

U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	20.09	79.91	64.91	46.78	15.87	0.48
Last Week <i>07-03-2012</i>	22.87	77.13	64.15	46.88	14.70	0.48
3 Months Ago <i>04-10-2012</i>	31.33	68.67	48.44	24.87	3.77	0.93
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	50.20	49.80	28.05	11.84	2.67	0.78
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	66.72	33.28	19.04	14.99	9.30	3.81
One Year Ago <i>07-12-2011</i>	75.10	24.90	19.04	15.69	11.02	5.60

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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