

U.S. Drought Monitor

U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	52.19	16.07	16.63	7.43	5.04	2.63
Last Week <i>01-31-2012</i>	51.24	17.02	16.29	7.41	5.36	2.66
3 Months Ago <i>11-08-2011</i>	62.94	9.25	7.72	5.45	7.29	7.33
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	58.47	14.79	10.95	7.28	5.73	2.77
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	63.44	12.13	4.81	4.73	5.37	9.50
One Year Ago <i>02-08-2011</i>	59.10	20.55	12.26	6.88	1.20	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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