Tropical Storm Dujuan (Auring) Report #1 19 February 2021, 5PM PHT

Manila Observatory

SUMMARY



INTENSITY and CURRENT LOCATION

- Tropical Storm (TS) Dujuan (Auring) with 83 kph max 1-min winds (as of 8AM Feb 19 JTWC)
 (Note: As of 10AM Feb 19, PAGASA classified TC as Severe Tropical Storm with 95 kph max 10-min winds)
- TC center located at \sim 535 km ESE of Hinatuan, Surigao del Sur (as of 10AM Feb 19, PAGASA); moving slowly northwestward

FORECAST TRACK AND WINDS

• TS Dujuan will retain its intensity, landfalling over E of Caraga Region on Sunday morning (Feb 21), transits the Visayas and will exit near Busuanga island, Palawan by Tuesday (Feb 23)

CURRENT RAINFALL

- Satellite image shows wide extent of TS Auring rain bands affecting E Mindanao, E Visayas
- Past 24-hr rain total: light to moderate rain (< ~50 mm) over Surigao del Norte/Sur, Agusan del Norte/Sur, Misamis Oriental, Compostela Valley, Davao, Davao Oriental, Leyte (as of 2:30 PM Feb 18 to 2:30 PM Feb 19)

FORECAST TOTAL RAINFALL

- Within 48 hours: moderate to heavy rain (> 50 to 100 mm) over Misamis Oriental, Surigao del Norte/Sur, Agusan del Norte/Sur, Davao Oriental, Compostela Valley
- Within 72 hours: heavy rain (>200 mm) over Misamis Oriental, Surigao del Norte; moderate to heavy rain
 (>50 to 100 mm) over Misamis Occidental, Lanao del Norte, Agusan del Norte/Sur, Surigao del Sur, Compostela Valley, Davao Oriental

EXPOSURE, VULNERABILITIES, OTHER HAZARDS (IMPACT AREAS)

- Potentially significant amounts of rainfall over northeast Mindanao, central and western Visayas, northern
 Palawan and Mindoro may induce landslides in high-elevation areas and flooding in low-lying areas
- Monitoring of forecast storm track and associated rainfall; monitoring of water levels in dams and river systems
 within the potential impact areas recommended

NOTE: This report (website) contains information on potential impacts based on multiple data sources and scientific information. For official updates and warnings, please refer to PAGASA and other government agencies.

Current status of TS Dujuan (Auring)

knots (kn)

