



SEVERE WEATHER BULLETIN #14

FOR: TROPICAL STORM "VINTA" (TEMBIN)
 TROPICAL CYCLONE: WARNING

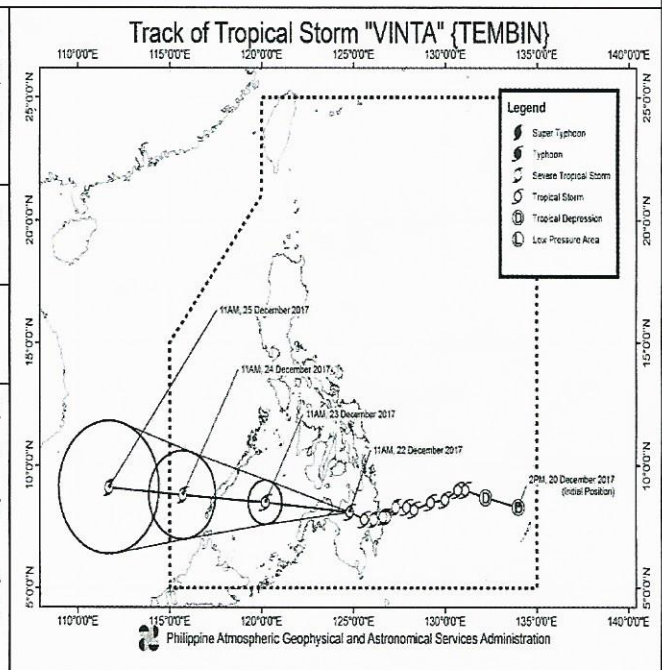
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(Valid for broadcast until the next bulletin to be issued at 5 PM today)

TROPICAL STORM "VINTA" HAS FURTHER WEAKENED AND IS NOW MOVING TOWARD THE MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL - ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE AREA

- Scattered to widespread moderate to occasionally heavy rains will prevail over Visayas and Western Mindanao within 24 hours.
- Residents of these areas must make appropriate actions against flooding and landslides, coordinate with their respective local disaster risk reduction and management offices, and continue monitoring for updates.
- Sea travel remains risky over the seaboard of areas under Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal (TCWS).
- Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal (TCWS) elsewhere are now lifted.

Location of eye/center	At 1:00 PM today, the center of Tropical Storm "VINTA" was estimated based on all available data at In the vicinity of Marawi City, Lanao del Sur (8.0°N, 124.3°E).
Strength	Maximum sustained winds of up to 65 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 110 kph .
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move West at 20 kph .
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): 275 km Northwest of Zamboanga City, Zamboanga del Sur (8.5°N, 120.2°E) • 48 Hour (Sunday morning): 305 km Southeast of Pagasa Island, Palawan (8.8°N, 115.7°E) • 72 Hour (Monday morning): 340 km Southwest of Pagasa Island, Palawan (OUTSIDE PAR) (9.1°N, 111.7°E)



TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL

TCWS	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao	Impacts of the wind
2 (61-120 kph Expected in 24 hours)	-	-	Misamis Oriental, Lanao del Norte, Lanao del Sur, Misamis Occidental, Zamboanga del Norte, Zamboanga del Sur, and Zamboanga Sibugay	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Light to Moderate damage to high risk structures; • Very light to light damage to medium-risk structures; • No damage to very light damage to low risk structures • Unshielded, old dilapidated schoolhouses, makeshift shanties, and other structures of light materials are partially damaged or unroofed. • A number of nipa and cogon houses may be partially or totally unroofed. • Some old galvanized iron (G.I.) roofs may be peeled or blown off. • Some wooden, old electric posts are tilted or downed. • Some damage to poorly constructed signs/billboards • In general, the winds may bring light to moderate damage to the exposed communities. Most banana plants, a few mango trees, ipil-ipil and similar types of trees are downed or broken. • Some coconut trees may be tilted with few others broken. • Rice and corn may be adversely affected. • Considerable damage to shrubbery and trees with some heavy-foliaged trees blown down.
Wave Height: (Open Sea) 4.1-14.0 meters Storm surge possible at coastal areas				



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1 (30-60 kph Expected in 36 hours)	-	Southern Leyte, Bohol, Southern Cebu, Negros Oriental, Southern Negros Occidental, and Siquijor	Agusan del Sur, Davao del Norte, Bukidnon, Dinagat Island, North Cotabato, Surigao del Norte, Surigao del Sur, Agusan del Norte, Camiguin, Compostela Valley, Northern Davao del Sur (Davao City), and Maguindanao,	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very light or no damage to low risk structures, • Light damage to medium to high risk structures • Slight damage to some houses of very light materials or makeshift structures in exposed communities. Some banana plants are tilted, a few downed and leaves are generally damaged • Twigs of small trees may be broken. • Rice crops, however, may suffer significant damage when it is in its flowering stage.
Wave Height: (Open Sea) 1.25-4.0 meters				
The public and the disaster risk reduction and management council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 5 PM today.				

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