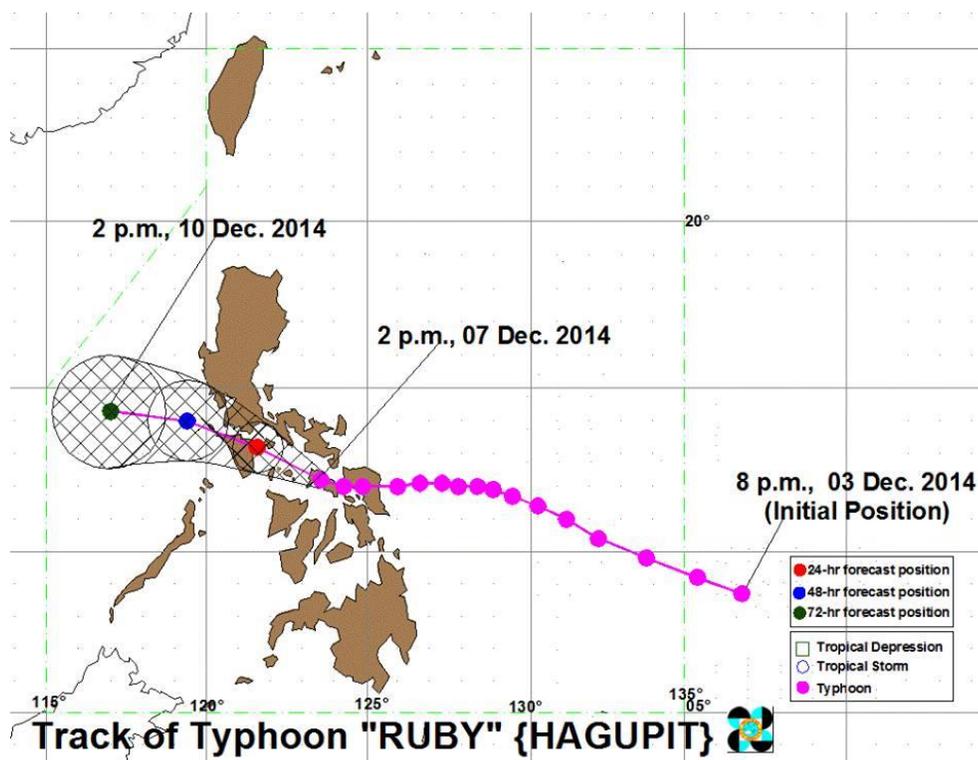


**Typhoon Hagupit – Situation Report** (20:30 Manila Time)



**GENERAL INFORMATION**

- Typhoon Hagupit made landfall on Saturday 6 December at 9:15 pm in Dolores, Eastern Samar. After weakening to a Category 2 typhoon, Hagupit then made a second landfall in Cataingan, Masbate on Sunday 7 December.
- Typhoon Hagupit has maintained its strength and is now (8:00 pm Manila Time) over the vicinity of Aroroy, Masbate. According to PAGASA’s weather bulletin issued today, 7 December at 18:00, the expected third landfall over Sibuyan Island will be between 02:00 – 04:00 in the morning tomorrow and will be associated with strong winds, storm surge and heavy to torrential rainfall. Hagupit is expected to exit the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR) on Thursday morning.
- The typhoon is not as powerful as Typhoon Haiyan but Hagupit is moving slowly through the Philippines meaning prolonged rainfall and an increased likelihood of flooding and landslides. Currently the extent of damage is not yet clear. The authorities will send an assessment mission tomorrow to Region VIII where some municipalities in Eastern and Northern Samar are thought to have sustained heavier damage. Signal no. 1 has been issued in Manila, down from Signal no. 2 this morning

**Forecast Positions:**

- 24 hour (tomorrow afternoon): 60 km East of Calapan City, Oriental Mindoro or at 160 km South of Science Garden, Quezon City.
- 48 hour (Tuesday afternoon): 170 km Southwest of Science Garden, Quezon City.
- 72 hour (Wednesday afternoon): 400 km West of Science Garden, Quezon City.

