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TROPICAL CYCLONE PRELIMINARY REPORT

Super Typhoon QUEENIE
SURIGAE (2626)

22 September to
01 October 2026

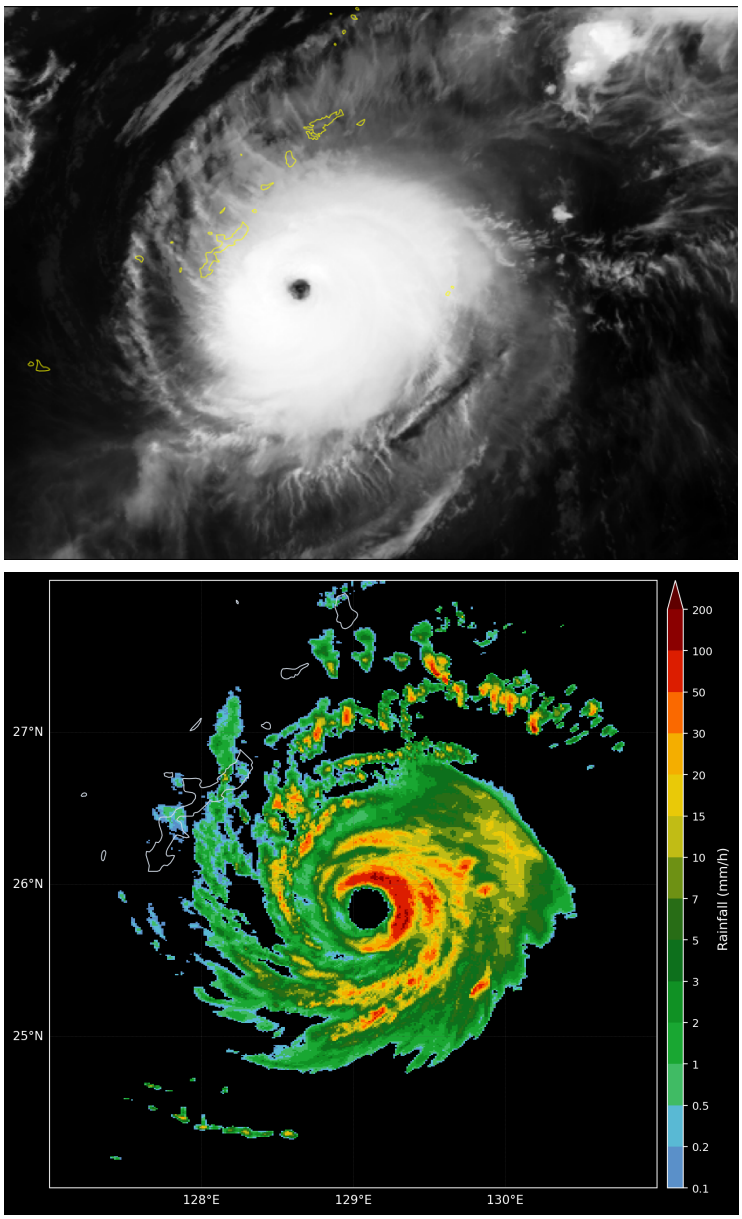

Fig. 1 | Himawari-9 AHI infrared imagery (top) ofSuper Typhoon QUEENIE at peak intensity, 1200 UTC 27 September 2026, while near Okinawa Islands. (Top). (Bottom) Composite radar rain rate showing a well-defined eye, a compact and well-organized core structure, and spiral banding wrapping into the core. Himawari-9 and radar data are courtesy of the Japan Meteorological Agency.

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Summary of Meteorological History

Based on PAGASA preliminary best track[1] position and intensities

First tracked as a low pressure area	0000 UTC, 20 September 2026 Over the Western North Pacific waters near of Guam
Developed into a tropical cyclone	0000 UTC, 22 September 2026 1,875 km East of Eastern Visayas or over the Philippine Sea west of Guam (12.5°N, 141.9°E)
Weakened into a remnant low or transitioned into a post-tropical low	0000 UTC, 01 October 2026 2,340 km Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon or over sea south of Chiba, Japan (33.2°N, 141.0°E)
Peak intensity (lifetime[2])	100 kt (185 km/h), 935 hPa, Super Typhoon 1200 UTC, 27 September 2026
Period of occurrence (lifetime)	9 days
Entered the PAR region (as tropical cyclone)	2200 UTC, 23 September 2026
Exited the PAR region (as tropical cyclone)	0330 UTC, 27 September 2026
Peak intensity (within the PAR)	80 kt (150 km/h), 965 hPa, Typhoon 0000 UTC, 27 September 2026
Period of occurrence (within the PAR)	3 days and 5.5 hours
Observed landfall/s in the Philippines	None

[1] With preliminary best track as reference, the information provided in this report may be different from those reported during the warning period of the subject tropical cyclone.
[2] Lifetime is the period from the development into a tropical depression to its weakening into a remnant low or its transitioning into a post-tropical low.

