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NEWS ITEM

NEWS ITEM ON **TROPICAL STORM WANDA** ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY FORECAST OFFICE SECTION, AT **6 AM SUNDAY 07TH NOVEMBER 2021**.

**... ...WANDA CONTINUING TO ACCELERATE NORTHEASTWARD...
...EXPECTED TO BECOME EXTRATROPICAL BY TONIGHT...**

AT 5 AM EST, THE CENTER OF **TROPICAL STORM WANDA** WAS LOCATED NEAR **LATITUDE 38.5° NORTH** AND **LONGITUDE 35.5° WEST** OR ABOUT 460 MILES WEST OF THE AZORES.

WANDA IS MOVING TOWARD THE NORTHEAST NEAR 17 MPH, AND THE STORM IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE ACCELERATING NORTHEASTWARD THROUGH MONDAY.

MAXIMUM **SUSTAINED WINDS ARE NEAR 40 MPH** WITH HIGHER GUSTS. LITTLE CHANGE IN STRENGTH IS EXPECTED DURING THE NEXT DAY OR SO. WANDA IS FORECAST TO MERGE WITH A FRONTAL SYSTEM TONIGHT AND DISSIPATE BY LATE MONDAY.

WANDA CONTINUES TO POSE NO THREAT TO THE BAHAMAS.

THE NEXT NEWS ITEM WILL BE ISSUED AT NOON.

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