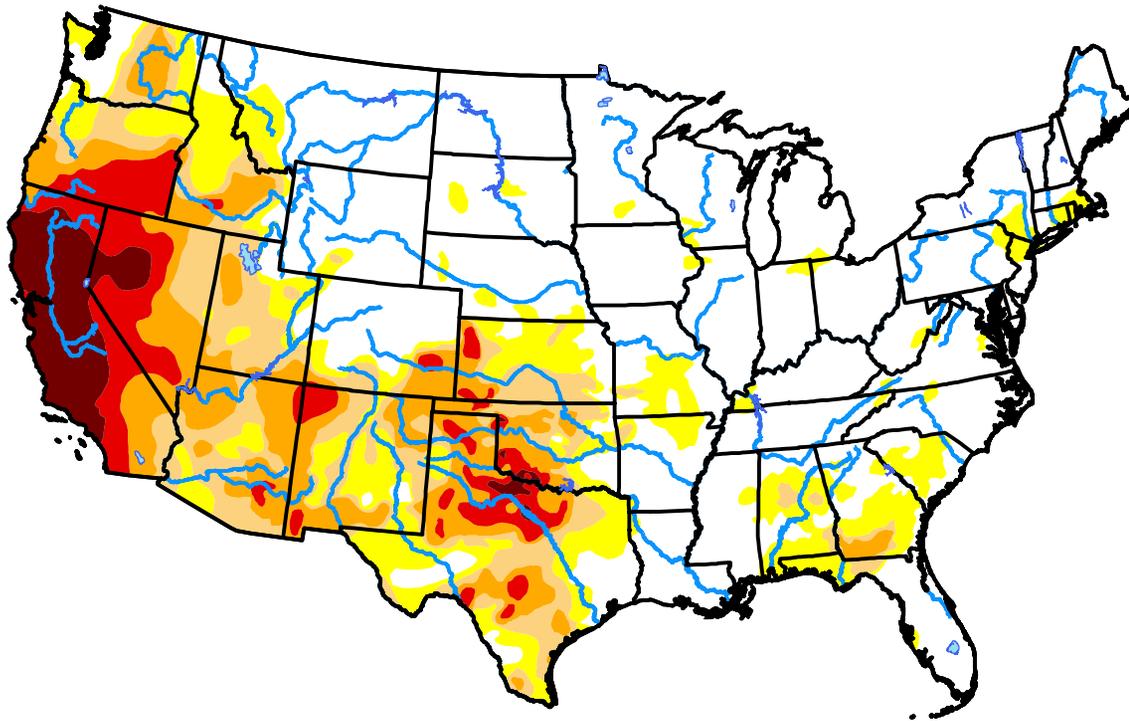


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	53.90	46.10	31.27	20.31	9.47	3.70
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-02-2014</i>	53.16	46.84	32.78	20.93	9.91	3.80
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-10-2014</i>	53.90	46.09	36.15	25.97	12.18	2.68
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	48.24	51.75	30.94	16.67	3.96	0.37
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	39.56	60.43	41.21	20.70	3.06	0.29
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-10-2013</i>	36.24	63.75	50.69	33.28	10.15	1.25

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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