

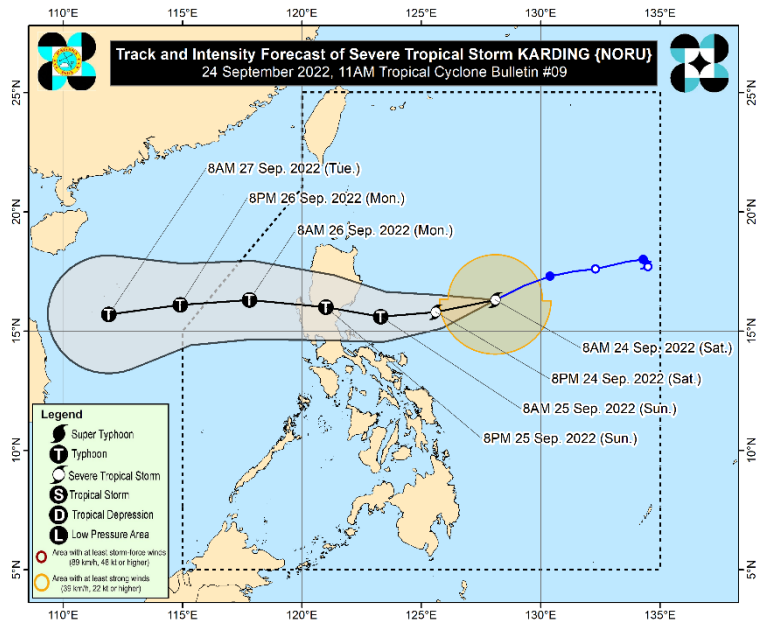
DSWD DROMIC Preparedness for Response Report #2 on Tropical Storm “Karding” as of 24 September 2022, 6PM

Situation Overview

Issued at 5PM, 24 September 2022, “KARDING” intensifies further while moving West Southwestward over the Philippine Sea east of Aurora.

Heavy Rainfall:

- Tonight, through tomorrow early morning: Light to moderate with at times heavy rains over Batanes, Cagayan, Isabela, the northern portion of Aurora, Catanduanes, Camarines Norte, and Camarines Sur.
- Rest of tomorrow through Monday early morning: Heavy to intense with at times torrential rains over Aurora, Nueva Ecija, Tarlac, Pangasinan, and the northern portion of Zambales. Moderate to heavy with at times intense rains over the rest of Central Luzon. Moderate to heavy rains over Cagayan, Isabela, Quirino, Nueva Vizcaya, Cordillera Administrative Region, Ilocos Provinces, La Union, Metro Manila, and CALABARZON.
- Under these conditions, scattered flooding and rain-induced landslides are possible, especially in areas that are highly or very highly susceptible to these hazard as identified in hazard maps and in localities with significant antecedent rainfall.
- Due to the Southwest Monsoon partly influenced by KARDING, occasional rains are also possible beginning today or tomorrow over most of Southern Luzon and Visayas, especially over their western sections. As such, the issuance of Weather Advisory for Southwest Monsoon is not ruled out.



Severe Winds:

- Winds may reach gale-force in strength in any of the areas where Wind Signal no.2 is hoisted throughout the passage of KARDING. Strong winds (strong breeze to near gale strength) will be experienced within any of the areas where Wind Signal No. 1 is currently in effect.
- Per latest track and intensity forecast, the most likely highest wind signal that will be hoisted is Wind Signal No. 4.

Hazards affecting Coastal Waters:

- Under the influence of Severe Tropical Storm KARDING, a Gale Warning is in effect over the eastern seaboard of Luzon. For more information, refer to Gale Warning #1 issued at 5:00 PM today.
- In the next 24 hours, a preceding northeasterlies and the approaching severe tropical

storm may bring moderate to rough seas (1.5 to 3.5 m) over the northern and western seaboard of Northern Luzon. These conditions may be risky for those using small seacrafts. Mariners are advised to take precautionary measures when venturing out to sea and, if possible, avoid navigating in these conditions.

