

Errata of “Annual Report on the Activities of the RSMC Tokyo – Typhoon Center 2020”  
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4.1.1 Center Position

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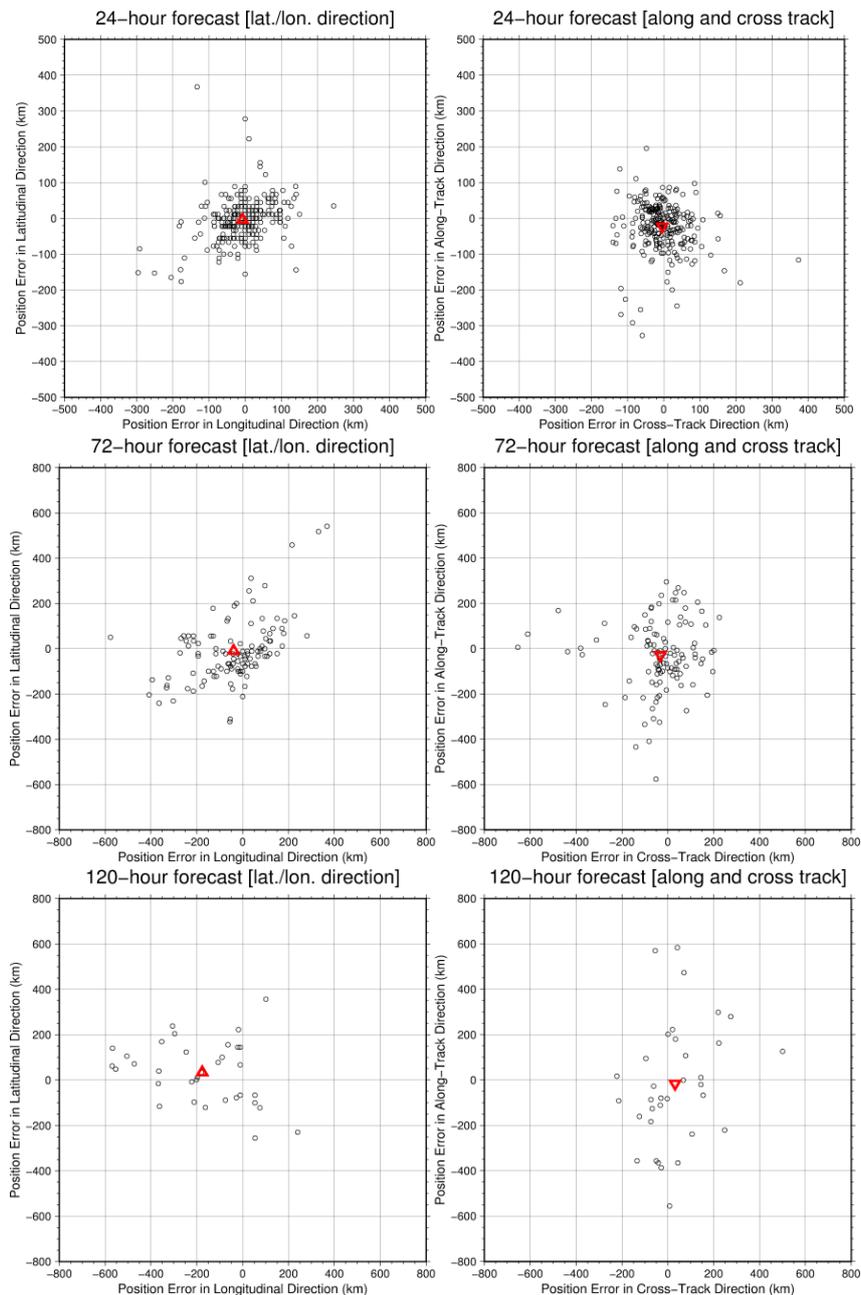


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(<https://www.jma.go.jp/jma/jma-eng/jma-center/rsmc-hp-pub-eg/AnnualReport/2020/index.html>).

