

Tropical Cyclone Abbreviated Report
Tropical Depression Four-E
6 - 7 July, 2000

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Short-lived Tropical Depression Four-E formed from the same tropical wave that spawned Tropical Depression Two in the Atlantic basin. Satellite images show the wave crossing Central America between 30 June and 1 July and then moving westward across the eastern Pacific. The thunderstorm activity associated with the wave became somewhat concentrated with some cyclonic turning on early 6 July when the system was located about 1200 miles southwest of Cabo San Lucas, Mexico. Advisories were initiated at 2100 UTC on that day, but the depression weakened rapidly and it was dissipating 18 to 24 hours later. The track is presented in Table 1 and Fig. 1.

Table 1. Best track, 6-7 July, 2000.

Date/Time (UTC)	Latitude (°N)	Longitude (°W)	Pressure (mb)	Wind Speed (kt)	Stage
6 / 1200	12.8	120.0	1007	25	tropical depression
1800	12.9	120.9	1008	25	"
7 / 0000	13.0	121.9	1008	25	"
0600	13.1	122.9	1008	25	"
1200	13.2	124.2	1009	20	dissipating
6/ 1200	12.8	120.0	1007	25	minimum pressure

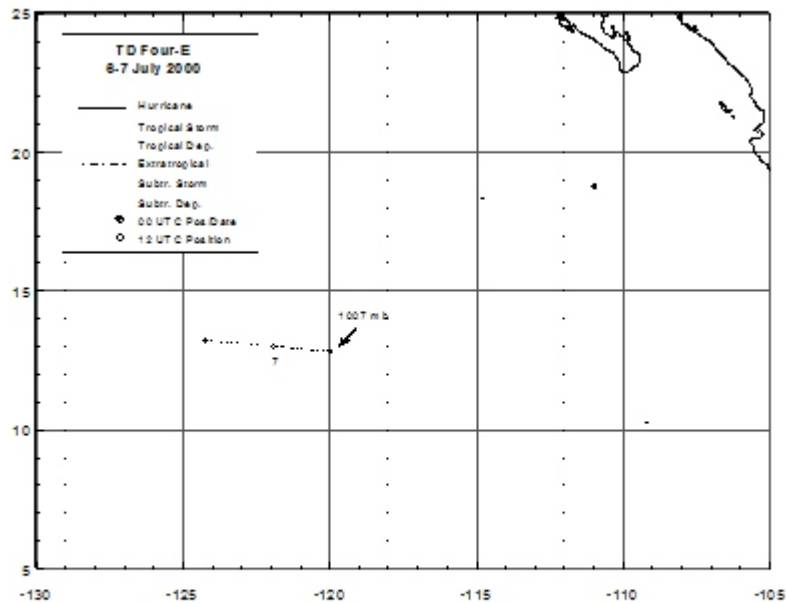


Fig. 1. Best track positions for Tropical Depression Four-E, 6-7 July 2000.