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Summary of Tropical Cyclone Product Issuances

Issued by the Weather Division, DOST-PAGASA

Tropical Cyclone Products:

- Tropical Cyclone Advisories:
  - First issuance: 5:00 PM, 22 September 2026
  - Last issuance: 11:00 AM, 24 September 2026
  - Total issued: 5
- Tropical Cyclone Bulletins:
  - First issuance: 11:00 AM, 24 September 2026
  - Last issuance: 5:00 PM, 27 September 2026
  - Total issued: 14
- Tropical Cyclone Warnings for Shipping:
  - First issuance: 11:00 AM, 24 September 2026
  - Last issuance: 5:00 PM, 27 September 2026
  - Total issued: 14
- WC SIGMET: None issued
  - First issuance: 10:45 PM, 24 September 2026
  - Last issuance: 9:35 PM, 25 September 2026
  - Total issued: 9

Tropical Cyclone Wind Signals:

- Highest level of wind signal hoisted: None
- Number of provinces where wind signals had been hoisted: None
- Timeline of hoisting/lifting of wind signals: None

Storm Surge Warnings:

- Highest level of storm surge warning hoisted: None
- Number of provinces where storm surge warnings had been hoisted: None
- Timeline of hoisting/lifting of storm surge warnings: None

Other Pertinent Information

- The international name “SURIGAE” (meaning: a kind of an eagle) was contributed by the Democratic People’s Republic of Korea.

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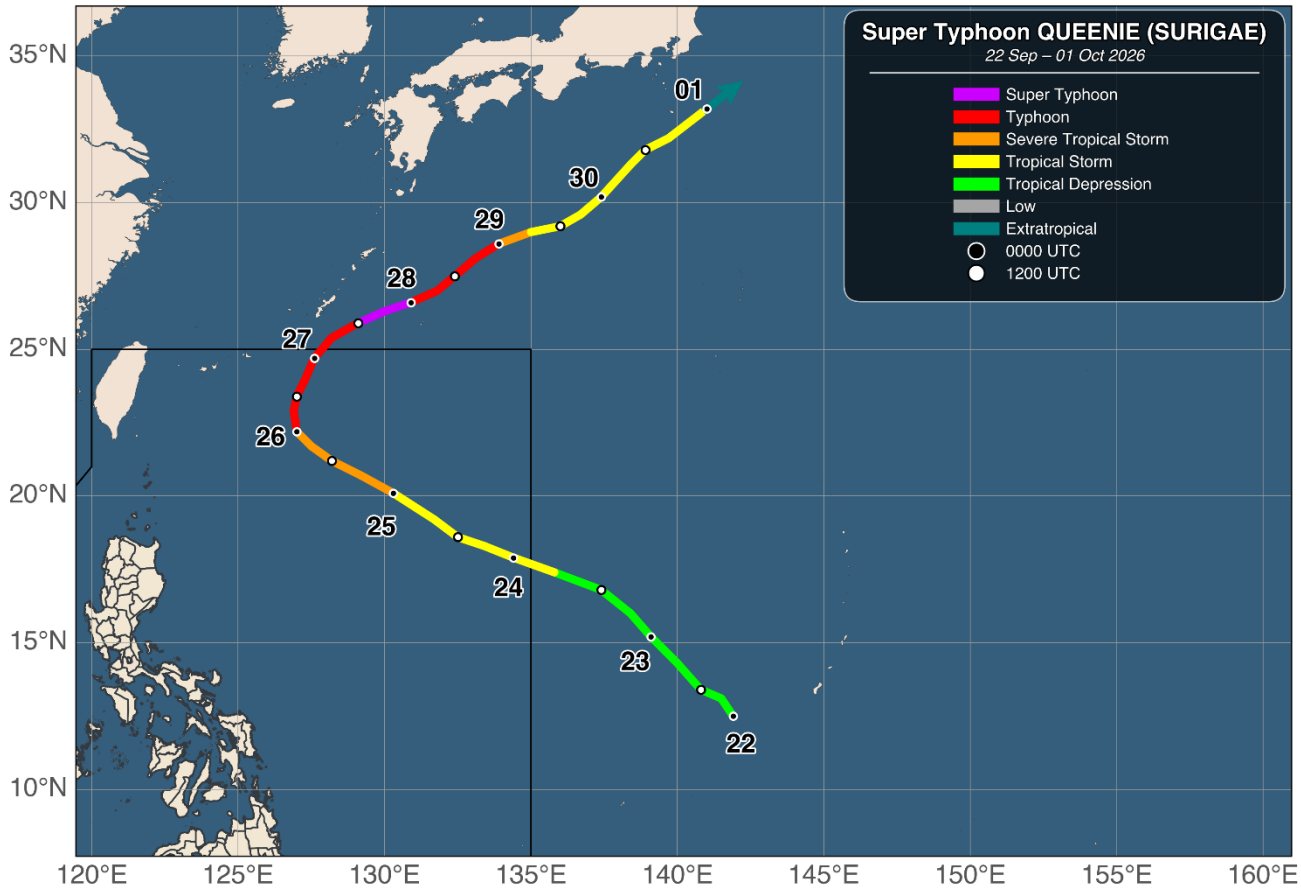

Fig. 2 | Preliminary best track positions and intensities (as categories) of Super Typhoon QUEENIE. Line color indicates the category of tropical cyclone. Shaded circles with date labels indicate 00 UTC positions while open circles indicate 12 UTC positions.

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