

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

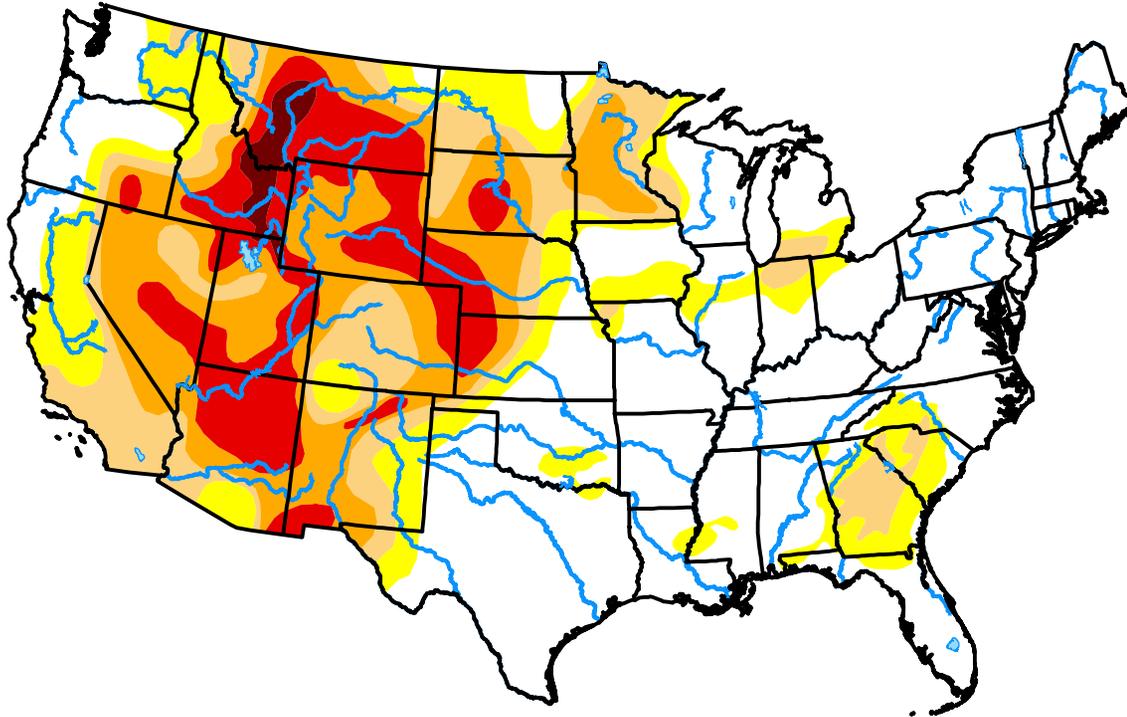
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	51.12	15.71	10.84	12.27	9.14	0.90
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-27-2004</i>	49.84	17.69	10.80	12.83	8.13	0.70
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-03-2004</i>	51.96	13.05	9.22	13.26	10.02	2.48
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2003</i>	50.81	10.84	10.11	14.87	10.51	2.84
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2003</i>	48.06	11.42	12.78	13.63	12.35	1.75
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-06-2003</i>	45.78	18.39	16.23	10.50	8.86	0.22



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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