



TROPICAL CYCLONE BULLETIN NR. 18
Tropical Depression WILMA

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WILMA CONTINUES TO MOVE WEST NORTHWESTWARD WHILE OVER THE COASTAL WATERS OF EASTERN SAMAR

Location of Center (10:00 PM)

The center of Tropical Depression WILMA was estimated based on all available data at **over the coastal waters of Oras, Eastern Samar (12.1°N, 125.6°E).**

Intensity

Maximum sustained winds of **45 km/h** near the center, gustiness of up to **55 km/h**, and central pressure of **1004 hPa**

Present Movement

West northwestward Slowly

Extent of Tropical Cyclone Winds

Strong winds extend outwards up to **180 km** from the center

TRACK AND INTENSITY FORECAST						
Date and Time	Center Position			Intensity		Movement dir. and speed (km/h)
	Lat. (°N)	Lon. (°E)	Location	MSW (km/h)	Cat.	
12-Hour Forecast 8:00 AM 07 December 2025	12.1	124.4	Over the coastal waters of Calbayog, Samar	45	TD	W 15
24-Hour Forecast 8:00 PM 07 December 2025	11.7	122.2	In the vicinity of Ibabay, Aklan	45	TD	W 20
36-Hour Forecast 8:00 AM 08 December 2025	11.3	120.0	Over the coastal waters of Linapacan, Palawan	45	TD	W 20
48-Hour Forecast 8:00 PM 08 December 2025	10.9	117.5	190 km Northwest of Puerto Princesa City, Palawan	45	TD	W 25
60-Hour Forecast 8:00 AM 09 December 2025	10.5	115.3	125 km East Southeast of Pag-asa Island, Kalayaan, Palawan	45	TD	W 20
72-Hour Forecast 8:00 PM 09 December 2025	10.1	112.9	185 km Southwest of Pag-asa Island, Kalayaan, Palawan (OUTSIDE PAR)	45	TD	W 20
96-Hour Forecast 8:00 PM 10 December 2025	9.8	109.7	520 km West Southwest of Pag-asa Island, Kalayaan, Palawan (OUTSIDE PAR)	-	LOW	W 15

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TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNALS (TCWS) IN EFFECT			
TCWS No.	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao
1 Wind threat: Strong winds	Sorsogon, Masbate including Ticao and Burias Islands, Romblon, the southern portion of Oriental Mindoro (Bulalacao, Mansalay, Roxas, Bongabong, Bansud), the southern portion of Occidental Mindoro (Magsaysay, San Jose, Rizal, Calintaan, Sablayan), and the northernmost portion of Palawan (Araceli, Dumarán, El Nido, Taytay, Roxas, San Vicente) including Cuyo, Calamian, and Cagayancillo Islands	Northern Samar, Eastern Samar, Samar, Biliran, the northern and central portions of Leyte (Tunga, Pastrana, San Miguel, Mahaplag, Matag-Ob, Tolosa, Palo, Calubian, Leyte, Mayorga, Julita, Carigara, Babatngon, Dagami, Inopacan, Jaro, Abuyog, San Isidro, Santa Fe, Albueria, Villaba, La Paz, Palompon, Macarthur, Tabontabon, Tanauan, Merida, Ormoc City, Isabel, Javier, Dulag, Capoocan, Alangalang, Hindang, City of Baybay, Burauen, Tabango, Tacloban City, Kananga, Barugo), the northern and central portions of Cebu (Daanbantayan, Medellin, City of Bogó, San Remigio, Tabogon, Borbon, Tabuelan, Tuburan, Sogod, Catmon, Asturias, Carmen, Danao City, Balamban, Compostela, Liloan, Consolacion, Mandaue City, Cebu City, City of Talisay, Minglanilla, Toledo City, Pinamungahan, City of Naga, Lapu-Lapu City, Cordova) including Bantayan Islands and Camotes Islands, the northern portion of Negros Oriental (Canlaon City, Vallehermoso, City of Guihulngan), the northern and central portions of Negros Occidental (Sagay City, City of Escalante, Toboso, Calatrava, Enrique B. Magalona, City of Victorias, Manapla, Cadiz City, Bacolod City, City of Talisay, Silay City, Salvador Benedicto, San Carlos City, Murcia, Bago City, La Carlota City, La Castellana, Moises Padilla, Valladolid, Pulupandan, San Enrique, Pontevedra, Isabela, Hinigaran), Guimaras, Iloilo, Capiz, Aklan, and Antique including Caluya Islands	-
	Warning lead time: 36 hours Range of wind speeds: 39 to 61 km/h (Beaufort 6 to 7) Potential impacts of winds: Minimal to minor threat to life and property		

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OTHER HAZARDS AFFECTING LAND AREAS

Heavy Rainfall Outlook

Refer to Weather Advisory No. 14 issued at 11:00 PM today for the heavy rainfall outlook due to Tropical Cyclone WILMA and Shear Line.

