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NEWS ITEM

NEWS ITEM ON **HURRICANE MELISSA**, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY, FORECAST OFFICE AT 11:00 AM EDT, FRIDAY, 31ST OCTOBER, 2025.

...MELISSA BECOMES A POWERFUL POST-TROPICAL CYCLONE OVER THE NORTHWEST ATLANTIC...

...THIS IS THE LAST NHC ADVISORY...

AT 11:00 AM EDT, THE CENTER OF **HURRICANE MELISSA** WAS LOCATED NEAR **LATITUDE 39.0 NORTH, LONGITUDE 60.5 WEST OR ABOUT 520 MILES NORTH-NORTHEAST OF BERMUDA**.

THE POST-TROPICAL CYCLONE IS MOVING TOWARD THE NORTHEAST NEAR 48 MPH. THIS GENERAL MOTION IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE INTO SATURDAY, FOLLOWED BY A GRADUAL SLOWDOWN AND TURN TOWARD THE EAST-NORTHEAST LATER THIS WEEKEND. ON THE FORECAST TRACK, THE CENTER OF MELISSA IS EXPECTED TO PASS TO THE SOUTHEAST OF THE AVALON PENINSULA OF NEWFOUNDLAND AS A POST-TROPICAL CYCLONE TONIGHT.

MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS HAVE DECREASED TO NEAR 85 MPH WITH HIGHER GUSTS. GRADUAL WEAKENING IS FORECAST DURING THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

PREPARED BY DUTY FORECASTERS: T.CUNNINGHAM/S. W. HUNTER II FRIDAY, 31ST OCTOBER, 2025 @ 12:00PM EDT



