLOOK ISSUED ON 21.01.2025 AND**

**VALID 00:00 22.01.2025 TO 23:59 24.01.2025**

**FORECAST OUTLOOK:**

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup>:** Sunny skies in hazy atmosphere are expected over the Northern region of the country throughout the forecast period. Hazy skies with patches of cloud are expected over the North Central and Inland cities of the South with prospects of afternoon/evening thunderstorms over parts of Osun, Ondo, Edo and Ogun states. In the Coastal region of the South, cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are anticipated with prospects of morning thunderstorms over parts of Lagos, Akwa Ibom and Cross River states. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Delta, Cross Rivers, Akwa Ibom and Bayelsa states.

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup>:** Slight dust haze is anticipated over the Northern region of the country throughout the forecast period. Hazy skies with patches of cloud are expected over the North Central and Inland cities of the South with prospects of afternoon/evening thunderstorms over parts of Ogun, Ondo, Ekiti, Edo and Osun states. In the Coastal region of the South, cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are anticipated with prospects of morning thunderstorms over parts of Cross River states. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Lagos, Delta, Rivers, Cross Rivers, Akwa Ibom and Bayelsa states.

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup>:** Moderate dust haze with horizontal visibility of 2-5km is anticipated over the Northern region of the country throughout the forecast period. Slight dust haze is anticipated over the North Central region of the country throughout the forecast period. Hazy skies with patches of cloud are expected over the Inland states of the South throughout the forecast period. In the Coastal region of the South, cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are anticipated over the region in the morning hours. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Rivers, Delta, Cross Rivers, Akwa Ibom and Bayelsa states.

**Advisory:**

- i. Dust particles are in suspension, public should take necessary precaution.
- ii. People with Asthmatic health condition and other respiratory issues should be cautious of the present weather condition.
- iii. Strong winds may precede the rains in areas where thunderstorms are likely to occur, public should take adequate precaution.
- iv. Adhere to safety advisories issued by relevant authorities.
- v. Airline operators are advised to get airport-specific weather reports (flight documentation) from NiMet for effective planning in their operations.
- vi. Residents are advised to stay informed through weather updates from NiMet. Visit our website [www.nimet.gov.ng](http://www.nimet.gov.ng)