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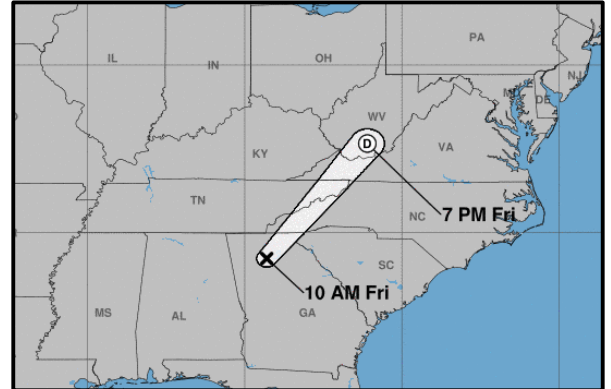
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Tropical Activity

Atlantic – Tropical Depression Nicole

- The center of Nicole is in northern Georgia but the impacts of Nicole can be felt as far north as Pennsylvania.
- Tropical downpours, gusty winds and severe weather will continue to impact the mid-Atlantic and Northeast through Saturday.
- A tornado watch was issued for parts of North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia until 3 p.m. EST Friday.
- The watch includes the Outer Banks off the coast of North Carolina and Myrtle Beach, in South Carolina.



Florida

- As Nicole threatens the Carolinas and Virginia on Friday with tornadoes and flooding, Floridians are picking up the pieces after the storm killed at least four people and ripped apart buildings with its dangerous storm surge and powerful winds.
- In Volusia County, Florida, at least 49 beachfront properties, including hotels and condos, have been deemed “unsafe” in Nicole’s aftermath.
- As the storm walloped the region, oceanfront homes in Wilbur-By-The-Sea – a barrier island community off Daytona Beach – collapsed into the ocean.
- Nicole hit Florida’s eastern coast, just south of Vero Beach, as a Category 1 hurricane in the early morning hours, before weakening into a tropical storm and then a depression.
- At Nicole’s peak, over 100,000 customers were without power as hurricane-force winds slammed into the Atlantic coast, spreading inland thereafter. While work has started to help restore power, over 50,000 remain in the dark across Florida as of 5 a.m. Friday morning, according to poweroutage.us. Nearly half of these outages come from Brevard County, where some of the storm’s most intense winds were observed.
- Two people died after being “electrocuted by a downed power line” in Orange County, the Orange County Sheriff’s Office said in a press release.
- Two additional deaths are being investigated as possibly storm-related following a fatal car accident, according to Orange County Mayor Jerry Demings.
- Florida Gov. Ron DeSantis has extended a state of emergency to all counties.
- DeSantis said Thursday that Hurricane Nicole didn’t pack the same punch as Ian earlier this year, but Florida officials stand ready to clean up whatever mess Nicole leaves behind.



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- “This is obviously not as significant a storm as Hurricane Ian was,” DeSantis said, before noting that beach erosion is a problem in some areas.
- Storm surge has impacted some structures along the coast near where Nicole made landfall south of Vero Beach, especially in Volusia County.
- Nicole also is causing flash flooding in some areas, and about 3% of the state is without power, DeSantis said.
- “Impacts have been basically what’s been expected,” the governor added.
- DeSantis said 17,000 utility workers are on standby waiting for the storm to pass so they can restore electricity. The state also mobilized 600 National Guardsmen to help with recovery, and 250 crews from the Florida Department of Transportation to inspect and clear roadways and bridges.
- “We’re ready and we have resources to respond to whatever post-storm needs may arise,” DeSantis said.
- Mandatory evacuations remain in effect for parts of Clay and Volusia Counties.
- All airports have reopened.

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

State	Event	Number of Counties for IA		Start-End
		Requested	Completed	
OK	Severe Weather, Tornadoes & Flooding Nov 4 & continuing	4	0	11/9-TBD

Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request

State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes
GA	Flooding September 4-14, 2022	10/4/2022	Pending	1 County/4 Cities
WV	Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides/Mudslides July 12-Aug 15, 2022	10/14/2022	Pending	2 Counties
CA	Heat Dome and Wildfires Aug 29 & continuing	10/26/2022	Pending	6 Counties
SC	Hurricane Ian Sept 25-Oct 4, 2022	10/31/2022	Pending	3 Counties

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WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters

Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline
4665 MO	Severe Storms & Flooding	2 Counties/1 City	93	11/7/2022
4671 PR	Hurricane Fiona	78 Municipalities	49	11/21/2022
4673 FL	Hurricane Ian	26 Counties	40	11/28/2022

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