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## TROPICAL CYCLONE BULLETIN NR. 20 Super Typhoon CARINA (GAEMI)

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## CARINA INTENSIFIES INTO SUPER TYPHOON AND IS ABOUT TO MAKE LANDFALL OVER NORTHERN TAIWAN

## Location of Center (4:00 PM)

The center of the eye of Super Typhoon CARINA was estimated based on all available data at 380 km North of Itbayat, Batanes (24.2°N, 122.1°E)

#### Intensity

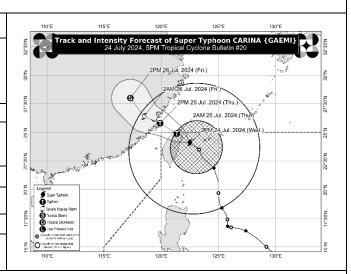
Maximum sustained winds of **185 km/h** near the center, gustiness of up to **230 km/h**, and central pressure of **930 hPa** 

## **Present Movement**

Northwestward at 20 km/h

## **Extent of Tropical Cyclone Winds**

Strong to typhoon-force winds extend outwards up to 700 km from the center



## TRACK AND INTENSITY FORECAST Center Position

	Center Position				sity	Movement	
Date and Time	Lat. (°N)	Lon. (°E)	Location	MSW (km/h)	Cat.	dir. and speed (km/h)	
12-Hour Forecast 2:00 AM 25 July 2024	24.9	121.4	460 km North of Itbayat, Batanes or in the vicinity of New Taipei City, Taiwan	175	TY	NW 10	
24-Hour Forecast 2:00 PM 25 July 2024	25.8	119.9	590 km North Northwest of Itbayat, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR)	130	TY	NW 15	
36-Hour Forecast 2:00 AM 26 July 2024	26.4	118.5	710 km North Northwest of Itbayat, Batanes or in the vicinity of Fujian, China (OUTSIDE PAR)	110	STS	WNW 15	
<b>48-Hour Forecast</b> 2:00 PM 26 July 2024	28.0	117.3	925 km North Northwest of Extreme Northern Luzon or in the vicinity of Jiangxi, China (OUTSIDE PAR)	75	TS	NW 20	

TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNALS (TCWS) IN EFFECT								
TCWS No.	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao					
2	Batanes	-	-					
Wind threat: Gale-Force winds	Warning lead time: 24 hours Range of wind speeds: 62 to 88 km/h (Beaufort 8 to 9) Potential impacts of winds: Minor to moderate threat to life and property							

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TCWS No.	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao				
Wind threat: Strong winds	Babuyan Islands, the northern portion of mainland Cagayan (Claveria, Santa Praxedes, Sanchez-Mira, Pamplona, Abulug, Ballesteros, Aparri, Camalaniugan, Buguey, Santa Teresita, Santa Ana, Gonzaga), and the northern portion of Ilocos Norte (Burgos, Bangui, Pagudpud, Dumalneg, Adams)	-	-				
	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						

#### OTHER HAZARDS AFFECTING LAND AREAS

#### **Heavy Rainfall Outlook**

Forecast accumulated rainfall: From today to tomorrow afternoon

• 50-100 mm: Batanes and Babuyan Islands

Forecast rainfall are generally higher in elevated or mountainous areas. Under these conditions, flooding and rain-induced landslides are possible especially in areas that are highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards as identified in official hazard maps and in localities that experienced considerable amounts of rainfall for the past several days.

Furthermore, the Southwest Monsoon enhanced by CARINA will bring **moderate to intense rainfall** over various localities in the western portion of Luzon today through Friday. For more information, refer to Weather Advisory No. 29 issued at 11:00 AM today.

## **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.

- Minor to moderate impacts from strong winds are possible within any of the localities where Wind Signal No. 2 is hoisted.
- Minimal to minor impacts from strong winds are possible within any of the areas under Wind Signal No. 1.

The Southwest Monsoon enhanced by CARINA will also bring **strong to gale-force gusts** over the following areas (especially in coastal and upland areas exposed to winds):

- Today: Ilocos Region, Cordillera Administrative Region, Nueva Vizcaya, Quirino, the eastern portion of Isabela, Central Luzon, Metro Manila, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, Bicol Region, Visayas, Zamboanga Peninsula, Northern Mindanao, BARMM, and Davao Region
- Thursday (25 July): Ilocos Region, Cordillera Administrative Region, Nueva Vizcaya, Quirino, the eastern portion of Isabela, Central Luzon, Metro Manila, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, Bicol Region, Western Visayas, Negros Occidental, and Northern Samar
- Friday (26 July): Ilocos Region, Cordillera Administrative Region, Nueva Vizcaya, Quirino, the eastern portion of Isabela, Central Luzon, Metro Manila, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, Bicol Region, and Western Visayas.

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### HAZARDS AFFECTING COASTAL WATERS

- Gale Warning is in effect over the coastal waters of Batanes, Babuyan Islands, and the northern portion of Ilocos Norte and Cagayan. Sea travel is risky for small seacrafts, including all types of motorbancas. For more information, refer to Gale Warning No. 5 issued at 5:00 PM today.
- In the next 24 hours, CARINA and the enhanced Southwest Monsoon will bring **rough seas** over the seaboards of Northern Luzon (2.5 to 4.0 m) outside Gale Warning areas, and the western seaboard of Central Luzon (2.5 to 4.0 m). **Moderate to rough seas** are also expected over the western seaboard of Southern Luzon (1.5 to 3.5 m) and the eastern seaboards of Central and Southern Luzon (1.5 to 3.0 m) **Mariners of small seacrafts, including all types of motorbancas, are advised not to venture out to sea under these conditions, especially if inexperienced or operating ill-equipped vessels.**
- Moderate seas are also expected over the southern seaboard of Southern Luzon (1.5 to 2.5 m), the western and eastern seaboards of Visayas, and the eastern seaboard of Mindanao (1.5 to 2.0 m). 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.

#### TRACK AND INTENSITY OUTLOOK

- CARINA is forecast to make landfall over the northern portion of Taiwan this evening. On the track forecast, the super typhoon
  will cross the rugged terrain of Taiwan and exit the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR) tomorrow (25 July) morning.
  Outside the PAR Region, CARINA will cross the Taiwan Strait and make its final landfall over southeastern China tomorrow
  afternoon or evening.
- CARINA is has reached its peak intensity as Super Typhoon prior to its landfall over Taiwan due to favorable environment.
   Its landfall over northern Taiwan will trigger a weakening trend for the rest of the forecast period.

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.

The next tropical cyclone bulletin will be issued at 11:00 PM today.

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