



SEVERE WEATHER BULLETIN #4

FOR: TROPICAL DEPRESSION "URDUJA" TROPICAL CYCLONE: WARNING

ISSUED AT 5:00 PM, 13 December 2017

(Valid for broadcast until the next bulletin to be issued at 11 PM tonight)

TROPICAL DEPRESSION "URDUJA" HAS SLIGHTLY CHANGED ITS COURSE AS IT CONTINUES TO MOVE CLOSER TO SORSOGON – NORTHERN SAMAR AREA.

- Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 350 km diameter of the Tropical Depression.
- Scattered to widespread rains is expected over Visayas and Bicol Region.
- Fishfolks and those with small seacrafts are advised not to venture out over the eastern seaboard of Bicol Region and Eastern Visayas due to moderate to rough seas associated with the approaching Tropical Depression.

Location of eye/center	At 4:00 PM today, the center of Tropical Depression "URDUJA" was estimated based on all available data at 395 km East of Guiuan, Eastern Samar(11.2°N, 129.3°E).	<p>Track of Tropical Depression "URDUJA"</p> <p style="font-size: small;">Philippine Atmospheric Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration</p>
Strength	Maximum winds of up to 55 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 65 kph .	
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move Northwest at 7 kph .	
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour(Tomorrow afternoon): 260 km East of Borongan City, Eastern Samar(11.7°N, 127.8°E) • 48 Hour(Friday afternoon):175 km East of Catarman, Northern Samar(12.3°N, 126.2°E) • 72 Hour(Saturday afternoon): 130 km West Southwest of Legazpi City, Albay(12.9°N, 122.6°E) • 96 Hour(Sunday afternoon):105 km West of San Jose, Occidental Mindoro(12.3°N, 120.1°E) • 120 Hour(Monday afternoon):135 km Northwest of Puerto Princesa City, Palawan(10.7°N, 118.0°E) 	

TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL

TCWS	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao	Impacts of the wind
1 (30-60 kph Expected in 36 hours)		Eastern Samar		<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 next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 11 PM tonight.

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