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Hermine won't stop messing with us



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The storm named Hermine won't stop toying with us.

Thursday marked the fourth straight day that the former hurricane has lingered, spinning in circles off the coast of our drought-stricken region, delivering mostly a steady stream of promising-looking clouds but little rain.

Forecasters expect the pesky storm's weak remnants will continue to mock us for yet another day before it flees to sea Friday.

Most places in the area have gotten just one-quarter to a half inch of rain since Hermine <u>arrived Monday</u>, Lenore Correia, meteorologist at the National Weather Service bureau in Taunton, said Thursday. Nantucket hit the jackpot with about 1.25 inches.



In Boston, "We've gotten some rain for each of the past two days," she said. "But it's been scattered showers here and there."

Normally, tropical storms and hurricanes that head up the coast pass through our region within a day or two, if they make it to our area at all, and head out into the Atlantic.

But stubborn Hermine is unusual in how she stalled out.

A high pressure system over New England has helped block the storm from following a more typical route, according to Correia. As of late Thursday morning, the center of Hermine's remnants was positioned just south of the island of Nantucket, forecasters said.

But that's about to change.

"We're expecting it to move offshore completely tonight,"



said Correia. "The skies will start to fully clear by tomorrow — late morning probably."

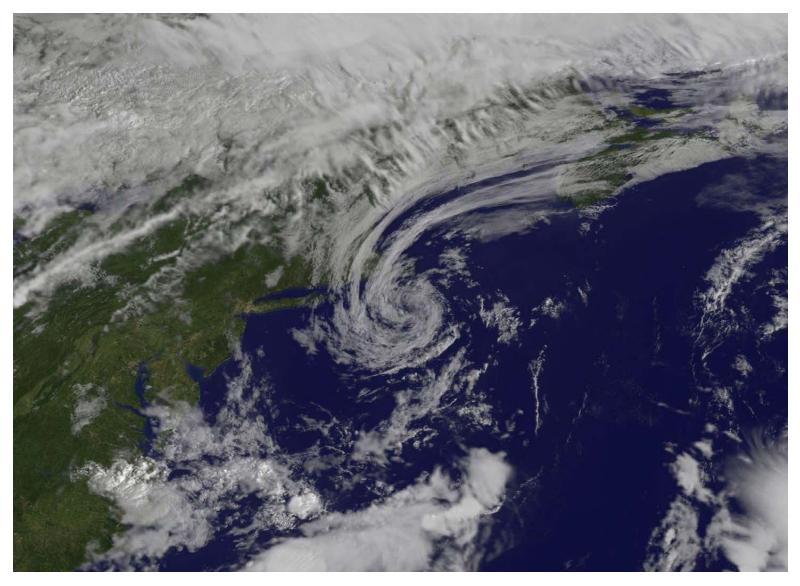
Good riddance, Hermine, and thanks for nothing.

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The below video posted to YouTube by NASA shows NOAA satellite imagery of Hermine lingering nearby from Sunday through Tuesday.

Satellite Sees Post-Tropical Cyclone Hermine Linger Over Northeastern U.S.

And this image below shows Hermine's remnants still taunting us as a swirl of clouds off Cape Cod on Thursday at 9:30 a.m.



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Diver who died off Nahant Saturday identified as Danvers man

Vinicius O. Vianna, 42, was an experienced diver and was certified as a rescue diver. MORE...



Harvard gives humanitarian award to Myanmar leader Aung San Suu Kyi

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1 dead, 2 injured in Boston shooting

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Overcrowded and at risk: A way of life and, sometimes, death for student tenants

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Eyes turn anew to Martin Walsh's longtime partner

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Hernandez appears on witness-intimidation charge

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Mafia induction recording made history 26 years ago in Medford

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Mass. granted permanent custody of Justina Pelletier

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MIT's fallen officer built enduring connections

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