

# 26/10/2023 - E +12 SITREPS

As at 2.44pm on 26/10/2023 prepared by Crispian [REDACTED] approved by Anusha Guler

<b>Distributed to</b>	All GEDT/ELT members
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<b>Previous ELT SITREP</b>	<a href="#">E+10 SITREPS 7 24102023 - FINAL.docx</a>
<b>Overview</b>	<p><b>Summary of the current event</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Post election process</li> </ul>
<b>Voting Services</b>	<p><b>GENERAL UPDATE</b></p> <p><b>Overseas Operations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No issues to report.</li> <li>Processing continues, validation / qualification approximately 85% complete.</li> <li>One scrutineer today.</li> </ul> <p><b>Auckland North Region</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No issues to report.</li> <li>The election tracker is progressing well, the focus is on a couple of electorates.</li> <li>Still awaiting enrolment to complete SVDs before we start our next process. Enrolment will complete SVDs by Saturday.</li> </ul> <p><b>Auckland South Region</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No issues to report.</li> <li>Seeking assistance from L&amp;P for processing dual votes for Tāmaki Makaurau (118) and Mangere (274).</li> </ul> <p><b>Central North Island Region</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No issues to report.</li> <li>East Coast is back on track and there is a good team here supporting that work.</li> </ul> <p><b>Lower North Island Region</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No issues to report.</li> </ul> <p><b>South Island Region</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No issues to report.</li> <li>75% of electorates will start SVs by tomorrow</li> <li>There are high levels of dual votes.</li> </ul> <p><b>Voting Services:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Request for a post-election debrief from Remutaka MP's office – Legal has advised that they will be undertaking candidate survey and debrief with party secretaries, after the release of the official results. Advised staff to advise any candidate requesting a debrief to provide feedback through the party secretaries.</li> <li>Official count progress is included at the end of the SITREP.</li> </ul>
<b>Enrolment</b>	<p><b>GENERAL UPDATE:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enrolment form processing is complete, and the team has moved onto Special Vote Declarations (SVDs).</li> <li>As at midday today, there were 131,503 SVD forms in the enrolment queue for processing. 11,413 have been processed and await the second check.</li> <li>As at midday we have not received any SVDs from electorates 46 (Southland), 59 (Waitaki) and 66 (Hauraki-Waikato).</li> <li>Note that individual forms are returned to Electorate HQ as they are completed. We process a form from the SVD queue (from the batch sent through to us), it then goes into the "second check" queue. Once the second check is completed the form is immediately returned to VS.</li> <li>Some SVD forms within a batch may be processed slightly differently, as they require a manual qualification</li> </ul>

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Data & Insights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enrolment Stats are provided at the end of the SITREP. A comparison of GE 2023 with GE2020 and GE 2017 enrolment figures.</li> <li>Youth Māori elector count rose 27.1% from the start of the campaign in both 2020 and 2023. However, in 2023, far more of these came in from the start of advance voting (21.7% compared to 14.3%), with quite a few coming in late in the voting period. There is a definite pattern of enrolments coming in later and later, likely as an expectation of data and online things being instant in most part of everyday lives for electors (particularly youth).</li> </ul> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th colspan="3">Māori (Both Rolls) Youth</th> <th></th> <th colspan="3">Māori (Both Rolls) All Ages</th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>2023</th> <th>2020</th> <th>2017</th> <th></th> <th>2023</th> <th>2020</th> <th>2017</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Election Day</td> <td style="background-color: #c6e0b4;">13.1%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">5.5%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">4.2%</td> <td>Election Day</td> <td style="background-color: #c6e0b4;">6.5%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">3.3%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">2.4%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Advance Voting</td> <td style="background-color: #c6e0b4;">21.7%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">14.3%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">10.7%</td> <td>Advance Voting</td> <td style="background-color: #c6e0b4;">9.9%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">8.4%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">6.0%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Campaign</td> <td style="background-color: #c6e0b4;">27.1%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">27.1%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">14.8%</td> <td>Campaign</td> <td style="background-color: #c6e0b4;">12.0%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">13.7%</td> <td style="background-color: #d9ead3;">7.4%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Māori (Both Rolls) Youth				Māori (Both Rolls) All Ages				2023	2020	2017		2023	2020	2017	Election Day	13.1%	5.5%	4.2%	Election Day	6.5%	3.3%	2.4%	Advance Voting	21.7%	14.3%	10.7%	Advance Voting	9.9%	8.4%	6.0%	Campaign	27.1%	27.1%	14.8%	Campaign	12.0%	13.7%	7.4%
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### Official Count progress – Electorate Status as of 11:50am

