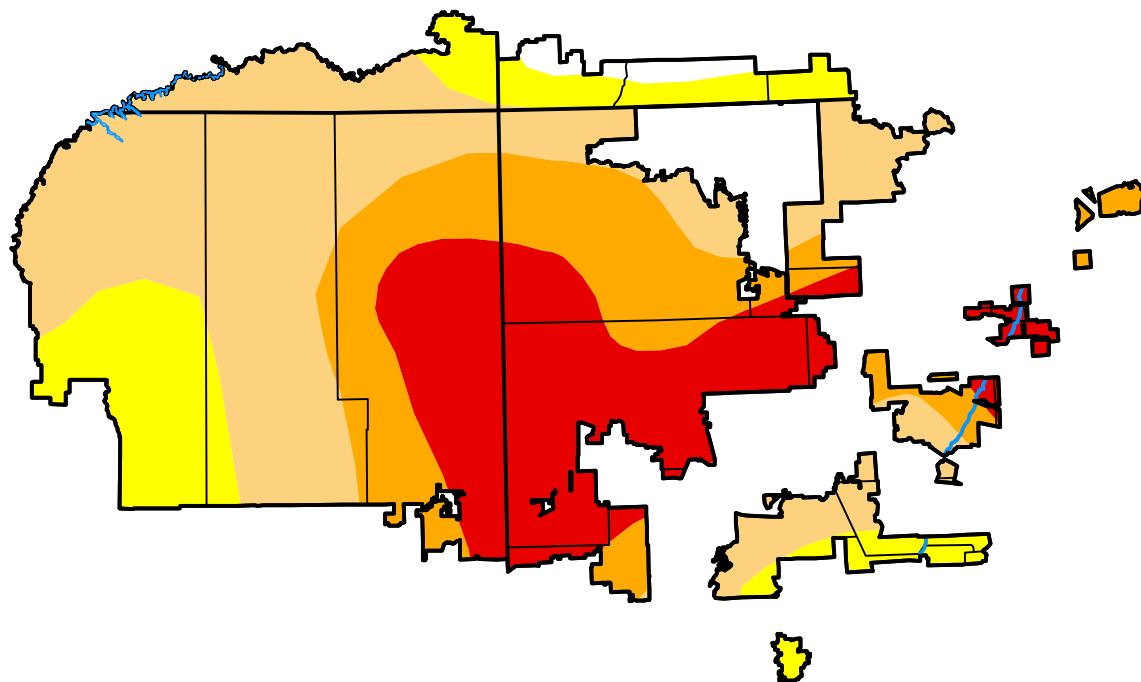


U.S. Drought Monitor

4 Corners

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	1.38	14.95	39.93	20.10	23.64	0.00
Last Week <i>02-15-2005</i>	0.00	7.82	48.44	20.10	23.64	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-23-2004</i>	0.00	0.06	6.82	25.95	67.18	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	0.00	0.09	7.96	32.65	59.30	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	0.00	0.02	5.03	32.76	62.20	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-24-2004</i>	0.00	0.00	0.68	15.92	77.60	5.80

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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