

U.S. Drought Monitor

Charleston, WV WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	95.42	4.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-13-2006</i>	90.65	9.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-19-2006</i>	77.13	14.10	8.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	78.83	12.39	8.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	46.43	44.44	9.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-21-2005</i>	71.11	28.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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