

U.S. Drought Monitor

U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	44.75	15.06	13.16	15.62	7.72	3.68
Last Week 05-07-2013	44.16	15.31	13.01	15.70	8.14	3.66
3 Months Ago 02-12-2013	35.49	17.57	15.35	16.77	9.28	5.52
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	28.56	19.99	16.27	17.35	12.18	5.64
Start of Water Year 09-25-2012	31.10	14.11	19.54	17.27	12.85	5.12
One Year Ago 05-15-2012	54.11	17.70	12.77	10.63	3.93	0.85

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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