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Weather Brief for Saturday, 17 January 2026 from the Hydrometeorological Service, Guyana

Rainfall records for the past 24 hours, measured at 08:00hrs Saturday, 17 January 2026 were available for most of the stations. **Richmond Hill in Region 3 recorded the highest rainfall of 39.3 mm.**

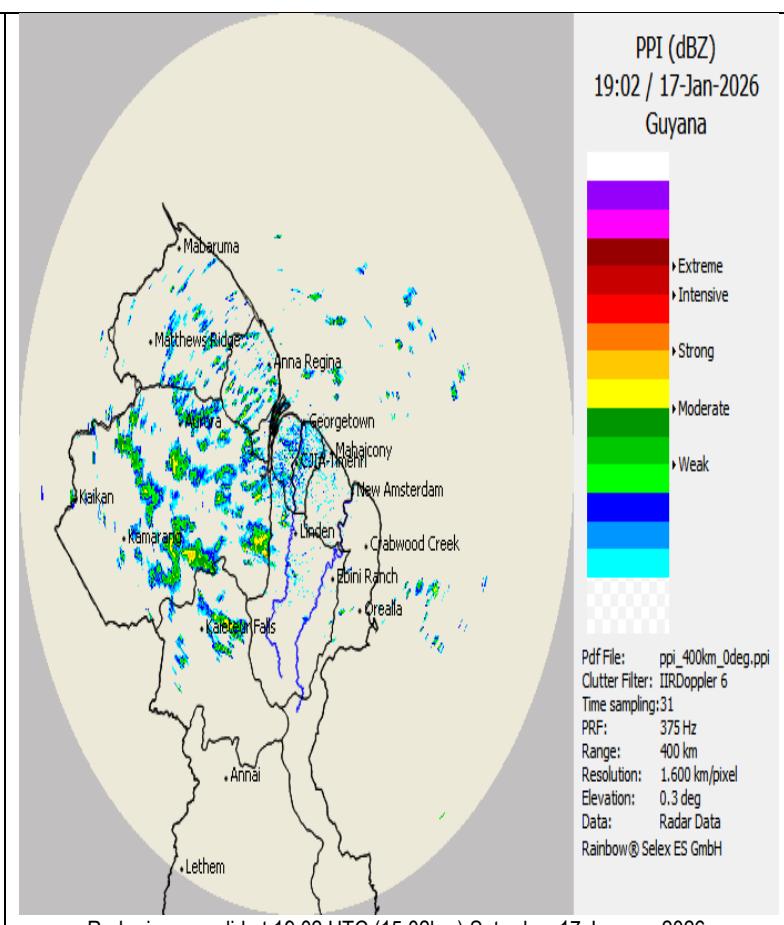
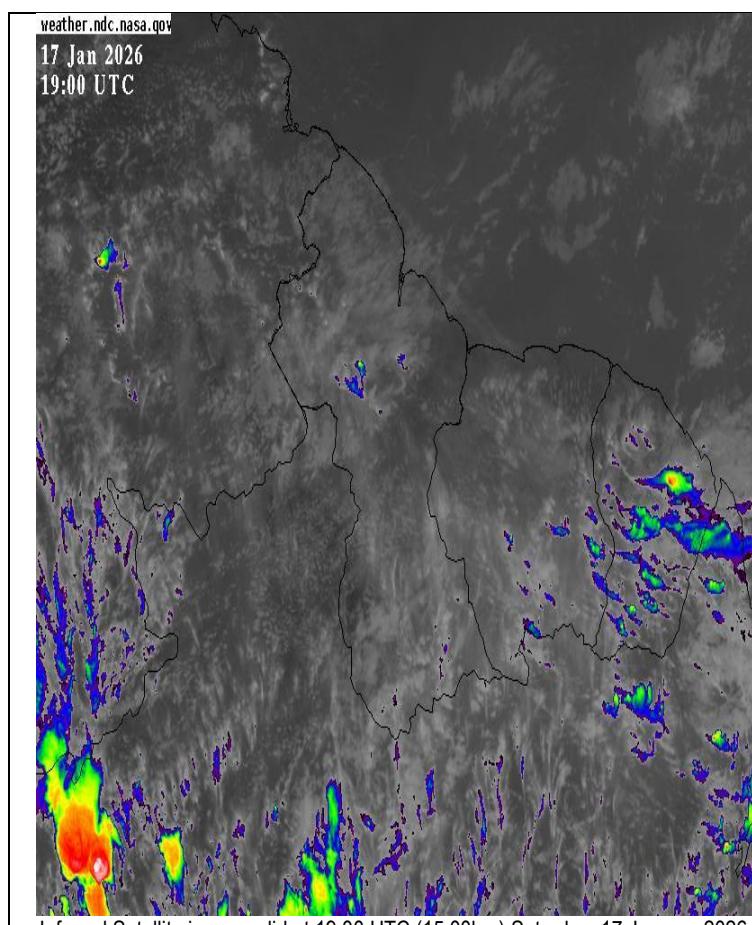
Synopsis: Strong mid-upper-level windshear with high concentrations of SAL restricts deep convection; however, low-level tradewind convergence and weak troughs produce mild to moderate pockets of instabilities, similar conditions are expected according to global models.

