

U.S. Drought Monitor

Continental U.S. (CONUS)

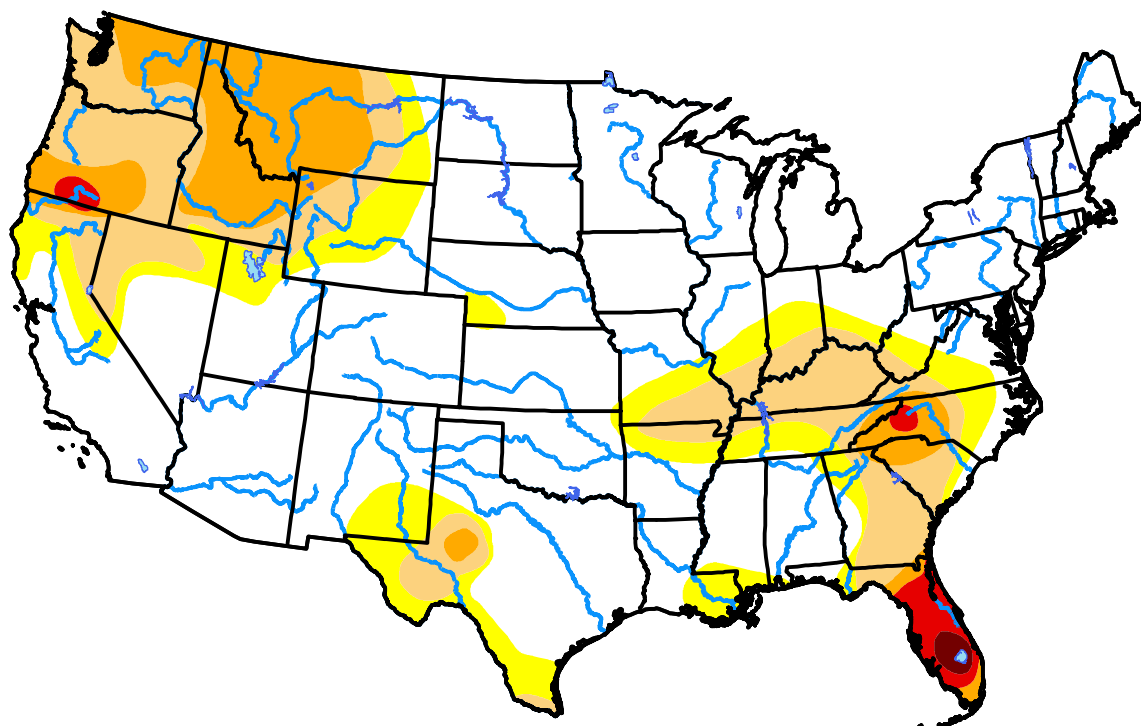
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	63.06	11.99	14.51	8.90	1.26	0.27
Last Week <i>04-26-2001</i>	64.78	13.09	11.82	8.77	1.26	0.27
3 Months Ago <i>02-01-2001</i>	61.14	27.14	6.71	4.11	0.54	0.35
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>05-04-2000</i>	55.43	18.88	12.46	11.56	1.66	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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