

## **Weather Outlook**

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Day 1: Thursday 14<sup>h</sup> August, 2025

### **Northern Region:**

There are prospects of morning thunderstorms with moderate rains over parts of Borno, Kebbi, Gombe, Bauchi, Yobe, Jigawa, Zamfara, Katsina, Kaduna, Kano, Sokoto and Taraba states. Later during the afternoon to evening hours, thunderstorms with moderate rains are expected over parts of Katsina, Zamfara, Sokoto, Kebbi, Yobe, Gombe, Bauchi, Borno, Kaduna, Kano, Jigawa, Taraba and Adamawa states. There is high possibility of flood occurring over parts of Zamfara, Sokoto, Gombe, Bauchi, Jigawa, Kano, Katsina and Taraba state during the forecast period.

#### **Central Region:**

There are prospects of thunderstorms with intermittent rains over parts of Plateau, Nasarawa, Benue, Kogi, the Federal Capital Territory and Niger states during the morning period. In the afternoon/evening hours, thunderstorms with moderate rains are anticipated over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Plateau, Niger, Nasarawa, Benue, Kwara and Kogi States. There is high possibility of flood occurring over parts of Nasarawa and Benue state during the forecast period.

## **Southern Region:**

Cloudy skies are expected over the region with prospects of light rains over parts of Rivers, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states during the morning period. Later in the afternoon/evening period, moderate rains are expected over parts of Oyo, Osun, Edo, Ondo, Cross River, Akwa Ibom and Bayelsa States. There is high possibility of flood occurring over parts of Cross River state during the forecast period.

Day 2: Friday 15th August, 2025

## **Northern Region:**

Morning thunderstorms with moderate rains are anticipated over parts of Bauchi, Gombe, Kano, Taraba, Yobe, Borno, Kaduna, Katsina, Jigawa, Sokoto and Zamfara states. Thunderstorms with moderate rains are expected over most part of the region during the afternoon/evening hours. There is high possibility of flood occurring over parts of Zamfara, Katsina, Kano and Bauchi state during the forecast period.

### **Central Region:**

There are prospects of thunderstorms with moderate rains over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Niger, Nasarawa, Plateau, Benue, Kwara and Kogi states during the morning period. In the afternoon/evening hours, thunderstorms with light rains are anticipated over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Niger, Benue, Nasarawa, Plateau, Kogi and Kwara State. There is high possibility of flood occurring over parts of Benue, Niger, Kogi and the Federal Capital Territory during the forecast period.

## **Southern Region:**

Cloudy skies are expected over the region with prospects of light rains to affect parts of Oyo, Ogun, Enugu, Anambra, Abia, Imo, Ondo, Akwa Ibom, Rivers, Cross River and Lagos states during the morning period. Later in the afternoon/evening period, the rains are expected to continue over part of Imo, Anambra, Ebonyi, Enugu, Oyo, Ogun, Osun, Ondo, Lagos, Edo, Delta, Rivers, Cross Rivers and Bayelsa State.

# Day 3: Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2025

## **Northern Region:**

Morning thunderstorms with moderate rains are anticipated over parts of Katsina, Kebbi, Kaduna, Borno, Jigawa, Yobe, Taraba and Sokoto states. Thunderstorms with moderate rains are expected over parts of Katsina, Kebbi, Kaduna, Borno, Bauchi, Yobe, Taraba and Sokoto state during the afternoon/evening hours. There is high possibility of flood occurring over parts of Kebbi, Sokoto and Zamfara state during the forecast period.

## **Central Region:**

Light rains are anticipated over parts of Niger, Nasarawa, Plateau and the Federal Capital Territory state during the morning hours. In the afternoon/evening hours, thunderstorms with moderate rains are anticipated over the entire region.

## **Southern Region:**

Light rains are expected over parts of Ondo, Osun, Ebonyi and Cross River states in the morning period.

The rains are expected to continue over parts of Ondo, Osun, Ogun, Edo, Oyo, Ekiti, Ebonyi and Rivers state during the afternoon/evening period.

# Advisory

- i. Driving under heavy rain should be avoided.
- ii. The states with possibility of Flash Flood should activate emergency response system, immediately.
- iii. To avoid leaching of nutrients, farmers should refrain from applying fertilizer and pesticides right before the rains.
- iv. Ensure warm clothing for the vulnerable persons due to low night-time temperatures.
- v. Ensure that loose objects are fastened to avoid collision.
- vi. Disconnect electrical appliances from electrical sockets.
- v. Stay away from tall trees to avoid impact from falling branches and broken trees.
- 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 <a href="https://www.nimet.gov.ng">www.nimet.gov.ng</a>