

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	7.13	13.86	16.75	25.29	26.49	10.48
Last Week 05-22-2014	6.61	13.01	13.29	24.37	21.44	21.28
3 Months Ago 02-27-2014	4.41	21.00	33.64	29.51	10.53	0.91
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2014	24.42	24.25	27.44	18.72	4.35	0.82
Start of Water Year 10-03-2013	7.61	24.66	40.40	23.42	3.61	0.29
One Year Ago 05-30-2013	6.90	6.21	18.31	23.90	21.70	22.98

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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