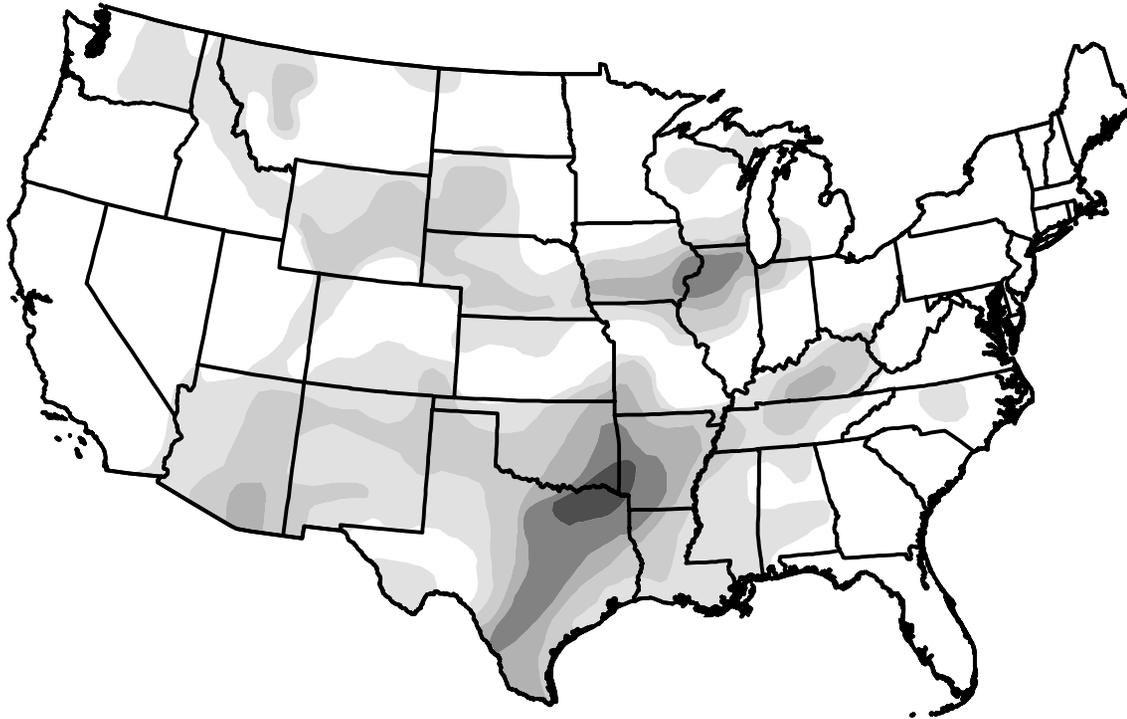


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	54.50	45.49	22.22	8.11	3.66	0.65
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-03-2006</i>	57.05	42.95	21.29	7.49	2.95	0.61
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-11-2005</i>	56.87	43.13	18.93	5.56	0.84	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2006</i>	57.05	42.95	21.29	7.49	2.95	0.61
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2005</i>	54.15	45.84	23.72	7.19	0.75	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-11-2005</i>	60.08	39.91	24.36	13.64	4.85	0.75

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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