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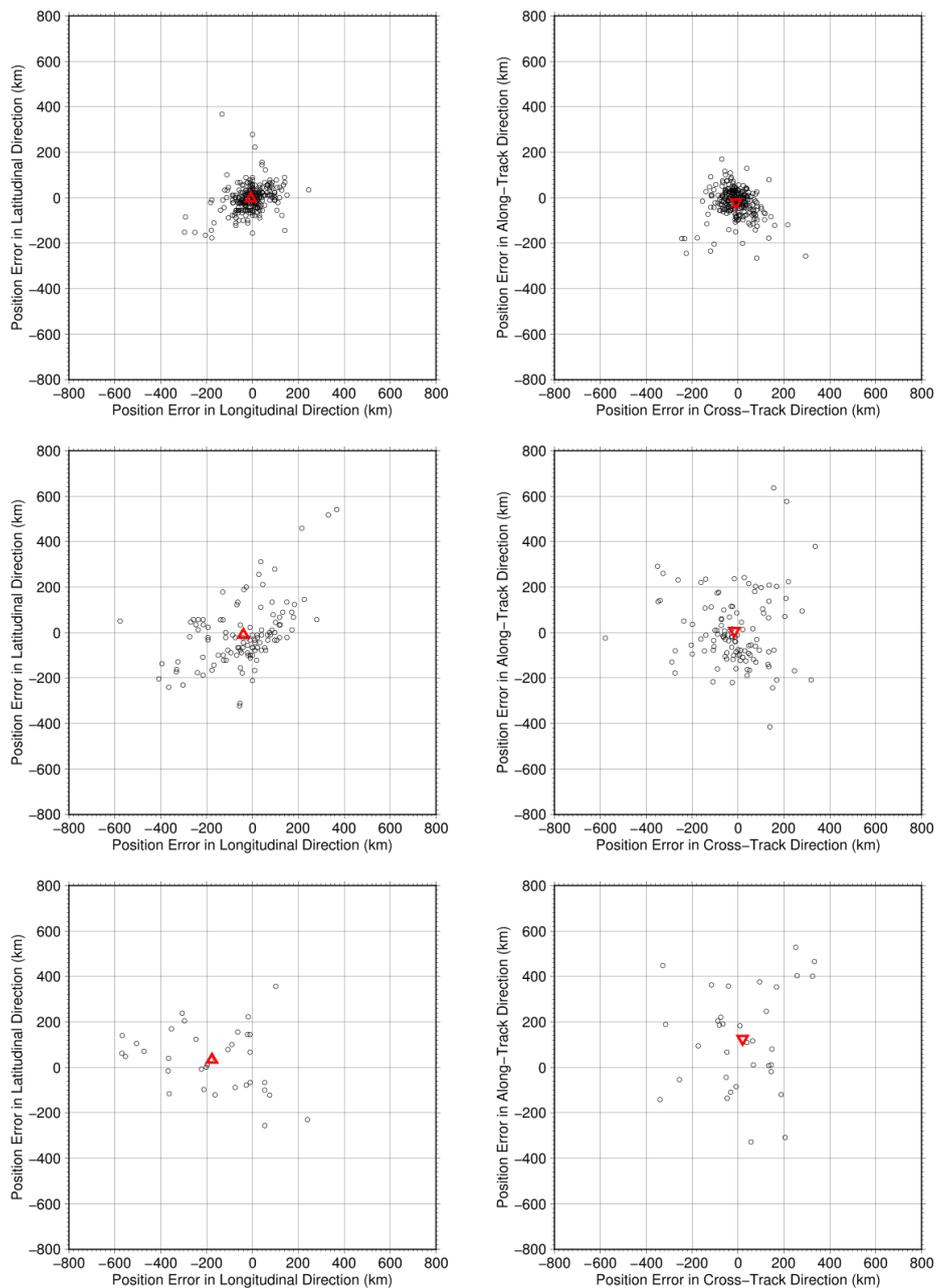


