<u>Tropical cyclone warnings of Signal No. 8 or above issued by the Hong Kong Observatory during the passage of Ragasa in September 2025</u>

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 14:21 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal, was issued at 2:20 p.m.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

Complete all precautions as soon as possible. Stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 14:23 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal was issued at 2:20 p.m.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 2 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 380 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.3 degrees north 117.1 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

In the past few hours, Ragasa continued to move closer to Hong Kong. According to the present forecast, Ragasa will maintain super typhoon intensity and will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals in the latter part of tonight and at first of tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands have edged closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary gradually. Locally, the weather is expected to start deteriorating rapidly later today, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern

coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Park your car where it is safe.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 7. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 14:45 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from

the northwest quarter.

At 3 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 350 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.4 degrees north 116.9 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

In the past few hours, Ragasa continued to move closer to Hong Kong. According to the present forecast, Ragasa will maintain super typhoon intensity and will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals in the latter part of tonight and at first of tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands have edged closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary gradually. Locally, the weather is expected to start deteriorating rapidly later today, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe

place to shelter, should windows be broken.

- 3. Park your car where it is safe.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 7. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 15:49 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 4 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 340 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.5 degrees north 116.8 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

In the past few hours, Ragasa continued to move closer to Hong Kong. According to the present forecast, Ragasa will maintain super typhoon intensity and will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals in the latter part of tonight and at first of tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands have edged closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary gradually. Locally, occasional gales are already starting to affect high grounds. The weather is expected to start deteriorating rapidly later today,

with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Park your car where it is safe.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 7. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 16:45 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 5 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 320 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.6 degrees north 116.7 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals between 11 p.m. tonight and 3 a.m. tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands have edged closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary gradually and occasional gales are already starting to affect high grounds locally. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves

and rubbish as soon as possible.

- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Park your car where it is safe.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 7. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 17:45 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 6 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 300 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.7 degrees north 116.5 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals between 11 p.m. tonight and 3 a.m. tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands have edged closer

to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary gradually and occasional gales are already starting to affect high grounds locally. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Park your car where it is safe.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
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Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 18:47 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 7 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 290 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.8 degrees north 116.4 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals between 11 p.m. tonight and 3 a.m. tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands are bringing squally showers to eastern Guangdong and the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary. Local winds are generally strengthening and there are occasional gales on high ground. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn was 65 kilometres per hour with maximum gust exceeding 89 kilometres per hour.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 19:45 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 8 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 270 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.8 degrees north 116.2 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions,

the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals between 11 p.m. tonight and 3 a.m. tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands are bringing squally showers to eastern Guangdong and the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary. Local winds are generally strengthening and there are occasional gales on high ground. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn was 72 kilometres per hour with maximum gust exceeding 100 kilometres per hour.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact

your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 20:45 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 9 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 250 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.8 degrees north 116.0 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals between 11 p.m. tonight and 3 a.m. tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands are bringing squally showers to eastern Guangdong and the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary. Local winds are generally strengthening and there are occasional gales on high ground. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not to engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m.

in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn was 76 kilometres per hour with maximum gust exceeding 98 kilometres per hour.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 21:45 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 10 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 240 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.8 degrees north 115.8 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about

22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary tomorrow (24 September) morning. Local winds will strengthen further. Depending on the distance between Ragasa and Hong Kong, as well as the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signals between 11 p.m. tonight and 3 a.m. tomorrow.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. Its outer rainbands are bringing squally showers to eastern Guangdong and the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary. Local winds are generally strengthening and there are occasional gales on high ground. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight, with winds strengthening quickly. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow. Gale to storm force winds will prevail locally, and winds will reach hurricane force offshore and on high ground at first. There will be frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum. Members of the public should take necessary precautions.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn and Waglan Island were 85 and 69 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 103 and 82 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe

place to shelter, should windows be broken.

- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 22:46 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 11 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 220 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 20.9 degrees north 115.6 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Super Typhoon Ragasa will be closest to Hong Kong on Wednesday (24 September) morning, skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory. Its hurricane force winds are expected to edge close to Hong Kong gradually. Local winds will strengthen further overnight. The Observatory will consider issuing the Increasing Gale or Storm Signal, No. 9 between 1 a.m. and 3 a.m. on Wednesday (24 September). Members of the public please pay close attention to the latest weather information from the Observatory and complete all precautionary measures.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells and overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern

coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally to around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn, Waglan Island and Green Island were 92, 76 and 67 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 116, 92 and 82 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 23:45 HKT on 23.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At midnight, Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 190 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 21.0 degrees north 115.3 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Super Typhoon Ragasa will be closest to Hong Kong on Wednesday (24 September) morning, skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory. Its hurricane force winds are expected to edge close to Hong Kong gradually. Local winds will strengthen further overnight. The Observatory will consider issuing the Increasing Gale or Storm Signal, No. 9 between 1 a.m. and 3 a.m. on Wednesday (24 September). Members of the public please pay close attention to the latest weather information from the Observatory and complete all precautionary measures.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. The weather is expected to deteriorate rapidly overnight. The weather will be persistently adverse tomorrow with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells and overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong tomorrow. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally to around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn, Waglan Island and Cheung Chau were 93, 83 and 55 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 111, 101 and 103 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed

positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.

- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 00:12 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At midnight, Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 190 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 21.0 degrees north 115.3 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

Parts of the territory are affected by gale force winds currently. Super Typhoon Ragasa is expected to be closest to Hong Kong this morning (24 September), skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory. Its hurricane force winds will edge close to Hong Kong gradually. The Observatory will issue the Increasing Gale or Storm Signal, No. 9 at 01:40 a.m. today. Members of the public please pay close attention to the latest weather information from the Observatory and complete all precautionary measures.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. The local weather will be persistently

adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells and overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally to around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn, Waglan Island and Cheung Chau were 93, 83 and 55 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 111, 101 and 103 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.
- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 00:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Northwest Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the northwest quarter.

At 1 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 160 kilometres southeast of Hong Kong (near 21.1 degrees north 115.1 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

Parts of the territory are affected by gale force winds currently. Super Typhoon Ragasa is expected to be closest to Hong Kong this morning (24 September), skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory. Its hurricane force winds will edge close to Hong Kong gradually. The Observatory will issue the Increasing Gale or Storm Signal, No. 9 at 01:40 a.m. today. Members of the public please pay close attention to the latest weather information from the Observatory and complete all precautionary measures.

Ragasa has an extensive circulation with fierce winds. The local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells and overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally to around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn, Waglan Island and Cheung Chau were 94, 90 and 74 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 129, 103 and 103 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

1. Complete all precautions in your home. Lock all windows and doors, insert reinforced shutters and gates if they are available. Adhesive tape fixed to large window-panes in exposed

positions will reduce damage and injury by broken glass. Drains should be cleared of leaves and rubbish as soon as possible.

- 2. Do not stand near windows on the exposed side of your home. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter, should windows be broken.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 5. Owners of neon signs should switch off the electricity supply to the signs.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 01:41 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Increasing Gale or Storm Signal, No. 9, was issued at 1:40 a.m.

This means that winds are expected to increase significantly.

Do not go outside and stay away from exposed windows and doors. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 01:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Increasing Gale or Storm Signal, No. 9, was issued at 1:40 a.m.

This means that winds are expected to increase significantly as Ragasa moves closer to Hong Kong.

At 2 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 150 kilometres south-southeast of Hong Kong (near 21.1 degrees north 114.9 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

Currently, gale force winds are affecting many places locally with some places reaching storm force. Ragasa is expected to be closest to Hong Kong this morning (24 September), skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory. With the hurricane force winds of Ragasa edging closer gradually, local winds will continue to strengthen. Depending on the change in local wind conditions, the Observatory will assess the need of issuing the Hurricane Signal, No. 10.

Local winds will veer gradually from northerlies to east to southeasterlies this morning. Areas which were previously sheltered may become exposed. Members of the public should stay on high alert. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally to around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Waglan Island, Tate's Cairn and Cheung Chau were 100, 99 and 76 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 120, 132 and 101 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter.

You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.

- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 02:40 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, was issued at 2:40 a.m.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

Do not go outside and stay away from exposed windows and doors. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter and be prepared for the change in wind directions.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 02:46 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, was issued at 2:40 a.m.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 3 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 130 kilometres south-southeast of Hong Kong (near 21.2 degrees north 114.6 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

As Super Typhoon Ragasa edges towards Hong Kong, its hurricane force winds will begin to affect Hong Kong. Ragasa will be closest to Hong Kong this morning (24 September), skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory, posing a considerable threat to Hong Kong. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds will veer gradually from northerlies to east to southeasterlies this morning. Areas which were previously sheltered may become exposed. Members of the public should stay on high alert. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern

coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally to around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Waglan Island, Tate's Cairn and Green Island were 120, 102 and 96 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 143, 134 and 136 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 03:46 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 4 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 130 kilometres south-southeast of Hong Kong (near 21.2 degrees north 114.5 degrees east) and is forecast to move west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

Super Typhoon Ragasa will be closest to Hong Kong in the next few hours, skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory, posing a serious threat to Hong Kong. Hurricane force winds are affecting the southeastern part of the territory and on high ground. As Ragasa further edges near, its hurricane winds will affect more areas of Hong Kong. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds will veer gradually from northeasterlies to southeasterlies this morning. Areas which were previously sheltered may become exposed. Members of the public should stay on high alert. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the rise in water level can reach around 2 metres over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will start to rise after around 6 a.m. in the morning. It will reach the maximum later in the morning to early afternoon, generally to around 3.5 to 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach 4 to 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Waglan Island, Tate's Cairn and Hong Kong Sea School were 130, 126 and 104 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 157, 168 and 165 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.

- 3. Owing to storm surge, some low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 04:49 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 5 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 120 kilometres south of Hong Kong (near 21.2 degrees north 114.3 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

The circulation of Ragasa is extensive and its winds are fierce. It will be closest to Hong Kong in the next few hours, skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory, posing a serious threat to Hong Kong. Hurricane force winds are currently affecting the southern part of the territory and high ground. As Ragasa further edges near, its hurricane force winds will affect more areas of Hong Kong. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds will veer gradually from northeasterlies to southeasterlies this morning. Areas which were previously sheltered may become exposed. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, the water level has started to rise. There will be a rise of around 2 to 3 metres over the coast of Hong Kong today, and will reach the maximum around noon, generally to around 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach around 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Waglan Island, Green Island and Tate's Cairn were 136, 134 and 132 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 166, 182 and 180 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 05:48 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 6 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 120 kilometres south of Hong Kong (near

21.2 degrees north 114.1 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to Hong Kong in the next couple of hours, skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory. Due to the extensive circulation of Ragasa, its hurricane force winds are expected to continue to affect the southern part of the territory. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds will veer gradually from northeasterlies to southeasterlies this morning. Areas which were previously sheltered may become exposed. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, around 2 to 3 metres of rise in water level are expected over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will reach the maximum around noon, generally to around 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach around 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Waglan Island, Tate's Cairn and Hong Kong Sea School were 138, 130 and 112 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 163, 186 and 195 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind

pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.

- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 06:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 7 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 120 kilometres south of Hong Kong (near 21.2 degrees north 114.0 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

According to the present forecast, Ragasa will be closest to Hong Kong in the next couple of hours, skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of the territory. Due to the extensive circulation of Ragasa, its hurricane force winds are expected to continue affecting parts of the territory. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds will veer gradually from northeasterlies to southeasterlies this morning. Areas which were previously sheltered may become exposed. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, around 2 to 3 metres of rise in water level are expected over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will reach the maximum around noon, generally to around 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach around 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tate's Cairn, Waglan Island and Tap Mun were 136, 135 and 121 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 188, 160 and 154 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some low-lying areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 07:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 8 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 120 kilometres south-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.3 degrees north 113.7 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the Pearl River Estuary to the coast of western Guangdong.

Ragasa is skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of Hong Kong. The circulation of Ragasa is extensive, its hurricane force winds are still expected to affect the southern part of the

territory this morning. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds will veer gradually from easterlies to southeasterlies this morning. Areas which were previously sheltered may become exposed. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Under the influence of significant storm surge, around 2 to 3 metres of rise in water level are expected over the coast of Hong Kong today. The water level will reach the maximum around noon, generally to around 4 metres above chart datum. The water level at Tolo Harbour may even reach around 5 metres above chart datum.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Waglan Island and Tate's Cairn were 148, 134 and 134 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 206, 157 and 175 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 08:50 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 9 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 130 kilometres south-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.3 degrees north 113.6 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is skirting around 100 kilometres to the south of Hong Kong. Ragasa has an extensive circulation. Under its influence, hurricane force winds are still affecting high grounds and the southern parts of the territory occasionally. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds are expected to become southeasterlies gradually. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Ragasa is bringing significant storm surge to Hong Kong. The water level over the eastern coast of Hong Kong has generally risen to more than 3 metres above Chart Datum at 8 a.m., and the water level at Tai Po Kau even exceeded 3.7 metres above Chart Datum. Meanwhile, the water level over the coast is still rising progressively and is expected to reach the maximum around noon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Waglan Island and Cheung Chau were 146, 134 and 121 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 212, 146 and 160 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.

- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 09:47 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 10 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 140 kilometres southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.3 degrees north 113.4 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa has started to depart from Hong Kong, but its associated hurricane force winds are still affecting the southwestern part of the territory occasionally. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds are expected to become southeasterlies gradually. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Ragasa is bringing significant storm surge to the territory. The water level over the coast of

Hong Kong has generally risen to more than 3 metres above Chart Datum at 9 a.m. Meanwhile, the water level over the coast is still rising progressively and is expected to reach the maximum around noon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Tate's Cairn and Cheung Chau were 141, 132 and 119 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 192, 169 and 156 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 10:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 11 a.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 150 kilometres southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.3 degrees north 113.2 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is departing from Hong Kong gradually, but its associated hurricane force winds are still affecting the southwestern part of the territory occasionally. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds are expected to become southeasterlies gradually. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Ragasa is bringing significant storm surge to the territory. The water level over the coast of Hong Kong has generally risen to 3.3 metres or more above Chart Datum this morning. Meanwhile, the water level over the western coast is still rising progressively and is expected to reach the maximum around noon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 153, 122 and 112 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 204, 167 and 145 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact

your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 11:46 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At noon, Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 160 kilometres southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.4 degrees north 113.0 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is departing from Hong Kong gradually, but its associated hurricane force winds are still affecting the southwestern part of the territory occasionally. The Hurricane Signal, No. 10 will remain in force for some time.

Local winds are expected to become southeasterlies gradually. Members of the public should be on high alert and beware of destructive winds. Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Ragasa brought significant storm surge to the territory. The water level over the coast of Hong Kong generally rose to 3.4 metres or more above Chart Datum this morning. Meanwhile, the water level over the western coast is still rising slightly and is expected to reach the maximum in the next couple of hours.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 153, 124 and 111 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 184, 148 and 142 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.

- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 12:19 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At noon, Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 160 kilometres southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.4 degrees north 113.0 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

With Ragasa moving towards the coast of western Guangdong, its associated hurricane force winds will also depart from Hong Kong gradually. The Observatory will issue the No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal at 1:20 p.m. today.

Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

Ragasa brought significant storm surge to the territory. The water level over the coast of Hong Kong generally rose to 3.4 metres or more above Chart Datum this morning. Meanwhile, the water level over the western coast is still rising slightly and is expected to reach the maximum in the next couple of hours.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 153, 124 and 111 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 184, 148 and 142 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 12:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The Hurricane Signal, No. 10, is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 118 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

At 1 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 170 kilometres southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.4 degrees north 112.8 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

With Ragasa moving towards the coast of western Guangdong, its associated hurricane force winds will also depart from Hong Kong gradually. The Observatory will issue the No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal at 1:20 p.m. today.

Local weather will be persistently adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be phenomenal with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline, which will be particularly significant along the eastern and southern coasts. Members of the public should stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

The storm surge brought by Ragasa caused a general rise of more than 1.5 metres in water levels over the territory. The water level recorded at Victoria Harbour was once about 3.4 metres above Chart Datum, while the maximum water level at Tai Po Kau and Tsim Bei Tsui tide station was about 3.8 metres above Chart Datum. Local water levels over the coastal areas will fall progressively in the afternoon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 135, 113 and 92 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 187, 136 and 110 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements)

- 1. Do not go outside. If you are reasonably protected, stay where you are. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. People outdoors should find a safe place now and remain there until the danger is over.
- 3. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 4. Stay away from exposed windows and doors because glass, already under strain from wind pressure, will shatter easily if hit by a flying object. Make sure you have a safe place to shelter. You should only fix broken windows and doors when there is no danger in doing so.
- 5. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 6. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 13:21 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal has been issued at 1:20 p.m. to replace the Hurricane

Signal, No. 10.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected.

Gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Precautions should not yet be relaxed.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 13:37 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal was issued at 1:20 p.m.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 1 p.m., Super Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 170 kilometres southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.4 degrees north 112.8 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is departing from Hong Kong gradually, but gale to storm force southeasterly winds are still affecting many places of the territory. The No. 8 Gale or Storm Signal is expected to remain in force before 8 p.m. tonight. Depending on the extent of weakening of local winds, the Observatory will then consider issuing the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3.

Local weather will still be adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be very high with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

The storm surge brought by Ragasa caused a general rise of more than 1.5 metres in water levels over the territory. The water level recorded at Victoria Harbour was once about 3.4 metres above Chart Datum, while the maximum water level at Tai Po Kau and Tsim Bei Tsui tide station was about 3.8 metres above Chart Datum. Local water levels over the coastal areas will fall progressively in the afternoon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 135, 113 and 92 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 187, 136 and 110 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 13:47 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

Super Typhoon Ragasa has weakened into a severe typhoon.

At 2 p.m., Ragasa was centred about 180 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.5 degrees north 112.7 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is departing from Hong Kong gradually, but gale to storm force southeasterly winds are still affecting many places of the territory. The No. 8 Gale or Storm Signal is expected to remain in force before 8 p.m. tonight. Depending on the extent of weakening of local winds, the Observatory will then consider issuing the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3.

Local weather will still be adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be high with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

The storm surge brought by Ragasa caused a general rise of more than 1.5 metres in water levels over the territory. The water level recorded at Victoria Harbour was once about 3.4 metres above Chart Datum, while the maximum water level at Tai Po Kau and Tsim Bei Tsui tide station was about 3.8 metres above Chart Datum. Local water levels over the coastal areas will fall progressively in the afternoon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 117, 104 and 91 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 156, 123 and 113 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 14:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 3 p.m., Severe Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 190 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.5 degrees north 112.5 degrees east) and is forecast to move west or west-northwest at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is departing from Hong Kong gradually, but gale to storm force southeasterly winds are still affecting many places of the territory. The No. 8 Gale or Storm Signal is expected to remain in force before 8 p.m. tonight. Depending on the extent of weakening of local winds, the Observatory will then consider issuing the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3.

Local weather will still be adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be high with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

The storm surge brought by Ragasa caused a general rise of more than 1.5 metres in water levels over the territory. The water level recorded at Victoria Harbour was once about 3.4 metres above Chart Datum, while the maximum water level at Tai Po Kau and Tsim Bei Tsui tide station was about 3.8 metres above Chart Datum. Local water levels over the coastal areas will fall progressively in the afternoon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 116, 97 and 91 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 161, 113 and 107 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be

relaxed.

- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 15:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 4 p.m., Severe Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 210 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.5 degrees north 112.3 degrees east) and is forecast to move west at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is departing from Hong Kong gradually, but gale to storm force southeasterly winds are still affecting many places of the territory. The No. 8 Gale or Storm Signal is expected to remain in force before 8 p.m. tonight. Depending on the extent of weakening of local winds, the Observatory will then consider issuing the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3.

Local weather will still be adverse today with frequent heavy squally showers and thunderstorms. Seas will be high with swells. There will be overtopping waves over the shoreline. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

The storm surge brought by Ragasa caused a general rise of more than 1.5 metres in water levels over the territory. The water level recorded at Victoria Harbour was once about 3.4 metres above Chart Datum, while the maximum water level at Tai Po Kau and Tsim Bei Tsui

tide station was about 3.8 metres above Chart Datum. Local water levels over the coastal areas will fall progressively in the afternoon.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 99, 85 and 82 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 149, 101 and 107 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 16:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 5 p.m., Severe Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 230 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.6 degrees north 112.1 degrees east) and is forecast to move west at about 22 kilometres per hour edging closer to the vicinity of the western coast of Guangdong.

Ragasa is departing from Hong Kong gradually. Local winds are weakening progressively, but gale force southeasterly winds are still affecting parts of the territory. Winds occasionally reach storm force offshore and on high ground. The No. 8 Gale or Storm Signal is expected to remain in force until 8 p.m. tonight. Depending on the extent of weakening of local winds, the Observatory will consider issuing the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3.

