



2020 HURRICANE SEASON: DON'T WAIT. BE READY!

HURRICANE STATISTICS

1 THE NUMBER OF STORMS IT TAKES TO CREATE DEVASTATING DAMAGE
It's easy to forget that it only takes one storm to inflict extreme damage.

4 THE NUMBER OF HURRICANES THAT STRUCK IN 2019
Hurricanes Barry, Dorian, Imelda, and Nestor.

\$11 THE AMOUNT YOU WOULD SAVE FOR EVERY \$1 SPENT ON MITIGATION
National Institute of Building Sciences report found that every \$1 invested in disaster mitigation can save the U.S. \$11 in future disaster costs.

Top 10 Costliest Hurricanes in the U.S.

Estimated insured losses in billions and adjusted to 2018 dollars.
Source: Insurance Information Institute

STORM	YEAR	INSURED LOSS
KATRINA	2005	\$51.8
MARIA	2017	\$25.6-30.7
IRMA	2017	\$22.5-27.6
HARVEY	2017	\$18.4-20.4
SANDY	2012	\$20.6
ANDREW	1992	\$25.4
IKE	2008	\$14.6
MICHAEL	2018	\$8-13
WILMA	2005	\$13
CHARLEY	2004	\$9.7

Hurricane Season Starts June 1

Prepare now with five simple steps:

- 1. Review and assess your insurance policy.** Consider purchasing additional coverage such as flood insurance.
- 2. Create a home inventory.** Include receipts, descriptions, and photos of your home's contents.
- 3. Gather important paperwork.** Keep your insurer's contact information in an easily accessible location.
- 4. Develop emergency and evacuation plans.** Practice your plans with your loved ones and include pets.
- 5. Fortify your home.** Get the tools and materials ready that you will need to protect your property from a storm.

For more information on how to protect your property and loved ones, visit hurricane.apci.org



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