



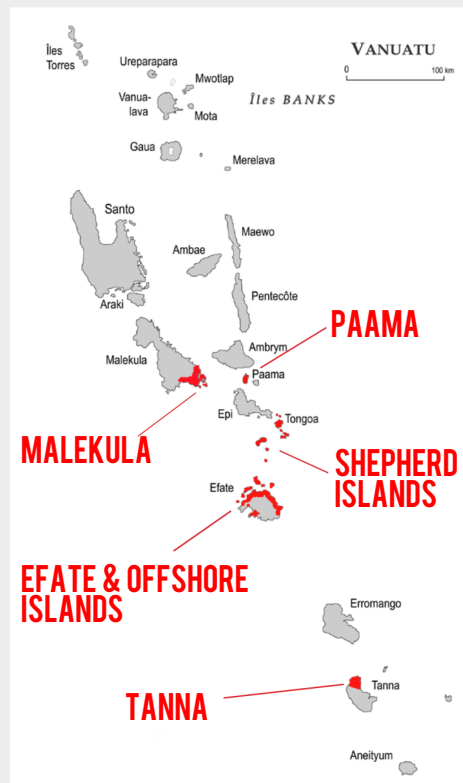
TROPICAL CYCLONE PAM

Seven Months On

9th October 2015

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VANUATU: AREAS OF OPERATION



SITUATION SUMMARY: 12-14 MARCH 2015

188,000
people affected (70% of Vanuatu's population)

66,000
people lost their homes

22
islands affected

PROGRESS SO FAR: AS OF 9TH OCTOBER 2015

39,915
people reached through Red Cross relief activities

7,983
households reached through Red Cross relief activities

16
islands reached

RELIEF ITEM DISTRIBUTION

TOTAL:	Water Storage 6,417	Tarpaulins 13,060	Kitchen Sets 2,775	Sleeping Mats 6,243
Solar Lamps 2,726	Blankets 3,137	Shelter Toolkits 5,152	Hygiene Kits 3,527	Mosquito Nets 1,129

*Includes distributions conducted by both Red Cross and external partners (ADRA, Caritas, Relief International, Save the Children, WFP and World Vision). Amounts distributed have been subject to operational presence and assessed needs in different areas.

FOCUS AREAS

SHELTER



Contributing to better sheltered communities

28,160

people (5,632 households) across 16 islands received relief shelter materials such as tarpaulins & fixings during the relief phase

& 25,760

people (5,152 households) have received shelter toolkits of which 7,530 (1,506 households) have benefited from guidance on safe shelter construction.

LIVELIHOODS



Increasing access to livelihood development opportunities

young women from 7 communities in Efate (aged 15-19) have undertaken intensive training to help restore and diversify their opportunities for income generation.

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS



Contributing to better disaster preparedness

4,000

people (800 households) are in the process of being covered by pre-positioned non-food items in key geographical areas

WASH/HEALTH



Increasing access to safe water for the affected population

1,425

people have directly benefited from construction and rehabilitation of rainwater collection systems across 5 islands. During the relief phase approximately 43,000 Litres of fresh water were distributed. Some water repairs have been completed in schools, churches and health facilities and latrine trainings have also been completed in a number of communities. All work has been focused on the most vulnerable households.

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- Read the latest TC Pam Operations update on ifrc.org <http://tinyurl.com/oj2mhba>

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