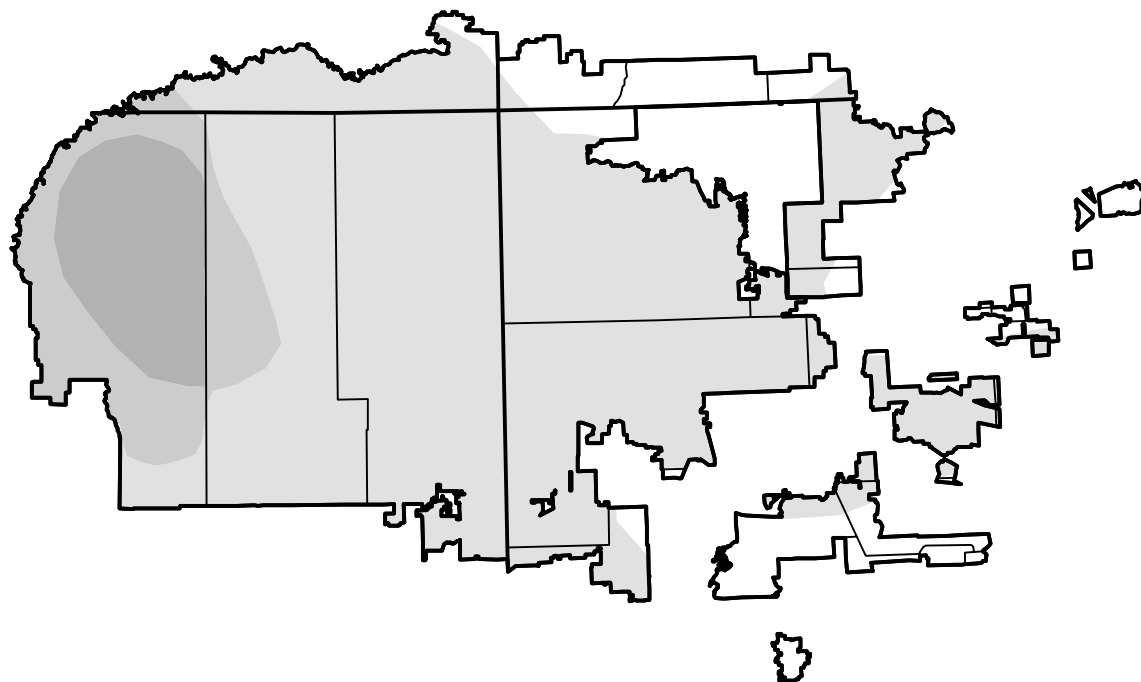


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## 4 Corners

**August 17, 2010**  
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 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 10.79 | 70.50 | 10.19 | 8.51  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-10-2010</i>              | 6.72  | 73.35 | 11.42 | 8.51  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-18-2010</i>           | 29.12 | 38.53 | 26.13 | 6.22  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-29-2009</i> | 15.72 | 7.88  | 13.57 | 51.54 | 11.28 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2009</i>    | 19.69 | 12.47 | 67.84 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-18-2009</i>           | 37.34 | 60.71 | 1.96  | 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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