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ONE RESPONSE

# WEEKLY DISASTER UPDATE

Week 35  
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## SOURCES

ASEAN Disaster Monitoring & Response System (DMRS);  
ASEAN Specialised Meteorological Centre (ASMC); Joint  
Typhoon Warning Center (JTWC);

Indonesia: BMKG, BNPB, PVMBG;  
Myanmar: DDM, DMH;  
Philippines: PHIVOLCS;

Various news agencies

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Member States, relevant agencies of the United Nations  
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This update consists of significant natural disaster events  
that occurred in ASEAN Member States – Brunei  
Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia,  
Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, and Viet Nam.  
The disasters recorded include Drought, Flood, Earthquake,  
Tsunami, Volcano, Wind, Landslide, and Storm.

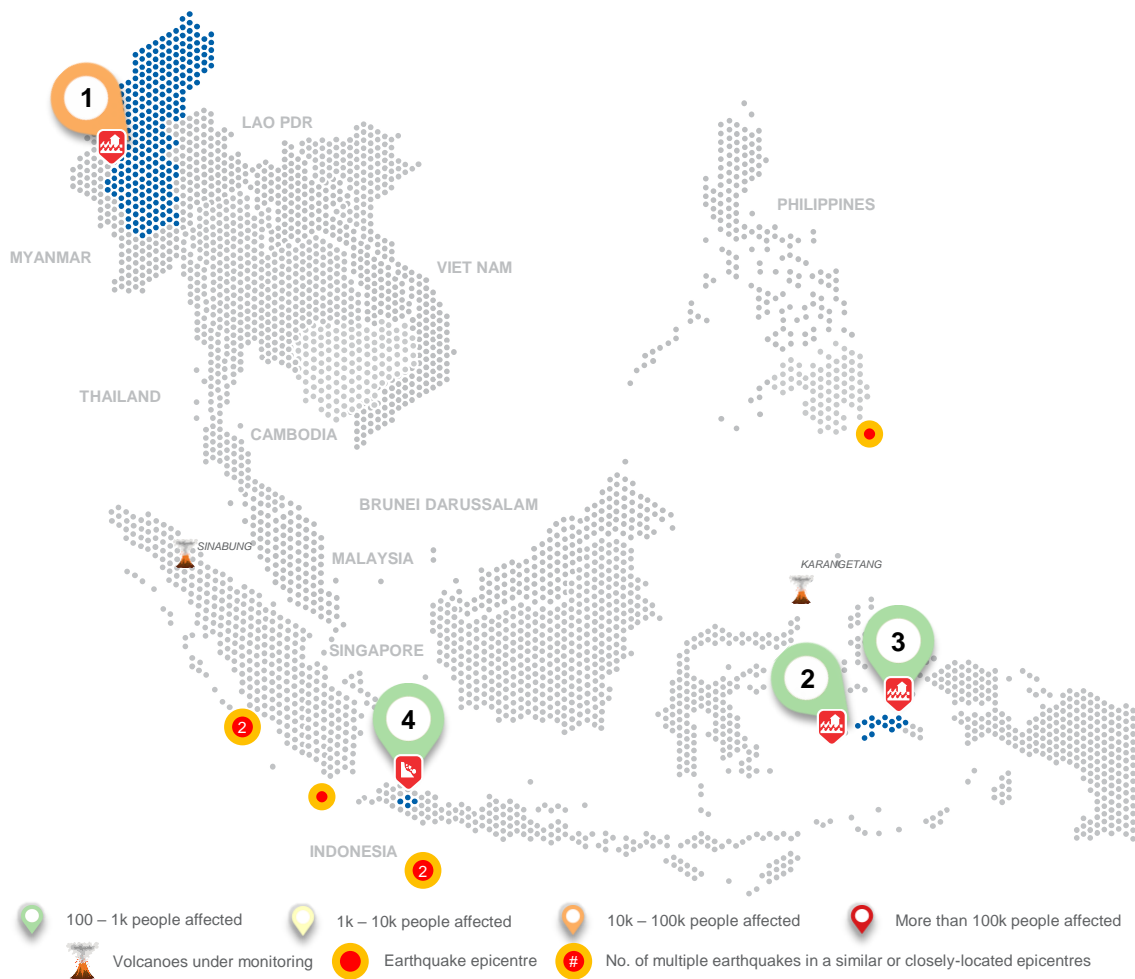
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## REGIONAL TALLY



