

U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	27.26	26.03	21.67	22.63	2.41	0.00
Last Week <i>02-13-2018</i>	28.57	26.25	19.91	24.01	1.26	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-21-2017</i>	65.85	18.82	11.39	2.42	1.52	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2018</i>	48.76	22.21	20.42	7.09	1.52	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	55.72	23.28	12.29	3.42	3.13	2.17
One Year Ago <i>02-21-2017</i>	77.21	14.25	7.78	0.76	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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