



Mississippi, Tennessee, and Kentucky. By October 13, 2017, at least 88 people died from the storm.

Harvey made landfall three times in six days. At its peak on September 1, 2017, one-third of Houston was underwater. Two feet of rain fell in the first 24 hours. Flooding forced 39,000 people out of their homes and into shelters. Dallas created a mega-shelter for 5,000 evacuees out of its main convention center.

Harvey had a considerable economic impact. The P [ ~ • d } Á ^ d [ Á e ^ a Á @ Á a e ] • Á [ ~ | o Á e \* ^ • Á a Á a @ É Á a | a } Á ^ • a ^ } • É Q Á ^ ! ^ Á a } d ^ É Á [ ~ | a Á a @ Á [ | | a q Á 23rd largest economy, larger than Poland or Sweden.

Hurricane Harvey damaged 204,000 homes. Three-fourths were outside of the 100-year flood plain. Those homeowners did not have flood insurance.

There were 738,000 people who registered for assistance with the Federal Emergency Management Agency, which has paid out \$378 million in direct payments. Immediately after the storm, it delivered 80 tractor-trailer loads of emergency supplies, including cots, blankets, and meals.

Federal forces rescued 10,000 people who were trapped in their homes or on flooded highways. A flotilla of private boats rescued an unknown number of additional victims. The Houston Police Department's Dive Team rescued 3,000 people in four days. Houston police officer Austin Huckabee said he and four other officers saved 40 people in the first 24 hours.

There were 37,000 people in shelters in Texas and 2,000 in Louisiana. Almost 7,000 people were in the George R. Brown Convention Center, where 1,700 received medical treatment. FEMA moved 14,900 to temporary housing. In addition, 8,000 families had moved into 9,000 hotel rooms.



southeast Texas the size of the state of New Jersey. Thirty inches of rain fell on an area