Today's weather review: Mostly cloudy skies with light to moderate showers and rain were observed over the northern parts of the forecast area. Coastal areas conditions improved in the afternoon hours. The remaining southern regions 6 and 9 observed partly cloudy to cloudy skies.

Table # 1 Weather forecast for the next twenty-four hours

Saturday, 17 January 2026 (19:00 hrs – 07:00 hrs)		Sunday, 18 January 2026 (07:00 hrs – 19:00 hrs)		
Regions	Weather Conditions	Regions	Weather Conditions	Regions
All regions.	 Rainfall between 0 & 10 mm.	Inland regions 6 to 10 can expect cloudy skies with scattered showers, elsewhere mostly fair skies becoming cloudy in the morning with brief showers. Winds: Gentle to fresh easterly breeze. <u>Minimum temperatures:</u> Coast: 21 °C – 25°C Hinterland: 18 °C – 23 °C	 No significant rainfall.	Mostly cloudy skies with light to moderate showers and rain are likely over the northern regions of Guyana. Conditions likely to improve over coastal areas in the afternoon. The remaining southern regions can expect partly cloudy skies with no significant rainfall. Winds: Gentle to Fresh easterly breeze.
			 Rainfall between 10 & 35 mm.	<u>Maximum temperatures:</u> Coast: 27 °C – 30 °C Hinterland: 28 °C – 31 °C

The long-term daily average rainfall for Georgetown for the next 10 days, January 18 to 27, 2026, is 6.7 mm per day.



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Table # 2: Occurrences of high and low tides for the next 24 hours and the times for sunrise and sunset.

Tonight (January 17, 2026)	Morning (January 18, 2026)	Afternoon (January 18, 2026)
Low Tide 21:48hrs Tide Height 0.65m	High Tide 04:03hrs Tide Height 2.61m Low Tide 09:54hrs Tide Height 0.94m	High Tide 16:03hrs Tide Height 2.88m
Sunrise:	06:08hrs	Sunset: 17:55hrs

Spring Tide Advisory: The spring tide is not in effect.

Sea conditions:

Moderate to rough in open waters with north to northeasterly waves reaching 2.0 to 3.0 meters (6 to 8 ft) and steady.

- These waves will likely have periods of 8 and 9 seconds
- Fresh Easterly breeze.

Extended Forecast

Monday through Friday: Mostly cloudy skies with light to moderate showers and rain are likely over the northern regions of Guyana. Conditions likely to improve over coastal areas in the afternoon. The remaining southern regions can expect partly cloudy skies with no significant rainfall. **Rainfall is expected between 10 mm and 35 mm within 24 hours.**

For the Current Regional climate forecast, please see the latest Seasonal Climate Outlook, which is available on the Hydrometeorological Service's website <https://hydromet.gov gy>

An update in the bulletin is provided daily by the Hydromet Service.
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