

Sandy's Statistics Awe-Inspiring

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Although Sandy is no longer a tropical system, it has still had quite an impact on the Eastern Seaboard. Here is a look at some of the statistics so far from this menace of a hurricane:

Power Outages as of 3 p.m. EDT

- **New Jersey:** 2.56 million
- **New York:** 1.92 million
- **Pennsylvania:** 1.17 million
- **Connecticut:** 594,000
- **Maryland:** 258,000
- **Massachusetts:** 230,000
- **Ohio:** 231,000
- **Virginia:** 84,000
- **New Hampshire:** 118,000
- **Rhode Island:** 109,000
- **Maine:** 52,000
- **West Virginia:** 255,000
- **Delaware:** 74,000

This brings the total to about 7.59 million people without power this afternoon.

Weather Observations

- WeatherBug Tracking stations in Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia have recorded more than 6 inches
- 29 inches of snow reported in Redhouse, Md., in the Appalachian mountains
- Chicago lakeshore could see 18 to 23 foot waves generated by Sandy's western flank
- Rainfall totals range from 6 to 12 inches along the Atlantic Coast. Wildwood Crest, N.J., received 12 inches.
- The Weather Service reports the buoy at the entrance to New York Harbor reached a record 32.5 feet, surpassing the former record of 26 feet set during Irene in August 2011.
- According to the New York Times, the water level at the bottom of Manhattan was 10.7 feet at 7:20 p.m., breaking the record of 10.0 feet set by Hurricane Donna in 1960.
- Islip International Airport, N.Y., clocked a gust of 90 mph.
- North Arlington, N.J., saw a gust to 81 mph.
- Ocean City, Md., which saw its fishing pier collapse, also recorded a gust of 74 mph.
- Powerful winds stretched as far inland as Cleveland, Ohio, which recorded a 68 mph gust.
- Very impressive rainfall accompanied this storm, with Mercersburg, Pa., leading the way with 14.45 inches of rain.
- Andrews Air Force Base, Md., was close, recording 12.64 inches of rain
- Cape May, N.J., near the point where Sandy came ashore, saw 9.91 inches of rain
- Heavy snow has been falling across West Virginia's mountains. 28 inches of snow has fallen in Davis, W.Va.
- 24 inches of powder has fallen in Terra Alta, W.Va.

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Story Image: Flood waters move across a street in Wildwood, N.J., on Monday, October 29, 2012. (Anthony, WeatherBug user)