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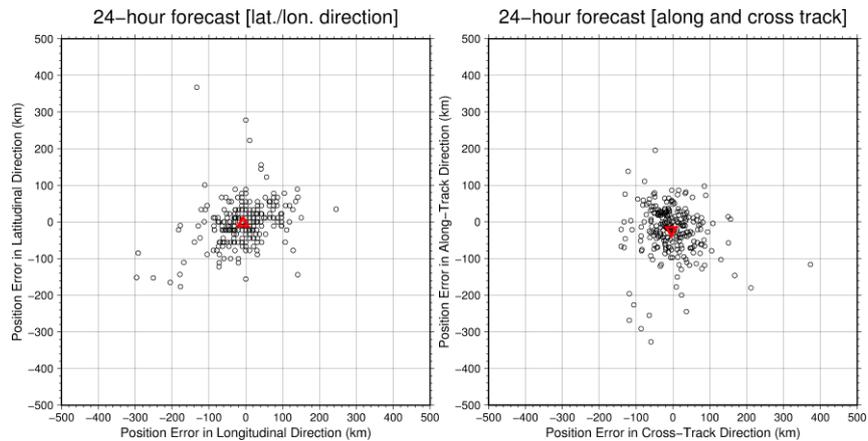
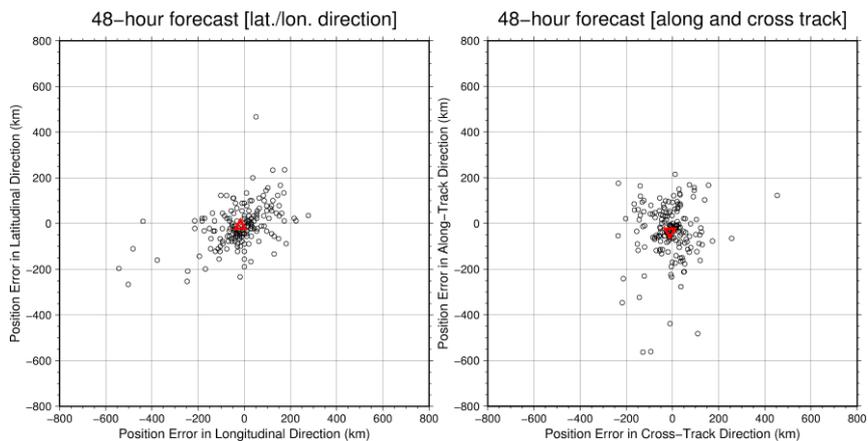
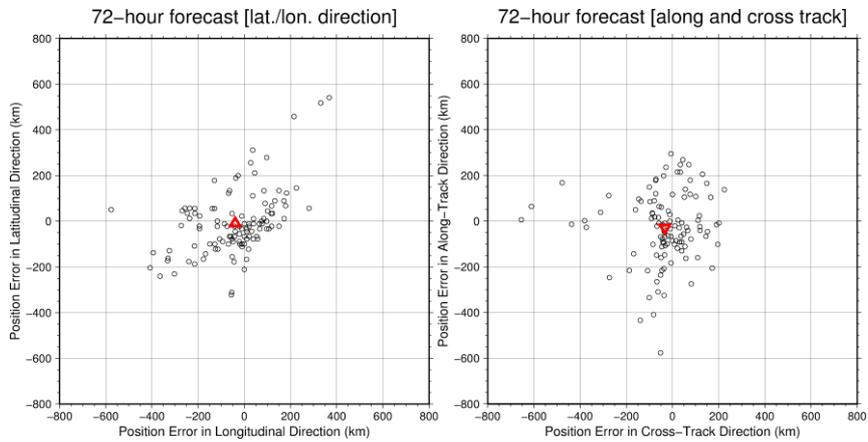


Figure 4.4 Scatter diagrams of 24-hour forecast position errors in longitudinal/latitudinal direction (left) and cross-/along-track direction (right) in 2020. Direction of TC track is calculated from positions at individual prediction times and those observed six hours prior. Red triangles denote annual means of position forecast errors.

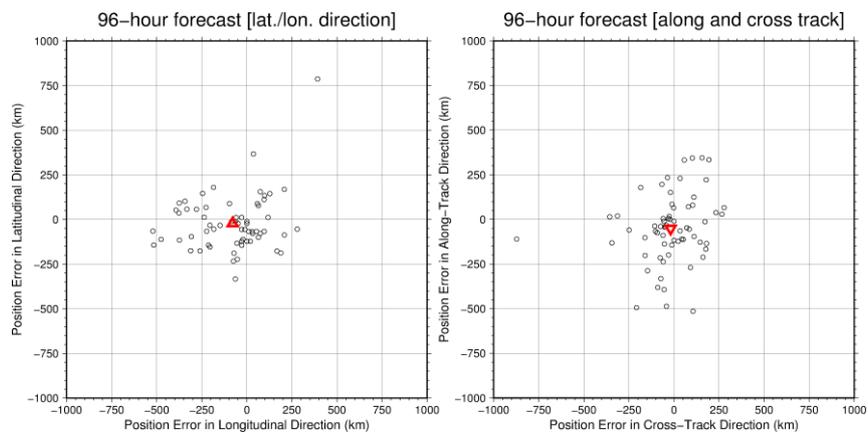


Scatter diagrams of 48-hour forecast position errors in longitudinal/latitudinal direction (left) and cross-/along-track direction (right) in 2020. Direction of TC track is calculated

