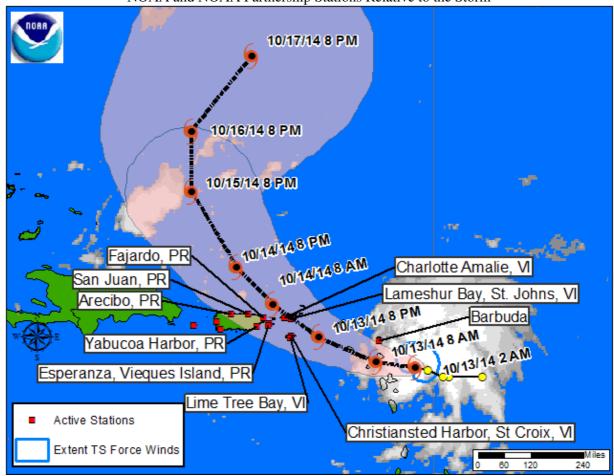


NOAA and NOAA Partnership Stations Relative to the Storm



### Storm Analysis

As of 10/13/2014 06:00 AST, water levels across Barbuda, the U.S. Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico are slightly elevated by up to 0.6 feet above predicted tide levels. Winds have begun to increase, but remain below 20 knots across the region. Wind gusts over 25 knots have been observed on Barbuda over the past 12 hours. Barometric pressure remains steady across the region.

Water Level and Meteorological plots available below are updated automatically. A line denoting <u>Mean Higher High Water</u> (MHHW) is displayed to provide an approximate indication of when flooding inundation may occur.

For additional data, please see the <u>Center for Operational Oceanographic Products & Services</u> website. For more information or archived products and reports, please see the <u>Storm OuickLookHomepage</u>.

Analyst: KG

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### SELECT NATIONAL HURRICANE CENTER ADVISORY INFORMATION:

TROPICAL STORM GONZALO ADVISORY NUMBER 4 500 AM AST MON OCT 13 2014

- ...GONZALO TO PASS THROUGH THE LEEWARD ISLANDS TODAY...
- ...RAIN BANDS ALREADY MOVING INTO GUADELOUPE...ANTIGUA...AND BARBUDA...

### WATCHES AND WARNINGS

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CHANGES WITH THIS ADVISORY...

NONE.

SUMMARY OF WATCHES AND WARNINGS IN EFFECT...

A HURRICANE WATCH IS IN EFFECT FOR...

- \* PUERTO RICO
- \* VIEOUES AND CULEBRA
- \* U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS
- \* BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS

A TROPICAL STORM WARNING IS IN EFFECT FOR...

- \* GUADELOUPE...DESIRADE...LES SAINTES...AND MARIE GALANTE
- \* ST. MARTIN
- \* ST. BARTHELEMY
- \* ST. MAARTIN
- \* SABA AND ST. EUSTATIUS
- \* BARBUDA
- \* ANTIGUA
- \* ANGUILLA
- \* ST. KITTS AND NEVIS
- \* MONTSERRAT
- \* PUERTO RICO
- \* VIEQUES AND CULEBRA
- \* U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS
- \* BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS

A HURRICANE WATCH MEANS THAT HURRICANE CONDITIONS ARE POSSIBLEWITHIN THE WATCH AREA...IN THIS CASE IN THE NEXT 24 HOURS.

A TROPICAL STORM WARNING MEANS THAT TROPICAL STORM CONDITIONS ARE EXPECTED SOMEWHERE WITHIN THE WARNING AREA.

FOR STORM INFORMATION SPECIFIC TO YOUR AREA IN THE UNITED STATES...INCLUDING POSSIBLE INLAND WATCHES AND WARNINGS... PLEASE MONITOR PRODUCTS ISSUED BY YOUR LOCAL NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST OFFICE. FOR STORM INFORMATION SPECIFIC TO YOUR AREA OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES... PLEASE MONITOR PRODUCTS

ISSUED BY YOUR NATIONAL METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE.

