

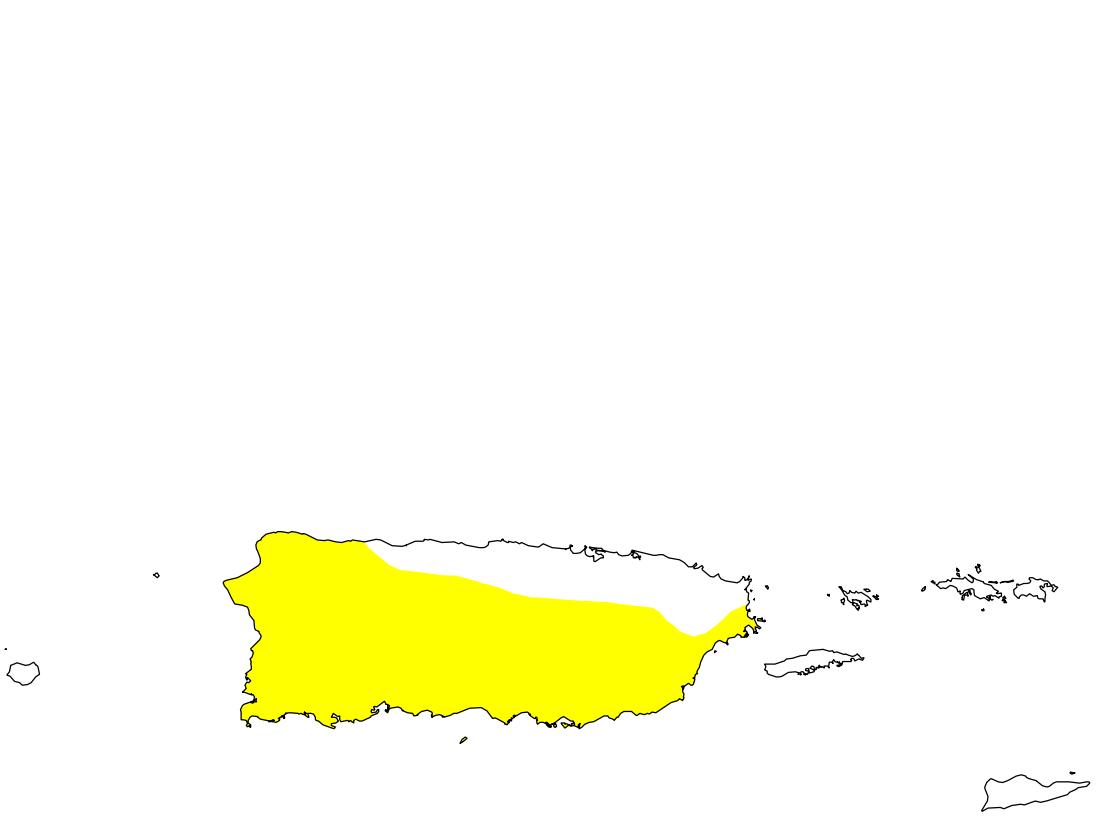
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Caribbean Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|-----------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 22.93 | 77.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 04-17-2008 | 22.36 | 77.64 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 01-24-2008 | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2008 | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-27-2007 | 82.85 | 17.15 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago 04-26-2007 | 74.57 | 25.43 | 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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