Locally, there will be occasional squally showers and thunderstorm today and tomorrow. Showers will be heavy at first. Seas will be very high with swells. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Tap Mun, Cheung Chau and Ngong Ping were 90, 80 and 75 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 109, 94 and 118 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 17:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 6 p.m., Severe Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 250 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.6 degrees north 111.9 degrees east) and is forecast to move west at about 22 kilometres per hour skirting the coast of western Guangdong and weaken gradually.

Ragasa has made landfall over Yangjiang, Guangdong, and is departing from Hong Kong gradually. Local winds are weakening progressively, but gale force southeasterly winds are still affecting parts of the territory. Winds occasionally reach storm force offshore and on high ground. The No. 8 Gale or Storm Signal is expected to remain in force until 8 p.m. tonight. Depending on the extent of weakening of local winds, the Observatory will consider issuing the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3.

Locally, there will be occasional squally showers and thunderstorm today and tomorrow. Showers will be heavy at first. Seas will be very high with swells. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 87, 76 and 69 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 132, 89 and 89 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.

- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 18:22 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 6 p.m., Severe Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 250 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.6 degrees north 111.9 degrees east) and is forecast to move west at about 22 kilometres per hour skirting the coast of western Guangdong and weaken gradually.

Ragasa has made landfall over Yangjiang, Guangdong, and will move further away from Hong Kong, but gale force southeasterly winds are still affecting parts of the territory occasionally. With local winds weakening gradually, the Observatory will issue the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3 at 8:20 p.m tonight.

Under the influence of the outer rainbands of Ragasa, there will be occasional squally showers and thunderstorm today and tomorrow locally. Showers will be heavy at first. Seas will be very rough with swells. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 87, 76 and 69 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 132, 89 and 89 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.

- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 18:46 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 7 p.m., Severe Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 280 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.6 degrees north 111.6 degrees east) and is forecast to move west at about 22 kilometres per hour skirting the coast of western Guangdong and weaken gradually.

Ragasa will move further away from Hong Kong, but gale force southeasterly winds are still affecting parts of the territory occasionally. With local winds weakening gradually, the Observatory will issue the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3 at 8:20 p.m tonight.

Under the influence of the outer rainbands of Ragasa, there will be occasional squally showers and thunderstorm today and tomorrow locally. Showers will be heavy at first. Seas will be very rough with swells. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 78, 71 and 69 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 122, 86 and 87 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.

Tropical Cyclone Warning issued at 19:45 HKT on 24.09.2025 by the Hong Kong Observatory.

The No. 8 Southeast Gale or Storm Signal is in force.

This means that winds with mean speeds of 63 kilometres per hour or more are expected from the southeast quarter.

At 8 p.m., Severe Typhoon Ragasa was centred about 300 kilometres west-southwest of Hong Kong (near 21.6 degrees north 111.4 degrees east) and is forecast to move west at about 22 kilometres per hour skirting the coast of western Guangdong and weaken gradually.

Ragasa will move further away from Hong Kong, but gale force southeasterly winds are still affecting parts of the territory occasionally. With local winds weakening gradually, the Observatory will issue the Strong Wind Signal, No. 3 at 8:20 p.m tonight.

Under the influence of the outer rainbands of Ragasa, there will be occasional squally showers

and thunderstorm today and tomorrow locally. Showers will be heavy at first. Seas will be very rough with swells. Members of the public are advised to remain on the alert, to stay away from the shoreline and not engage in water sports.

In the past hour, the maximum sustained winds recorded at Ngong Ping, Cheung Chau and Tap Mun were 90, 81 and 68 kilometres per hour with maximum gusts exceeding 132, 99 and 80 kilometres per hour respectively.

(Precautionary Announcements with No. 8 Signal)

- 1. Although the tropical cyclone is moving away from Hong Kong, gales are expected to persist for some time. Please continue to stay indoors until winds moderate. Do not touch electric cables that have been blown loose.
- 2. As gales and violent squalls are still occurring in places, precautions should not yet be relaxed.
- 3. Tropical cyclone brought different degrees of damages to Hong Kong. There may be hidden danger. Members of the public should remain on the alert for assurance of personal safety.
- 4. Owing to storm surge, some areas may have serious flooding or backflow of seawater. You should avoid going to likely affected low-lying areas and stay away from dangerous places.
- 5. Flights at Hong Kong International Airport may be affected by the weather. Please contact your airline for the latest flight information before departing for the airport.
- 6. Please listen to radio or watch TV for the latest weather information broadcast. You can also browse the Hong Kong Observatory's website and mobile app for the information.