### **DISCUSSION AND 48-HOUR OUTLOOK**

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AT 500 AM AST...THE CENTER OF TROPICAL STORM GONZALO WAS LOCATED NEAR LATITUDE 16.8 NORTH...LONGITUDE 60.9 WEST. GONZALO IS MOVING TOWARD THE WEST NEAR 10 MPH. A TURN TOWARD THE WEST-NORTHWEST IS FORECAST TODAY...FOLLOWED BY A TURN TOWARD THE NORTHWEST BY TONIGHT. ON THE FORECAST TRACK...THE CENTER OF GONZALO WILL MOVE ACROSS THE LEEWARD ISLANDS TODAY...AND NEAR OR OVER THE VIRGIN ISLANDS TONIGHT.

MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS HAVE INCREASED TO NEAR 60 MPH... WITH HIGHER GUSTS. SOME ADDITIONAL STRENGTHENING IS EXPECTED DURING THE NEXT 48 HOURS...AND GONZALO IS FORECAST TO BECOME A HURRICANE TONIGHT OR TUESDAY.

TROPICAL STORM FORCE WINDS EXTEND OUTWARD UP TO 60 MILES FROM THE CENTER.

THE ESTIMATED MINIMUM CENTRAL PRESSURE IS 1000 MB.

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WIND...TROPICAL STORM CONDITIONS WILL SPREAD OVER PORTIONS OF THE WARNING AREA IN THE LEEWARD ISLANDS TODAY. HURRICANE CONDITIONS ARE POSSIBLE WITHIN THE HURRICANE WATCH AREA TONIGHT AND EARLY TUESDAY....WITH TROPICAL STORM CONDITIONS EXPECTED BY THIS EVENING.

RAINFALL...GONZALO IS EXPECTED TO PRODUCE TOTAL RAINFALL ACCUMULATIONS OF 4 TO 8 INCHES ACROSS THE LEEWARD ISLANDS... BRITISH AND U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS...AND EASTERN PUERTO RICO...WITH ISOLATED MAXIMUM TOTALS OF 12 INCHES POSSIBLE.

SURF...SWELLS GENERATED BY GONZALO WILL AFFECT THE LEEWARD ISLANDS FROM DOMINICA NORTHWARD TODAY. SWELLS WILL REACH THE U.S. AND BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS BY THIS AFTERNOON. THESE SWELLS ARE LIKELY TO CAUSE LIFE-THREATENING SURF AND RIP CURRENT CONDITIONS. PLEASE CONSULT PRODUCTS FROM YOUR LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE.

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For the purpose of timely release, data contained within this QuickLook have undergone a "limited" NOS Quality Assurance/Control; however, the data have not yet undergone final verification. All data subject to NOS verification.

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# Tropical Storm GONZALO QuickLook, POSTED 06:00 AST 10/13/2014 <u>Water Level</u>

### $NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS~\underline{9761115~Barbuda}$ Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW) 0.4 Height in Feet (MHHW) 0.2 0.0 -0.2 -0.4 -0.6 -0.8 10/12 10/11 10/12 10/13 10/13 10/14 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -0.31 ft. Predicted: -0.54 ft. Residual: 0.23 ft.

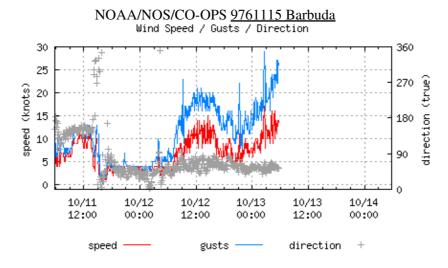
(Obs-Pred)

MHHW

Predicted Tide

Observed WL

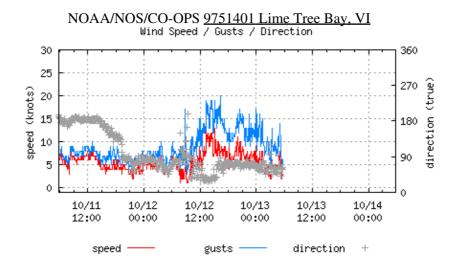
Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 23 2012, 1.05 ft. Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:51 (AST), -0.04 ft.



