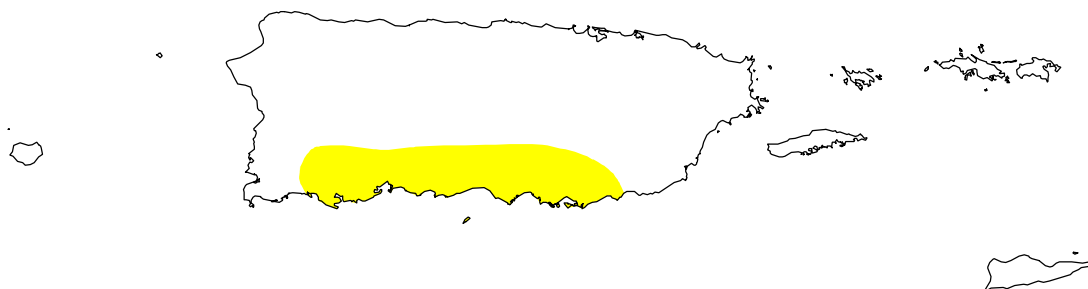


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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	81.34	18.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-21-2002</i>	83.41	16.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-29-2001</i>	83.92	16.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	84.21	15.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2001</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-01-2001</i>	84.82	15.18	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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