

U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Caribbean Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 87.96 | 5.61 | 6.43 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 08-18-2016 | 87.96 | 5.61 | 6.43 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 05-26-2016 | 82.69 | 12.48 | 4.83 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015 | 41.12 | 17.29 | 27.37 | 9.33 | 4.88 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 10-01-2015 | 29.65 | 25.31 | 6.69 | 23.62 | 14.73 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago 08-27-2015 | 21.30 | 14.95 | 18.87 | 19.95 | 24.92 | 0.00 |

Note: Statistics do not include areas represented by points.

Intensity:

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|---|--|
|  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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