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST) Wind Speed: 19 knots Gusts: 30 knots Direction: 54° T

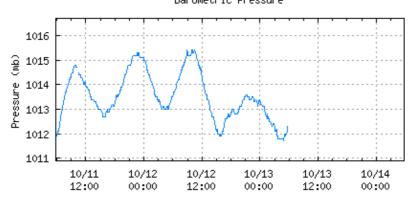
#### NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751401 Lime Tree Bay, VI Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water (MHHW) 0.6 Height in Feet (MHHW) 0.4 0.2 0.0 -0.2 -0.4-0.6 10/11 10/12 10/12 10/13 10/13 10/14 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 Predicted Tide (Obs-Pred) Observed WL MHHW

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -0.17 ft. Predicted: -0.44 ft. Residual: 0.27 ft. Historical Maximum Water Level: Nov 17 1999, 1.88 ft. Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 14:15 (AST), 0.14 ft.



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST) Wind Speed: 3 knots Gusts: 6 knots Direction: 64° T

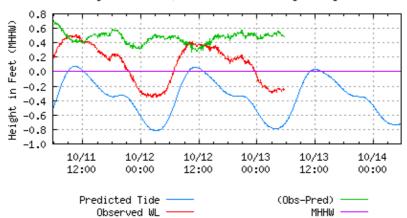
# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS <u>9751401 Lime Tree Bay, VI</u> Barometric Pressure



barometric pressure —— Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST)

Barometric Pressure: 1012.3 mb

# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS <u>9751364 Christiansted Harbor</u>, <u>St Croix</u>, <u>VI</u> Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW)



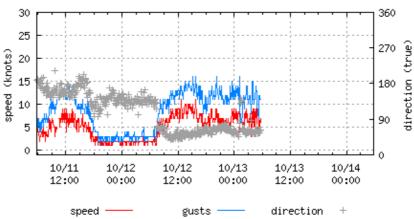
Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -0.23 ft. Predicted: -0.73 ft. Residual: 0.50 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Oct 16 2008, 1.17 ft.

Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:03 (AST), 0.03 ft.

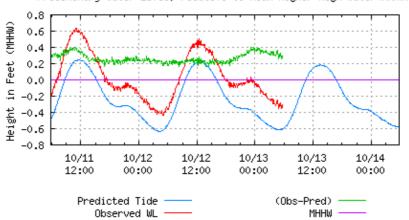
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# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751364 Christiansted Harbor, St Croix, VI Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction

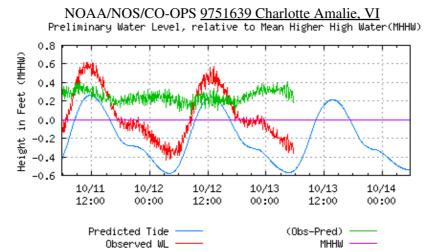


Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST) Wind Speed: 5 knots Gusts: 12 knots Direction: 82° T

# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS <u>9751381 Lameshur Bay, St John, VI</u> Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW)



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -0.33 ft. Predicted: -0.60 ft. Residual: 0.27 ft. Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 30 2010, 0.89 ft. Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 13:30 (AST), 0.18 ft.



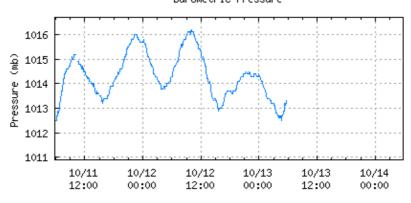
Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -0.37 ft. Predicted: -0.55 ft. Residual: 0.18 ft. Historical Maximum Water Level: Sep 16 1995, 2.93 ft. Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 13:44 (AST), 0.21 ft.

