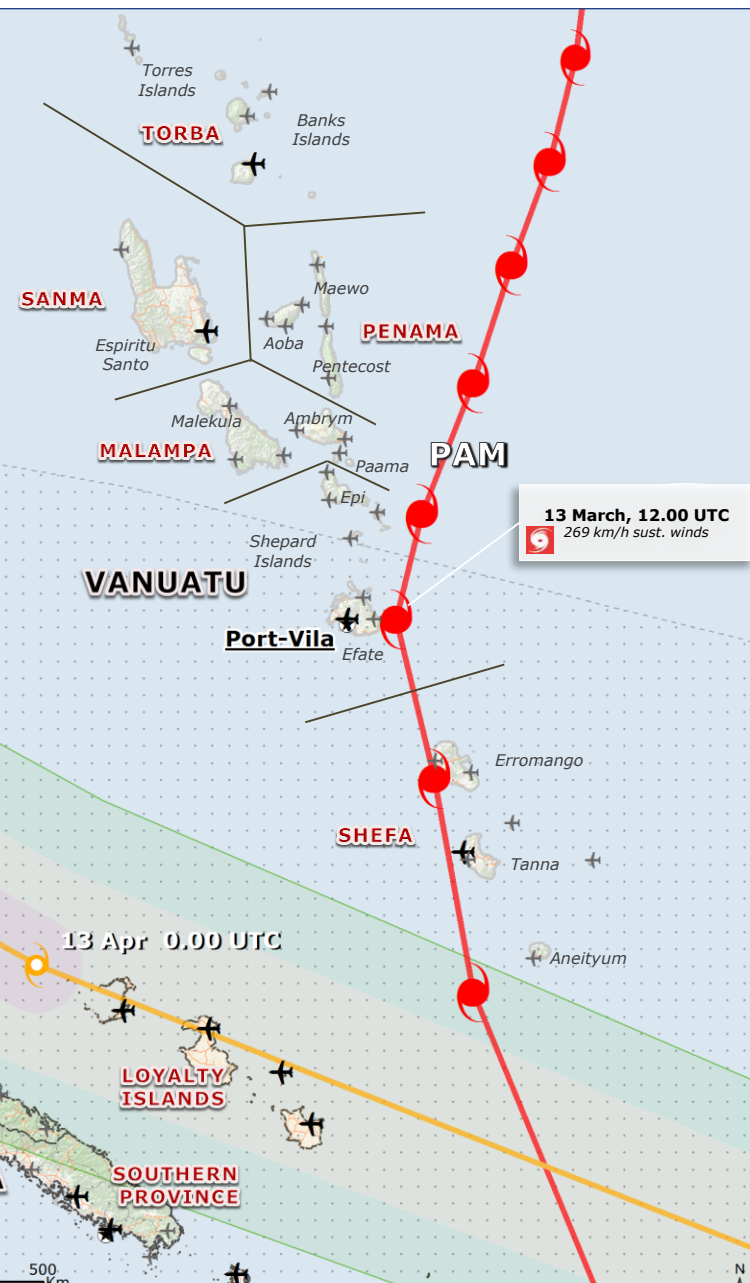




10 April 00.00 UTC
84 km/h sust. winds

Situation in Vanuatu – TC PAM as of 8 April, UN

- 166 000** People affected
- 110 000** People in need of clean drinking water
- 30 000** School-aged children affected
- 20 000** People received hygiene kits
- 14 000** People received emergency shelter assistance
- 800 MT** of food procured for the next round of distributions



13 March, 12.00 UTC
269 km/h sust. winds

TROPICAL CYCLONE

- Observed position
- Forecast position

INTENSITY

- 63 - 118 km/h
- > 118 km/h

WIND BUFFER

- > 119 km/h
- 92-118 km/h
- 64-92 km/h

- Area of track uncertainty
- Major Airports
- Small airports
- Major roads
- Regions boundary

GDACS Alert

- Moderate event (I.A. not likely)
- Potential local disaster (I.A. might be required)
- Potential severe disaster (I.A. is expected to be required)

I.A. = International Assistance

TC SOLO

- A tropical depression formed over the Coral Sea on 9 April and started moving south, strengthening. On 10 April at 0.00 UTC, it was a tropical storm with max. sustained winds of 84 km/h and its center was located over water, approx. 200 km south of Rennell Island (Solomon Islands) and 700 km north-west of Belep (North Province of New Caledonia).
- In the next 24 h it is forecast to continue moving south, over the Coral Sea, strengthening, and on 11 April it may turn south-east and start moving towards New Caledonia.

Sources: ECHO, GDACS, JTWC, Meteo – Fiji, Meteo Vanuatu, Meteo Solomon Islands, WFO, Media

TC PAM – Vanuatu - UPDATE

- The first round of distributions is nearing completion. Emergency food assistance is distributed in 20 of the 23 targeted islands. Almost 800 metric tons of food is ready for the second round of distributions.
- The Government-led assessment are finalized. Over 130 enumerators identified humanitarian needs, response and gaps across the affected areas.
- 30 000 school-aged children have been affected across the country. In Tanna Island, some schools still function as evacuation centres.
- The WASH Cluster has prioritised the Shepherd Islands for emergency water supply interventions and tarpaulin distributions.

Sources: ECHO, UN OCHA (1, 2), GDACS, Vanuatu Government

