

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.78	46.22	32.20	19.33	4.96	0.30
Last Week <i>04-08-2014</i>	51.32	48.68	32.01	18.33	4.39	0.30
3 Months Ago <i>01-14-2014</i>	45.97	54.03	20.62	12.28	2.44	0.30
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	45.79	54.21	20.60	12.28	2.44	0.30
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	29.87	70.13	43.21	19.50	3.01	0.30
One Year Ago <i>04-16-2013</i>	7.10	92.90	86.43	73.47	44.28	6.77

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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