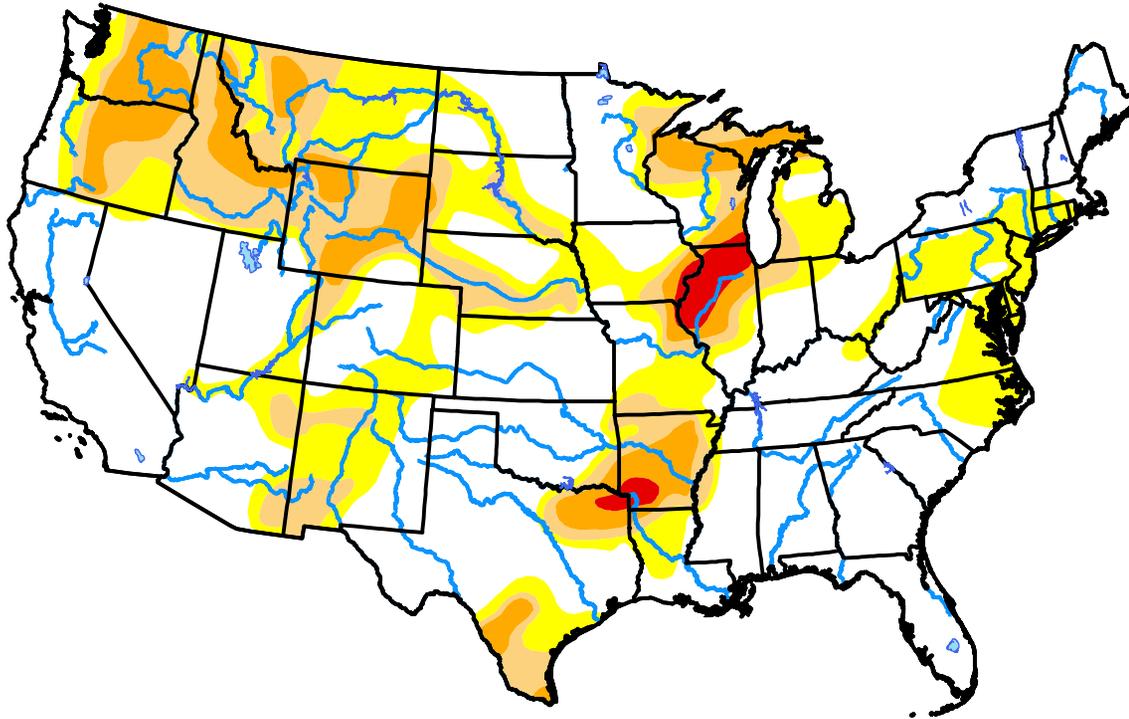


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 55.75 | 44.24 | 22.18 | 9.51 | 1.14 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>08-30-2005</i> | 58.02 | 41.97 | 21.93 | 8.51 | 0.84 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>06-07-2005</i> | 55.23 | 44.76 | 26.88 | 8.85 | 1.08 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i> | 63.02 | 36.97 | 25.64 | 15.39 | 5.91 | 0.77 |
| 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>09-07-2004</i> | 61.35 | 38.64 | 30.97 | 22.46 | 10.70 | 1.18 |

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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