

# U.S. Drought Monitor USDA Caribbean Climate Hub

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                 | None   | D0   | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                  | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>05-03-2012                  | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>02-09-2012               | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2012 | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br>09-29-2011    | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>05-12-2011               | 100.00 | 0.00 | 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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