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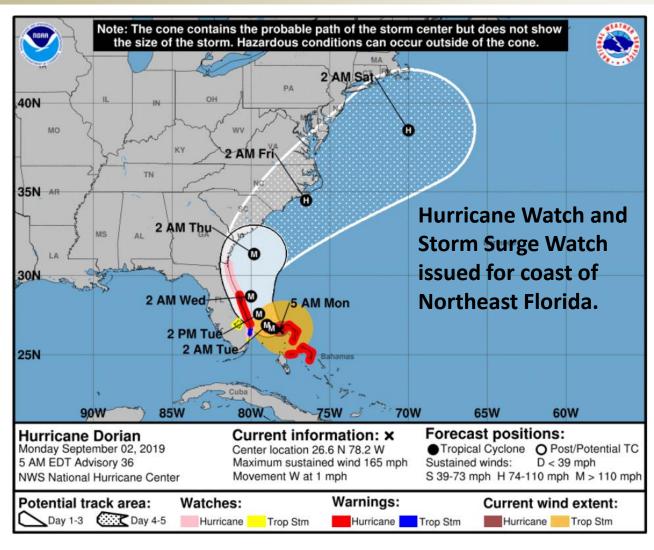


- Major Hurricane Dorian threatens coastal areas of northeast Florida Tuesday-Wednesday, and coastal areas of southeast Georgia Wednesday-Wednesday Night.
 - Hurricane Watch and Storm Surge Watch have been issued for the entire northeast Florida coastline, with a Tropical Storm Watch for areas inland of the Hurricane Watch.
 - The watches may be extended northward to the Southeast Georgia coast later Today.
 - Latest forecast keeps the track of Dorian east of northeast FL coast, but the expected expanding storm size could bring tropical storm or hurricane force winds or wind gusts to the coastline.
 - High Surf Advisory along coast... for 7-10ft waves Today, 10-20ft waves Tuesday-Wednesday.

Hurricane Dorian

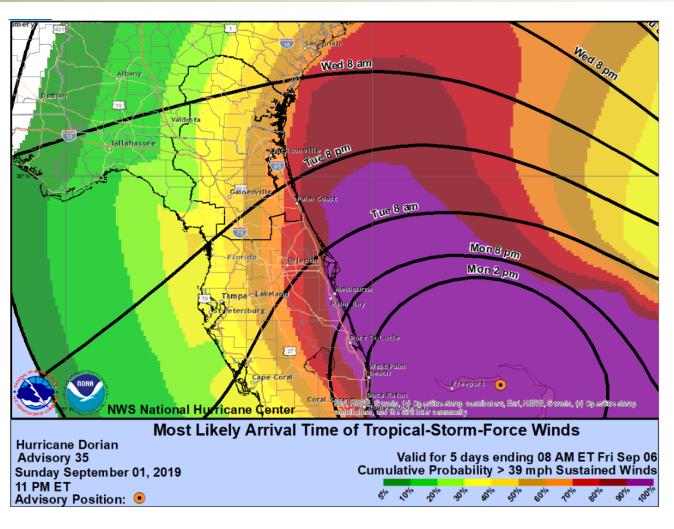


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- Latest guidance yields increasing confidence in a forecast track for Dorian northward 50-75 miles east of the FL East Coast.
- Although offshore,
 Dorian would still yield a threat of very strong winds and some storm surge along coastline.
- Some uncertainty still exists in the track the storm takes. Any westward shift back near or over the FL peninsula would yield severe impacts for the area.

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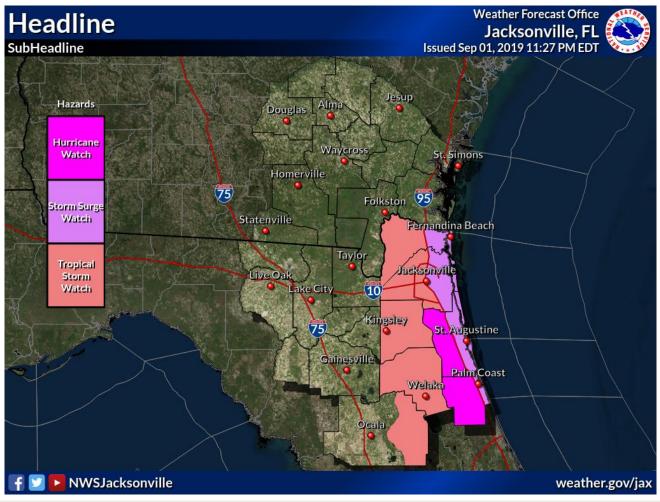


- Most likely time of arrival of tropical storm force winds appears to be late Tuesday evening
 St. Augustine southward, later
 Tuesday night further north along the northeast FL coast, and pre-dawn through the morning Wednesday
 for southeast GA coast.
- All preparations should be completed before these times.

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Hurricane, Tropical Storm, and Storm Surge Watches Have Been Issued for Coastline and Coastal Counties of Northeast FL.



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Key Points About Major Hurricane Dorian

- Latest forecast still points to a northward track 50-75 miles east of the northeast Florida coastline by early Wednesday.
- Some uncertainty still exists on how close Dorian gets to our coast...dependent on when the turn northward occurs.
- Even if the storm tracks well offshore, there will be some substantial impacts to the coastline, much like what occurred with Matthew in 2016.
 - Storm surge along the coast, with flooding possible along the St. Johns River.
 - Strong winds, potentially to hurricane force, along the coastline, with tropical storm force winds to the I-95 corridor.
 - Dangerous surf, with waves 7-10 ft Today, 10-20 ft Tuesday-Wednesday.
 - Heaviest rainfall, and tornado threat, likely along the coast and offshore.

Closely monitor the progress of Dorian through the latest forecasts from the National Hurricane Center.