

U.S. Drought Monitor

Continental U.S. (CONUS)

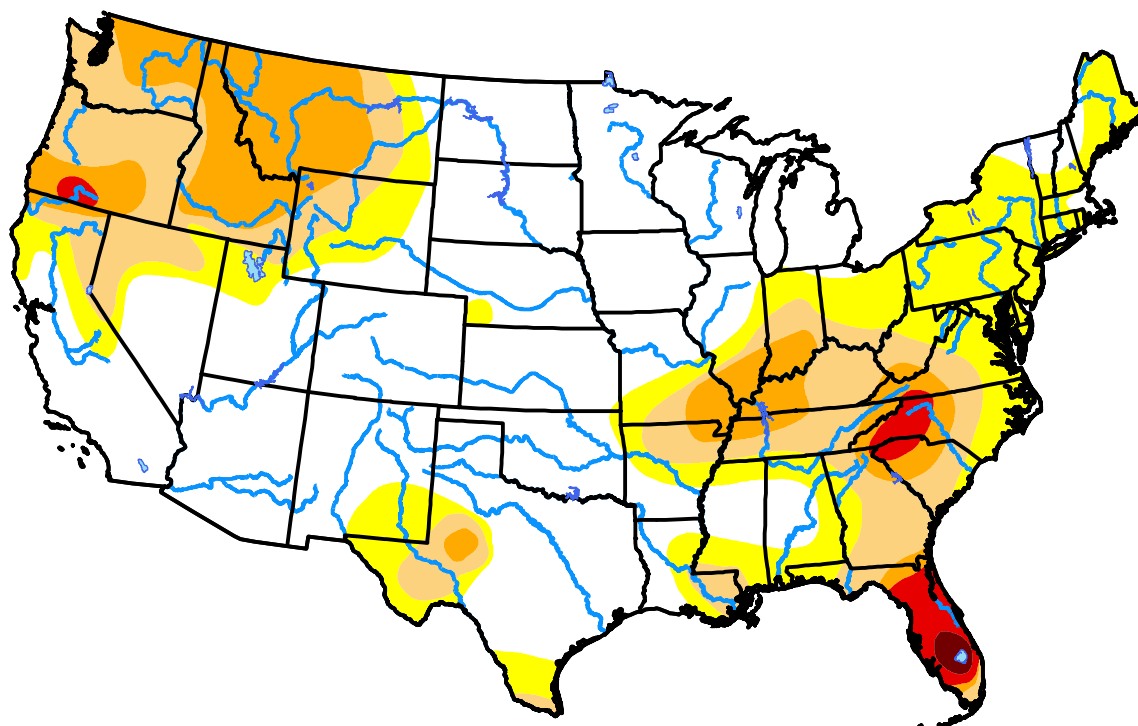
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	52.51	47.49	28.52	13.17	1.97	0.27
Last Week <i>05-03-2001</i>	63.06	36.93	24.94	10.43	1.53	0.27
3 Months Ago <i>02-08-2001</i>	61.42	38.57	11.98	5.38	1.02	0.34
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	70.81	29.18	13.94	6.15	0.96	0.33
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	42.19	57.80	38.27	23.95	6.90	0.74
One Year Ago <i>05-11-2000</i>	55.74	44.25	24.69	12.84	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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