

U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	55.89	22.49	14.88	6.74	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-28-2015</i>	59.28	19.44	15.89	5.39	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-03-2015</i>	72.43	24.41	3.16	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	83.08	16.80	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	90.69	8.93	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-06-2014</i>	79.03	12.88	7.62	0.48	0.00	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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