≥ 137

113-136

96-112

83-95

64-82

34-63

≤ 33

mph

≥ 157

130-156

111-129

96-110

74-95

39-73

≤ 38

kph

≥ 252

209-251

178-208

154-177

119-153

63-118

m/s

≥ 70

58-70

50-58

43-49

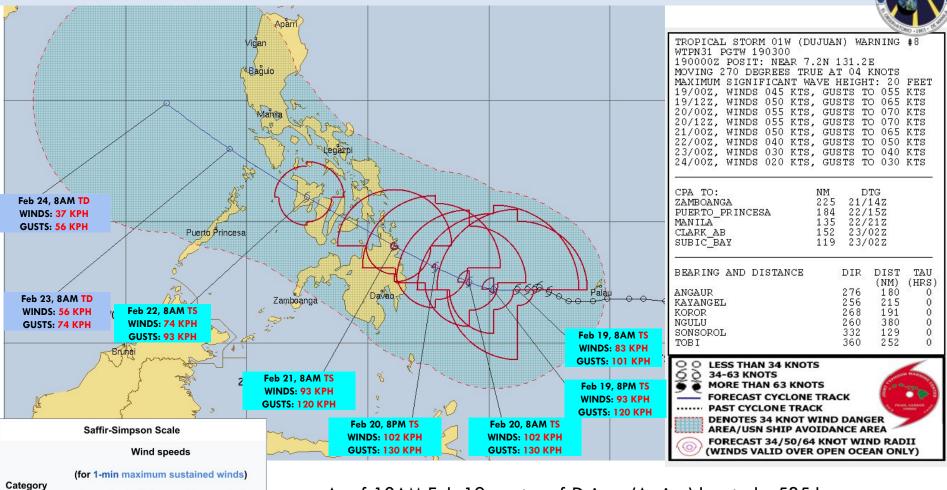
33-42

18-32

≤ 17

TS

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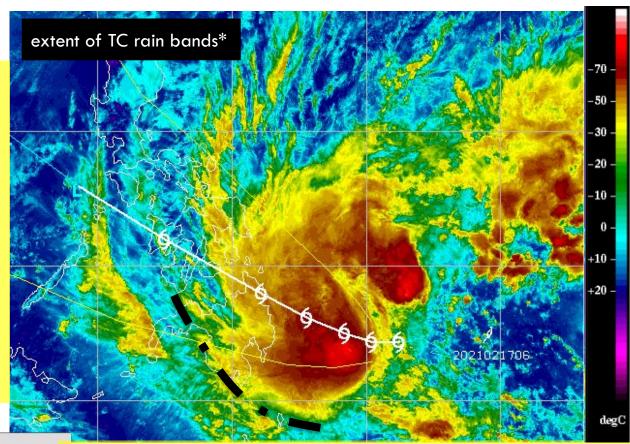
- As of 10AM Feb 19, center of Dujuan (Auring) located \sim 535 km East-Southeast of Hinatuan, Surigao del Sur (PAGASA)
- Forecast to retain its intensity (JTWC), landfalling over E of Caraga Region on Sunday morning (Feb 21), transits the Visayas and will exit near Busuanga island in Palawan by Tuesday (Feb 23)

Potential rainfall associated with TS Dujuan (Auring)



Longwave Infrared Image, NHC Color Enhancement As of 2:30 PM, Feb 19

- TS Dujuan (Auring) rain bands* wide extent (~700 km), affecting Mindanao and E Visayas
- Areas near the center
 (red) indicate high rainfall
 over East of Mindanao





* "NASA research has indicated that cloud top temperatures (red to bright red) that reach or exceed the threshold of -52°C typically have heavy rainfall areas "

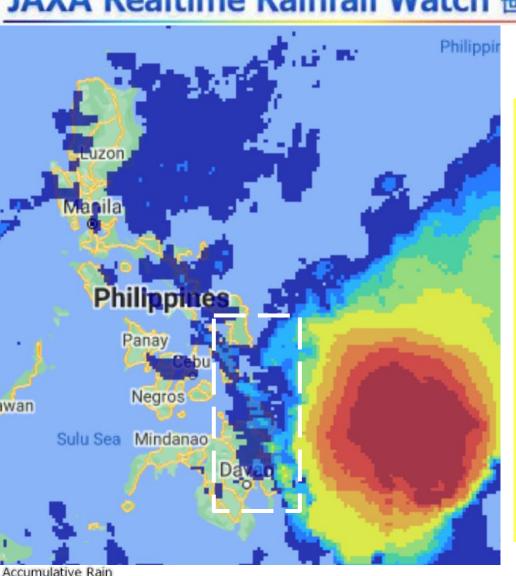
(http://www.nasa.gov/content/11-w-north-pacific-ocean/#.UgeFGBZCrbw)

Past 24-hr total rainfall associated with TS Dujuan (Auring)

mm

JAXA Realtime Rainfall Watch 世界の雨分布リアルタイム





Satellite 24-hr rainfall estimates from 2:30 PM, Feb 18 to 2:30 PM, Feb 19 indicate rainfall over E of Mindanao

Areas with light to moderate rain $(< \sim 50 \text{ mm})$ (white dashed box):

Surigao del Norte/Sur,
 Agusan del Norte/Sur,
 Misamis Oriental,
 Compostela Valley, Davao,
 Davao Oriental, Leyte

Forecast total rainfall

Within next 48 hours (from 2AM Feb 19 to 2AM Feb 21):

 Moderate to heavy rain (>50 to 100 mm) over Misamis Oriental, Surigao del Norte/Sur, Agusan del Norte/Sur, Davao Oriental, Compostela Valley
 Within next 72 hours (from 2AM Feb 19 to 2AM Feb 22):

