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Maputo, Sunday.
SEVENTY FIVE fishermen whose three vessels were hit by the cyclone *Justine* off the northern Mozambican coast last month have been confirmed dead.

The government yesterday issued a communique expressing sorrow over the tragedy.

The government said it would provide assistance to the families of the deceased — all Mozambican nationals.

The communique said the dead fishermen were "Mozambican workers who carried out with determination their task in the struggle against underdevelopment, under the harsh conditions of life at sea."

The communique concluded by asking all those working in the fishing industry "to transform sorrow into new strength, into redoubled determination to fulfill our production targets and to improve the living conditions of the Mozambican people."