Severe Winds

The wind signals warn the public of the **general wind threat** over an area due to the tropical cyclone. Local winds may be slightly stronger/enhanced in coastal and upland/mountainous areas exposed to winds. Winds are less strong in areas sheltered from the prevailing wind direction.

- **Minimal to minor impacts** from strong winds are possible within any of the areas under Wind Signal No. 1.

Furthermore the Northeast Monsoon will also bring **strong to gale-force gusts** over the following areas **not under Wind Signal** (especially in coastal and upland areas exposed to winds):

- **Today:** Most of Luzon, Visayas, and Zamboanga Peninsula
- **Tomorrow (07 December):** Most of Luzon, Visayas, and Zamboanga Peninsula
- **Monday (08 December):** Most of Luzon

HAZARDS AFFECTING COASTAL WATERS

Gale Warning is in effect over the northern and eastern seaboard of Luzon. Refer to Gale Warning No. 9 issued at 5:00 PM today.

24-Hour Sea Condition Outlook

Up to very rough seas over the following coastal waters:

- **Up to 5.0 m:** The seaboard of mainland Cagayan, Isabela, and Aurora; the northern and eastern seaboard of Polillo Islands, Camarines Norte, and Camarines Sur.
- **Up to 4.5 m:** The eastern seaboard of Batanes, Babuyan Islands, and northern mainland Quezon; the northern and eastern seaboard of Catanduanes.
- **Sea travel is risky for all types or tonnage of vessels. All mariners must remain in port or, if underway, seek shelter or safe harbor as soon as possible until winds and waves subside.**

Up to rough seas over the following coastal waters:

- **Up to 4.0 m:** The remaining seaboard of Batanes and Babuyan Islands; the seaboard of Ilocos Norte.
- **Up to 3.5 m:** The eastern seaboard of Albay, Sorsogon, and Eastern Samar; the seaboard of Northern Samar and Kalayaan Islands.
- **Up to 3.0 m:** The seaboard of Ilocos Sur, La Union; the eastern seaboard of Dinagat Islands, Siargao and Bucas Grande Islands, Surigao del Sur, and Davao Oriental.
- **Mariners of small seacrafts, including all types of motorbancas, are advised not to venture out to sea under these conditions, especially if inexperienced of operating ill-equipped vessels.**

Up to moderate to rough seas over the following coastal waters:

- **Up to 2.5 m:** The western seaboard of Pangasinan and Palawan; the seaboard of Cuyo Islands; the western seaboard of Antique and Negros Occidental; the southern seaboard of Oriental Mindoro, Negros Oriental; the seaboard of Occidental Mindoro, Romblon, and Aklan.
- **Up to 2.0 m:** The remaining seaboard of Palawan, Quezon, and Camarines Sur; the seaboard of Zambales, Bataan, Batangas, and Marinduque; the northwestern seaboard of Masbate including Burias Islands; the remaining seaboard of Oriental Mindoro and Davao Oriental; the southern seaboard of Davao Occidental; the northern seaboard of Zamboanga del Norte.
- **Mariners of motorbancas and similarly sized vessels are advised to take precautionary measures while venturing out to sea and, if possible, avoid navigation under these conditions.**



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TRACK AND INTENSITY OUTLOOK

- **It must be emphasized that heavy rainfall and severe winds may still be experienced in localities outside the landfall point and the forecast confidence cone. Refer to “Other Hazards affecting Land Areas” for more details. Furthermore, the track may still shift within the limit of the forecast confidence cone.**
- WILMA is forecast to move generally westward for majority of the forecast period. On the forecast track, the center of WILMA may make its initial landfall over Eastern Samar or Northern Samar tonight. Afterwards, it will continue to traverse Visayas until tomorrow (07 December). It will then emerge over Sulu Sea and may pass over northern Palawan by Monday (08 December) morning.
- WILMA will likely remain as a tropical depression throughout its passage over Visayas and Palawan. However, due to dry intrusion from the Northeast monsoon, there is an increasing likelihood of weakening into a remnant low while traversing the area of Visayas.

Considering these developments, the public and disaster risk reduction and management offices concerned are advised to take all necessary measures to protect life and property. Persons living in areas identified to be highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards are advised to follow evacuation and other instructions from local officials. **For heavy rainfall warnings, thunderstorm/rainfall advisories, and other severe weather information specific to your area, please monitor products issued by your local PAGASA Regional Services Division.**

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