

U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	28.49	11.71	22.91	19.85	9.80	7.23
Last Week <i>03-24-2015</i>	28.74	11.47	26.94	15.81	9.80	7.23
3 Months Ago <i>12-30-2014</i>	34.76	10.76	20.99	14.82	13.27	5.40
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	34.76	10.76	20.99	14.82	13.27	5.40
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	31.48	12.95	19.92	15.70	11.06	8.90
One Year Ago <i>04-01-2014</i>	28.11	11.68	18.26	25.92	12.00	4.03

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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