



METEOROLOGICAL DRY SPELL/ DROUGHT CONDITIONS



DRY CONDITION

Below Normal
Rainfall Conditions
for **2 Consecutive**
Months



DRY SPELL

Below Normal
Rainfall Conditions
for **3 Consecutive**
Months



DROUGHT

Below Normal
Rainfall Conditions
for **5 Consecutive**
Months

Way Below
Normal Rainfall
Conditions for
2 Consecutive
Months

Way Below
Normal Rainfall
Conditions for
3 Consecutive
Months

**Near normal rainfall conditions 81%- 120%*

***Below normal rainfall conditions = 21% - 60% reduction from average;*

Way below normal rainfall coverage = More than 60% reduction from average

DRY CONDITION/ DRY SPELL /
DROUGHT ASSESSMENT

as of September 25, 2023

LEGEND



Drought is defined as 3-consecutive months of way below normal rainfall condition (>60% reduction from average rainfall).

Dry spell is defined as 3-consecutive months of below normal rainfall condition (21-60% reduction from average rainfall).

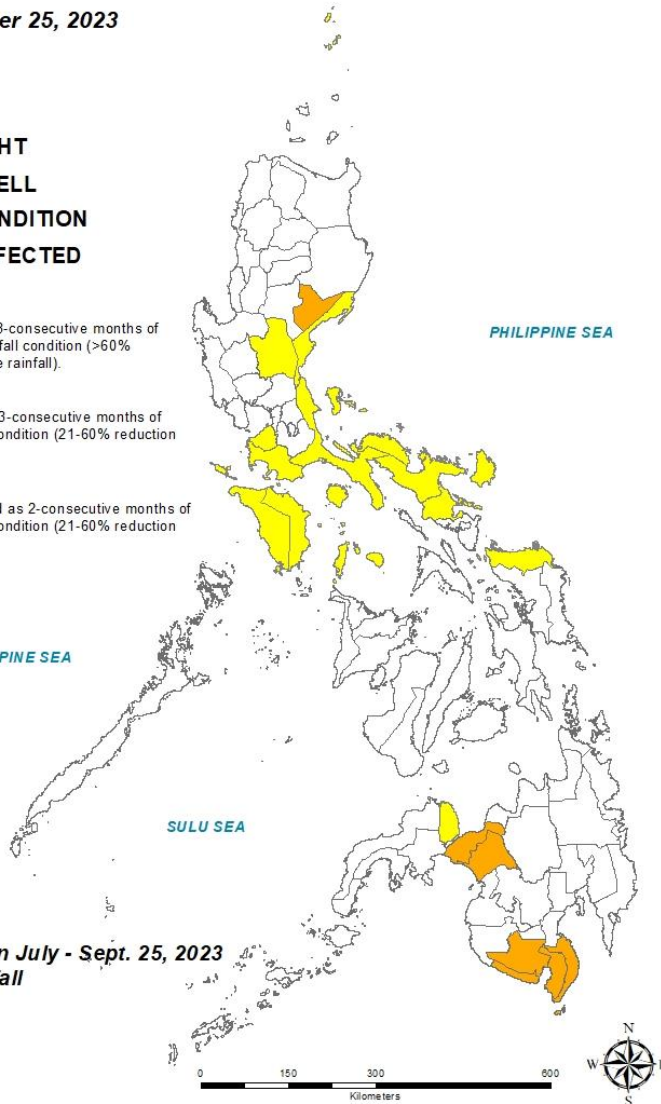
Dry condition is defined as 2-consecutive months of below normal rainfall condition (21-60% reduction from average rainfall).

