



SITUATION

- On 08 Oct a Tropical Depression, TWENTYFOUR (called SANTI in the Philippines), formed in the Pacific Ocean and started heading towards the Philippines. At 06:00 UTC on 09 Oct it was still a Tropical Depression (max. sust. wind speeds of 55 km/h) and its center was located ca. 550 km ENE of Catanduanes island (SE Luzon), moving WNW.
- In the next 24h it is forecast to strengthen into a Tropical Storm and keep moving in the general direction of Luzon. According to the 09 Oct data, it may approach the Luzon coasts on 11/12 Oct, possibly strengthening further (track / intensity uncertainty is still high).

PHILIPPINES: Severe Weather

Meanwhile, parts of central and southern Philippines have been affected by severe weather since 04 Oct. Heavy rains and thunderstorms have caused floods and landslides in a number of provinces (see inset map) in the regions VI, VII, IX, X and XII. According to [NDRMMC](#) (as of early 09 Oct) there were: 11 dead, 79 913 people affected, 30 635 people inside 69 evacuation centers and another 34 635 outside. Light to moderate rains and thunderstorms might still affect these areas in the next 24h.

Sources: [GDACS](#), [PAGASA](#), [NDRMMC](#), [WMO](#)

Legend

POP. DENSITY (pop/km²)

- 101 - 500
- 501 - 2,500
- 2501 - 5,000
- 5001 - 130,000

TRACK COLOURS

- Tropical Depression
- Tropical Storm
- Typhoon

WIND BUFFER

- 64 km/h
- 92 km/h
- 119 km/h

24h acc. rain observed on 08 Oct

- XXmm

AREA OF TRACK UNCERTAINTY