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1	AN	Auckland Central	100.0%	93.4%	100.0%	100.0%
2	SI	Banks Peninsula	100.0%	98.7%	100.0%	99.0%
3	CNI	Bay of Plenty	100.0%	99.6%	100.0%	100.0%
4	AS	Botany	100.0%	99.3%	100.0%	100.0%
5	SI	Christchurch Central	100.0%	98.5%	100.0%	100.0%
6	SI	Christchurch East	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%
7	CNI	Coromandel	100.0%	98.2%	100.0%	100.0%
8	SI	Dunedin	100.0%	97.7%	100.0%	100.0%
9	CNI	East Coast	100.0%	61.6%	100.0%	100.0%
10	AN	East Coast Bays	100.0%	98.7%	100.0%	100.0%

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11	AS	Epsom	100.0%	98.4%	100.0%	100.0%
12	CNI	Hamilton East	100.0%	97.9%	100.0%	100.0%
13	CNI	Hamilton West	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	97.0%
14	LNI	Hutt South	100.0%	98.1%	100.0%	96.0%
15	SI	Ilam	100.0%	99.2%	100.0%	100.0%
16	SI	Invercargill	100.0%	98.1%	100.0%	100.0%
17	SI	Kaikōura	100.0%	99.1%	100.0%	100.0%
18	AN	Kaipara ki Maharangi	100.0%	95.3%	100.0%	100.0%
19	AN	Kelston	100.0%	75.9%	97.0%	98.0%
20	LNI	Mana	100.0%	93.6%	97.0%	98.0%
21	AS	Māngere	100.0%	85.0%	100.0%	100.0%
22	AS	Manurewa	100.0%	96.4%	100.0%	100.0%
23	AS	Maungakiekie	100.0%	97.2%	100.0%	100.0%
24	AN	Mt Albert	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%
25	AS	Mt Roskill	99.3%	97.4%	100.0%	100.0%
26	CNI	Napier	100.0%	99.2%	100.0%	100.0%
27	SI	Nelson	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	100.0%
28	AN	New Lynn	100.0%	98.4%	100.0%	100.0%
29	LNI	New Plymouth	100.0%	102.2%	100.0%	100.0%
30	AN	North Shore	100.0%	98.9%	100.0%	100.0%
31	AN	Northcote	100.0%	98.1%	100.0%	98.0%
32	AN	Northland	100.0%	98.6%	100.0%	100.0%
33	LNI	Ōhāriu	100.0%	100.5%	100.0%	100.0%
34	LNI	Ōtaki	99.6%	98.9%	100.0%	95.0%
35	AS	Pakuranga	100.0%	99.3%	100.0%	100.0%
36	LNI	Palmerston North	100.0%	95.8%	100.0%	100.0%
37	AS	Panmure-Otahuhu	99.4%	98.7%	100.0%	100.0%
38	AS	Papakura	100.0%	90.8%	100.0%	100.0%
39	AS	Port Waikato	100.0%	96.1%	100.0%	100.0%
40	SI	Rangitata	100.0%	98.4%	100.0%	100.0%
41	LNI	Rangitikei	100.0%	100.7%	100.0%	100.0%
42	LNI	Remutaka	100.0%	99.6%	100.0%	100.0%
43	LNI	Rongotai	100.0%	99.5%	100.0%	100.0%
44	CNI	Rotorua	100.0%	102.2%	100.0%	100.0%
45	SI	Selwyn	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	99.0%
46	SI	Southland	100.0%	99.7%	100.0%	100.0%
47	SI	Taieri	100.0%	98.1%	100.0%	100.0%
48	AS	Takanini	100.0%	89.3%	100.0%	100.0%
49	AS	Tāmaki	99.6%	99.6%	100.0%	100.0%
50	CNI	Taranaki-King Country	100.0%	80.3%	100.0%	100.0%
51	CNI	Taupō	100.0%	99.7%	100.0%	100.0%
52	CNI	Tauranga	100.0%	98.6%	100.0%	100.0%
53	AN	Te Atatū	100.0%	99.1%	100.0%	100.0%
54	CNI	Tukituki	100.0%	99.0%	100.0%	100.0%
55	AN	Upper Harbour	100.0%	99.7%	100.0%	100.0%
56	CNI	Waikato	100.0%	98.8%	100.0%	100.0%
57	SI	Waimakariri	100.0%	100.7%	100.0%	100.0%
58	LNI	Wairarapa	100.0%	99.7%	100.0%	100.0%
59	SI	Waitaki	100.0%	98.2%	100.0%	97.0%
60	LNI	Wellington Central	100.0%	98.1%	100.0%	100.0%
61	SI	West Coast-Tasman	100.0%	98.7%	100.0%	100.0%
62	LNI	Whanganui	100.0%	72.0%	100.0%	100.0%
63	AN	Whangaparāoa	100.0%	89.3%	100.0%	100.0%
64	AN	Whangarei	100.0%	47.8%	100.0%	100.0%
65	SI	Wigram	100.0%	98.3%	100.0%	98.0%
66	CNI	Hauraki-Waikato	100.0%	85.1%	n/a	n/a
67	CNI	Ikaroa-Rāwhiti	100.0%	99.6%	n/a	n/a
68	AS	Tāmaki Makaurau	99.9%	94.6%	n/a	n/a
69	LNI	Te Tai Hauāuru	99.9%	101.2%	n/a	n/a
70	AN	Te Tai Tokerau	100.0%	55.7%	n/a	n/a
71	SI	Te Tai Tonga	100.0%	91.0%	n/a	n/a
72	CNI	Waiariki	100.0%	100.9%	n/a	n/a
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>99.97%</b>	<b>95.1%</b>	<b>99%</b>	<b>99%</b>