**Casualties/ Damage reported so far:**

- There have been unconfirmed casualties in Eastern Samar Island. There has also been some damage in coastal areas of north Borogan but not much in Borogan City or Tacloban City. Damages in Guiuan and surrounding areas were minimal.
- According to the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (NDRRMC), as of today, 7 December, 146,875 families or 716,639 individuals conducted pre-emptive evacuations in Regions IV-A (Calabarzon), IV-B (Mimaropa), V (Bicol), VI Western Visayas), VII (Central Visayas), VIII (Eastern Visayas), and Caraga. 92 domestic flights have been cancelled and airports were closed in Naga, Legazpi, Albay, Tacloban, Leyte, and Calbayog, Samar. The Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP) are now conducting road-clearing operations in airports and along major thoroughfares specifically in Borongan and Catarman to accommodate C-130s and other aircrafts for the immediate delivery of relief items and other resources.
- Strong winds and heavy rains are passing through the region of Bicol. “State of Calamity” has been already declared in the Province of Albay, Bicol. Particularly of concern would be the dual effects of the currently active Mayon Volcano and the possibility of landslides due the weakening of topsoil due to the seismic activity.
- Additional concerns are now on the central islands such as Masbate, Marinduque and Romblon, since these islands have not experienced typhoons since 2006 and may be not as prepared as Haiyan affected areas.
- A Boeing C-135 will depart tomorrow Monday with government official to visit affected areas and start with needs assessments. At this stage, International agencies were not invited to join.

**IOM UPDATES**

- All IOM staff in the field offices are safe and the current situation in the Haiyan affected areas is calm.
- IOM transitional shelters in Region 8 (Tacloban and Guiuan) withstood 8+hours of 130kph sustained wind with much higher gusts, including Cogon which suffered no damage. IOM Evacuation Centre in Mercedes withstood without incident and was full of evacuees.
- In Guiuan, IOM’s priorities are to reestablish the warehouse (which was disassembled - no materials were lost); helping local government units with returning people from ECs and any relief distributions; cleaning and reassembling the office; and resuming normal operations.
- Communications remain a challenge, since the cellphone service is still off-and-on in Guiuan, and there is no electricity and VSAT is down for the moment.
- IOM team (9 people) in Guiuan have left today (Sunday 7 Dec) to Borongan (109 km north of Guiuan) to conduct needs assessments and to set up operations. Another 6-man team from Tacloban is on standby for a sweep of Western and Northern Samar. For Bicol/Sorsogon assessment a team will have to dispatch from Manila and travel by road due to rough seas.
- IOM will participate in the 72 hours needs assessment organized by OCHA. The government may join this humanitarian needs assessment, which would be ideal in order to not duplicate work and really cover all areas

and gaps. Considering the wide coverage area to conduct the needs assessment, it would be ideal that the government, local NGOs and CSOs would participate together.

- More than 700,000 people were evacuated by the Government and IOM is supporting with CCCM (see details on ECs in table).

 <b>Open Evacuation Centers</b> <span style="float: right;">TS HAGUPIT</span>			
Data Source: NDRRMC 06 December/6am			
REGION	PROVINCE	No of Families	No. of Persons
CARAGA	DINAGAT ISLANDS	1874	9370
	SURIGAO DEL NORTE	13297	66485
	SURIGAO DEL SUR	159	795
IV A	QUEZON	6056	27389
IV B	MARINDUQUE	812	2420
	OCCIDENTAL MINDORO	2727	9797
	ORIENTAL MINDORO	1023	4320
	PALAWAN	1794	8164
	ROMBLON	2906	12208
V	ALBAY	29623	148115
	CAMARINES NORTE	751	2508
	CAMARINES SUR (NAGA CITY)	11	44
	CAPIZ	3955	19053
	CATANDUANES	13	66
	MASBATE	725	3469
	SORSOGON	1022	5144
VI	AKLAN	1149	5745
	ANTIQUE	531	2655
	GUIMARAS	281	1234
	ILOILO	1824	8106
	NEGROS OCCIDENTAL	1243	4996
VII	BOHOL	2541	12705
	CEBU	4535	22675
	NEGROS ORIENTAL	4787	19935
	SIQUIJOR	6	29
VIII	BILIRAN	374	1870
	EASTERN SAMAR	4216	21080
	LEYTE	5218	26090
	NORTHERN SAMAR	2862	14310
	SAMAR (WESTERN)	54545	272725
	SOUTHERN LEYTE	2352	11760
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>31</b>	<b>146,875</b>
			<b>716,639</b>

- Needs in evacuation centres: WASH, electricity, food packs, continued camp management. CSWD, IOM and Oxfam are conducting post-typhoon EC assessment, to find out the needs and gaps.

- For shelter, Tacloban City is appealing to agencies to help provide transitional shelters to people from danger zones instead of tents. Tacloban will be divided into 10 districts for agencies to target their assistance.

- LGUs in Tacloban are fast tracking the building of typhoon resilient evacuation centers for future disasters.

- Here is a link to IOM’s mapping application which is based on the latest data (6 December):

<http://iomepruyolanda.maps.arcgis.com/apps/Viewer/index.html?appid=b4e6091de154478586f31605b54d504f>