

## October 2024

- Expected to be **hot and dry** with a chance of **Chizimalupsa rains**.
  - These rains may be accompanied by **lightning and gusty winds**.
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## November 2024

- **Normal to below-normal rainfall** amounts predicted.
  - Effective rains are expected from the **last week of November into December**.
  - Rains will likely be accompanied by **gusty winds and lightning**.
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## December 2024

- Rainfall amounts of **100mm to 200mm** expected across most areas (normal range).
  - Some parts of **TA Nazombe and Phalombe Boma** may receive **normal to above normal** rainfall.
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## January 2025

- Expected to be **very wet** across the district.
  - Areas such as **TA Chiwalo, TA Nazombe, and Phalombe Boma** may receive rainfall up to **300mm**.
  - **Low threat of prolonged dry spells** exceeding one week.
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## February 2025

- Rainfall ranging from **150mm to 300mm**, indicating normal to above normal conditions.
  - Some areas may experience **dry spells longer than 7 consecutive days**.
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## March 2025

- Rainfall expected over many areas.
  - Highest rainfall anticipated in **TA Nazombe and Phalombe Boma**.
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## April 2025

- Most areas likely to receive **normal to below normal rainfall**, up to **150mm**.
  - A **late cessation** of rains expected starting from the **first week of April**.
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## Seasonal Summary

- **Rainfall onset:** Between the **third and last week of November 2024**.
  - **Rainfall cessation:** Expected from the **first week of April 2025**.
  - **Season length:** Expected to range from **110 to 150 days**.
  - Prolonged dry spells of about **1 week are most likely in February**.
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