



WEEKLY UPDATE ON NATURAL DISASTERS IN ASEAN PLUS THREE

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Indonesia

Flooding affected residents across Indonesia.

Torrential rainfall triggered flooding in Indonesia on 22 April 2026. In North Sumatra, one person was injured and around 600 people were affected, according to the report as of 24 April 2026. Three houses, one bridge, and one school were destroyed, while 150 houses were damaged. In North Sulawesi, 16 people were displaced and 236 people living in 59 houses were affected. In East Java, flooding caused by the overflow of the Welang River Basin affected 5,420 people across 1,355 houses. In South Jakarta, 2,513 people living in 937 houses were affected due to the overflow of the Ciliwung River.

Source: ReliefWeb. (2026, Apr 24). *Indonesia - Severe weather and floods (BMKG, NOAA-CPC, media) (ECHO Daily Flash of 24 April 2026)*.

Thailand

Summer storms claimed one life in Thailand.

Severe storms affected several provinces in Thailand. In Phetchabun province, one house was damaged by strong winds on 22 April 2026, with no injuries or casualties

reported. In Udon Thani province, one person died after crashing into a fallen tree on 23 April 2026, while 30–40 houses lost their roofs and others were damaged by falling trees. In Nakhon Ratchasima province, strong winds and heavy rainfall on 24 April 2026 damaged infrastructure, including two multi-purpose dome structures, a worker accommodation building, three houses, and a rice barn. Several large tree fell across roads. Flooding caused by heavy rain also disrupted transportation for small vehicles.

Source: Bangkok Post. (2026, Apr 23). *Roof flies off house in heavy storm*; Thaiger. (2026, Apr 25). *Udon Thani storm kills frog hunter, destroys 40 homes*; The Nation. (2026, Apr 25). *Summer storm tears through Korat, leaving severe damage as more rain looms*.

Viet Nam

Hailstorm and downpour struck Viet Nam.

On 22 April 2026, a hailstorm and heavy rainfall affected at least 12 wards and communes in Lao Cai province, Viet Nam. In Sa Pa Ward, hailstone battered pathway near the summit of Fansipan, the highest mountain in Viet Nam. Three houses lost their roofs. In Sin Cheng Commune, a teaching housing facility and one household were completely unroofed while nearby houses were also damaged. The agricultural production and infrastructure, including roads and schools were also impacted. The resources were mobilised to recovery the damages

Source: Tuoi Tre News. (2026, Apr 23). *Hailstorm batters Fansipan peak in northern Vietnam*.

Japan

A 6.2-magnitudes earthquake hit northern Japan.

On 27 April 2026, a 6.2-magnitude earthquake rattled Hokkaido, northern Japan. No tsunami alert was issued. The quake registered an upper 5 on the Japanese seismic intensity scale in town of

Urahoro and a lower 5 in town of Niikappu and Hokkaido. Authorities also confirmed that the event was not related to the advisory on a potential megaquake, which had been issued following a 7.7-magnitude earthquake in Iwate Prefecture on 20 April 2026.

Source: The Japan Times. (2026, Apr 26). *Magnitude 6.2 quake shakes Hokkaido.*

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