

U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

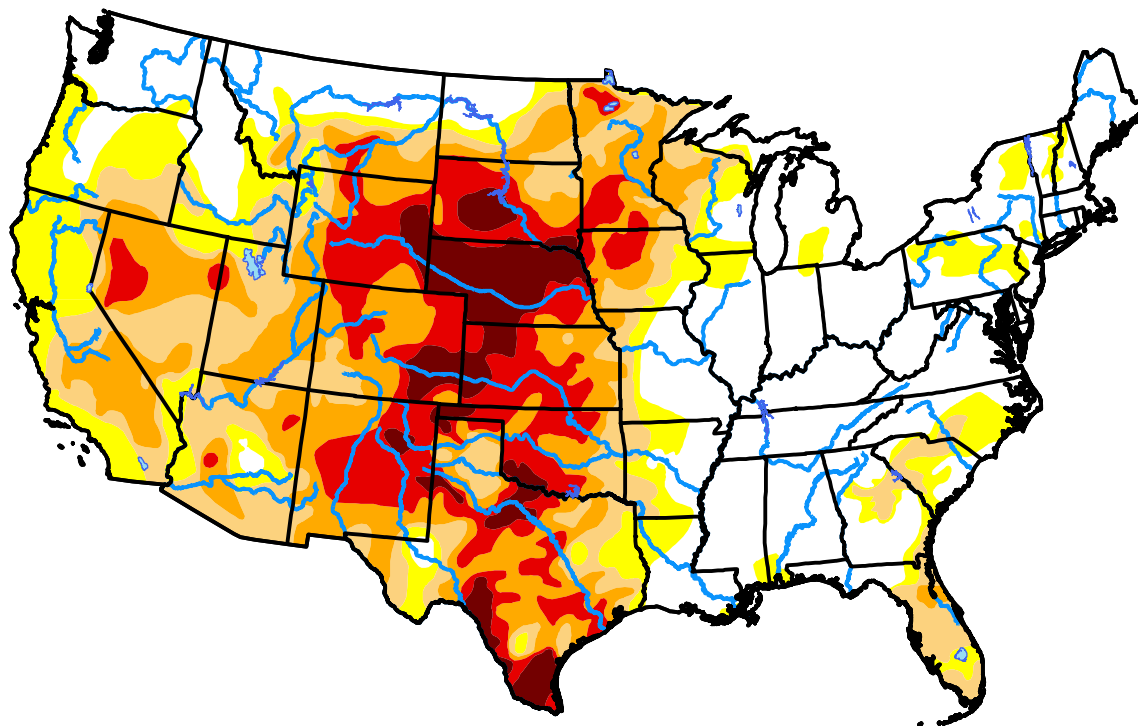
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	33.29	66.71	51.91	35.30	17.13	5.20
Last Week <i>03-26-2013</i>	34.96	65.04	51.64	35.19	16.85	5.10
3 Months Ago <i>01-01-2013</i>	27.22	72.78	61.09	42.05	21.31	6.75
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>04-03-2012</i>	39.87	60.12	36.76	19.64	6.65	1.92



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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