



NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. 01 re Tropical Storm "DANTE" (MUIFA)

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I. SITUATION OVERVIEW

The Tropical Depression (TD) East of Southern Luzon has intensified into a Tropical Storm (TS), and entered the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR) and was named "DANTE".

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 300 km diameter of the Tropical Storm (TS).
Location of Eye/Center	At 10:00 AM today, the center of Tropical Storm (TS) "DANTE" was estimated based on all available data at 1,170 km East Virac, Catanduanes (13.5°N, 135.0°E) .
Strength	Maximum sustained winds of up to 65 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 80 kph .
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move Northwest at 11 kph
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): 1,165 km East of Casiguran, Aurora (15.0°N, 132.9°E)48 Hour (Friday morning): 1,445 km East of Aparri, Cagayan (Outside PAR) (17.2°N, 135.2°E)72 Hour (Saturday morning): 1,740 km East of Basco, Batanes (Outside PAR) (19.8°N, 138.6°E)
NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL	
The public and the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next weather bulletin to be issued at 11 PM today.	

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 1 for Tropical Storm "DANTE" (MUIFA)** to all OCD Regional Offices through SMS and facsimile and uploaded on the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local DRRMCs from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
- Directed concerned Regional and Local DRRMCs to undertake the necessary preparedness measures and possible response actions.