Enrolment Stats review for the official results (\*Taken at 11:30 pm on the day listed)

2023		Māori Descent - Māori Roll	Māori Descent - General Roll	Non-Māori Descent - General Roll	Total Electors		Percent Eligible Enrolled	Māori Roll Change	Māori General Change	All Māori change	Non-Māori Change	All change
<b>Youth 18-29</b>	Current	73,784	69,228	474,855	617,867		84.4%					
	Saturday, 14 October 2023	64,195	62,295	452,460	578,950		79.1%	14.9%	11.1%	13.1%	4.9%	6.7%
	Sunday, 1 October 2023	59,169	58,314	428,870	546,353		74.7%	24.7%	18.7%	21.7%	10.7%	13.1%
	Sunday, 30 July 2023	57,366	55,133	399,569	512,068		70.0%	28.6%	25.6%	27.1%	18.8%	20.7%
<b>All Ages</b>	Current	290,300	276,712	3,121,276	3,688,288		95.3%					
	Saturday, 14 October 2023	271,344	261,056	3,054,071	3,586,471		92.6%	7.0%	6.0%	6.5%	2.2%	2.8%
	Sunday, 1 October 2023	262,456	253,270	2,988,133	3,503,859		90.5%	10.6%	9.3%	9.9%	4.5%	5.3%
	Sunday, 30 July 2023	259,885	246,349	2,925,217	3,431,451		88.6%	11.7%	12.3%	12.0%	6.7%	7.5%

2020		Māori Descent - Māori Roll	Māori Descent - General Roll	Non-Māori Descent - General Roll	Total Electors	Eligible Population	Percent Eligible Enrolled	Māori Roll Change	Māori General Change	All Māori change	Non-Māori Change	All change
<b>Youth 18-29</b>	End of Processing	73,523	71,357	499,041	643,921	797,700	80.7%					
	Saturday, 17 October 2020	69,741	67,650	488,427	625,818	797,700	78.5%	5.4%	5.5%	5.5%	2.2%	2.9%
	Friday, 2 October 2020	64,223	62,510	462,818	589,551	797,700	73.9%	14.5%	14.2%	14.3%	7.8%	9.2%
	Tuesday, 30 June 2020	58,641	55,328	419,438	533,407	797,700	66.9%	25.4%	29.0%	27.1%	19.0%	20.7%
<b>All Ages</b>	End of Processing	276,013	259,459	3,014,336	3,549,808	3,772,100	94.1%					
	Saturday, 17 October 2020	267,468	250,875	2,982,455	3,500,798	3,772,100	92.8%	3.2%	3.4%	3.3%	1.1%	1.4%
	Friday, 2 October 2020	255,074	239,085	2,908,626	3,402,785	3,772,100	90.2%	8.2%	8.5%	8.4%	3.6%	4.3%
	Tuesday, 30 June 2020	245,703	225,394	2,805,314	3,276,411	3,772,100	86.9%	12.3%	15.1%	13.7%	7.5%	8.3%