WEST PHILIPPINE SEA

PHILIPPINE SEA

SULU SEA

NOTE: Based on July - Sept. 25, 2023
Observed Rainfall



OVER DIFFERENT PROVINCES
As of September 25, 2023 (ACTUAL)

AREAS	DRY CONDITION	DRY SPELL	DROUGHT
LUZON	(14) BATANES NUEVA ECIJA AURORA BATANGAS CAVITE QUEZON MARINDUQUE OCCIDENTAL MINDORO ORIENTAL MINDORO ROMBLON ALBAY CAMARINES NORTE CAMARINES SUR CATANDUANES	(1) QUIRINO	NONE
VISAYAS	(1) NORTHERN SAMAR	NONE	NONE
MINDANAO	(1) MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL	(5) LANAO DEL NORTE DAVAO OCCIDENTAL SOUTH COTABATO SARANGANI LANAO DEL SUR	NONE
TOTAL	16	6	0



OUTLOOK FOR AREAS POTENTIAL FOR DRY CONDITION, DRY SPELL AND DROUGHT

end of December 2023

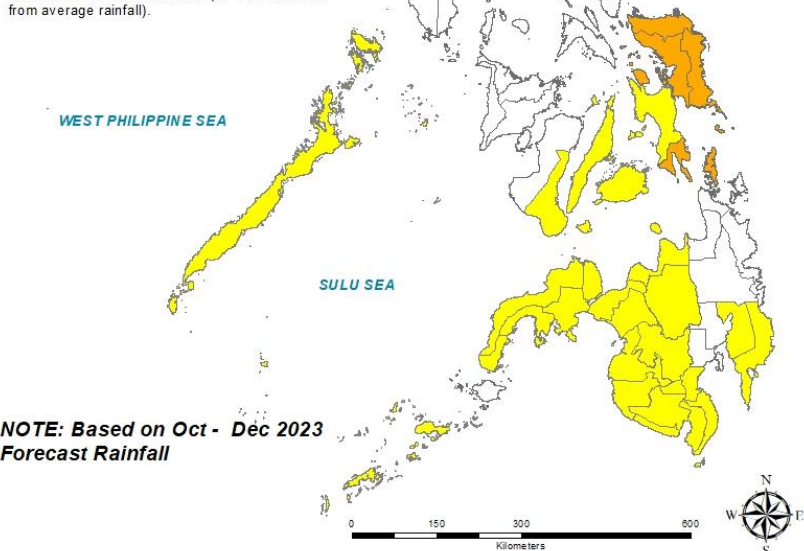
LEGEND

- Potential for Drought
- Potential for Dry Spell
- Potential for Dry Condition
- NOT AFFECTED

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Dry spell is defined as 3-consecutive months of below normal rainfall condition (21-60% reduction from average rainfall).

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NOTE: Based on Oct - Dec 2023 Forecast Rainfall

OUTLOOK OVER DIFFERENT PROVINCES
By End of December 2023

AREAS	DRY CONDITION	DRY SPELL	DROUGHT
LUZON	(1) PALAWAN	NONE	NONE
VISAYAS	(5) NEGROS ORIENTAL BOHOL CEBU SIQUIJOR LEYTE	(5) BILIRAN EASTERN SAMAR NORTHERN SAMAR SAMAR (WESTERN SAMAR) SOUTHERN LEYTE	NONE
MINDANAO	(20) ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY, BUKIDNON, CAMIGUIN, LANA O DEL NORTE, MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL, MISAMIS ORIENTAL, DAVAO DE ORO, DAVAO DEL SUR, DAVAO OCCIDENTAL, DAVAO ORIENTAL, SOUTH COTABATO, COTABATO, SARANGANI, SULTAN KUDARAT, MAGUINDANAO, LANAO DEL SUR, SULU, TAWI- TAWI	(1) DINAGAT ISLANDS	NONE
TOTAL	26	6	0

