

U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

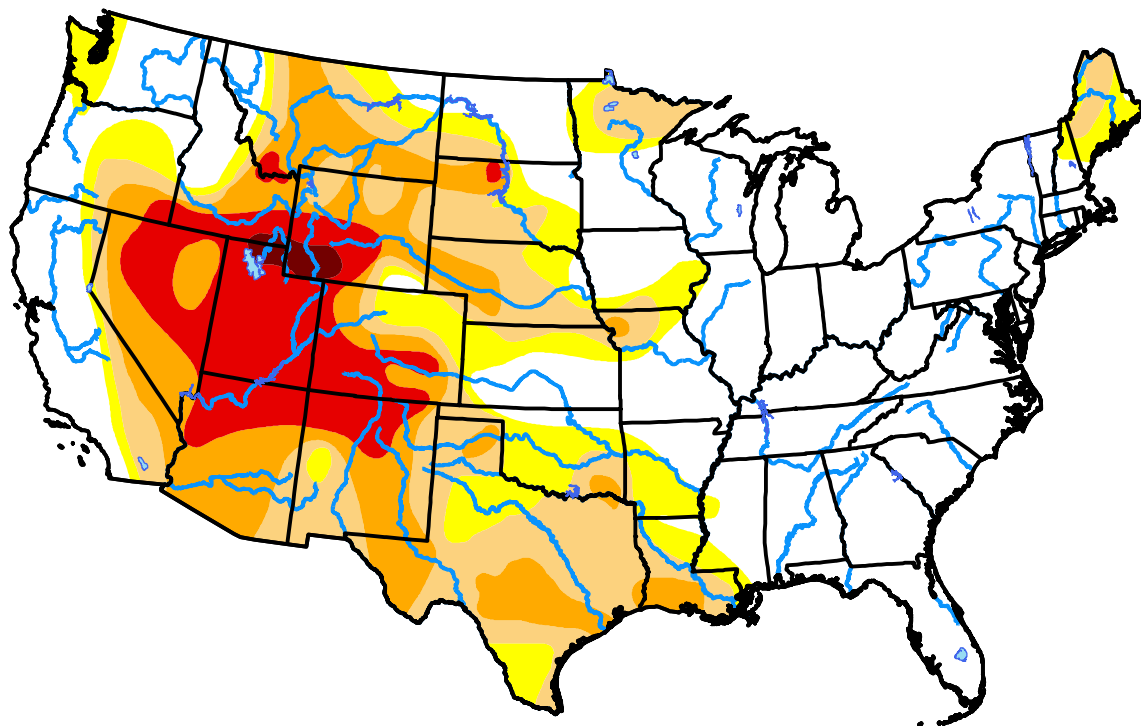
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	45.48	12.63	17.34	14.41	9.52	0.61
Last Week <i>05-27-2003</i>	46.91	11.11	17.39	14.34	9.64	0.60
3 Months Ago <i>03-04-2003</i>	38.81	16.43	12.22	12.63	17.90	2.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	44.95	13.80	10.92	16.07	12.97	1.28
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	29.08	22.33	15.21	15.54	14.70	3.14
One Year Ago <i>06-04-2002</i>	37.20	18.23	14.55	13.15	14.15	2.70



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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