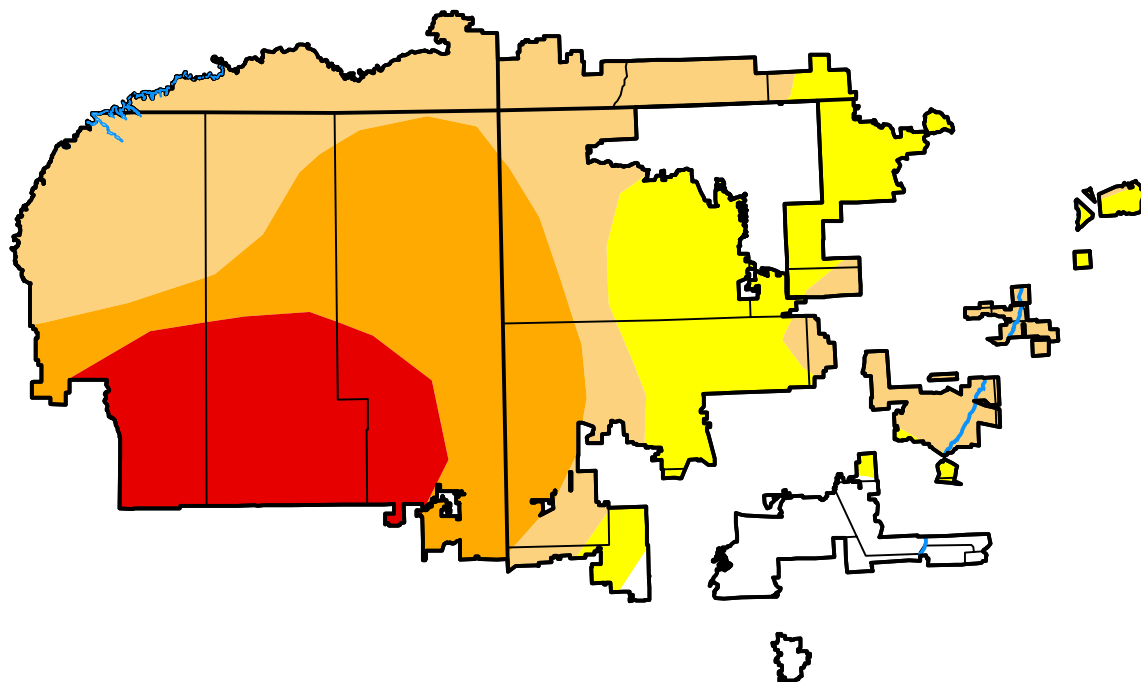


U.S. Drought Monitor

4 Corners

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.69	16.26	35.36	27.07	16.61	0.00
Last Week <i>08-08-2006</i>	0.00	20.54	35.42	24.89	19.14	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-16-2006</i>	0.00	1.23	32.08	33.07	33.61	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	1.66	58.02	40.32	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	10.91	58.70	30.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-16-2005</i>	9.96	57.02	33.02	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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

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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