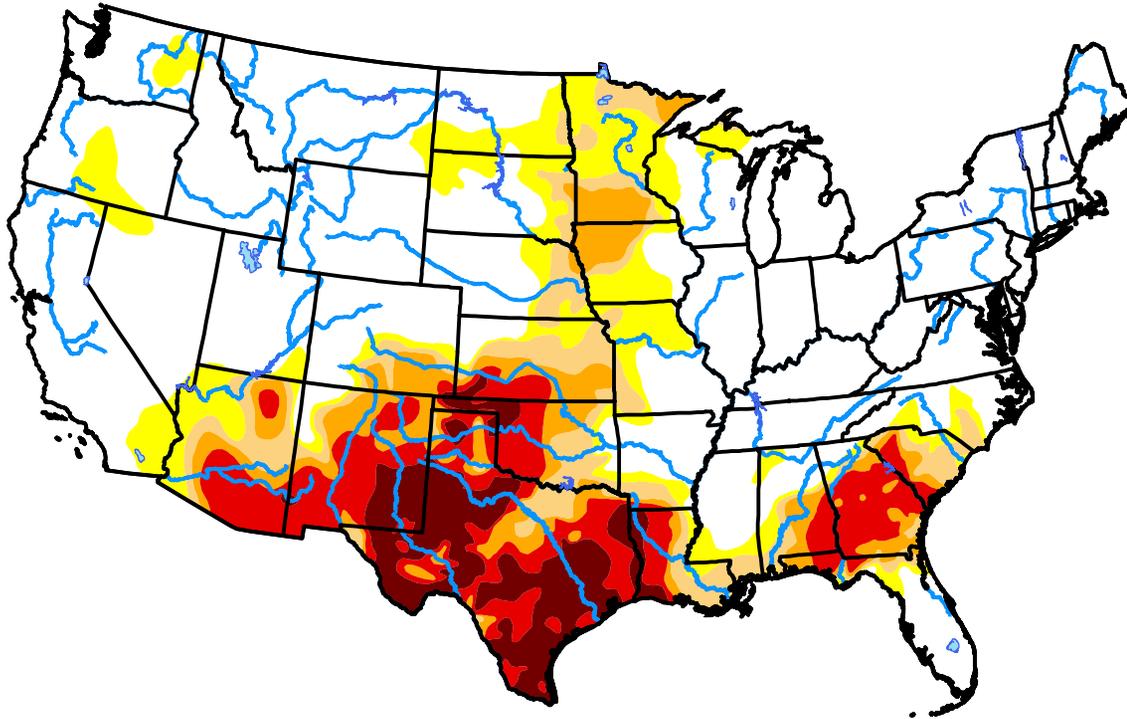


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

**November 29, 2011**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	58.95	11.70	7.44	6.93	8.98	5.98
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-22-2011</i>	56.95	11.86	7.98	6.70	8.39	8.11
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-30-2011</i>	54.06	13.10	8.09	6.47	7.06	11.21
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	60.49	17.76	13.24	5.90	2.59	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	56.44	14.42	5.69	5.64	6.43	11.37
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-30-2010</i>	60.26	23.06	10.64	5.25	0.78	0.00

Intensity:



*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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