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**From:** Brown, Peter J. EOP/NSC  
**Sent:** Sunday, September 1, 2019 9:58 AM  
**To:** Gaynor, Pete; Jeffrey Byard  
**Cc:** Kupperman, Charles; neil.jacobs@noaa.gov  
**Subject:** Re: Update: Hurricane Dorian -- 175 mph winds  
**Attachments:** image005.gif; image002.jpg

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Still tracking to see you at 1230

Thanks,  
Pete

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On Sep 1, 2019, at 9:38 AM, Gaynor, Pete <[pete.gaynor@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:pete.gaynor@fema.dhs.gov)> wrote:

175 mph winds!

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**From:** Green, Matthew <[Matthew.Green@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:Matthew.Green@fema.dhs.gov)>  
**Sent:** Sunday, September 1, 2019 9:36 AM  
**To:** HLT <[HLT@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:HLT@fema.dhs.gov)>; Hersey, Tiffany <[tiffany.hersey@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:tiffany.hersey@fema.dhs.gov)>  
**Subject:** Update: Hurricane Dorian -- 175 mph winds

**...CATASTROPHIC CATEGORY 5 DORIAN CONTINUING TO INTENSIFY AS IT APPROACHES THE ABACO ISLANDS...**

At 930 am EDT, Hurricane Dorian was located 25 miles east-northeast of Great Abaco Island with maximum sustained winds of **175 mph** and a minimum central pressure of 922 mb.

Data from an Air Force Reserve Hurricane Hunter aircraft indicate that **Dorian has continued to intensify, and now has maximum sustained winds near 175 mph**, with a minimum central pressure of 922 mb.

**Hurricane Dorian Graphics**

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Hurricane Dorian Tropical Cyclone Update  
NWS National Hurricane Center Miami FL AL052019  
930 AM EDT Sun Sep 01 2019

...CATASTROPHIC CATEGORY 5 DORIAN CONTINUING TO INTENSIFY AS IT APPROACHES THE ABACO ISLANDS...

Data from an Air Force Reserve Hurricane Hunter aircraft indicate that Dorian has continued to intensify, and now has maximum sustained winds near 175 mph (280 km/h), with a minimum central pressure of 922 mb (27.23 inches).

The eyewall of catastrophic Hurricane Dorian is currently reaching the Abaco Islands. This is a life-threatening situation. Residents there should take immediate shelter. Do not venture into the eye if it passes over your location.

Hazards:

- Wind Gusts over 200 mph
- Storm Surge 15 to 20 feet above normal tide levels with higher destructive waves

These hazards will cause extreme destruction in the affected areas. and will continue for several hours.

SUMMARY OF 930 AM EDT...1330 UTC...INFORMATION

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LOCATION...26.5N 76.6W  
ABOUT 25 MI...40 KM ENE OF GREAT ABACO ISLAND  
ABOUT 210 MI...340 KM E OF WEST PALM BEACH FLORIDA  
MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS...175 MPH...280 KM/H  
PRESENT MOVEMENT...W OR 275 DEGREES AT 8 MPH...13 KM/H  
MINIMUM CENTRAL PRESSURE...922 MB...27.73 INCHES

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Forecaster Brennan/Blake/Zelinsky/Avila