



NDRRMC ADVISORY

TO : CHAIRPERSON, RDRRMC/OCDROs II and III
FROM : Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD
SUBJECT : Severe Weather Bulletin No. 4A for Severe Tropical Storm "JULIAN" (I.N. "MAYSAK")
DATE : 29 August 2020, 5:00 AM

Source: DOST-PAGASA

"JULIAN" INTENSIFIES INTO A SEVERE TROPICAL STORM WHILE IT REMAINS ALMOST STATIONARY.

Track and intensity outlook:

- **"JULIAN" is forecast to move slowly northward today**, then turn north-northeastward or northward tomorrow (30 August) and northwestward on Monday (31 August). On the forecast track, the tropical cyclone will remain over the Philippine Sea throughout the forecast period, far from the landmass. It is likely to exit the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR) on Monday (31 August) evening.
- This tropical cyclone will continuously intensify throughout the forecast period. **It is forecast to reach typhoon category by tomorrow.**

Hazards affecting land and coastal waters:

- The raising of Tropical Cyclone Wind Signal is unlikely throughout the forecast period. Furthermore, "JULIAN" is less likely to directly cause high impact weather over the country.
- The Southwest Monsoon is forecast to bring moderate to rough seas (1.2 to 2.8 m) over the seaboard of Northern Luzon and the eastern seaboard of Central Luzon. Those with small seacrafts are advised to take precautionary measures while venturing out to sea.

Other information:

- The **international name "MAYSAK"**, which means "a kind of tree", was contributed by Cambodia.

Location of eye/center:	At 4:00 AM today , the center of Severe Tropical Storm "JULIAN" at 850 km East of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan (16.3°N, 129.6°E) .
Strength:	Maximum sustained winds of 95 km/h near the center and gustiness of up to 115 km/h .
Movement:	Moving Almost Stationary

Forecast Positions:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): 845 km East of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan (17.3°N, 129.7°E) • 48 Hour (Monday morning): 800 km East of Basco, Batanes (21.5°N, 129.6°E) • 72 Hour (Tuesday morning): 795 km Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (26.1°N, 126.7°E) • 96 Hour (Wednesday morning): 1,045 km North Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (29.3°N, 125.5°E)
NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNAL	

The public and the disaster risk reduction and management council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next update to be incorporated in the 4:00 AM Public Weather Forecast and in the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 11:00 AM today.

In order to better inform/warn communities, you are reminded to disseminate these through local/community leaders and through your local media, including community radio stations. Conduct press briefings as often as needed. This local effort will complement and reinforce efforts at the national level. Emphasis should be on proactive actions – evacuation rather than rescue.

Moreover, you are hereby directed to reiterate the guidelines on personal protection and hygiene such as respiratory etiquette and hand hygiene, social distancing, environmental, and food safety measures.

Let's untiringly aim for zero casualty.

Submit report on actions taken.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:


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