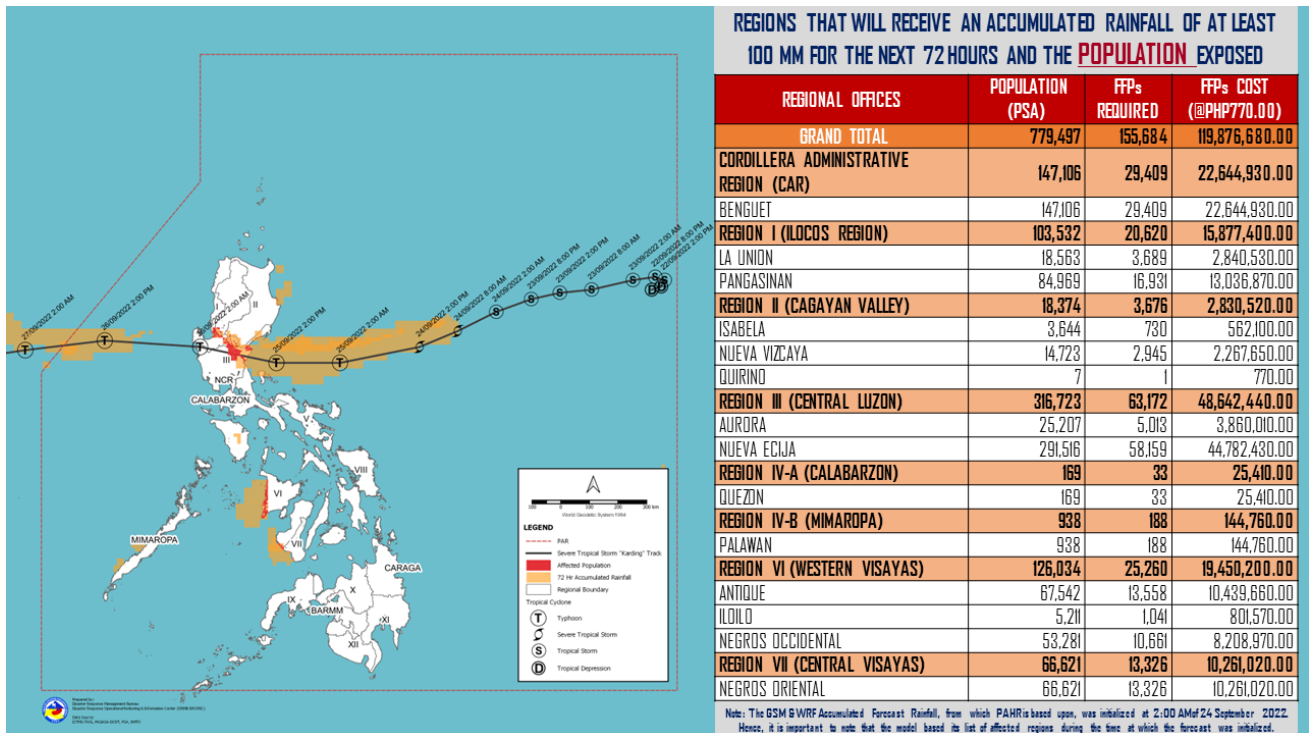
Track and Intensity Outlook:

