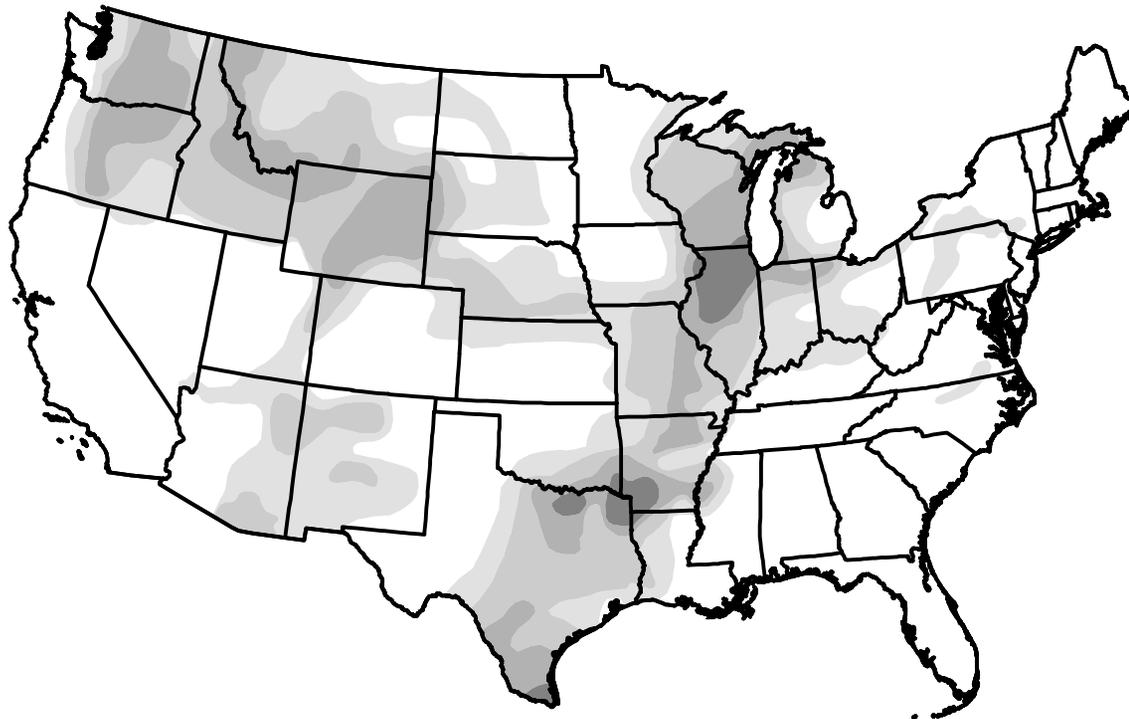


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| Current | 51.90 | 19.73 | 16.50 | 10.36 | 1.50 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>07-12-2005</i> | 54.71 | 18.84 | 15.96 | 9.10 | 1.38 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>04-19-2005</i> | 64.27 | 13.56 | 8.17 | 8.22 | 4.24 | 1.53 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i> | 63.02 | 11.34 | 10.25 | 9.48 | 5.14 | 0.77 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i> | 56.51 | 12.97 | 8.69 | 12.13 | 8.76 | 0.93 |
| One Year Ago <i>07-20-2004</i> | 52.47 | 14.07 | 9.29 | 13.55 | 9.19 | 1.43 |

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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