

# JRC Dataset

## Hurricane Irma in British Virgin Islands (2017-09-08)

### Description:

Activation time (UTC): 2017-09-08 14:00:00  
Event time (UTC): 2017-09-07 03:00:00  
Event type: Storm (Tropical cyclone, hurricane, typhoon)

#### Activation reason:

The British Virgin Islands were struck by Hurricane IRMA, a category 5 storm, on 7 September 2017. Massive damage has been reported across the islands with homes and critical facilities flattened, power failures and communications down.

Reference products: 4  
Delineation products: 0  
Grading products: 4

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### Related resources:

#### Data access

Copernicus EMS Rapid Mapping Activation [EMSR236]: Hurricane Irma in British Virgin Islands (2017-09-08)

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### Geographic information:

Lineage: No additional information

Geographic bounding box: 18.5349797453° N, -64.3162635864° E, 18.2695878816° S, -64.7842789706° W

Coordinate Reference System: ETRS89 / LAEA Europe