

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Puerto Rico

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	99.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-13-2012</i>	99.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-20-2012</i>	66.31	33.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	99.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	66.31	33.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-22-2011</i>	99.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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