

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.84	14.46	22.38	30.80	20.49	0.04
Last Week <i>04-27-2004</i>	12.12	13.91	23.77	33.77	16.39	0.04
3 Months Ago <i>02-03-2004</i>	4.60	19.64	20.99	37.65	16.99	0.12
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	4.23	20.34	18.08	40.91	16.16	0.28
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	1.95	20.54	26.51	40.16	10.52	0.32
One Year Ago <i>05-06-2003</i>	11.41	10.41	34.73	21.08	20.84	1.54

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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