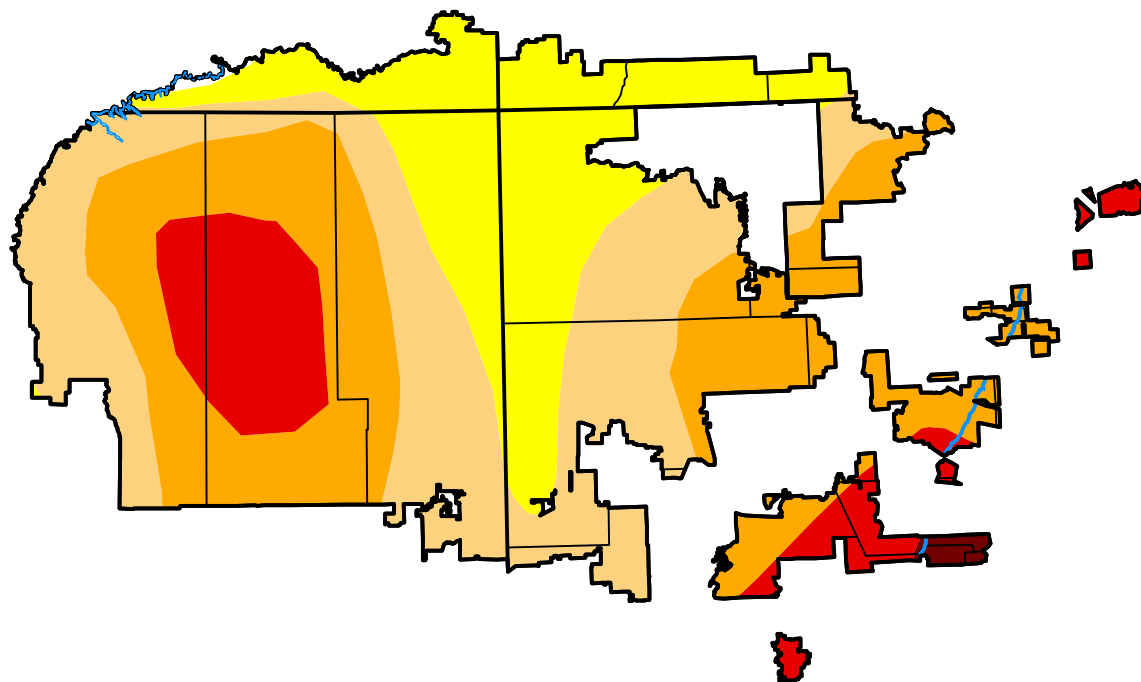


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## 4 Corners

**September 20, 2011**  
*(Released Thursday, Sep. 22, 2011)*  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 0.23  | 24.37 | 32.57 | 30.53 | 11.73 | 0.57 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-13-2011</i>              | 0.23  | 5.71  | 51.23 | 29.37 | 12.89 | 0.57 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-21-2011</i>           | 3.14  | 26.64 | 53.28 | 13.22 | 3.72  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2011</i> | 12.25 | 70.11 | 17.64 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2010</i>    | 10.79 | 70.08 | 8.85  | 10.28 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-21-2010</i>           | 10.79 | 70.08 | 8.85  | 10.28 | 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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