\*2020 Campaign started earlier and had 2 extra voting days

2017		Māori Descent - Māori Roll	Māori Descent - General Roll	Non-Māori Descent - General Roll	Total Electors	Eligible Population	Percent Eligible Enrolled	Māori Roll Change	Māori General Change	All Māori change	Non-Māori Change	All change
<b>Youth 18-29</b>	End of Processing	66,565	62,830	474,934	604,329	799,610	75.6%					
	Saturday, 23 September 2017	63,931	60,263	465,717	589,911	799,610	73.8%	4.1%	4.3%	4.2%	2.0%	2.4%
	Sunday, 10 September 2017	60,394	56,515	446,944	563,853	799,610	70.5%	10.2%	11.2%	10.7%	6.3%	7.2%
	Sunday, 25 June 2017						68.2%	13.0%	16.7%	14.8%	9.9%	10.9%

		58,911	53,818	432,322	545,051	799,610							
<b>All Ages</b>	End of Processing	251,791	225,006	2,821,202	3,297,999	3,569,830	92.4%						
	Saturday, 23 September 2017	246,070	219,642	2,796,749	3,262,461	3,569,830	91.4%	2.3%	2.4%	2.4%	0.9%	1.1%	
	Sunday, 10 September 2017	238,261	211,603	2,744,665	3,194,529	3,569,830	89.5%	5.7%	6.3%	6.0%	2.8%	3.2%	
	Sunday, 25 June 2017	237,153	206,853	2,712,341	3,156,347	3,569,830	88.4%	6.2%	8.8%	7.4%	4.0%	4.5%	





Issued: 1030hrs 26 Oct 2023

Authorised by: [REDACTED] – Watch Leader

Next update: 1030hrs 27 Oct 2023

## Executive Summary

- Numerous watches and warnings are in place for the South Island and lower North Island today.
- Tropical Cyclone Lola is now category 1 and is expected to be reclassified to a tropical low later today.

## NEMA Operational Status

### Operational Activity

- NCC is at Mode 1 (MAR Centre Monitoring).

### On-Call Roster

<b>Director</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>National Controller</b>	[REDACTED]

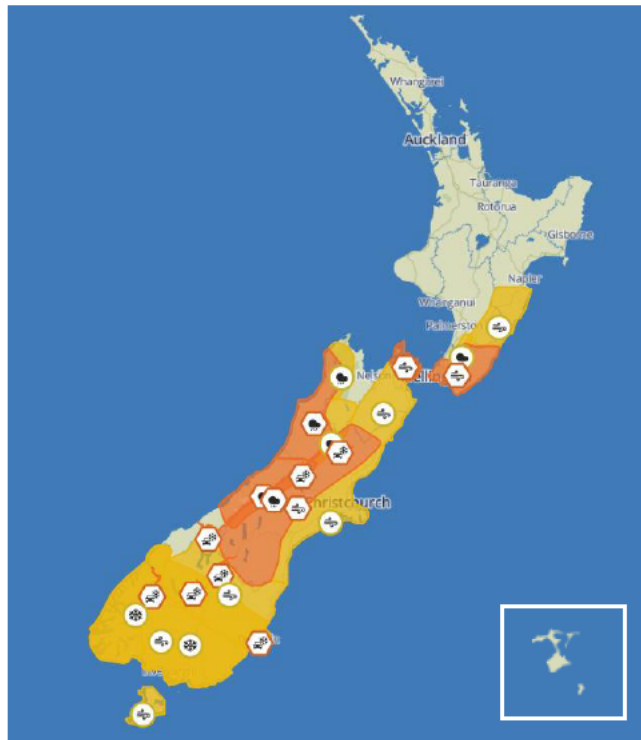
<b>Response Manager</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Activation Coordinator</b>	[REDACTED]

<b>PIM</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>REMA North</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>REMA South</b>	[REDACTED]

## Response Activity

Nothing to report.

