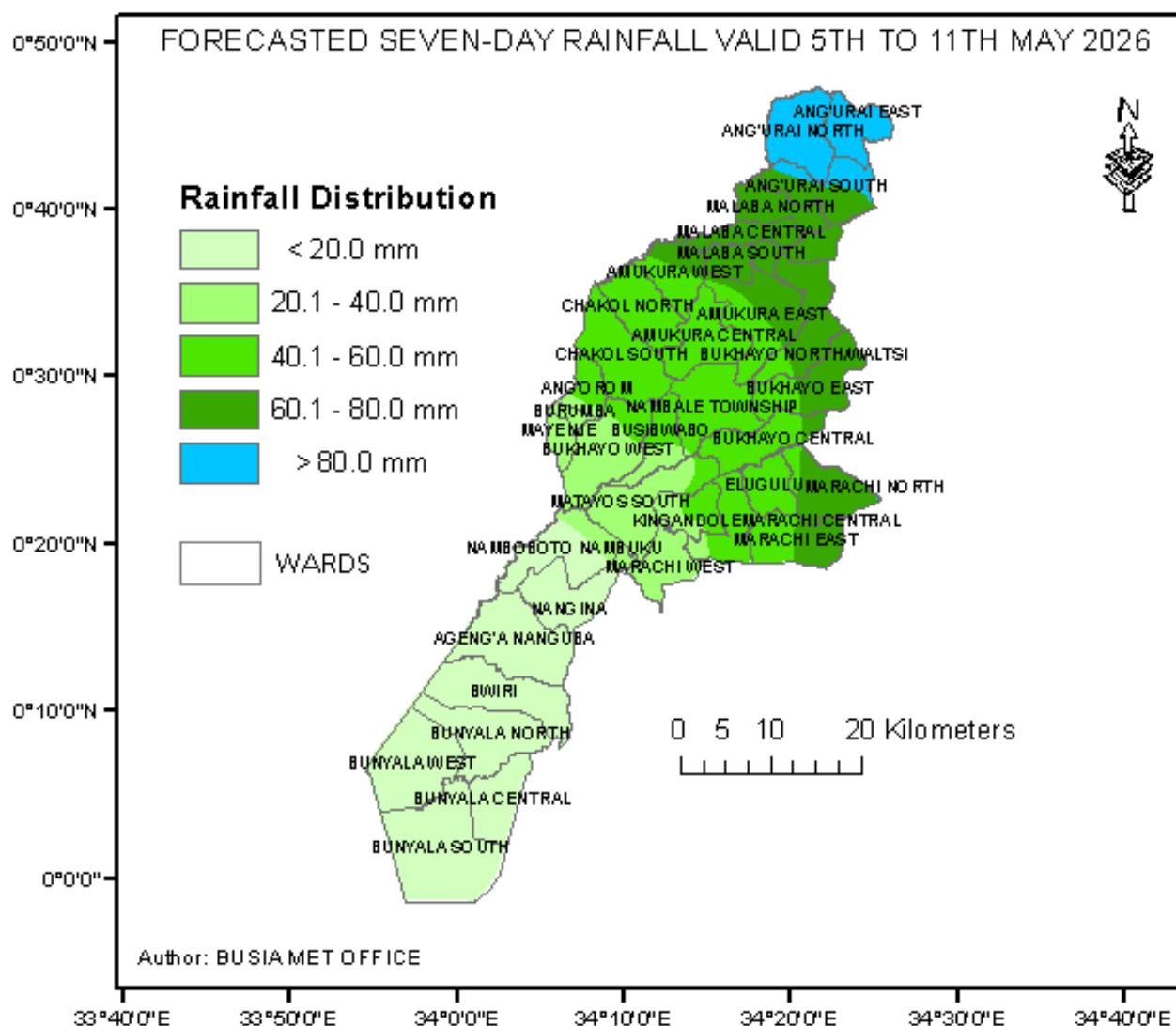




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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND FORESTRY KENYA METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT

