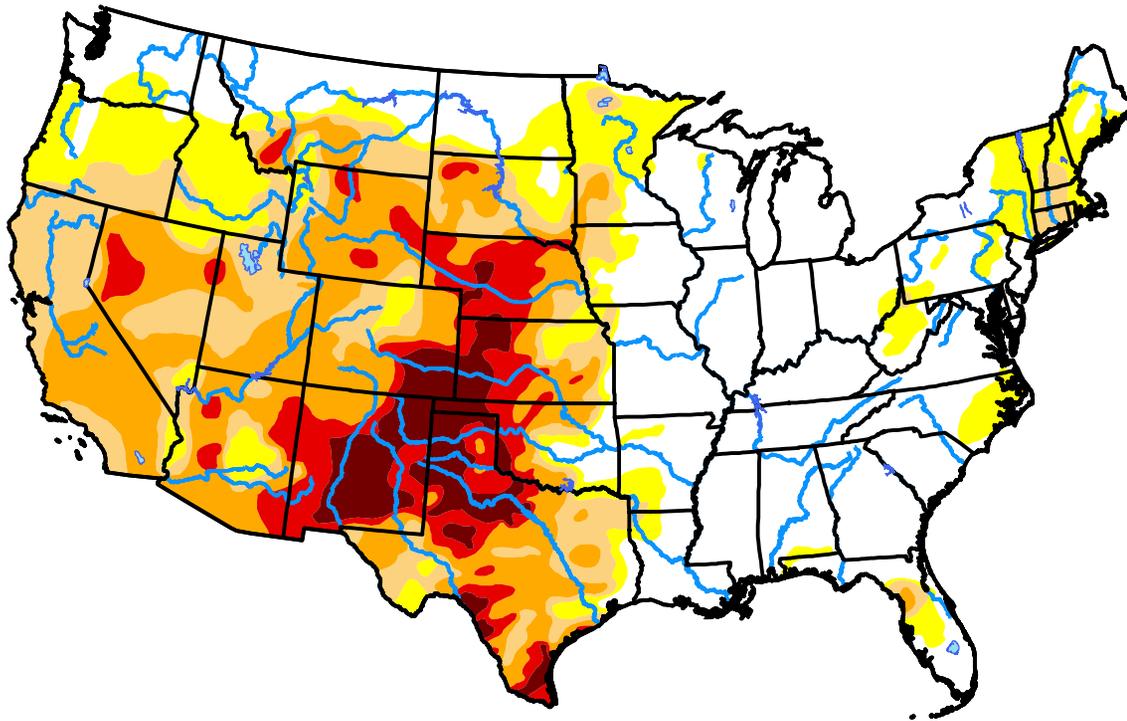


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	39.05	14.87	14.91	18.52	7.70	4.94
Last Week <i>05-14-2013</i>	38.27	14.06	15.36	18.66	9.24	4.40
3 Months Ago <i>02-19-2013</i>	33.15	11.03	18.40	18.75	12.00	6.66
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	27.22	11.68	19.04	20.74	14.56	6.75
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	23.40	11.14	23.33	20.64	15.36	6.12
One Year Ago <i>05-22-2012</i>	37.68	27.01	15.84	13.51	4.99	0.95

Intensity:



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