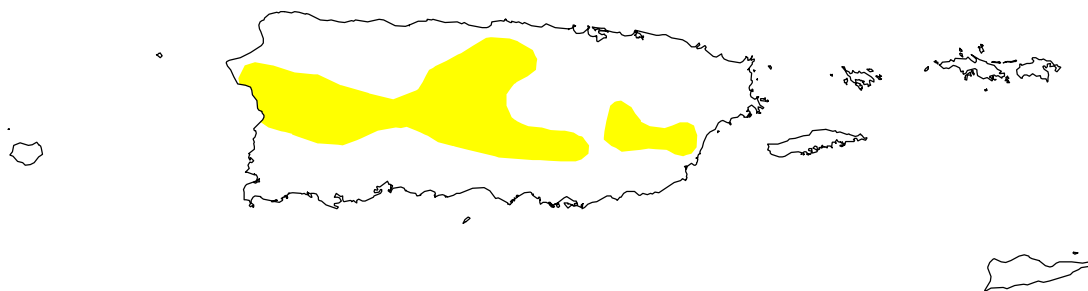


# U.S. Drought Monitor USDA Caribbean Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	70.88	29.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-28-2013</i>	93.99	6.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-06-2012</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	93.99	6.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	66.62	33.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-08-2012</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

*Note: Statistics do not include areas represented by points.*

## 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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