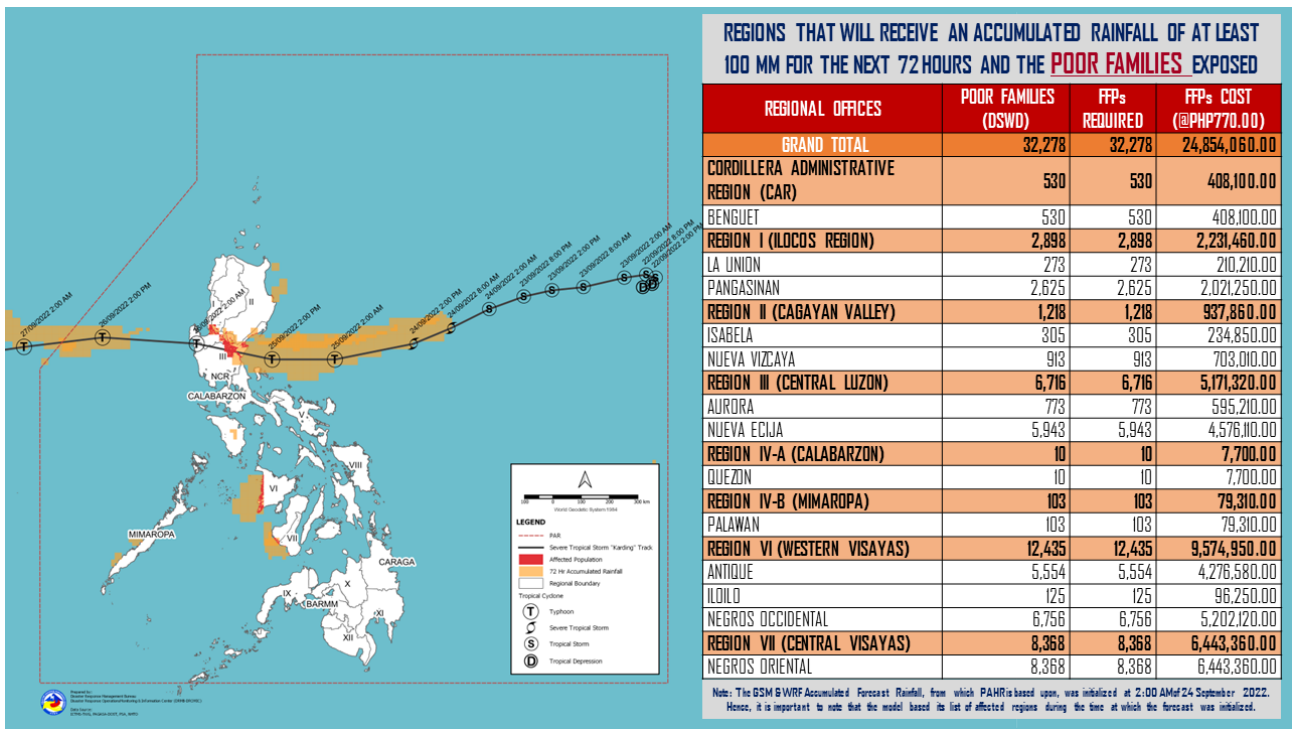
- Severe Tropical Storm KARDING is forecast to track generally west southwestward to westward towards the east coast of Aurora or northern portion of Quezon, where it is likely to make landfall tomorrow afternoon. After crossing Central Luzon, the tropical cyclone is forecast to emerge over the West Philippine Sea tomorrow late evening or Monday early morning. KARDING will then continue tracking westward over the West Philippine Sea for the remainder of the forecast period.
- This tropical cyclone is forecast to intensify into a typhoon in the next 12 hours and may further intensify prior to landfall. While it is likely for this tropical cyclone to slightly weaken due to land interaction during its traverse over Central Luzon, it is highly likely that KARDING will remain a typhoon while crossing the landmass.

The center of Severe Tropical Storm KARDING was estimated based on all available data at 475 km East of Casiguran, Aurora or 520 km East of Baler, Aurora (15.6 °N, 126.5 °E)

Source: DOST-PAGASA Severe Weather Bulletin

Predictive Analytics for Humanitarian Response (PAHR)





Status of Prepositioned Resources: Stockpile and Standby Funds

The DSWD Central Office (CO), Field Offices (FOs), and National Resource Operations Center (NROC) have stockpiles and standby funds amounting to **₱1,604,873,331.22** with breakdown as follows (see Table 1):

a. Standby Funds

A total of **₱600,441,200.86** standby funds in the CO and FOs. Of the said amount, **₱517,026,212.12** is the available **Quick Response Fund (QRF)** in the CO.

b. Stockpiles

A total of **548,889** family food packs (FFPs) amounting to **₱327,839,028.26**, **other food items** amounting to **₱174,023,289.26**, and **non-food items (FNIs)** amounting to **₱500,569,812.78** are available.

