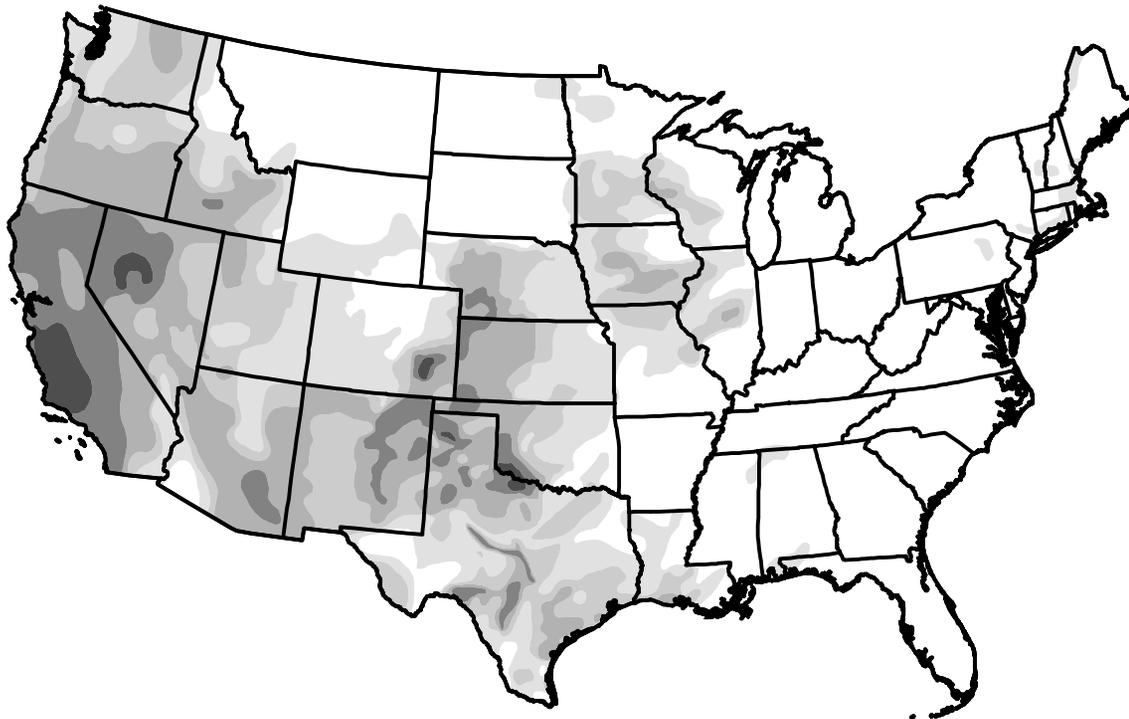


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

**February 18, 2014**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	46.79	17.47	14.47	14.00	6.12	1.14
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-11-2014</i>	44.53	17.86	16.19	14.55	5.98	0.88
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-19-2013</i>	41.21	26.33	15.14	13.40	3.54	0.37
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	48.24	20.81	14.27	12.72	3.58	0.37
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	39.56	19.22	20.51	17.64	2.77	0.29
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-19-2013</i>	33.15	11.03	18.40	18.75	12.00	6.66

*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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