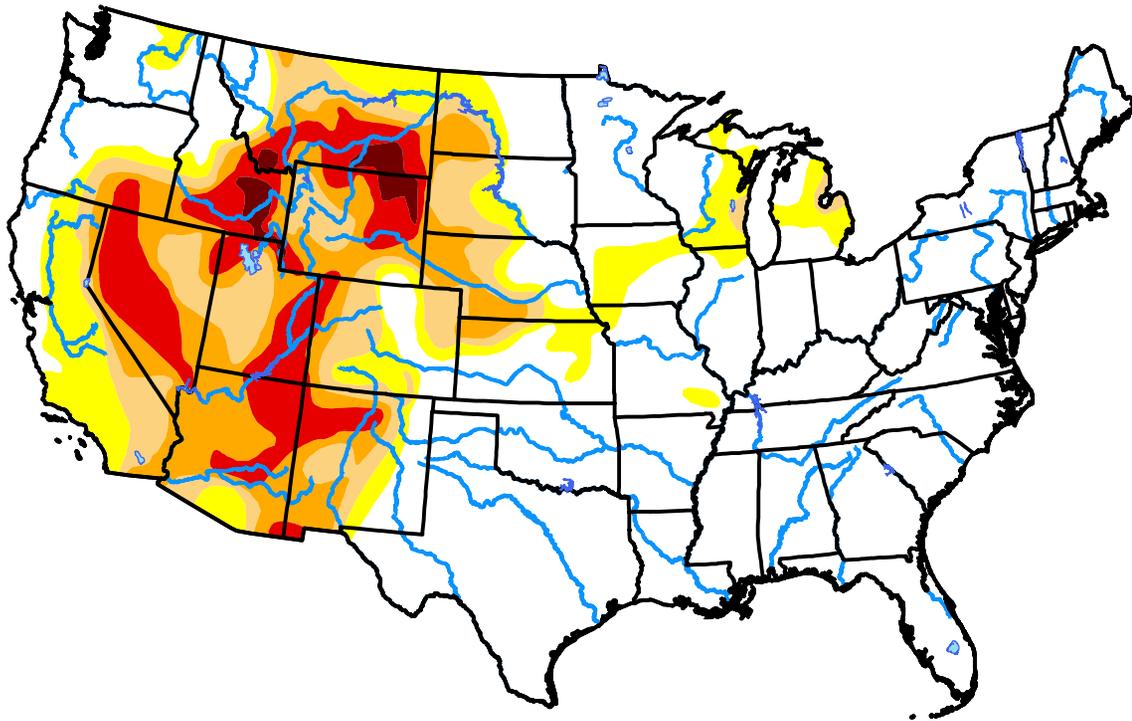


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	60.72	39.27	28.59	19.13	8.34	0.93
Last Week <i>10-26-2004</i>	58.83	41.16	29.78	19.24	8.33	0.93
3 Months Ago <i>08-03-2004</i>	53.80	46.19	33.03	24.04	10.94	1.38
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	43.82	56.17	45.80	33.78	15.99	3.40
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	56.51	43.48	30.51	21.82	9.69	0.93
One Year Ago <i>11-04-2003</i>	38.41	61.58	47.89	33.87	18.36	2.60

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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