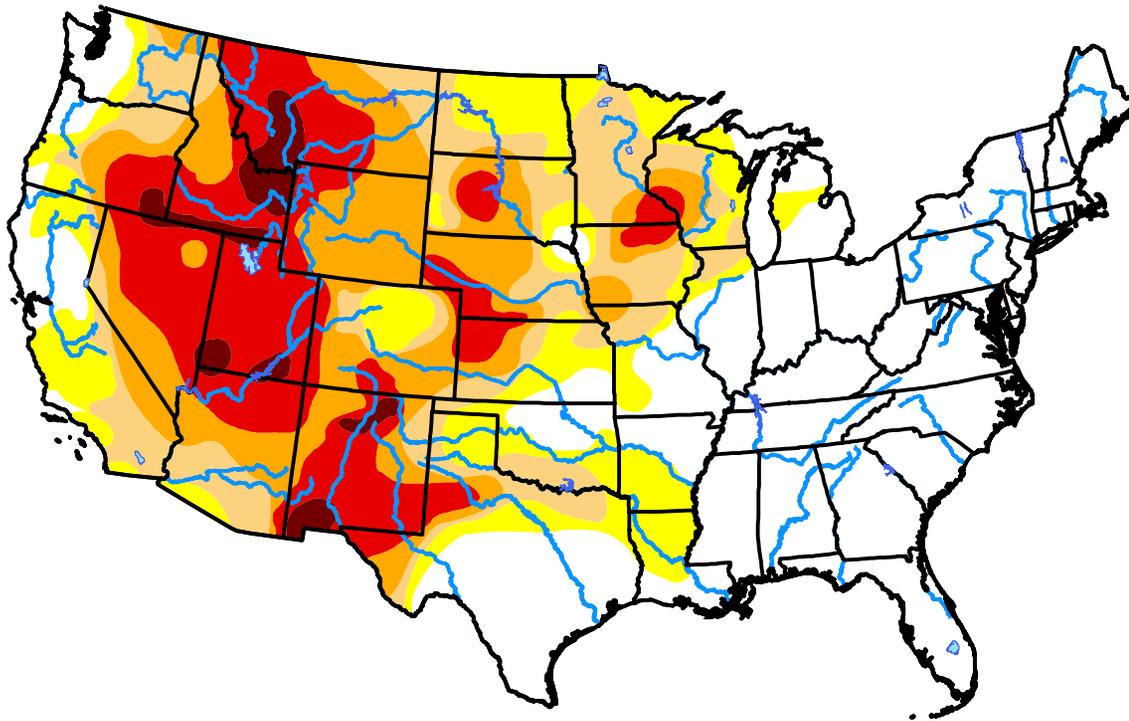


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Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	38.41	61.58	47.89	33.87	18.36	2.60
Last Week <i>10-28-2003</i>	37.12	62.87	48.73	35.06	18.28	2.54
3 Months Ago <i>08-05-2003</i>	42.77	57.22	48.05	30.07	14.93	1.98
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	44.95	55.04	41.24	30.33	14.25	1.28
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	38.57	61.42	48.37	33.11	16.87	2.09
One Year Ago <i>11-05-2002</i>	39.14	60.85	48.15	30.15	14.75	1.33

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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