Table 1. Available Stockpiles and Standby Funds

REGIONAL / FIELD OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	FAMILY FOOD PACKS		OTHER FOOD ITEMS	NON-FOOD RELIEF ITEMS	TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST	TOTAL COST	TOTAL COST	
TOTAL	600,441,200.86	548,889	327,839,028.26	174,023,289.32	502,569,812.78	1,604,873,331.22
Central Office	517,026,212.12	-	-	-	-	517,026,212.12
NRLMB - NROC	-	60,059	39,543,126.00	19,740,329.66	114,588,121.04	173,871,576.70
NRLMB - VDRC	-	35,829	23,027,910.00	41,794,631.00	72,010.00	64,894,551.00
I	5,082,232.51	27,308	17,222,940.10	16,337,902.85	16,454,998.40	55,098,073.86
II	5,623,408.00	24,065	12,817,078.00	3,531,159.25	12,652,652.10	34,624,297.35
III	5,253,797.79	22,240	11,711,653.47	698,652.57	18,096,357.45	35,760,461.28
CALABARZON	5,000,000.47	13,840	8,011,252.15	4,947,166.00	28,707,345.66	46,665,764.28
MIMAROPA	7,120,619.78	36,135	25,294,500.00	11,048,216.50	23,817,000.67	67,280,336.95
V	5,000,000.00	71,852	38,461,321.28	6,279,587.05	38,837,115.92	88,578,024.25
VI	5,000,000.00	32,824	16,978,462.00	1,737,820.00	27,404,335.14	51,120,617.14
VII	5,000,000.00	30,662	17,843,440.00	12,762,068.59	35,608,076.14	71,213,584.73
VIII	5,000,000.00	35,623	21,274,868.76	779,538.50	32,126,926.37	59,181,333.63

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IX	5,000,000.00	27,651	9,603,468.77	6,280,661.28	15,176,872.85	36,061,002.90
X	5,243,500.50	19,268	13,504,512.50	14,976,840.83	26,256,221.58	59,981,075.41
XI	5,090,000.00	22,053	13,985,237.00	11,751,428.75	26,317,906.80	57,144,572.55
XII	5,000,969.85	17,600	10,635,710.00	7,638,855.00	22,622,742.15	45,898,277.00
CARAGA	5,000,000.00	13,862	9,425,228.00	334,307.51	16,654,895.60	31,414,431.11
NCR	5,000,000.00	3,109	1,941,107.92	4,079,454.45	5,561,838.21	16,582,400.58
CAR	5,000,459.84	54,909	36,557,212.31	9,304,669.53	41,614,396.70	92,476,738.38

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 24 September 2022, 4PM.

Source: DRMB and NRLMB

Situational Reports

DSWD-DRMB

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
24 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Disaster Response Management Bureau (DRMB) closely coordinates with the concerned Field Offices for significant disaster response updates. The DRMB participated in the online Pre-Disaster Risk Assessment (PDRA) Core Group Meeting on Severe Tropical Storm (STS) "KARDING" with other response cluster member agencies. Further, meetings shall be conducted on the implementation of COVID-19 Protocols during the response efforts on the STS "Karding". All DRMB Quick Response Team (QRT) members and emergency equipment are on standby and ready for deployment.

DSWD-NRLMB

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
24 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD-NRLMB continuously repacks goods for possible augmentation.

DSWD-FO CAR

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
23 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO CAR conducted internal PDRA meeting on planning for monitoring and response for STS "Karding". DSWD FO CAR Issued advisory for the Quick Response Teams (QRTs) for STS "Karding". The City Risk Reduction and Management Council (CDRRMC) raised the alert level status of the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) to Red Alert. DSWD FO CAR continuously monitors weather updates and information. DSWD FO CAR through the Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) QRT is on standby at the DRMD Operations Center to monitor the effects of STS "Karding". DSWD FO CAR is strategically prepositioning the goods to disaster prone areas in the Region for readily available response. DSWD FO CAR ensures availability of FNIs at the DSWD CAR Regional and Satellite warehouses. The DRMD Disaster Response focal persons in the provinces are actively monitoring their respective areas of responsibility (AORs) for any untoward incident. DSWD FO CAR ensures the availability of transportation and communication services ready for deployment. DSWD FO CAR continuously coordinates with other National Government Agencies regarding the weather disturbance. DSWD FO CAR through the DRMD conducted consultation meeting with the Provincial/Municipal Action Teams (P/MATs) on the management of prepositioned goods in the LGUs.

