

# opi RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 1.48  | 20.24 | 28.45 | 37.65 | 9.64  | 2.54  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>04-19-2012</i>              | 1.47  | 22.13 | 32.83 | 33.05 | 7.99  | 2.54  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>01-26-2012</i>           | 13.88 | 27.92 | 27.54 | 23.18 | 5.32  | 2.16  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2012</i> | 40.72 | 11.80 | 14.41 | 25.62 | 5.28  | 2.17  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2011</i>    | 33.45 | 13.36 | 11.31 | 15.89 | 15.34 | 10.64 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>04-28-2011</i>           | 32.83 | 11.10 | 18.79 | 17.47 | 19.82 | 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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