



## What is it?

The CariSAM portal supports the Caribbean Society for Agro-Meteorology (CariSAM), a community of agricultural and food security practitioners (including forestry), meteorologists, climatologists and others from related fields.

It also builds the capacity of agricultural practitioners to use climate information and links them to key agencies and specialists at national, regional and international levels.

The portal serves as:

- A weather and climate information resource for the Caribbean agriculture and food security sector.
- A source that supports meteorologists and climatologists to provide better tailored climate information products and services for the sector. These include national and regional agro-meteorological bulletins, climate outlooks and weather forecasts.
- A publication hub showcasing state-of-the-art applied research in agro-meteorology and related sciences from the region and around the world.
- A discussion forum featuring sessions designed to facilitate collaboration and dialogue on important agro-meteorological issues in the Caribbean.
- An online training centre offering webinars and courses to enhance the knowledge and application of weather and climate information and use of new tools.

## How it can help you

The CariSAM portal and its resources can help:



**THE AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY SECTOR** to mainstream its use of weather and climate information to adapt to climate variability, change and extremes.



**THE DISASTER MANAGEMENT SECTOR** through the provision of information to better manage risks related to weather and climate extremes in the sector.



**THE WATER SECTOR** address demand issues from the agriculture and food security sector, which is the single largest user of water in the Caribbean.

## Where to find it

The CariSAM portal can be accessed at:  
<http://carisam.cimh.edu.bb/>



Users are invited to register for an account on the website in order to participate in discussion forums.

