



SITUATION

- TC MUJIGAE**, known in the Philippines as **KABAYAN**, formed over the Philippine Sea late on 30 September and started moving towards central Luzon, strengthening into a Tropical Storm. It reached the coasts of **Aurora province** late in the afternoon (UTC) of **1 October**, as a **Tropical Storm**.
- After the landfall it continued moving north-west over central Luzon, slightly weakening, and it emerged into the South China Sea early on 2 October.
- Heavy rains and strong winds affected several areas of **Luzon** on 1-2 October. Media reported floods, landslides and power cuts in the provinces of Aurora, Nueva Ecija and Pangasinan. As of 2 October morning, there were no reports of casualties.
- Over the next 48 h it is forecast to move over the South China Sea, towards southern China and northern Vietnam. It may reach **Hainan** and **Guangdong** provinces (China) in the morning (UTC) of 4 October, as a Typhoon with max. sustained winds of 120 km/h.
- Strong winds, heavy rains and storm surge** may affect **Hainan, Guangdong and Guangxi** provinces (China), as well as north-eastern Vietnam on 4-5 October. JRC calculations indicate a storm surge of the order of **1.8 m** near **Zhanjiang** (south-western Guangdong) on 4 October morning.
- In southern China, as of 2 October morning, a **Blue Warning for Typhoon** was in effect (China Meteorological Administration).

Sources: GDACS, JTWC, NDRRMC, PAGASA, CMA, JMA, NOAA, NASA, Media

