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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	46.37	53.63	15.73	2.28	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-20-2015</i>	35.44	64.56	39.89	29.70	14.36	3.51
3 Months Ago <i>07-28-2015</i>	85.15	14.85	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	29.97	70.03	46.17	26.80	11.52	2.97
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	46.66	53.34	28.04	12.22	4.14	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-28-2014</i>	25.87	74.13	49.46	30.94	11.86	3.45

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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