

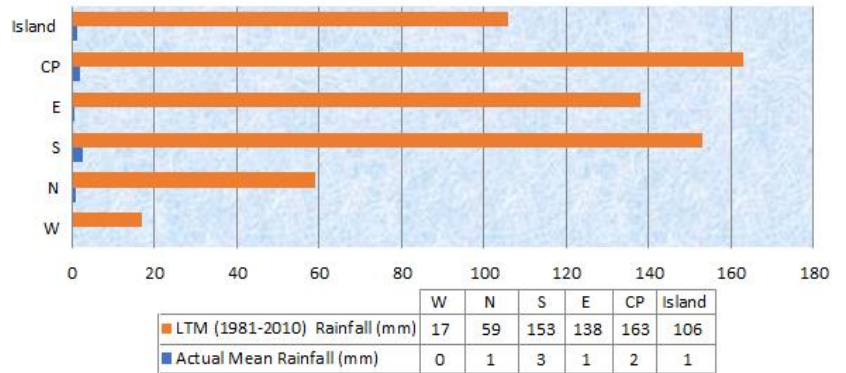
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Mean Rainfall for 1-15 August 2018

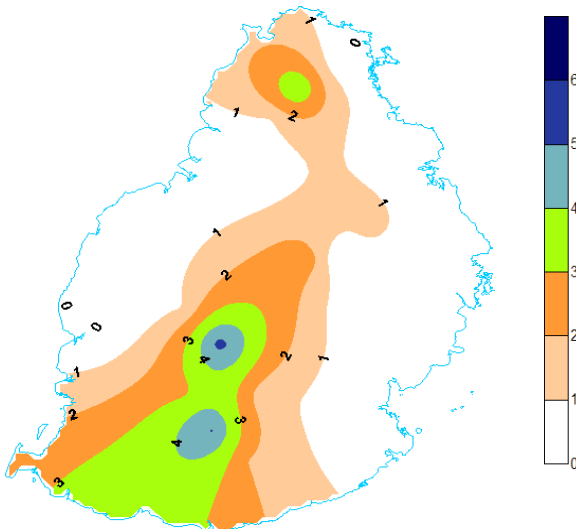
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The first fortnight of August 2018 has been one of the driest on record with only 1% of the monthly rainfall.

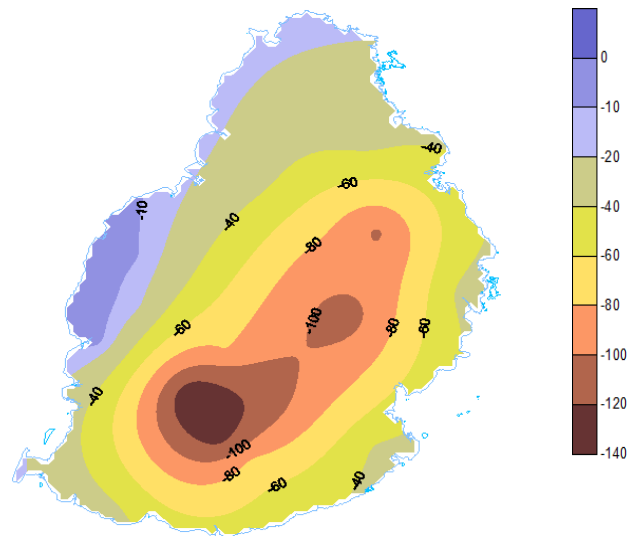
It hardly rained more than 10 mm in any locality during that fortnight. All regions over the island had deficient.



Observed Rainfall (mm)



Rainfall Anomaly (mm)



Outer Islands

		Amount (mm)		
	Stations	Actual Mean Rainfall	LTM Rainfall	% of LTM
Rodrigues	Pointe Canon	14	63	22
	Plaine Corail	5	47	11
	Citronelle	12	112	11
	Agalega	12	57	21
	St Brandon	2	42	5

¹Dry conditions also prevailed over Rodrigues with only about 15% of the monthly rainfall recorded during this first fortnight.

¹Deficient rainfall was also felt over St Brandon and Agalega.

¹Rainfall anomaly compared to the monthly long term mean.

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