

U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	30.11	69.89	61.61	45.09	17.93	4.61
Last Week <i>04-15-2014</i>	30.08	69.92	60.68	43.68	16.06	4.05
3 Months Ago <i>01-21-2014</i>	18.74	81.26	60.81	36.99	13.78	0.63
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	22.20	77.80	51.44	31.11	7.75	0.63
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	25.25	74.75	58.96	34.18	5.57	0.63
One Year Ago <i>04-23-2013</i>	20.28	79.72	66.00	43.41	16.10	1.87

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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