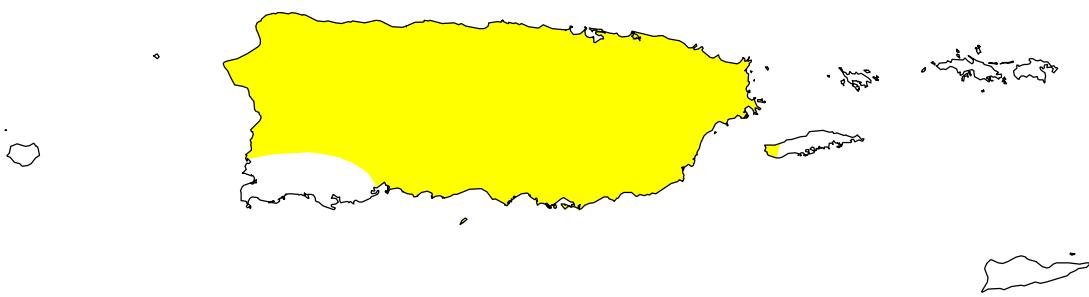


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	8.86	91.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-08-2002	2.44	97.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-16-2002	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	84.21	15.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2001	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 08-16-2001	68.98	31.02	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
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