

U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	96.51	3.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-07-2014	90.48	9.52	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-15-2014	94.94	5.06	1.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2013	63.99	36.01	19.26	3.18	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2014	90.60	9.40	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-15-2013	43.81	56.19	26.74	9.24	0.22	0.00

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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