## Weather and Climate



Accurate from MetService as at 1000hrs today.

### Current Weather

Heavy rain, severe gale north westerlies, and snow for parts of central and southern New Zealand. An active front moves northwards over southern and central New Zealand today, then clears the North Island tomorrow.

This front is preceded by a strong and moist north-westerly flow and is followed by strong and cold west to southwesterlies.

Warnings and watches for heavy rain, severe gales, and heavy snow are in force.

### Heavy rain warning

- Buller, and Westland north of Otira from 0900hrs to 2100hrs today.
- Westland from Otira to Bruce Bay from 0900hrs to 1300hrs today.
- Headwaters of Canterbury Lakes and Rivers about and south of Arthur's Pass from 0900hrs to 1300hrs today.

### Strong wind warning

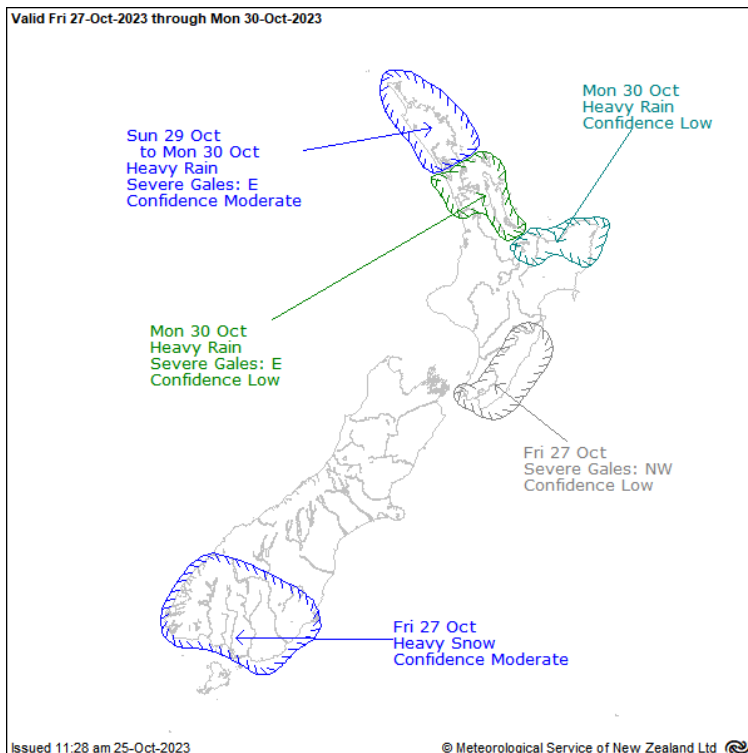
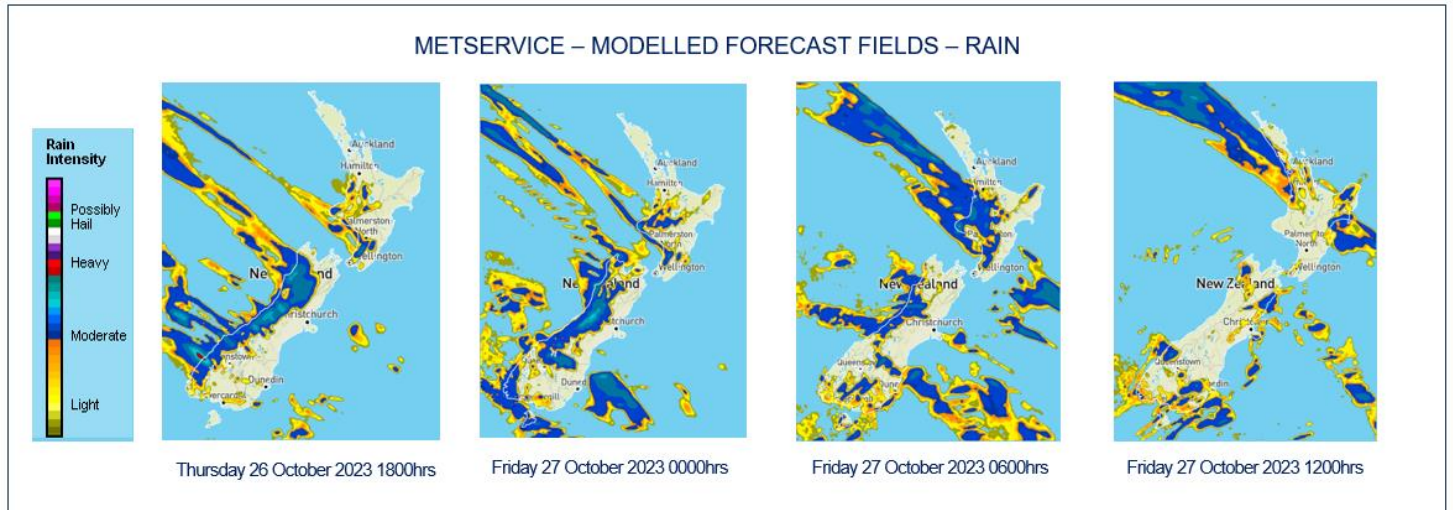
- Wairarapa, Wellington, and the Marlborough Sounds from 0900hrs to midnight today.
- Canterbury High Country from 0900hrs to 2200hrs today.