DSWD-FO I

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
24 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO I is continuously monitoring the movement of STS “Karding” through the Department of Science and Technology – Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (DOST – PAGASA) and in close coordination with the Regional Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council 1 (RDRRMC1). DSWD FO I spearheaded by the Assistant Regional Director Marlene Febes D. Peralta attended the virtual Weather Updating Session facilitated by the Office of Civil Defense in preparation for the possible effects of the STS “Karding” via Zoom. PAGASA weather updates, landslides and flood susceptibility, and hotdog forecast track were discussed and current situation of the provinces were shared. DSWD FO I monitored no pre-emptive evacuation conducted in all provinces.

DSWD-FO II

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
24 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO II facilitated the conduct of response cluster meeting relative to STS “Karding”. DSWD FO II activated the DRMD QRT to render 24-hour duty and monitor the possible effects of STS “Karding”. DSWD FO II continuously monitors and disseminate weather situation and advisories regarding the STS “Karding” through DOST-PAGASA weather bulletin. DSWD FO II is continuously monitoring and coordinating with Municipal Action Teams (MATs) and SWADTs for weather situations in the region regarding possible effects of STS “Karding”. DSWD FO II continuously crafts and publishes Press Releases and Information, Education and Communication (IEC) materials. DSWD FO II ensures availability of Food and Non-Food Items (FNIs) at any given time.

DSWD-FO III

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
24 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO III participated in the PDRA conducted by the Regional Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council. DSWD FO III continuously monitor the prevailing weather system in the region in coordination with the Philippine warning agencies. The Regional/Provincial Quick Response team are on alert level and ready for deployment in case of any untoward incidents. DSWD FO III requested augmentation of 20,000 FFPs from the NRLMB. DSWD FO III facilitates the on-going procurement of hygiene kits and materials for the production of FFPs.

DSWD-FO MIMAROPA

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
23 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO MIMAROPA attended the PDRA at the Regional Level with Emergency Preparedness and Response Protocol: Bravo. DSWD FO MIMAROPA alerted the SWADT Offices to monitor daily local weather conditions and related eventualities, and ensure the provision of information to all concerned offices, divisions, sections, and units. On-call status of the expanded R/P/C/M QRTs together with special projects staff on a 24/7 basis for possible activation of Operation Center to respond in case any untoward incident and eventualities are reported. Standby logistical equipment and workforce through coordination with SWADT Offices and concerned LGUs on the management of stranded passengers, if any, in ports and terminals. The Information and Communication Technology Management Section (ICTMS) is on standby status to ensure a robust communication system.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO MIMAROPA is in close coordination with the Office of Civil Defense (OCD) and RDRRMC MIMAROPA for any updates for monitoring purposes and response mechanisms for areas that will be affected. • DSWD FO MIMAROPA ensures adherence to the NDRRMC's guidelines on COVID-19 Preparedness Measure for the anticipated rainy season. •
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DSWD-FO V

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
23 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO V continuously monitors weather updates and other pertinent disaster information. • The Resource Operation Section ensures the availability of FFPs and non-food items as need arises. • DSWD FO V continuously conducts prepositioning of goods to satellite and/or LGU warehouses.

DSWD-FO VI

DATE	SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN
24 September 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI continuous to conduct weather monitoring through DOST- PAGASA Social Media Pages and disseminating the same to Regional, Provincial, City, and Municipal Quick Response Team. • DSWD FO VI facilitated Re-orientation on Disaster Response photo documentation and DROMIC Reporting to Regional and Provincial QRT Members of Aklan, Antique, Capiz, Guimaras, and Iloilo. • DSWD FO VI Instructed the QRT to monitor their respective AOR continuously and immediately report any disaster-related incidents within their jurisdiction. • DSWD FO VI is in close coordination with PSWDO and other LGUs for significant reports on the status of local areas and continuous provision of technical assistance on DROMIC Report Writing. • Continuous prepositioning and stockpiling of FNIs to strategic preposition sites in Western Visayas. • DSWD FO VI facilitates continuous repacking of Family Food Packs (FFPs) at the Regional Warehouse in Oton, Iloilo. • On-going processing of MOA with identified LGUs as strategic preposition sites. • DSWD FO VI submitted a request for augmentation of relief supplies from NROC/VDRC to be prepositioned in identified preposition sites in Western Visayas.

The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of the DSWD-DRMB is closely monitoring the effects of the Tropical Storm "KARDING" and is coordinating with the concerned DSWD Field Offices for any significant updates.

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