

# DAILY DART

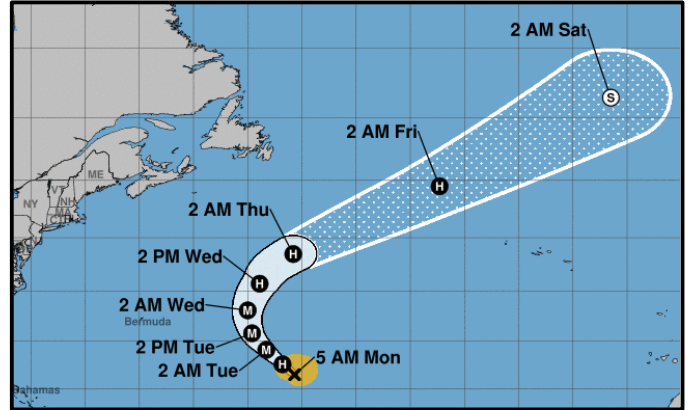
WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES DISASTER AWARENESS REPORT

September 18, 2023

## Tropical Activity

### Atlantic – Hurricane Nigel (CAT 1)

- As of 5 a.m., Nigel has sustained winds of 80 mph making it a Category 1 hurricane.
- It was located about 935 miles east-southeast of Bermuda moving northwest at 12 mph. Its hurricane-force winds extend out 25 miles and tropical-storm-force winds extend out 160 miles.
- “Nigel is forecast to turn northward late Tuesday, and then accelerate northeastward through the rest of the week,” forecasters said. “Nigel is forecast to rapidly strengthen into a major hurricane on Tuesday. A gradual weakening trend could start late Wednesday.”

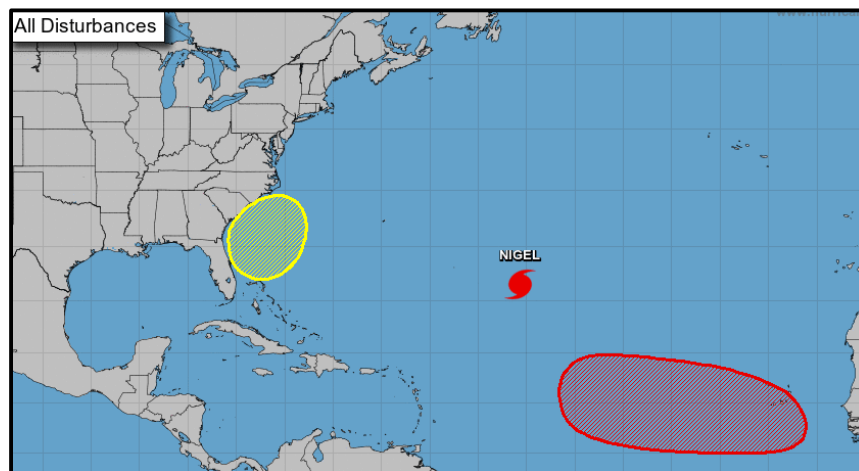


### Atlantic – Disturbance 1

- A tropical wave is expected to move off the west coast of Africa by Wednesday.
- Environmental conditions are forecast to be conducive for gradual development of the wave thereafter, and a tropical depression is likely to form late this week or this weekend while the system moves westward across the eastern and central tropical Atlantic.
- Formation chance – 48-hour: Low (near 0%); 7-day: High (70%)

### Atlantic – Disturbance 2

- A non-tropical area of low pressure is forecast to form near the southeastern coast of the United States late this week.
- This system could acquire some subtropical characteristics this weekend if it remains offshore while it moves slowly northward or northwestward.
- Formation chance – 48-hour: Low (near 0%); 7-day: Low (30%)



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## Atlantic – Post-Tropical Storm Lee

- The ferocity of Lee was unleashed on New England and the Canadian Maritimes over the weekend, ending the nearly two-week journey of the most powerful storm of the 2023 Atlantic hurricane season.
- The monstrous storm cut power to more than 280,000 electric customers across Maine, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick as it roared ashore on Saturday afternoon.
- One fatality has been confirmed in connection with the storm after a large tree limb fell on a motorist amid high winds in Searsport, Maine, according to The Associated Press.
- Although the worst of the storm stayed north and east of Boston, more than 220 flights at Boston Logan International Airport were canceled, according to FlightAware.
- In Perry, Maine, near the Canada–U.S. border, a wind gust reached 83 mph early Saturday morning. At the higher elevations, Lee helped produce a wind gust of 96 mph at Mount Washington in New Hampshire.
- As of Sunday morning, there were no media reports of widespread damages to homes.
- On September 17th, Governor of Maine suspended the State of Emergency.

## Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
MI	Severe Weather & Flash Flooding	9	0	9/24-TBD

## Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
OH	Train Derailment Feb 3-8, 2023	7/3/2023	Pending	1 County
PA*	Severe Storm, Straight-Line Winds & Flooding July 9, 2023	7/31/2023	Pending	1 County
KY	Severe Storms, Flooding, Straight-Line Winds & Tornadoes July 17-20, 2023	8/18/2023	Pending	5 Counties
AR*	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds & Tornadoes June 25, 2023	8/23/2023	Pending	7 Counties

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TN*	Severe Storm, Straight-Line Winds & Tornado August 7, 2023	9/5/2023	Pending	1 County

\*Award of task order to contractor pending

## WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4724 HI	Wildfires	1 County	35	10/10/2023
4734 FL	Hurricane Idalia	14 Counties	17	10/30/2023
4738 GA	Hurricane Idalia	3 Counties	8	11/6/2023

## WSP USA INSPECTION SERVICES ACTIVITY