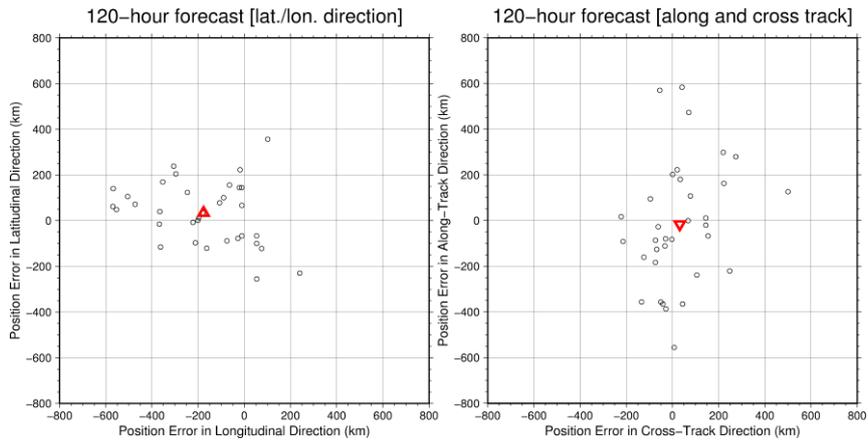
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Scatter diagrams of 72-hour forecast position errors in longitudinal/latitudinal direction (left) and cross-/along-track direction (right) in 2020. Direction of TC track is calculated from positions at individual prediction times and those observed six hours prior. Red triangles denote annual means of position forecast errors.



Scatter diagrams of 96-hour forecast position errors in longitudinal/latitudinal direction (left) and cross-/along-track direction (right) in 2020. Direction of TC track is calculated from positions at individual prediction times and those observed six hours prior. Red triangles denote annual means of position forecast errors.



Scatter diagrams of 120-hour forecast position errors in longitudinal/latitudinal direction (left) and cross-/along-track direction (right) in 2020. Direction of TC track is calculated from positions at individual prediction times and those observed six hours prior. Red triangles denote annual means of position forecast errors.

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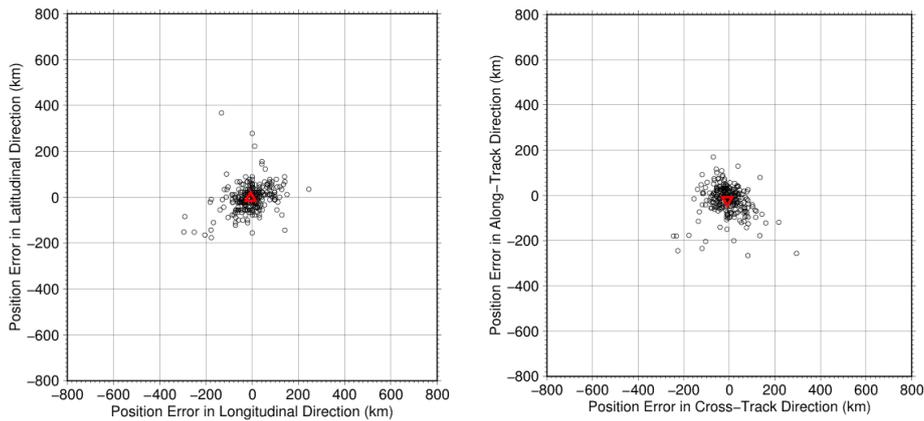
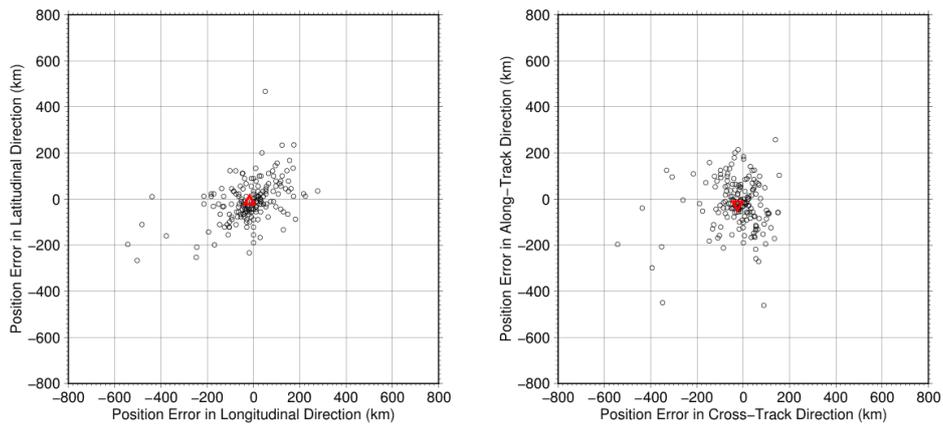
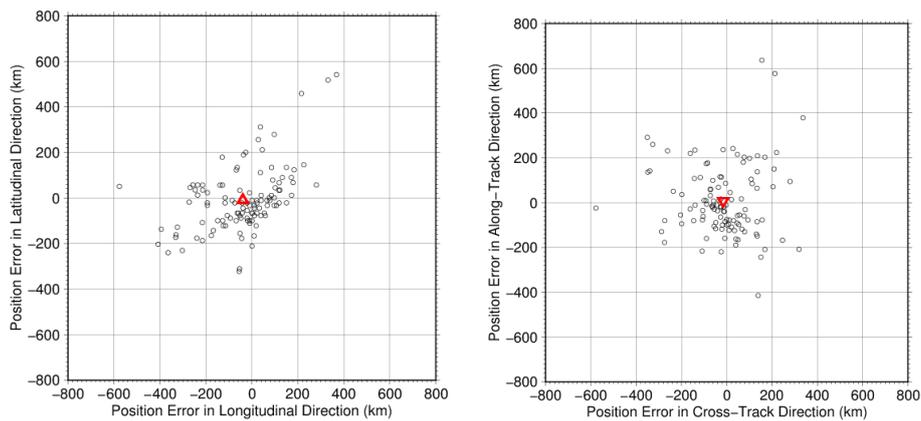