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Heavy rain watches have been issued for: Tararua Range, The ranges of Tasman west of Takaka, Nelson Lakes, and the headwaters of the Canterbury lakes and rivers north of Arthur's Pass within 25 km east of the main divide.

Strong wind watches have been issued for: Hawke's Bay south of Hastings, and the Tararua District, Marlborough excluding the Sounds, Canterbury excluding the High Country, Otago excluding Clutha, Clutha, Southland, Stewart Island and Fiordland.

Heavy snow watches have been issued for: Fiordland, Southland, Clutha, Dunedin, Central Otago and Queenstown Lakes.

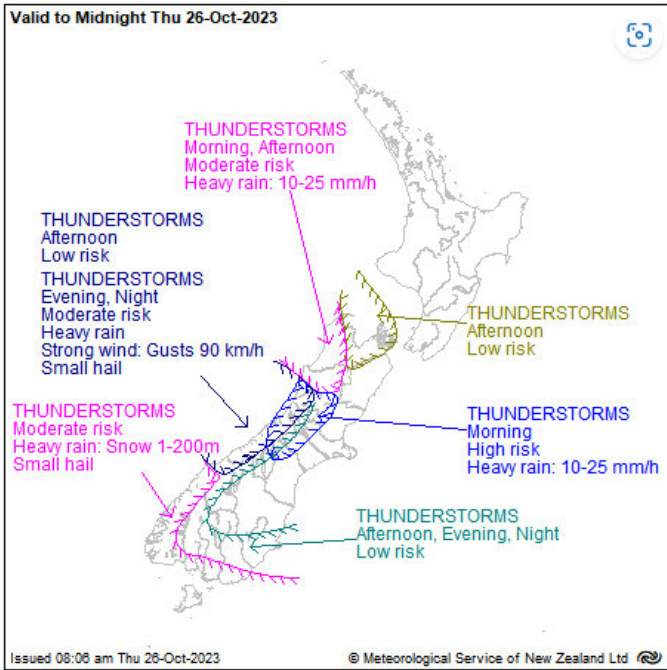


### **Severe Weather Outlook**

A front preceded by strong west to northwest winds moves north over the North Island tomorrow, and a very cold south to southwest flow over the South Island spreads over the North Island following the front. Bitterly cold south to southwest winds and snow to sea level are expected in the south of the South Island.

Tomorrow sees a moderate confidence for heavy snowfall in Southland reaching warning criteria. Tomorrow also brings a low confidence for severe gales in and around the Wellington region.

Monday sees the beginning of the next rain band impacting the upper North Island, bringing moderate to low confidences of heavy rain and severe gales.



