

U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	20.49	27.59	22.79	16.97	10.34	1.82
Last Week <i>01-11-2005</i>	18.08	29.11	23.06	17.46	10.38	1.91
3 Months Ago <i>10-19-2004</i>	20.27	13.10	18.53	23.71	21.94	2.45
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	26.17	17.65	21.90	19.31	13.03	1.94
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	18.76	13.22	17.63	26.16	21.87	2.36
One Year Ago <i>01-20-2004</i>	14.49	11.85	13.61	27.89	24.91	7.25

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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