

Opportunity RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	70.92	15.61	12.92	0.50	0.05	0.00
Last Week <i>03-02-2017</i>	63.90	22.38	13.15	0.57	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-08-2016</i>	25.59	48.73	23.39	2.29	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	46.78	33.57	17.96	1.69	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	42.64	40.80	14.95	1.61	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-10-2016</i>	48.02	40.07	9.24	2.67	0.00	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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