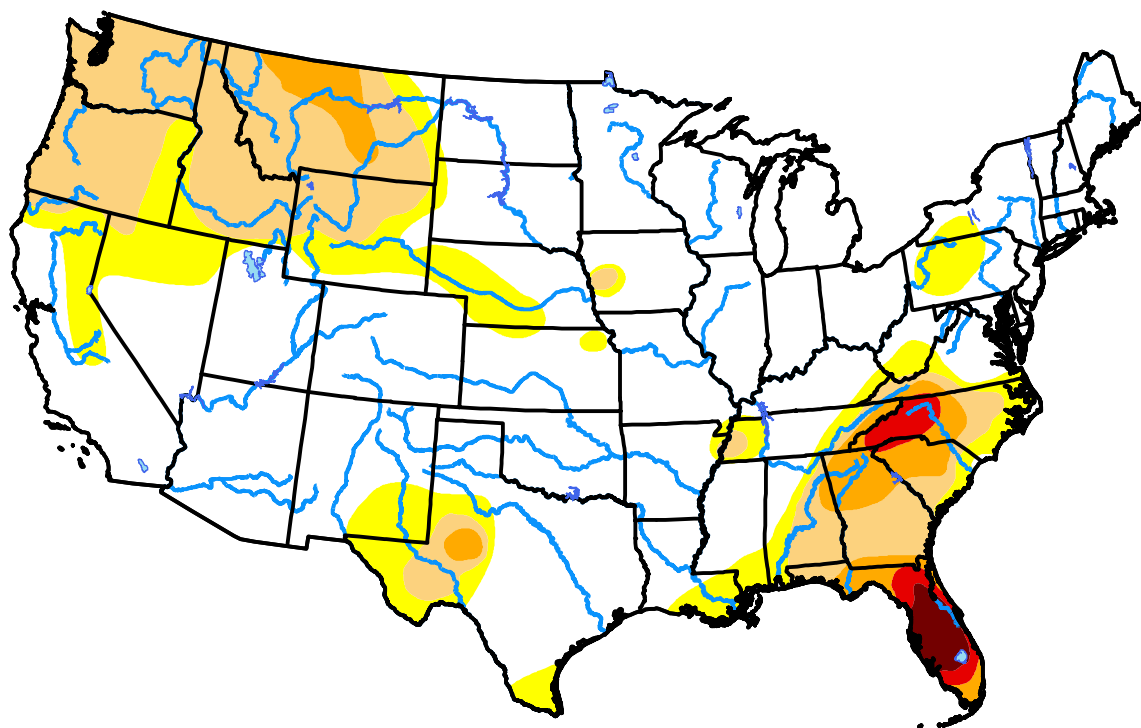


U.S. Drought Monitor

Continental U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	65.21	13.13	16.01	3.91	1.00	0.73
Last Week <i>02-22-2001</i>	65.54	12.76	16.06	3.91	1.08	0.64
3 Months Ago <i>11-30-2000</i>	64.43	19.35	7.17	8.33	0.71	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	70.81	15.24	7.78	5.20	0.63	0.33
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	42.19	19.53	14.33	17.05	6.16	0.74
One Year Ago <i>03-02-2000</i>	45.45	21.98	18.49	14.07	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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