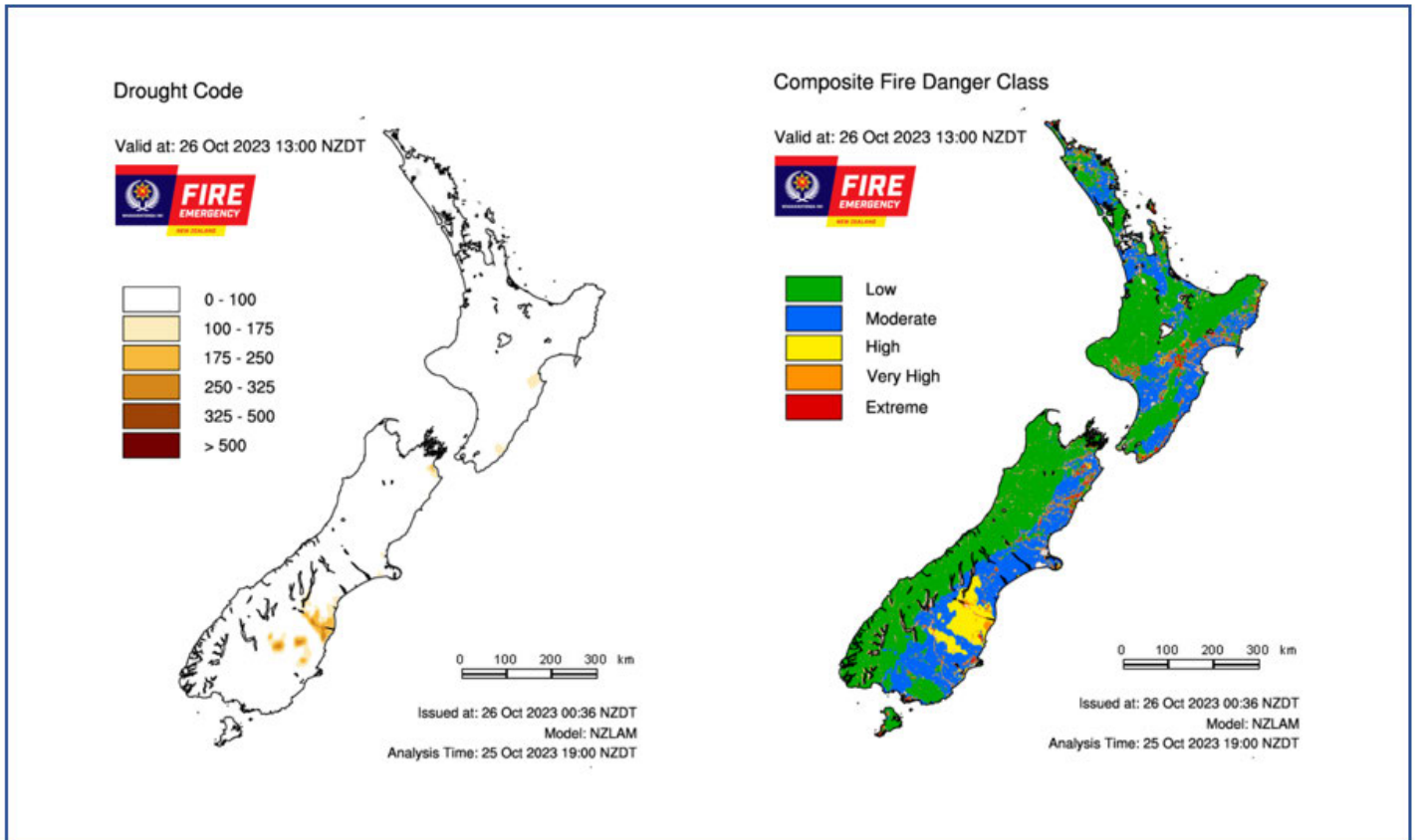
### Thunderstorm Outlook

With the current forecasted weather, comes some risk of thunderstorms.

There is a high risk of thunderstorms this morning for parts of the West Coast and Canterbury High Country. The rest of the west coast of the South Island can expect up to a moderate risk of thunderstorms through various parts of the day today.

For parts of South these thunderstorms may bring brief heavy rain, hail and snow lowering to 100-200m.

