



SITUATION

- TC MERANTI:** On 13 September at 06.00 UTC its centre was located approx. 317 km east of Batan island (Batanes islands, Philippines) and 500 km south-east of the eastern coast of Taiwan and had max. sustained wind speed of 296 km/h (Typhoon).
 Over the next 24 h it is forecast to continue moving north-west maintaining its intensity. Heavy rain, strong winds and storm surge may affect areas along its path. It may move near or over the Batanes islands on 13 September afternoon (UTC), possibly as a very intense Typhoon.
- TC MALAKAS:** As of 13 September early afternoon (UTC), the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA) has issued a Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal #4 for Batanes islands and #3 for Babuyan islands.
 South-eastern China and Taiwan were previously affected by TC NERPATAK which caused widespread damage and casualties.
- TC RAI:** On 12 September late afternoon (UTC) it made landfall close to Quang Ngai city (Quang Ngai province, central Vietnam) as a Tropical Depression. It then continued moving over land weakening. Over the next 24 h it is forecast to continue moving west-northwest weakening further and dissipating. Heavy rain may continue to affect areas along its path. Due to its passage several buildings were damaged in several central provinces of the country.
- TC MALAKAS:** On 13 September at 6.00 UTC its centre was located approx. 860 km north-west of Hagatna island (Guam islands, USA) and it had max. sustained wind speed of 83 km/h (Tropical Storm). Over the next 24 h it is forecast to continue moving north-west strengthening.

Sources: GDACS, JTWC, NOAA, PAGASA, CMA, CWB, NCHMF, Local Media

FORECAST ACCUM. RAINFALL
 13 SEP. 0.00UTC to 18 SEPT. 6.00UTC (NOAA)

