

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	48.95	26.37	11.16	9.72	3.74	0.05
Last Week 08-29-2017	50.05	24.86	11.45	9.63	3.96	0.05
3 Months Ago 06-06-2017	71.42	8.79	16.19	3.60	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	50.65	27.82	17.68	3.85	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	70.86	20.49	5.97	2.52	0.17	0.00
One Year Ago 09-06-2016	70.14	19.01	6.84	3.69	0.32	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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