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751639 Charlotte Amalie, VI

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Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST) Wind Speed: 3 knots Gusts: 6 knots Direction: 81° T

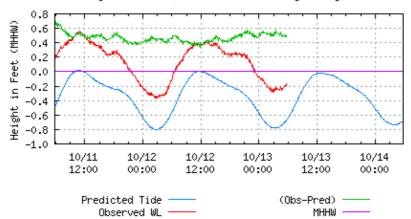
# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS <u>9751639 Charlotte Amalie, VI</u> Barometric Pressure



barometric pressure —— Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:42 (AST)

Barometric Pressure: 1013.3 mb

# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9752695 Esperanza, Vieques Island, PR Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW)



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -0.14 ft. Predicted: -0.66 ft. Residual: 0.52 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 22 2011, 0.99 ft. Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:32 (AST), -0.02 ft.

### NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9752695 Esperanza, Vieques Island, PR Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction 30 360 25 270 direction (true) speed (knots) 20 15 180 10 90 5 10/11 10/12 10/12 10/13 10/13 10/14

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Wind Speed: 1 knots Gusts: 2 knots Direction: 53° T

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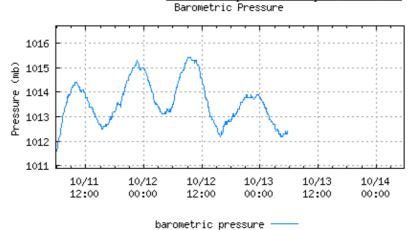
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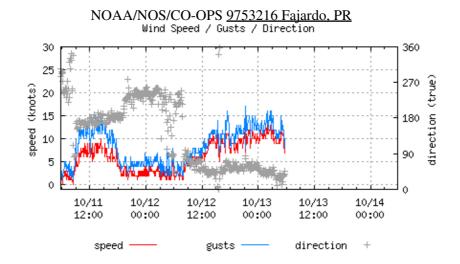


Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST)

Barometric Pressure: 1012.5 mb

#### NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9753216 Fajardo, PR Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW) 1.0 Height in Feet (MHHW) 0.5 0.0 -0.5 -1.0 -1.5-2.0 10/14 10/11 10/12 10/12 10/13 10/13 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 Predicted Tide (Obs-Pred) Observed WL MHHW

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -1.17 ft. Predicted: -1.46 ft. Residual: 0.29 ft. Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 30 2010, 0.84 ft. Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:43 (AST), 0.04 ft.



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST) Wind Speed: 6 knots Gusts: 9 knots Direction: 35° T

#### NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9754228 Yabucoa Harbor, PR Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW) 0.8 Height in Feet (MHHW) 0.6 0.4 0.2 0.0 -0.2 -0.4 -0.6 -0.8 10/11 10/12 10/12 10/13 10/13 10/14 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -0.18 ft. Predicted: -0.64 ft. Residual: 0.46 ft.

(Obs-Pred)

MHHW

Predicted Tide

Observed WL

Historical Maximum Water Level: n/a Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 15:07 (AST), -0.01 ft.

#### NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9754228 Yabucoa Harbor, PR Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction 30 360 25 270 direction (true) speed (knots) 20 15 180 10 90 5 10/11 10/12 10/12 10/13 10/13 10/14 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 direction speed gusts

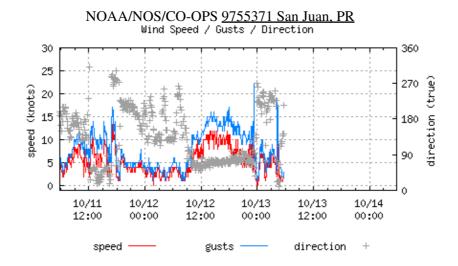
Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST) Wind Speed: 2 knots Gusts: 3 knots Direction: 303° T

### NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9755371 San Juan, PR Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW) 1.0 Height in Feet (MHHW) 0.5 0.0 -0.5 -1.0 -1.510/12 10/11 10/12 10/13 10/13 10/14 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 12:00 00:00 Predicted Tide (Obs-Pred)

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -1.10 ft. Predicted: -1.40 ft. Residual: 0.30 ft. Historical Maximum Water Level: Sep 18 1989, 2.77 ft. Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 13:03 (AST), 0.27 ft.

