



NIGERIAN METEOROLOGICAL AGENCY

Central Forecast Office (CFO)

WEATHER OUTLOOK ISSUED ON 15.04.2025 AND

VALID 00:00 16.04.2025 TO 23:59 18.04.2025

FORECAST OUTLOOK:

Wednesday 16th: Thunderstorms are expected over parts of Kebbi and Kaduna states in the morning hours while other places are expected to be sunny with patches of clouds. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Kebbi, Kaduna, Bauchi and Taraba states. Thunderstorms are expected over parts of Niger, Plateau, Nasarawa and the Federal Capital Territory in the morning hours. There are prospects of isolated thunderstorms over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Benue, Nasarawa, Plateau, Kwara and Kogi states during the afternoon/evening hours. In the South, there are chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of Lagos, Ogun, Ondo, Delta, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states. Later in the day, isolated thunderstorms are expected over parts of Imo, Abia, Anambra, Ekiti, Osun, Ogun, Ondo, Edo, Delta, Lagos, Cross River, Akwa Ibom, Rivers and Bayelsa states.

Thursday 17th: Sunny skies are expected across the Northern region with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of Kaduna and Taraba states. Sunny skies with patches of clouds are anticipated over the North Central region during the morning hours. In the afternoon/evening hours, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Kwara, Kogi, Niger, Plateau, Nasarawa and the Federal Capital Territory. In the South, cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are anticipated with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of Edo, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states. In the afternoon/evening hours, isolated thunderstorms are expected over parts of Ogun, Osun, Oyo, Ondo, Abia, Imo, Anambra, Edo, Rivers, Cross River, Bayelsa, Akwa Ibom and Delta states.

Friday 18th: Sunny skies with patches of clouds are expected across the Northern region throughout the forecast period. Cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are anticipated over the North Central region in the morning hours. Later in the day, isolated thunderstorms are expected over parts of the Federal Capital

Territory, Kogi, Kwara, Benue, Niger, Plateau and Nasarawa states. In the South, cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are anticipated with chances of isolated thunderstorms over parts of Delta, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states during the morning hours. Later in the day, isolated thunderstorms are expected over parts of Oyo, Ogun, Ekiti, Ebonyi, Anambra, Ondo, Abia, Imo, Enugu, Edo, Bayelsa, Cross River, Lagos, Akwa Ibom, Delta and Rivers states.

Advisory:

- i. Temperatures are high over most parts of the country, putting people at risk of heat stress; people should stay in well-ventilated and cool spaces.
- ii. Drink plenty water to stay hydrated.
- iii. Get vaccinated against meningitis, practice good hygiene by washing hands regularly, avoid overcrowding in small spaces, use a nose mask to reduce chances of infection and avoid close contact with those affected.
- iv. Avoid peak sun hours (12pm – 3pm) and protect yourselves from undue exposure to direct sunlight.
- v. Strong winds may precede the rains in areas where thunderstorms are likely to occur, public should take adequate precaution.
- vi. Airline operators are advised to get airport-specific weather reports (flight documentation) from NiMet for effective planning in their operations.
- vii. Residents are advised to stay informed through weather updates from NiMet. Visit our website www.nimet.gov.ng