

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	48.02	20.20	16.64	12.76	2.11	0.25
Last Week <i>10-22-2013</i>	48.78	19.18	16.85	12.81	2.11	0.25
3 Months Ago <i>07-30-2013</i>	43.35	15.14	14.07	17.56	7.22	2.65
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	28.56	19.99	16.27	17.35	12.18	5.64
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	44.20	18.58	19.88	14.77	2.32	0.24
One Year Ago <i>10-30-2012</i>	34.22	15.42	18.33	16.09	11.01	4.91

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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