

MONTHLY REPORT OF HYDROLOGIC CONDITIONS

REPORT FOR:
MONTH YEAR
January 2009

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When no flooding occurs, include miscellaneous river conditions below the small box, such as significant rises, record low stages, ice conditions, snow cover, droughts, and hydrologic products issued (NWS Instruction 10-924).

An X inside this box indicates that no flooding occurred within this hydrologic service area.

Summary: The San Juan ASOS reported 2.49 inches of rain for the month of January ... 0.53 inches less than the normal of 3.02 inches. The ASOS rainfall report at Truman Field in St. Thomas reported 2.41 inches of rain for the month of January ... 0.52 inches more than the normal of 1.89 inches.

The dry season has began to show its bias with a small area of "abnormally dry" in Northeastern Puerto Rico as depicted in the U.S. Drought Monitor. Although there has been enough rainfall to keep the "dryness" to a minimum...flooding has been minimal.

Please note the following archive for the U.S. Drought Monitor related graphics – choose Puerto Rico from the "state" pulldown menu – click on "update" and request the dates from calendar pulldown menu...updated weekly.

[U.S. Drought Monitor Archive](#)

The approximate amounts of Hydrologic Products issued during the month of December are as follows:

Table 1 - Hydrologic Products Issued

Non-Routine Hydrologic Products Issued:	Approximate number of Products for the month
Hydrologic Outlooks (SJUESFSJU)	0
Flood Watches (SJUFFASJU)	0
Flood Warnings (SJUFLWSJU)	0
Flash Flood Warnings (SJUFFWSJU)	0
Flash Flood Statements (SJUFFSSJU)	0
Urban/Small Stream Flood Advisories (SJUFLSSJU)	18

Here is the monthly "gage only" summary for the month of January...provided by the Southeast River Forecast Center (SERFC) in Atlanta.

[Monthly GAGE ONLY Summary for January 2009](#)

For monthly "radar totals" use the archive of the Advanced Hydrologic Prediction Service (AHPS) - click on Puerto Rico and request the duration you would like to view.

[AHPS archive of radar totals/ images](#)