



Weather Outlook

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Day 1: Saturday 16th August, 2025

Northern Region:

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

Central Region:

*There are prospects of light intermittent rains over parts of Plateau, Nasarawa, Benue, Kogi, the Federal Capital Territory, Kwara and Niger states during the forecast period. **There is high possibility of flood occurring over parts of Niger state during the forecast period.***

Southern Region:

Cloudy skies are expected over the region with prospects of light rains in parts of Anambra, Imo, Abia, Ondo, Ogun, Edo, Oyo, Lagos, Cross River, Rivers and Akwa Ibom states during the morning period. Later in the day, moderate rains are expected over parts of Oyo, Osun, Edo, Ondo, Ogun, Ekiti, Abia, Imo, Delta, Ebonyi, Rivers, Lagos, Bayelsa, Akwa Ibom, Cross River and Lagos states.

Day 2: Sunday 17th August, 2025

Northern Region:

Moderate rains are anticipated over parts of Bauchi, Borno, Adamawa, Gombe, Taraba and Kaduna states during the morning hours. Thunderstorms with moderate rains are expected over parts of Kebbi, Yobe, Adamawa, Katsina, Bauchi, Taraba, Gombe and Kaduna states during the afternoon/evening hours.

Central Region:

There are prospects of Light rains in parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Niger, Nasarawa, Plateau, Benue, Kwara and Kogi states during the morning period. In the afternoon/evening hours, intermittent light rains are anticipated in parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Nasarawa, Niger, Plateau and Kogi states.

Southern Region:

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

Day 3: Monday 18th August, 2025

Northern Region:

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

Central Region:

*Light rains are anticipated in parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Nasarawa, Plateau, Kogi, Benue and Niger states during the morning hours. In the afternoon/evening hours, moderate rains are anticipated in parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Niger, Kogi, Plateau and Kwara states. **There is high possibility of flood occurring in parts of Kogi and Nasarawa states during the forecast period.***

Southern Region:

Light rains are expected over parts of Ondo, Osun, Cross River and Lagos states in the morning period. The rains are expected to continue in parts of Ondo, Osun, Ogun, Edo, Delta, Ebonyi, Cross River, Lagos, Akwa Ibom 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 www.nimet.gov.ng