

# U.S. Drought Monitor New Mexico

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 0.00 | 0.00  | 23.45 | 50.46 | 26.09 | 0.00  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>07-31-2003</i>              | 0.00 | 0.00  | 35.97 | 38.75 | 25.28 | 0.01  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-08-2003</i>           | 0.00 | 5.20  | 66.12 | 24.05 | 4.63  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2003</i> | 9.19 | 19.85 | 55.63 | 12.24 | 3.09  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 0.00 | 0.00  | 72.99 | 15.20 | 11.26 | 0.54  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-08-2002</i>           | 0.00 | 4.97  | 47.12 | 17.50 | 16.76 | 13.65 |

## 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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