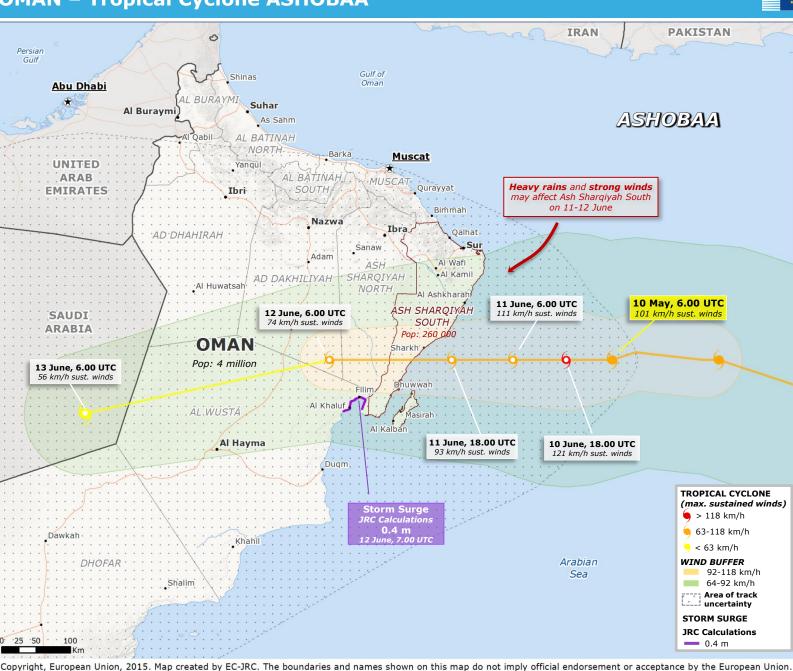
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coast of the **South Ash Sharqiyah** governorate (pop. 260 000) of Oman. On 10 June, at 6.00 UTC, its centre was located approx. 250 km east of Sharkh and it had max. sustained winds of 101 km/h. It is forecast to approach the coast of

ASHOBAA is moving west, towards the

- It is forecast to approach the coast of South Ash Sharqiyah governorate in the afternoon of 11 June, with max. sustained winds of 90-100 km/h; then it will move inland, weakening.
 - **and central Oman**. According to JRC calculations, a storm surge of 0.4 m may also affect the coastal area north of Al Khaluf in the morning of 12 June.

On 10-12 June, heavy rains and strong

winds may affect several areas of eastern

Sources: GDACS, JTWC, PACA, NCSI (1,2), PMD, Media

Relevant Tropical Cyclones in OMAN over the period 2000 – 2015

The most damaging and intense Tropical Cyclone that hit OMAN over the last 15 years was GONU in 2007. Nearly 80 people were killed and another 20 000 were affected.

The Tropical Cyclones included in the Top 10 Natural Disasters in OMAN (CRED/EM-DAT) for the period **2000-2015** are shown below.



