

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.53	46.47	3.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-13-2015</i>	66.75	33.25	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-21-2015</i>	88.44	11.56	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	59.44	40.56	11.28	5.46	0.36	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	75.58	24.42	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-21-2014</i>	80.15	19.85	10.41	5.65	0.36	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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