

U.S. Drought Monitor West Climate Region

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	65.08	22.80	7.00	5.10	0.01	0.00
Last Week <i>07-28-2009</i>	65.73	21.84	7.51	4.92	0.01	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-05-2009</i>	56.47	26.94	11.90	4.68	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	48.80	31.64	13.36	5.92	0.29	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	51.08	29.14	12.68	6.79	0.30	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-05-2008</i>	54.32	24.09	14.45	6.61	0.48	0.05

Intensity:



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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