

U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub



October 7, 2014
(Released Thursday, Oct. 9, 2014)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	90.48	9.52	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-30-2014</i>	90.60	9.40	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-08-2014</i>	93.66	6.34	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	63.99	36.01	19.26	3.18	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	90.60	9.40	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-08-2013</i>	42.58	57.42	28.86	11.00	0.22	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>

Author:

Mark Svoboda
 National Drought Mitigation Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu