

U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

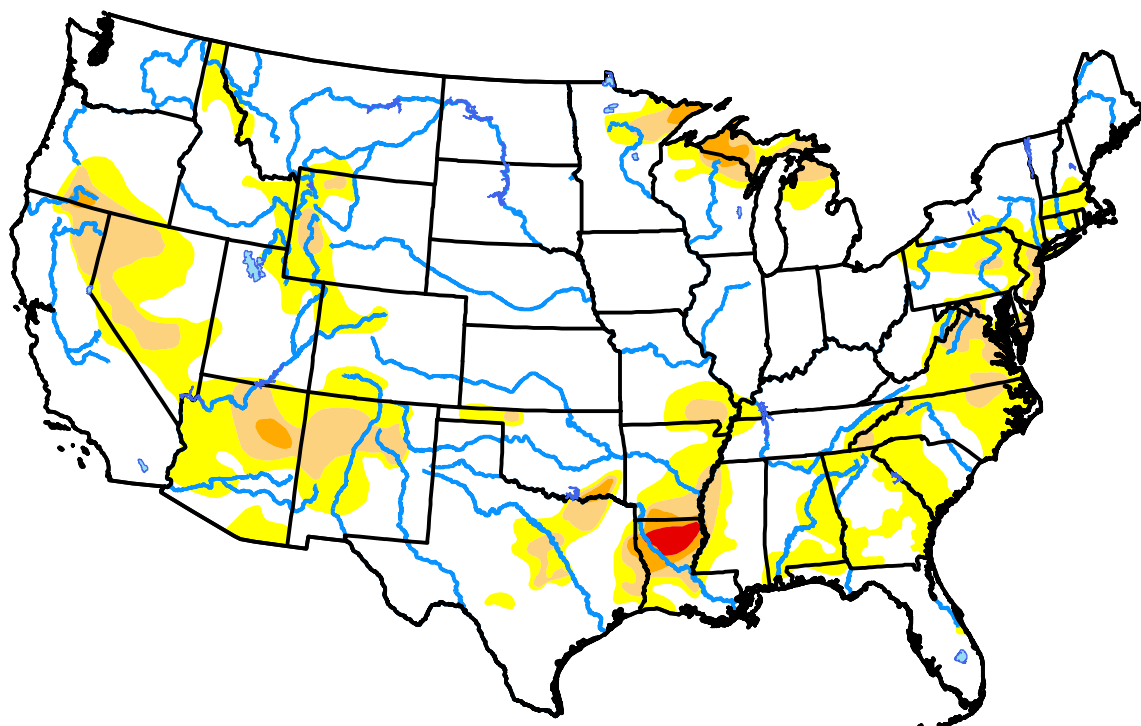
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	72.89	18.84	6.88	1.13	0.25	0.00
Last Week <i>07-13-2010</i>	74.83	17.33	6.50	1.08	0.25	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-20-2010</i>	68.44	21.43	7.90	2.21	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	72.07	15.52	8.16	4.05	0.19	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	63.98	21.03	8.80	4.88	1.02	0.28
One Year Ago <i>07-21-2009</i>	62.34	23.14	7.69	4.65	0.72	1.45



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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