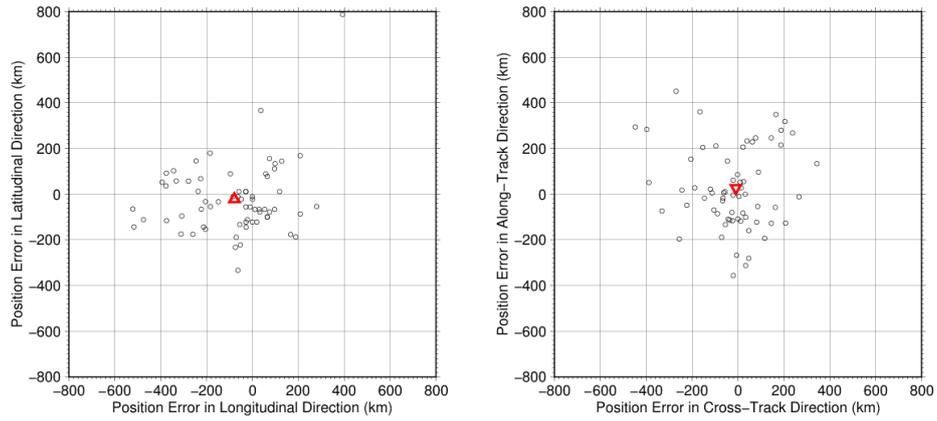
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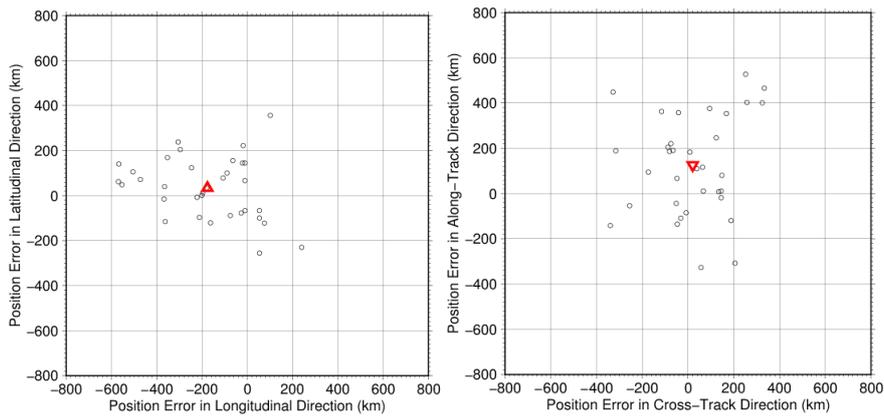
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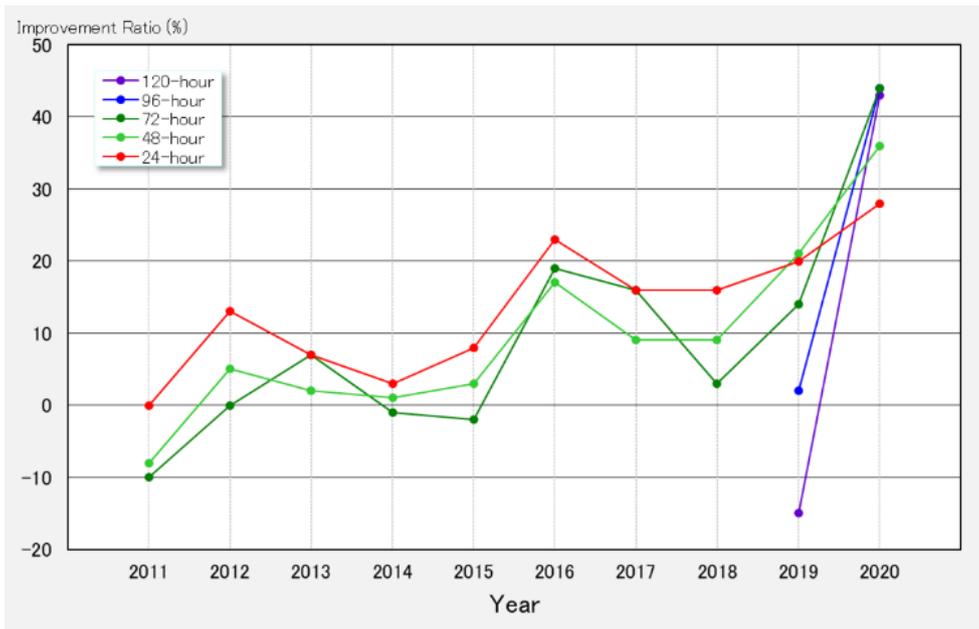


