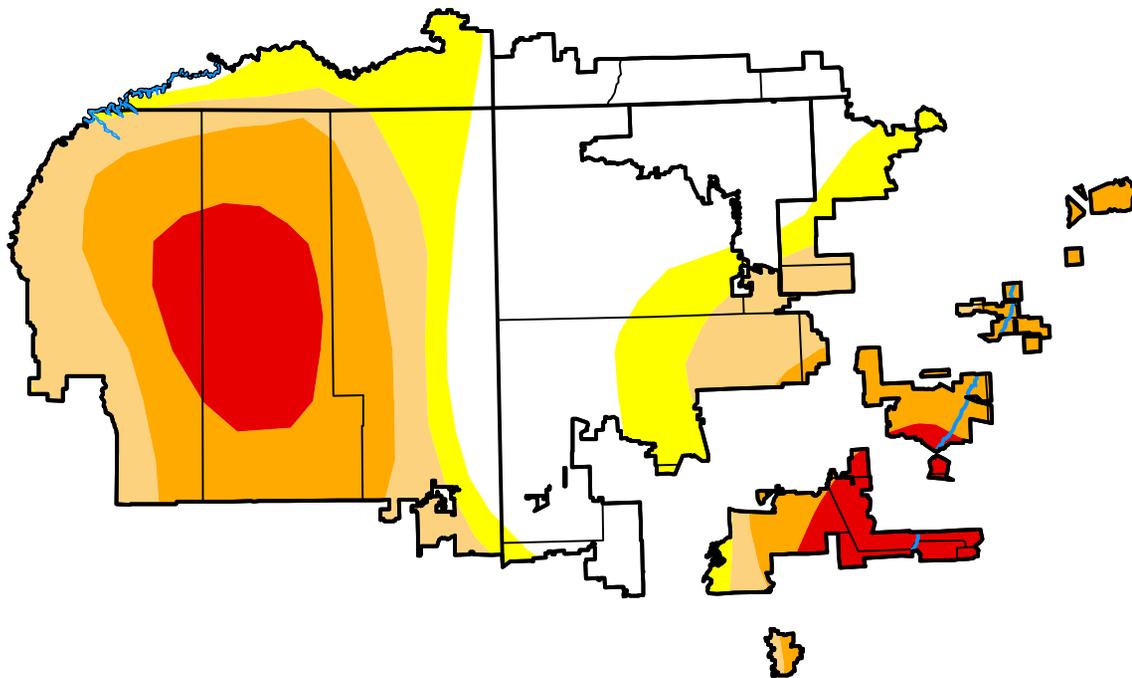


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## 4 Corners

**December 6, 2011**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	29.88	70.12	54.44	34.91	11.52	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-29-2011</i>	25.74	74.26	61.02	38.90	11.52	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-06-2011</i>	0.25	99.75	94.05	42.82	13.45	0.53
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	12.25	87.75	17.64	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	0.23	99.77	75.40	42.82	12.30	0.57
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-07-2010</i>	13.85	86.15	17.62	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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