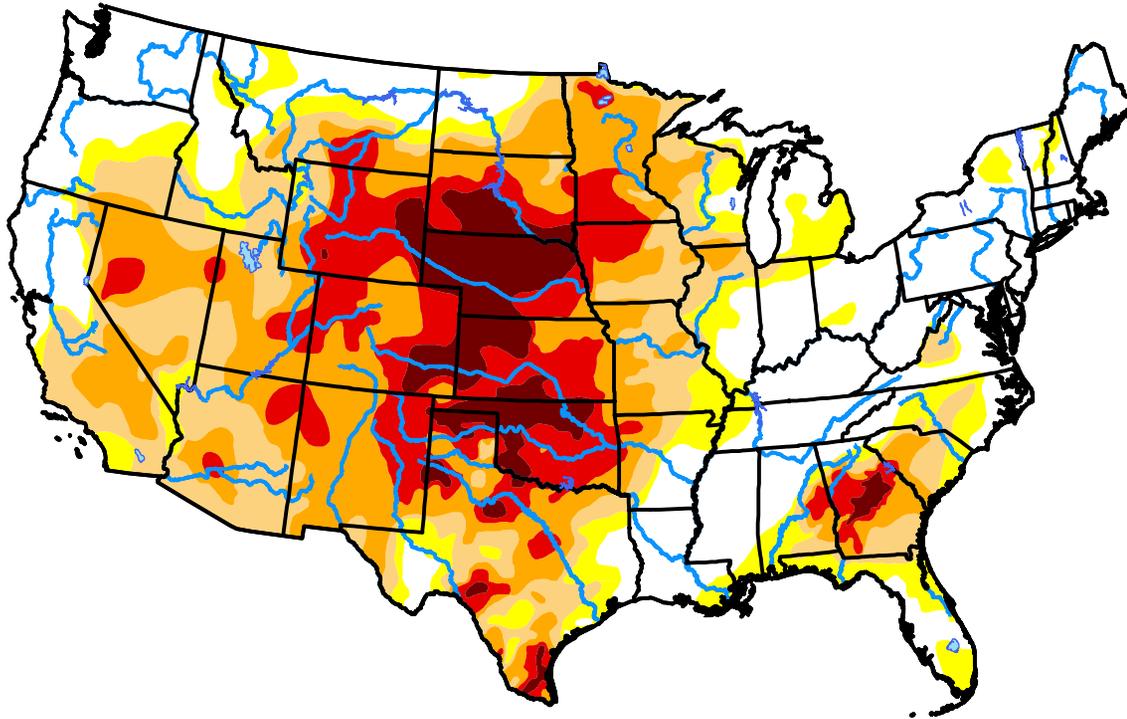


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

January 22, 2013
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 30.22 | 69.78 | 57.64 | 40.07 | 19.31 | 6.36 |
| Last Week <i>01-15-2013</i> | 29.84 | 70.15 | 58.87 | 40.29 | 19.39 | 6.31 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>10-23-2012</i> | 25.64 | 74.35 | 61.79 | 38.64 | 19.52 | 5.84 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i> | 27.22 | 72.78 | 61.09 | 42.05 | 21.31 | 6.75 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i> | 23.40 | 76.59 | 65.45 | 42.12 | 21.48 | 6.12 |
| One Year Ago <i>01-24-2012</i> | 41.80 | 58.19 | 36.21 | 18.44 | 9.80 | 2.74 |

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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