

# West RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 55.78 | 34.23 | 9.77  | 0.22 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-05-2017</i>              | 52.39 | 35.70 | 10.89 | 0.66 | 0.36 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-13-2017</i>           | 87.26 | 9.82  | 2.92  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2017</i> | 78.75 | 16.80 | 4.46  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2017</i>    | 58.41 | 32.73 | 8.09  | 0.52 | 0.25 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-13-2016</i>           | 91.92 | 7.53  | 0.55  | 0.00 | 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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