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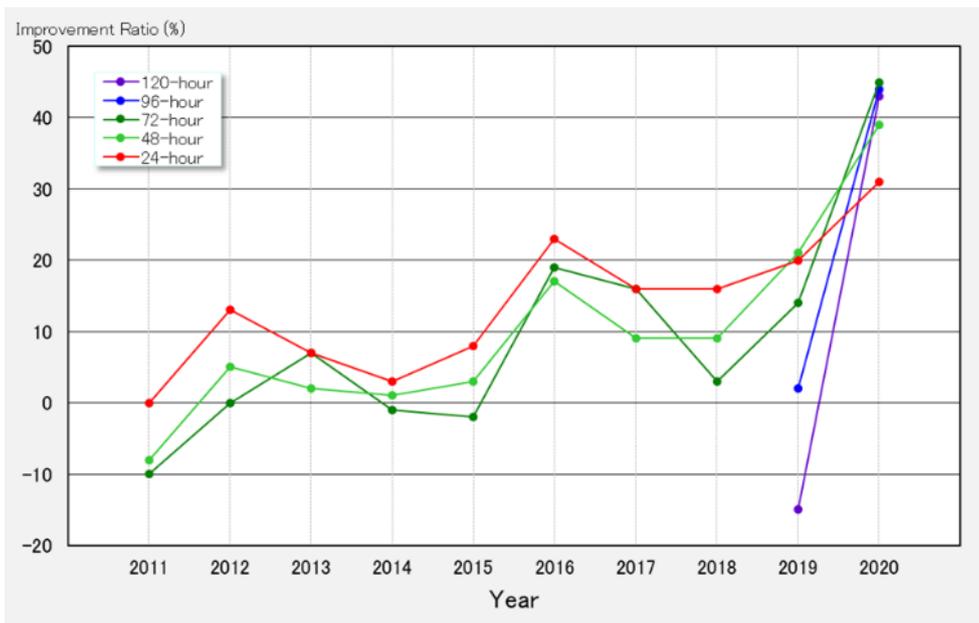
#### 4.1.2 Central Pressure and Maximum Wind Speed

p22 Figure 4.6 for central pressure forecasts

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p23 Table 4.3 for central pressure forecasts

