

U.S. Drought Monitor

U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	67.98	20.97	6.65	2.22	1.54	0.63
Last Week <i>07-25-2017</i>	66.24	23.37	6.03	2.16	1.56	0.63
3 Months Ago <i>05-02-2017</i>	82.62	13.17	3.10	1.00	0.10	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	59.70	21.46	11.62	4.58	1.82	0.80
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	61.21	22.94	9.08	4.09	1.71	0.97
One Year Ago <i>08-02-2016</i>	54.55	27.77	11.59	3.67	1.49	0.92

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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