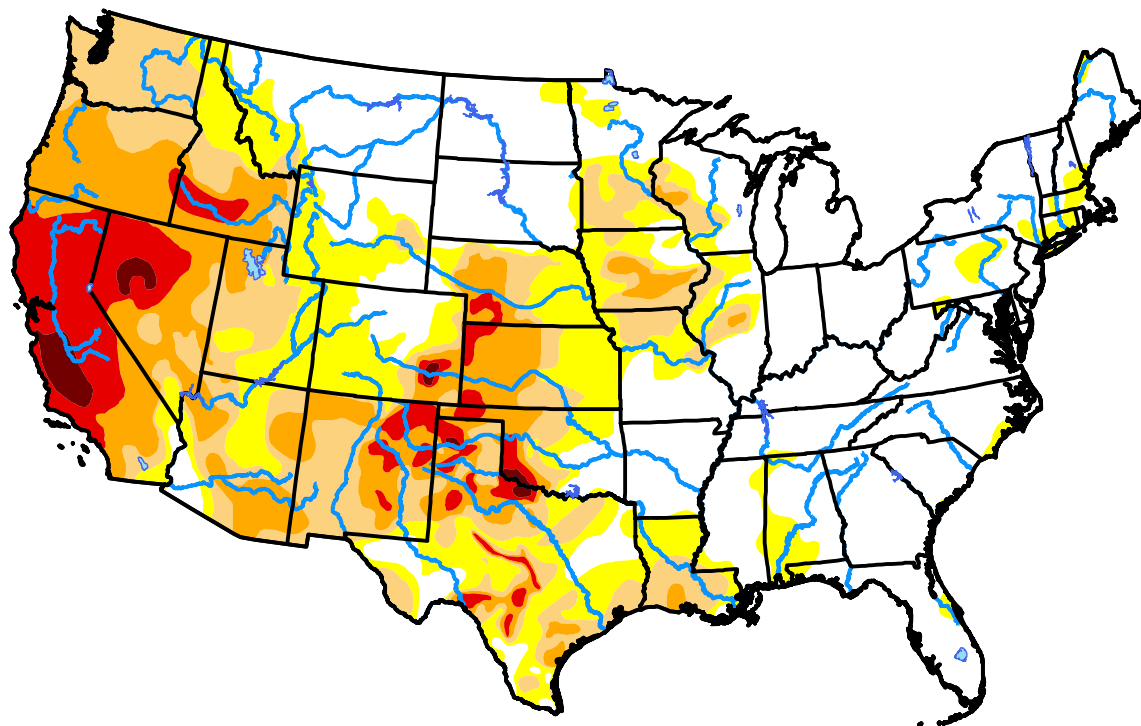


U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

February 4, 2014
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	43.45	56.54	37.38	20.84	7.37	0.88
Last Week <i>01-28-2014</i>	43.74	56.25	36.49	20.76	7.24	0.83
3 Months Ago <i>11-05-2013</i>	44.88	55.11	32.23	17.45	2.93	0.34
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	48.24	51.75	30.94	16.67	3.96	0.37
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	39.56	60.43	41.21	20.70	3.06	0.29
One Year Ago <i>02-05-2013</i>	32.03	67.96	56.84	40.13	19.10	6.85

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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