

U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	31.18	8.00	13.32	27.14	15.55	4.81
Last Week <i>05-13-2014</i>	31.18	8.00	13.45	27.41	15.27	4.70
3 Months Ago <i>02-18-2014</i>	21.76	18.36	19.71	25.28	12.31	2.58
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	22.20	26.36	20.33	23.37	7.12	0.63
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	25.25	15.79	24.77	28.61	4.94	0.63
One Year Ago <i>05-21-2013</i>	13.30	15.30	24.36	32.00	9.05	5.99

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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