

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Caribbean Climate Hub

**February 26, 2002**  
*(Released Thursday, Feb. 28, 2002)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*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>*

### Author:

Michael Hayes  
 National Drought Mitigation Center



**droughtmonitor.unl.edu**