

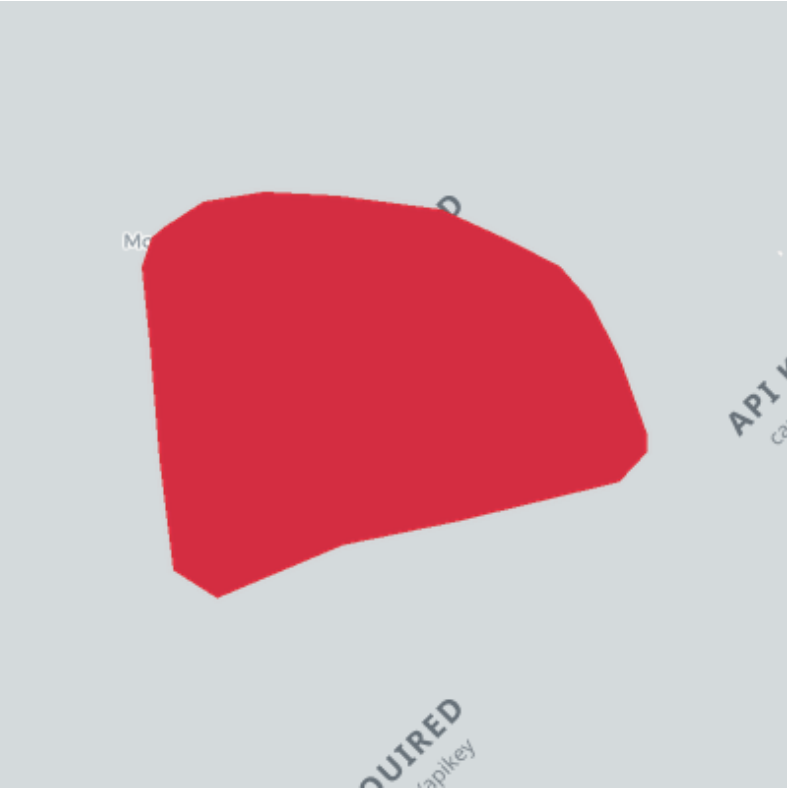
Major Hurricane Ken to impact Jamaica

 **Urgency:** Immediate

 **Severity:** Extreme

 **Certainty:** Likely

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Fri 28 Aug 2026 19:43	Thu 27 Aug 2026 08:00	Thu 27 Aug 2026 20:00	Fri 28 Aug 2026 02:00



Area:
Jamaica and Territorial Waters

Description:
Hurricane Ken expected to bring destructive winds, very heavy rainfall, flash flooding and landslides, along with life threatening storm surge.

Instruction:
Persons in low-lying and flood prone areas are urged to evacuate to safe shelters. Fishers and marine interests should remain in safe harbour.