(Correct)

| Tropical Cyclone    | 24-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 48-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 72-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 96-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 120-hour Forecast |            |      |           |
|---------------------|------------------|------------|------|-----------|------------------|------------|------|-----------|------------------|------------|------|-----------|------------------|------------|------|-----------|-------------------|------------|------|-----------|
|                     | Error (hPa)      | RMSE (hPa) | Num. | Impr. (%) | Error (hPa)      | RMSE (hPa) | Num. | Impr. (%) | Error (hPa)      | RMSE (hPa) | Num. | Impr. (%) | Error (hPa)      | RMSE (hPa) | Num. | Impr. (%) | Error (hPa)       | RMSE (hPa) | Num. | Impr. (%) |
| TY Vongfong (2001)  | -2.8             | 18.2       | 12   | 16        | -14.4            | 23.1       | 8    | 35        | -12.5            | 14.6       | 4    | 62        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Nuri (2002)      | -6.0             | 6.0        | 2    | 50        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Sinlaku (2003)   | 5.0              | 5.8        | 3    | 7         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Hagupit (2004)   | 2.9              | 7.7        | 13   | 44        | 2.9              | 3.8        | 8    | 78        | -5.2             | 7.2        | 4    | 70        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Jangni (2005)    | -3.3             | 4.6        | 6    | 35        | -1.0             | 1.4        | 2    | 93        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Mekkhala (2006) | 2.0              | 2.0        | 1    | 73        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Higos (2007)    | -2.0             | 3.5        | 3    | 65        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Bavi (2008)      | -4.0             | 12.4       | 17   | -8        | -2.3             | 9.6        | 13   | 56        | -3.3             | 8.2        | 9    | 71        | -5.0             | 9.7        | 5    | 61        | 0.0               | 0.0        | 1    | 100       |
| TY Maysak (2009)    | -5.0             | 9.2        | 20   | 5         | -11.6            | 15.7       | 16   | -22       | -8.8             | 11.1       | 12   | 28        | -2.5             | 10.3       | 8    | 43        | -7.5              | 11.2       | 4    | 4         |
| TY Haishen (2010)   | 6.4              | 14.4       | 25   | 0         | 2.7              | 16.7       | 19   | 34        | -5.4             | 18.9       | 13   | 40        | -6.7             | 16.5       | 9    | 38        | 5.0               | 8.7        | 5    | 44        |
| TS Noul (2011)      | -2.8             | 4.7        | 8    | 60        | -13.0            | 14.1       | 4    | 43        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Dolphin (2012)  | 1.7              | 8.7        | 9    | 22        | 1.4              | 10.4       | 5    | -71       | 8.0              | 8.0        | 1    | 30        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Kujira (2013)   | 3.3              | 5.1        | 10   | -9        | -0.5             | 5.5        | 6    | 45        | -12.5            | 12.7       | 2    | 52        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Chan-hom (2014)  | -4.8             | 6.8        | 23   | 19        | -7.8             | 9.7        | 19   | -40       | -10.7            | 12.0       | 15   | -70       | -10.1            | 12.1       | 11   | -44       | -8.7              | 10.0       | 7    | 17        |
| TS Linfa (2015)     | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Nangka (2016)    | -1.2             | 3.5        | 5    | 62        | -6.0             | 6.0        | 1    | 70        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Saudel (2017)    | -2.2             | 6.5        | 18   | 24        | 1.5              | 5.6        | 14   | 64        | -0.7             | 3.8        | 10   | 78        | -6.8             | 7.2        | 6    | 64        | -1.0              | 1.4        | 2    | 95        |
| TY Molave (2018)    | 9.4              | 11.7       | 14   | 46        | 19.4             | 21.3       | 10   | -29       | 19.2             | 23.2       | 6    | -9        | -8.5             | 12.0       | 2    | 46        | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Goni (2019)      | 6.6              | 20.9       | 27   | 33        | 4.2              | 24.1       | 23   | 46        | -8.5             | 20.3       | 19   | 51        | -13.1            | 19.1       | 15   | 49        | -10.0             | 19.2       | 11   | 41        |
| STS Atsani (2020)   | -5.6             | 8.0        | 14   | -31       | -11.1            | 12.8       | 10   | 18        | -14.7            | 14.9       | 6    | 27        | -19.5            | 19.5       | 2    | 12        | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Etao (2021)      | -6.0             | 6.2        | 3    | 63        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Vamco (2022)     | 1.3              | 10.3       | 20   | 47        | 2.4              | 9.0        | 16   | 45        | 4.9              | 9.3        | 12   | 29        | 6.0              | 8.3        | 8    | 52        | -4.2              | 5.7        | 4    | 74        |
| TS Krowanh (2023)   | -3.0             | 3.5        | 4    | 64        | -2.0             | 2.0        | 1    | 91        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| Annual Mean (total) | 0.3              | 11.6       | 257  | 28        | -1.3             | 15.0       | 175  | 36        | -4.8             | 14.6       | 113  | 44        | -7.0             | 13.9       | 66   | 44        | -5.7              | 13.0       | 34   | 43        |

