

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	44.81	35.88	7.41	9.85	1.75	0.30
Last Week <i>12-03-2013</i>	44.58	36.12	7.58	9.66	1.75	0.30
3 Months Ago <i>09-10-2013</i>	21.79	15.94	24.14	22.50	13.47	2.16
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	1.54	5.45	6.81	25.95	33.26	26.99
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	29.87	26.92	23.71	16.49	2.71	0.30
One Year Ago <i>12-11-2012</i>	1.54	5.45	6.89	27.73	31.49	26.91

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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