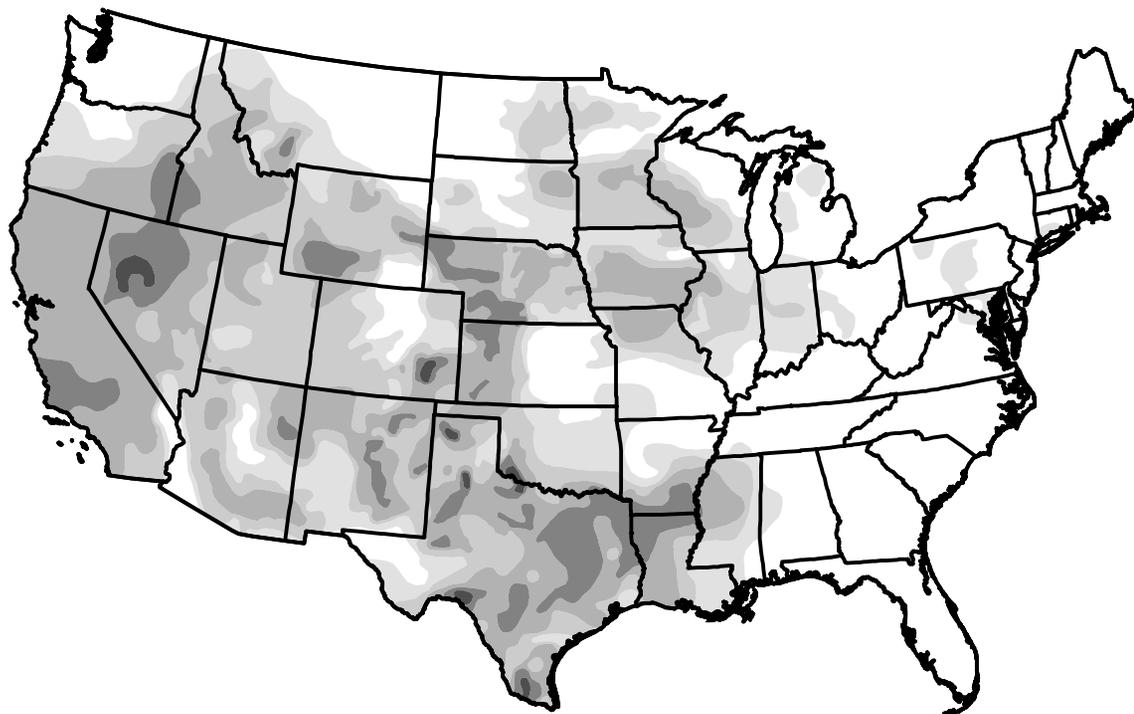


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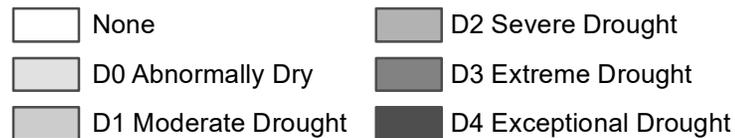
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	35.90	64.09	48.19	28.35	6.85	0.43
Last Week <i>09-10-2013</i>	36.24	63.75	50.69	33.28	10.15	1.25
3 Months Ago <i>06-18-2013</i>	46.72	53.27	44.77	30.04	12.61	4.38
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>09-18-2012</i>	21.84	78.15	64.82	41.07	20.74	5.96

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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