### Fire and Drought Risk



Source: [NIWA Fire Weather](#)



## Geological

### Volcanic Activity (Level 1 and above)

Volcano	Level	Volcanic Activity	Aviation Code
Whakaari/ White Island	2	Moderate to heightened volcanic unrest	Yellow
Ruapehu	1	Minor volcanic unrest	Green

GNS Alert Levels guide visit: <https://www.geonet.org.nz/about/volcano/val>

GNS Aviation Colour Codes visit: <https://www.geonet.org.nz/volcano/acc>

## Other Events

### Tropical Cyclone Lola

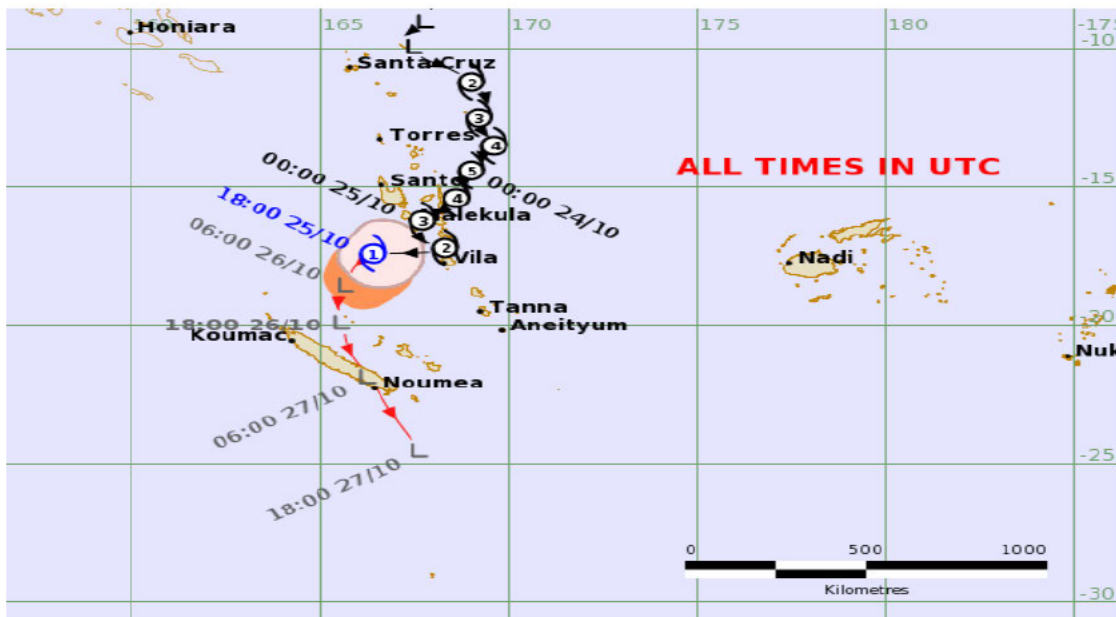
Tropical Cyclone Lola (Cat 1) was located 200km west-northwest of Port Vila, Vanuatu at 0700hrs this morning (NZ time). The system is weakening rapidly and is expected to be reclassified as a tropical low in the next 6 hours. The system does not pose any direct threat to Vanuatu now. However, strong, or possible gale force winds and heavy rain affecting the southern parts of Vanuatu should ease during the day. The system is expected to move south and across New Caledonia tomorrow evening bringing strong winds and heavy rain.

More information on the Fiji Meteorological Service website (<https://www.met.gov.fj/>).

### TROPICAL CYCLONE THREAT TRACK MAP

#### Tropical Cyclone Lola Category 1

Tropical Cyclone Warning Number 22 issued 1915 UTC Wednesday 25 October 2023



Current and Past Cyclone Details		Forecast Cyclone Details (at 24, 48 and 72 hours from issue)	
Current Location and Intensity Number	🌀 or L	Forecast Location and Intensity Number	🌀 or L
Very Destructive Hurricane Force Winds	🔴	Very Destructive Wind Boundary	🔴
Destructive Storm Force Winds	🟠	Destructive Wind Boundary	🟠
Damaging Gale Force Winds	🟡	Gale Force Wind Boundary	🟡
Past Track and Movement	➡	Most Likely Future Track	➡
Past Location and Intensity Number	🌀 or L	Range of Likely Tracks over 72 hours	🌀

## Media

### **Road snow warnings as bitter blast bears down**

Nearly 30 warnings and watches are in force as heavy rain, severe gales and snow to sea level are set to envelop central and southern New Zealand over coming days.

**Otago Daily Times**

### **Cyclone Lola: Vanuatu communities devastated by destruction**

Lola has caused extensive damage to houses, schools and plantations in Vanuatu's northern provinces of Torba and Penama - where power and communications networks remain down.

**Newshub**

### **People told to flee as fire destroys Queensland homes**

Houses have been destroyed and scores of people have been forced to flee their homes as bushfires spread across southern Queensland.

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