

U.S. Drought Monitor

New Mexico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	2.22	97.78	95.51	81.03	61.70	2.89
Last Week <i>05-11-2006</i>	2.22	97.78	96.28	85.43	63.66	2.89
3 Months Ago <i>02-16-2006</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	34.75	6.25	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	1.53	98.47	24.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	34.20	65.80	20.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-19-2005</i>	65.88	34.12	17.64	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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