BUSIA COUNTY WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST



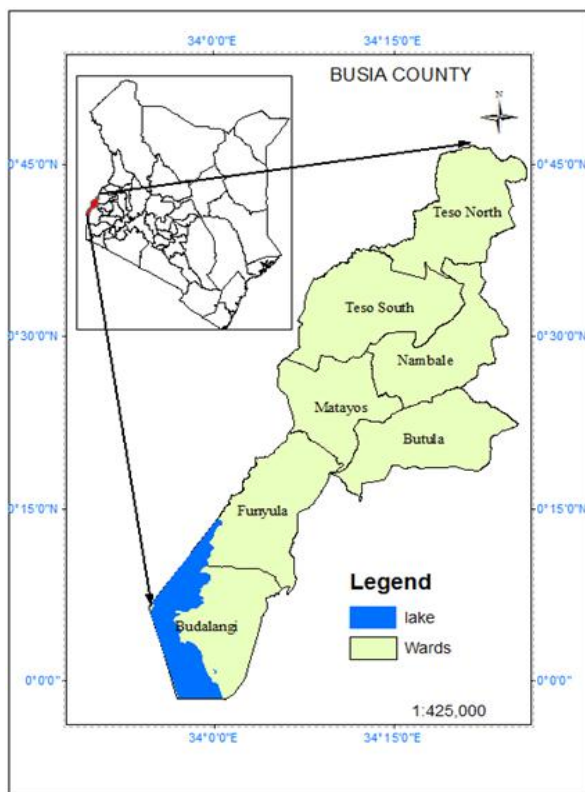
Period of forecast: Tuesday 5th May 2026 to Monday 11th May 2026

Date of issue: Monday 4th May 2026

Summary

Sunny intervals are expected in the mornings though rains may occur over few places. Afternoon and night showers, lightning, occasional strong wind and hailstones are expected over few places occasionally spreading to several places.

Maximum temperatures will range from 24°C to 28°C, with the last three days of the forecast period expected to be cooler. Minimum temperatures will range from 17°C to 18°C. Expect almost same night time temperatures as last week.



Forecast zones in Busia County for the week ahead

Zone 1: Nambale, Butula, Busia, Teso South and Teso North sub-counties (higher rainfall)

Zone 2: Bunyala and Samia sub-counties (lower rainfall)

Zone 1: Nambale, Butula, Busia, Teso South and Teso North (higher rainfall)

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Morning (Sunrise to Noon)	 Sunny intervals	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Sunny intervals	 Sunny intervals	 Sunny intervals	 Sunny intervals	 Light rain (< 5mm)
Afternoon (Noon to Sunset)	 Moderate rain (5-20mm)	 Moderate rain (5-20mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Moderate rain (5-20mm)	 Heavy rain (20-50mm)	 Moderate rain (5-20mm)
Night (Sunset to Sunrise)	 Partly cloudy	 Partly cloudy	 Partly cloudy	 Partly cloudy	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)
distribution of rainfall	 Several Places	 Several Places	 Few Places	 Few Places	 Several Places	 Few Places	 Several Places
Maximum temperature	 27C	 27C	 28C	 27C	 25C	 25C	 25C
Minimum temperature	 17C	 17C	 18C	 18C	 17C	 17C	 18C

Hazards							
	Thunderstorm	Thunderstorm	Thunderstorm	Thunderstorm	Thunderstorm	Thunderstorm	Thunderstorm

Zone 2: Bunyala, Samia (lower rainfall)

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Morning (Sunrise to Noon)	 Sunny intervals	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Sunny intervals	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)
Afternoon (Noon to Sunset)	 Moderate rain (5-20mm)	 Moderate rain (5-20mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Sunny intervals	 Sunny intervals	 Moderate rain (5-20mm)
Night (Sunset to Sunrise)	 Partly cloudy	 Partly cloudy	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Partly cloudy	 Partly cloudy	 Light rain (< 5mm)	 Partly cloudy
distribution of rainfall	 Several Places	 Several Places	 Few Places	 Several Places	 Few Places	 Few Places	 Several Places
Maximum temperature	 26C	 26C	 27C	 26C	 25C	 24C	 25C
Minimum temperature	 18C	 18C	 18C	 18C	 18C	 17C	 18C
Hazards	 Thunderstorm	 Thunderstorm	 Thunderstorm	 Thunderstorm	 Thunderstorm	 Thunderstorm	 Thunderstorm

Key to rainfall space distribution symbols:  No rainfall expected (less than 1% probability),  rain is likely to fall in a **few places** (1-33%),  rain is likely to fall in **many places** (33-67%),  rain is likely to fall in **most places** (more than 67%).

Commentary of County Weather Forecaster:

- The northern half of Busia County is expected to receive more rainfall than the southern half. Residents living in uplands in Samia and Bunyala sub counties: mulch your crops to retain soil moisture.
- Water levels in River Nzoia will remain relatively high during the week. Continue to monitor the water levels in river Nzoia, Sio, Malakisi and Malaba and their tributaries. The upstream of these rivers is expected to receive high rainfall amounts that may trigger flooding during the week.
- Seek shelter in the middle of a building when it rains to stay safe from lightning strikes, strong wind and hailstones.


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