

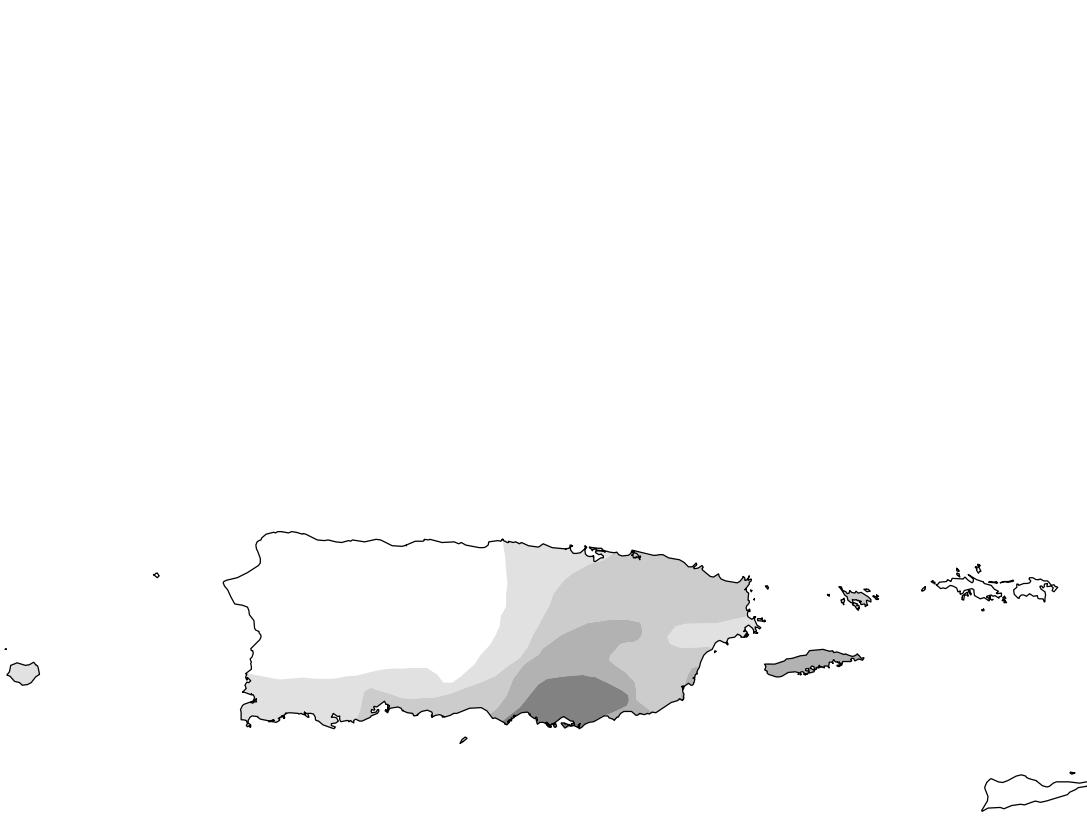
# U.S. Drought Monitor

# USDA Caribbean Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	41.12	19.84	24.82	9.33	4.88	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 12-03-2015	41.12	17.72	25.08	10.78	5.30	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 09-10-2015	22.52	20.34	12.27	26.90	17.97	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 12-31-2014	96.87	3.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 10-01-2015	29.65	25.31	6.69	23.62	14.73	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 12-11-2014	96.87	3.13	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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