



Philippines: Typhoon Haiyan (Yolanda) Project

Project Name	Typhoon Haiyan (Yolanda) Project		
Project Number	47333-001		
Country / Economy	Philippines		
Project Status	Closed		
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Grant		
Source of Funding / Amount	Grant 0369-PHI: Typhoon Haiyan (Yolanda) Project		
	Asia Pacific Disaster Response Fund	US\$ 3.00 million	
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth		
Drivers of Change	Partnerships		
Sector / Subsector	Public sector management / Social protection initiatives		
Gender			
Description	<p>The project provides \$3 million grant under the Asia Pacific Disaster Response Fund (APDRF) as emergency assistance to the Philippine Government in response to its appeal to the international community to provide humanitarian relief assistance, in the aftermath caused by a Category 5 Typhoon Haiyan (locally named Yolanda) that made its first landfall in Guiuan municipality in Eastern Samar province on 8 November 2013, and further moved and made subsequent landfalls over Toloso municipality south of Tacloban City in Leyte province, Daanbantayan and Bantayan Island in Cebu province, Concepcion in Iloilo province, the Calamian Group of Islands, and Busuanga in Palawan. Haiyan is the third Category 5 "super typhoon" to hit the Philippines since 2010, and possibly the strongest to ever hit land. United Nations Disaster Assessment and Coordination (UNDAC) team described the scale of destruction in Tacloban alone as comparable to the impact of the 2004 Indian Ocean Tsunami. The detailed situation update issued by the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council on 12 November 2013 indicated that over 1,774 people are known to have lost lives, 2,487 are injured and 82 are still missing. Overall, a total of 1,387,446 families (6,937,229 people) have been affected in 7,488 barangays in 39 provinces of nine regions across the Philippines. A total of 582,303 people are currently displaced, with 319,867 persons in 1,135 evacuation centers and 262,436 outside the centers. On 9 November, the Government accepted the offer of international assistance through a letter to the United Nations Resident Coordinator. On 11 November, the Government declared a state of national calamity in order to speed up the relief efforts.</p>		
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	<p>The extent of the damage caused by the disaster is of a scale beyond the existing capacity and resources of the Philippine Government to restore life-saving services to the affected population in a reasonable amount of time. While Government has mobilized its own budgetary resources, there is a need to supplement this with humanitarian assistance to prevent further escalation of knock-on effects from the disaster, such as, shortages in food supply, outbreak of diseases, and increased risk from water borne and vector borne diseases in affected areas. Moreover, with the successive emergencies in the Philippines which began with the outbreak of fighting in Zamboanga City and Basilan on 9 September and the 7.2 magnitude Bohol earthquake on 15 October, the response capacities of government agencies dealing directly with the disaster has been significantly overstretched. To be more effective and timely in the rehabilitation effort, Government's resources must be augmented by assistance from development partners. Considering these factors and the need to quickly respond to the situation, there is an urgent need to provide support for the restoration of life-preserving services to communities affected by Typhoon Yolanda. The government requested immediate ADB support under the Asia Pacific Disaster Response Fund (APDRF) on 12 November 2013. Immediate financial assistance from ADB would help alleviate resource constraints faced by the Government. Given the magnitude of the disaster, a financial assistance of \$3 million is considered justified.</p>		
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Project Outcome			
Description of Outcome			
Progress Toward Outcome		Implementation is completed, final liquidation is ongoing.	
Implementation Progress			
Description of Project Outputs			
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)		Implementation is completed, final liquidation is ongoing.	
Geographical Location		Nation-wide	
Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects			
Environmental Aspects			
Involuntary Resettlement			
Indigenous Peoples			
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation			
During Project Design			
During Project Implementation			
Responsible ADB Officer		Teoh, Su Chin	
Responsible ADB Department		Southeast Asia Department	
Responsible ADB Division		Philippines Country Office	

Timetable	
Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	13 Nov 2013
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	31 Mar 2016

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Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
13 Nov 2013	14 Nov 2013	14 Nov 2013	14 May 2014	-	28 Oct 2016

Financing Plan		Grant Utilization			
	Total (Amount in US\$ million)	Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	3.00	Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	3.00	17 Jun 2022	3.00	0.00	100%
Counterpart	0.00	Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	0.00	17 Jun 2022	3.00	0.00	100%

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