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| Tropical Cyclone    | 24-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 48-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 72-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 96-hour Forecast |            |      |           | 120-hour Forecast |            |      |           |
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| TY Vongfong (2001)  | -2.8             | 18.2       | 12   | 11        | -14.4            | 23.1       | 8    | 32        | -12.5            | 14.6       | 4    | 62        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Nuri (2002)      | -6.0             | 6.0        | 2    | 47        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Sinlaku (2003)   | 5.0              | 5.8        | 3    | -19       | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Hagupit (2004)   | 2.9              | 7.7        | 13   | 41        | 2.9              | 3.8        | 8    | 78        | -5.2             | 7.2        | 4    | 70        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Jangni (2005)    | -3.3             | 4.6        | 6    | 12        | -1.0             | 1.4        | 2    | 92        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Mekkhala (2006) | 2.0              | 2.0        | 1    | 78        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Higos (2007)    | -2.0             | 3.5        | 3    | 59        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Bavi (2008)      | -4.0             | 12.4       | 17   | 4         | -2.3             | 9.6        | 13   | 56        | -3.3             | 8.2        | 9    | 71        | -5.0             | 9.7        | 5    | 61        | 0.0               | 0.0        | 1    | 100       |
| TY Maysak (2009)    | -5.0             | 9.2        | 20   | 4         | -11.6            | 15.7       | 16   | -15       | -8.8             | 11.1       | 12   | 29        | -2.5             | 10.3       | 8    | 43        | -7.5              | 11.2       | 4    | 5         |
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| TS Noul (2011)      | -2.8             | 4.7        | 8    | 60        | -13.0            | 14.1       | 4    | 43        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Dolphin (2012)  | 1.7              | 8.7        | 9    | 17        | 1.4              | 10.4       | 5    | -44       | 8.0              | 8.0        | 1    | 8         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| STS Kujira (2013)   | 3.3              | 5.1        | 10   | 20        | -0.5             | 5.5        | 6    | 40        | -12.5            | 12.7       | 2    | 52        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Chan-hom (2014)  | -4.8             | 6.8        | 23   | 19        | -7.8             | 9.7        | 19   | -42       | -10.7            | 12.0       | 15   | -70       | -10.1            | 12.1       | 11   | -42       | -8.7              | 10.0       | 7    | 17        |
| TS Linfa (2015)     | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Nangka (2016)    | -1.2             | 3.5        | 5    | 62        | -6.0             | 6.0        | 1    | 70        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Saudel (2017)    | -2.2             | 6.5        | 18   | 47        | 1.5              | 5.6        | 14   | 69        | -0.7             | 3.8        | 10   | 79        | -6.8             | 7.2        | 6    | 64        | -1.0              | 1.4        | 2    | 95        |
| TY Molave (2018)    | 9.4              | 11.7       | 14   | 39        | 19.4             | 21.3       | 10   | -23       | 19.2             | 23.2       | 6    | -7        | -8.5             | 12.0       | 2    | 43        | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
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| STS Atsani (2020)   | -5.6             | 8.0        | 14   | -40       | -11.1            | 12.8       | 10   | 14        | -14.7            | 14.9       | 6    | 24        | -19.5            | 19.5       | 2    | 10        | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TS Etao (2021)      | -6.0             | 6.2        | 3    | 64        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| TY Vamco (2022)     | 1.3              | 10.3       | 20   | 53        | 2.4              | 9.0        | 16   | 43        | 4.9              | 9.3        | 12   | 28        | 6.0              | 8.3        | 8    | 52        | -4.2              | 5.7        | 4    | 75        |
| TS Krowanh (2023)   | -3.0             | 3.5        | 4    | 65        | -2.0             | 2.0        | 1    | 90        | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                | -          | 0    | -         | -                 | -          | 0    | -         |
| Annual Mean (total) | 0.3              | 11.6       | 257  | 31        | -1.3             | 15.0       | 175  | 39        | -4.8             | 14.6       | 113  | 45        | -7.0             | 13.9       | 66   | 44        | -5.7              | 13.0       | 34   | 43        |