

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	17.14	20.11	43.79	18.75	0.22
Last Week <i>08-26-2003</i>	0.00	14.80	18.63	39.43	25.76	1.37
3 Months Ago <i>06-03-2003</i>	22.84	18.37	26.30	17.39	12.92	2.17
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	11.41	11.95	9.99	20.96	40.89	4.79
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	16.41	10.23	8.24	16.00	37.64	11.49
One Year Ago <i>09-03-2002</i>	19.73	8.30	7.86	10.27	33.93	19.91

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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