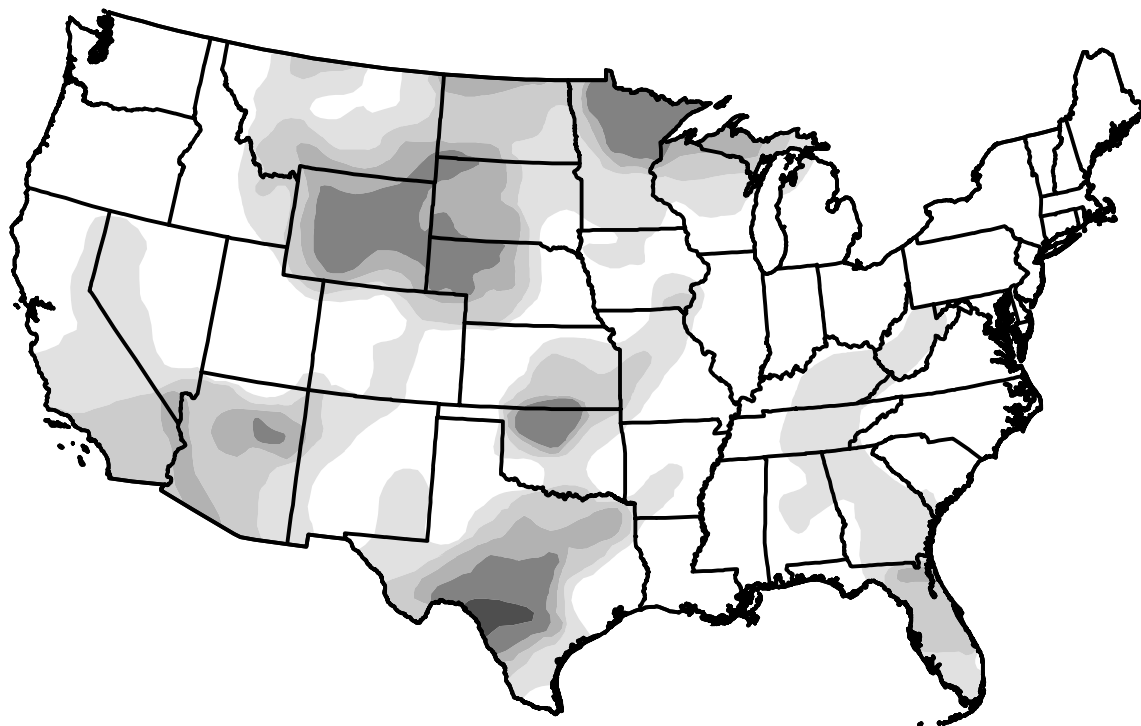


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	51.59	22.55	12.39	7.19	5.94	0.33
Last Week <i>01-02-2007</i>	50.00	24.36	13.01	6.69	5.60	0.33
3 Months Ago <i>10-10-2006</i>	45.35	19.55	18.29	10.13	6.44	0.24
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	50.00	24.36	13.01	6.69	5.60	0.33
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	45.12	21.94	16.63	9.69	6.46	0.14
One Year Ago <i>01-10-2006</i>	54.50	23.27	14.11	4.44	3.01	0.65

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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