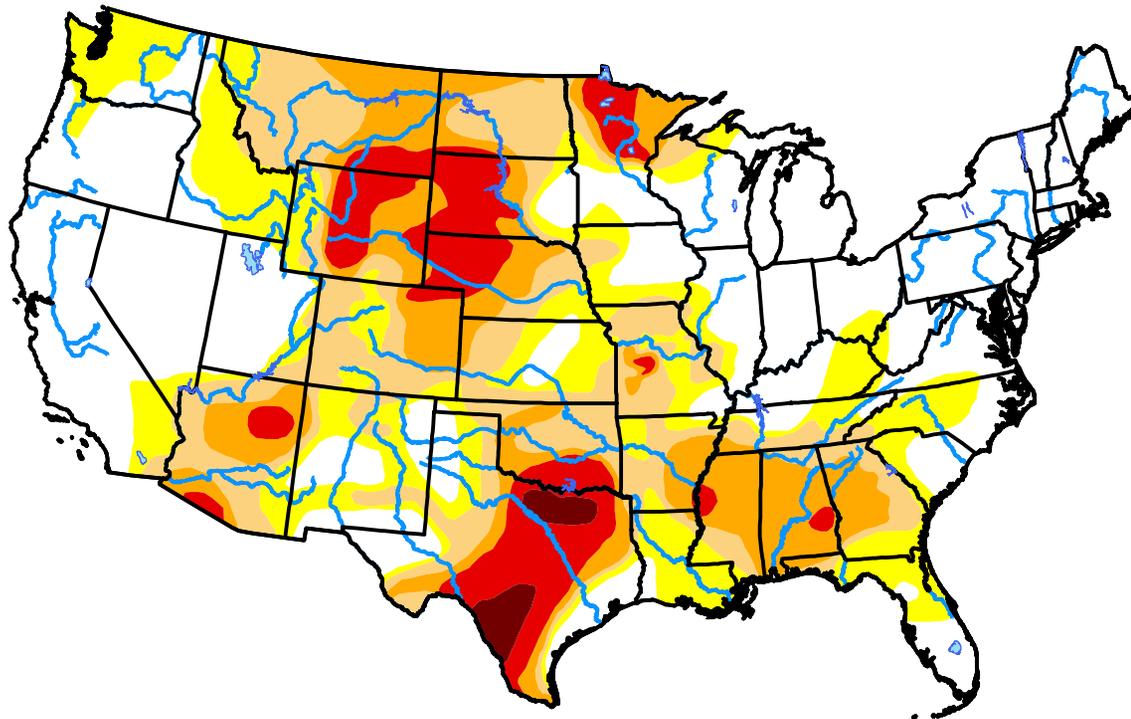


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	39.05	19.67	18.02	13.69	8.52	1.04
Last Week <i>08-29-2006</i>	36.70	19.34	19.34	14.64	8.22	1.74
3 Months Ago <i>06-06-2006</i>	51.41	17.31	13.17	9.84	7.09	1.18
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	57.05	21.66	13.81	4.53	2.34	0.61
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	54.15	22.12	16.53	6.44	0.75	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-06-2005</i>	55.75	22.07	12.67	8.36	1.14	0.00

Intensity:



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