23K

AFFECTED  
PERSONS



689

DISPLACED  
PERSONS



274

DAMAGED  
HOUSES



0

DEAD



0

MISSING



0

INJURED

### 01 Myanmar, Flooding in Multiple Regions\*

28 Jul 2020 | More details at: [ADinet Report 1745](#)

### 02 Indonesia, Flooding in West Seram Regency, Maluku Province

24 Aug 2020 | More details at: [ADinet Report 1775](#)

### 03 Indonesia, Flooding in Central Maluku Regency, Maluku Province

25 Aug 2020 | More details at: [ADinet Report 1774](#)

### 04 Indonesia, Landslide in West Bandung Regency, West Java Province

28 Aug 2020 | More details at: [ADinet Report 1776](#)

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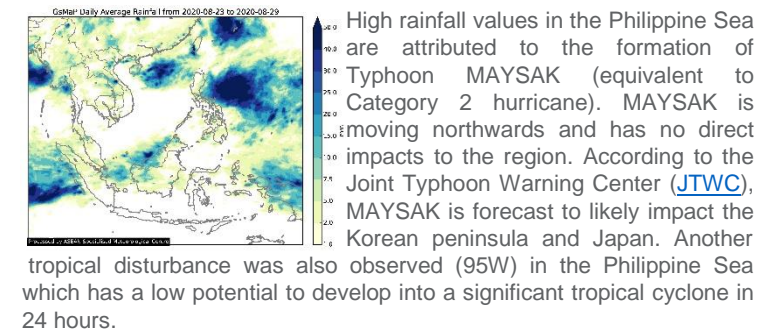
## REGIONAL SUMMARY:

Different significant disaster events have occurred in the region in week 35. Seasonal flooding is still affecting multiple regions in Myanmar as reported by the Department of Disaster of Mitigation ([DDM](#)). Flooding was reported in Maluku province of Indonesia due to high-intensity rain and poor drainage system by the Badan Nasional Penanggulangan Bencana ([BNPB](#)). A landslide was also reported to have occurred in West Bandung in West Java.

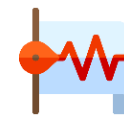
## HIGHLIGHT:

According to [DDM](#), widespread floods is still affecting multiple regions in Myanmar. These floods are due to the overflow of the Ayeyarwady and the Thanlyin Rivers. 21.5K people are reportedly still affected. The [DDM](#) has been actively responding, providing relief items to those affected. According to the Myanmar Department of Meteorology and Hydrology ([DMH](#)), rain or thundershowers will be widespread in Kachin and Shan states and fairly widespread in Chin state.

## HYDRO-METEO-CLIMATOLOGICAL:



## GEOPHYSICAL:



Six (6) significant earthquakes ( $M \geq 5.0$ ) were recorded in the region by Indonesia's Badan Meteorologi Klimatologi dan Geofisika ([BMKG](#)) and the Philippine Institute for Volcanology and Seismology ([PHIVOLCS](#)). Mount Sinabung and Karangetang in Indonesia, both on Alert Level III, are under close monitoring. Lastly, Ibu, Semeru, and Dukono, in Indonesia remain on Alert Level II despite recent volcanic activity per [PVMBG](#).

## OUTLOOK:



The [ASMC](#) has raised Alert Level 1 marking the start of the dry season in the southern ASEAN region. The dry season is expected to continue into October 2020. According to [ASMC](#)'s regional assessment of extremes, a heavy rainfall event and extreme hot conditions are very likely in Indonesia, and most parts of mainland and southern Southeast Asia; A small increase in chance of dry conditions for Cambodia, Thailand, Lao PDR, Myanmar, and the Philippines.

Note: Estimations are based on data reported/confirmed by National  
Disaster Management Organisations of each respective ASEAN  
Member State and other verified sources