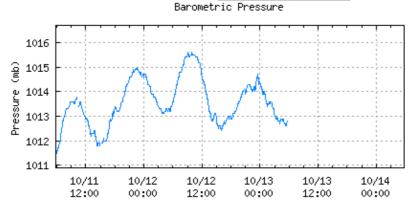
MHHW

Observed WL



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST) Wind Speed: 2 knots Gusts: 3 knots Direction: 190° T

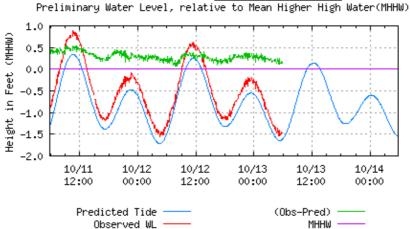
# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS <u>9755371 San Juan, PR</u>



barometric pressure —— Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST)

Barometric Pressure: 1012.8 mb

# NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9757809 Arecibo, PR



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 05:48 (AST). Data relative to MHHW Observed: -1.47 ft. Predicted: -1.62 ft. Residual: 0.15 ft. Historical Maximum Water Level: Oct 8 2010, 0.90 ft.

Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:19 (AST), 0.14 ft.

# Latest Water Level Observations on MHHW

| Station<br>ID | Station Name                          | Date/Time                 | Observed<br>Water<br>Level | Predicted<br>Tide | Residual<br>Water<br>Level | 24 Hour<br>Maximum<br>Storm<br>Tide |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 9761115       | Barbuda                               | 10/13/2014 05:42<br>(AST) | -0.31 ft                   | -0.54 ft          | 0.23 ft                    | 0.20 ft                             |
| 9751401       | Lime Tree Bay, VI                     | 10/13/2014 05:42<br>(AST) | -0.17 ft                   | -0.44 ft          | 0.27 ft                    | 0.42 ft                             |
| 9751364       | Christiansted Harbor, St<br>Croix, VI | 10/13/2014 05:42<br>(AST) | -0.23 ft                   | -0.73 ft          | 0.50 ft                    | 0.42 ft                             |
| 9751381       | Lameshur Bay, St John, VI             | 10/13/2014 05:48<br>(AST) | -0.33 ft                   | -0.60 ft          | 0.27 ft                    | 0.50 ft                             |
| 9751639       | Charlotte Amalie, VI                  | 10/13/2014 05:42<br>(AST) | -0.37 ft                   | -0.55 ft          | 0.18 ft                    | 0.57 ft                             |
| 9752695       | Esperanza, Vieques Island, PR         | 10/13/2014 05:48<br>(AST) | -0.14 ft                   | -0.66 ft          | 0.52 ft                    | 0.41 ft                             |
| 9753216       | Fajardo, PR                           | 10/13/2014 05:48<br>(AST) | -1.17 ft                   | -1.46 ft          | 0.29 ft                    | 0.52 ft                             |
| 9754228       | Yabucoa Harbor, PR                    | 10/13/2014 05:48<br>(AST) | -0.18 ft                   | -0.64 ft          | 0.46 ft                    | 0.59 ft                             |
| 9755371       | San Juan, PR                          | 10/13/2014 05:48<br>(AST) | -1.10 ft                   | -1.40 ft          | 0.30 ft                    | 0.51 ft                             |
| 9757809       | Arecibo, PR                           | 10/13/2014 05:48<br>(AST) | -1.47 ft                   | -1.62 ft          | 0.15 ft                    | 0.63 ft                             |

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