

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	64.13	35.87	18.41	7.52	1.10	0.00
Last Week 10-03-2017	59.87	40.13	20.46	7.73	1.10	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-11-2017	48.15	51.85	24.04	14.16	6.60	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	50.65	49.35	21.54	3.85	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	56.15	43.85	21.11	8.37	1.32	0.06
One Year Ago 10-11-2016	74.82	25.18	6.44	0.56	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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