



NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. 01 for Tropical Depression “Marce”

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THE LOW PRESSURE AREA EAST NORTHEAST OF EXTREME NORTHERN LUZON HAS DEVELOPED INTO TROPICAL DEPRESSION "MARCE".

- "MARCE" developed from a Low Pressure Area at 2:00 PM today.
- This tropical cyclone is not expected to affect any land area or coastal waters of the country.
- On the forecast track, "MARCE" will move north-northwestward to northward tonight before turning north-northeastward tomorrow morning. It is expected to exit the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR) tonight or tomorrow early morning.
- "MARCE" is forecast to remain a tropical depression throughout its lifespan. It is forecast to transition into an extratropical low on Tuesday.

Location of eye/center	At 4:00 PM today , the center of Tropical Depression "MARCE" was estimated based on all available data at 1,275 km East Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (24.2°N, 133.7°E) .
Strength	Maximum sustained winds of 45 km/h near the center and gustiness of up to 55 km/h .
Movement	Moving North Northwestward at 15 km/h
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour (Tomorrow afternoon): 1,530 km Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (27.8°N, 134.7°E) • 48 Hour (Tuesday afternoon): 1,750 km Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (30.6°N, 135.3°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 Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at **11:00 PM today**.

ACTIONS TAKEN:

NDRRM Operations Center cascaded **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 01 for Tropical Depression “MARCE”** to all OCD Regional Offices concerned through SMS and email and uploaded in the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local DRRMCs from the provincial down to the municipal levels.