Based on October – December 2023 RR Forecast

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OUTLOOK FOR AREAS POTENTIAL FOR DRY CONDITION, DRY SPELL AND DROUGHT

end of February 2024

LEGEND

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- NOT AFFECTED

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OUTLOOK OVER DIFFERENT PROVINCES By End of February 2024			
AREAS	DRY CONDITION	DRY SPELL	DROUGHT
LUZON	(20) CAGAYAN, ISABELA, NUEVA VIZCAYA, QUIRINO, BULACAN, AURORA, BATANGAS, LAGUNA, RIZAL, QUEZON, MARINDUQUE, OCCIDENTAL MINDORO, ORIENTAL MINDORO, ROMBLON, ALBAY, CAMARINES NORTE, CAMARINES SUR, CATANDUANES, MASBATE, SORSOGON	(19) ABRA, BENGUET, IFUGAO, KALINGA, APAYAO, MOUNTAIN PROVINCE, ILOCOS NORTE, ILOCOS SUR, LA UNION, PANGASINAN, BATAAN, NUEVA ECIJA, PAMPANGA, TARLAC, ZAMBALES, METRO MANILA, CAVITE, PALAWAN, SPRATLY ISLANDS	NONE
VISAYAS	(5) AKLAN, ANTIQUE, CAPIZ, ILOILO, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL	(6) GUIMARAS, NEGROS ORIENTAL, BOHOL, CEBU, SIQUIJOR, LEYTE	(6) BILIRAN, EASTERN SAMAR. NORTHERN SAMAR. SAMAR (WESTERN SAMAR), SOUTHERN LEYTE, DINAGAT ISLANDS
MINDANAO	(1) BASILAN	(16) ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY, BUKIDNON, CAMIGUIN, LANA O DEL NORTE, MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL, MISAMIS ORIENTAL, DAVAO DE ORO, DAVAO DEL NORTE, COTABATO, SURIGAO DEL NORTE, MAGUINDANAO, LANA O DEL SUR, SULU, TAWI-TAWI	NONE
TOTAL	26	41	6

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OUTLOOK FOR AREAS POTENTIAL FOR DRY CONDITION, DRY SPELL AND DROUGHT

end of March 2024

LEGEND

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- Potential for Dry Condition
- NOT AFFECTED

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WEST PHILIPPINE SEA

SULU SEA

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OUTLOOK OVER DIFFERENT PROVINCES
By End of March 2024

AREAS	DRY CONDITION	DRY SPELL	DROUGHT
LUZON	NONE	(20) CAGAYAN, ISABELA, NUEVA VIZCAYA, QUIRINO, BULACAN, AURORA, BATANGAS, LAGUNA, RIZAL, QUEZON, MARINDUQUE, OCCIDENTAL MINDORO, ORIENTAL MINDORO, ROMBLON, ALBAY, CAMARINES NORTE, CAMARINES SUR, CATANDUANES, MASBATE, SORSOGON	(19) ABRA, BENGUET, IFUGAO, KALINGA, APAYAO, MOUNTAIN PROVINCE, ILOCOS NORTE, ILOCOS SUR, LA UNION, PANGASINAN, BATAAN, NUEVA ECIJA, PAMPANGA, TARLAC, ZAMBALES, METRO MANILA, CAVITE, PALAWAN, SPRATLY ISLANDS
VISAYAS	NONE	(5) AKLAN ANTIQUE CAPIZ ILOILO NEGROS OCCIDENTAL	(11) GUIMARAS, NEGROS ORIENTAL, BOHOL, CEBU, SIQUIJOR, BILIRAN, EASTERN SAMAR, LEYTE, NORTHERN SAMAR, SAMAR (WESTERN SAMAR), SOUTHERN LEYTE
MINDANAO	(6) DAVAO DEL SUR DAVAO OCCIDENTAL DAVAO ORIENTAL SOUTH COTABATO SARANGANI SULTAN KUDARAT	(3) DAVAO DEL NORTE SURIGAO DEL NORTE BASILAN	(15) ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY, BUKIDNON, CAMIGUIN, LANAOS DEL NORTE, MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL, MISAMIS ORIENTAL, DAVAO DE ORO, COTABATO, DINAGAT ISLANDS, MAGUINDANAO, LANAOS DEL SUR, SULU, TAWI-TAWI
TOTAL	6	28	45