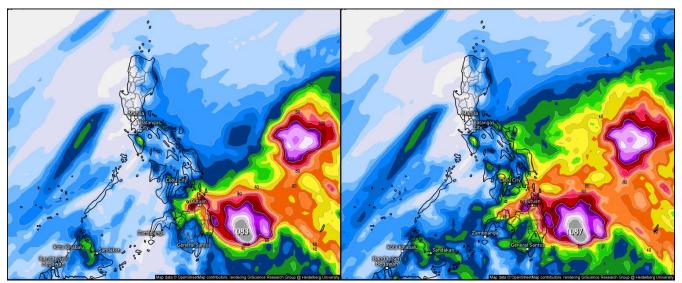
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 Agusan del Norte/Sur, Surigao del Sur, Compostela Valley, Davao Oriental
- *Affected areas and rainfall amount forecast may change with TS Auring track

48-hour Total Rainfall Model Forecast

19 Feb 2 AM - 21 Feb 2 AM

72-hour Total Rainfall Model Forecast

19 Feb 2 AM - 22 Feb 2 AM



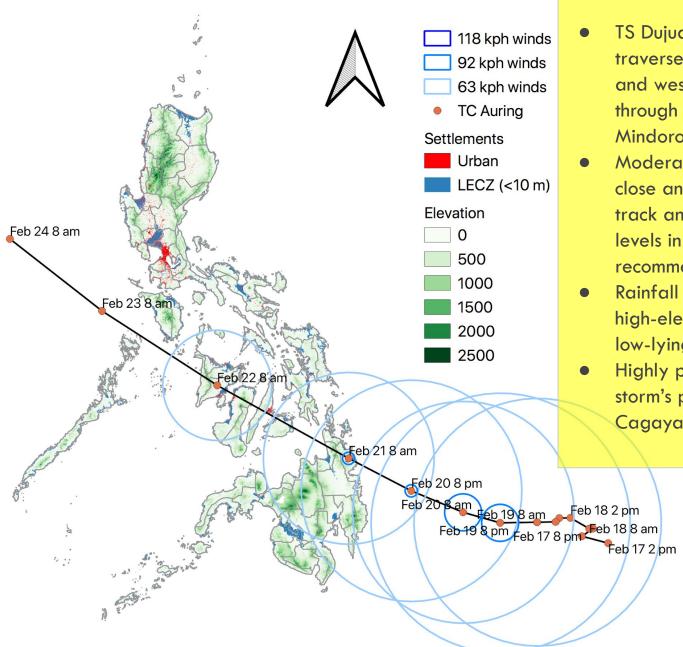
Sources: Global Forecast System (GFS) Meteologix (https://meteologix.com/ph) Accumulated total precipitation (mm)

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Philippines

GFS (15 days) from 02/18/2021/06z

Potential Impact Area of TS Dujuan (Auring)



- TS Dujuan (Auring) expected to slowly traverse northeast Mindanao, central and western Visayas, before exiting through northern Palawan and Mindoro.
- Moderate to heavy rainfall expected; close and constant monitoring of storm track and rainfall forecast, and water levels in dams and river systems recommended in the next few days
- Rainfall may cause landslides in high-elevation areas and flooding in low-lying areas
- Highly populated urban areas in the storm's path include the cities of Cagayan de Oro, Cebu and Iloilo.

Appendix



Acronyms, abbreviations used

- TC tropical cyclone
- TS Tropical Storm
- **STS** Severe Tropical Storm
- CAT Tropical Cyclone category based on Saffir-Simpson 1-min sustained winds scale
- **ESE** East Southeast
- **N** north/northern
- **NE** northeast
- W west/western
- **E** east/eastern
- **S** south/southern
- PAR Philippine area of responsibility

<u>Links</u>

PAGASA - http://bagong.pagasa.dost.gov.ph/tropical-cyclone/severe-weather-bulletin/2

JTWC - https://www.metoc.navy.mil/jtwc/jtwc.html

CIMSS - https://tropic.ssec.wisc.edu/

JAXA - http://sharaku.eorc.jaxa.jp/GSMaP NOW/index.htm

Meteologix PH - https://meteologix.com/ph

Exposure and Vulnerability Maps - http://mapsanddata.observatory.ph