

U.S. Drought Monitor

Contiguous U.S. (CONUS)

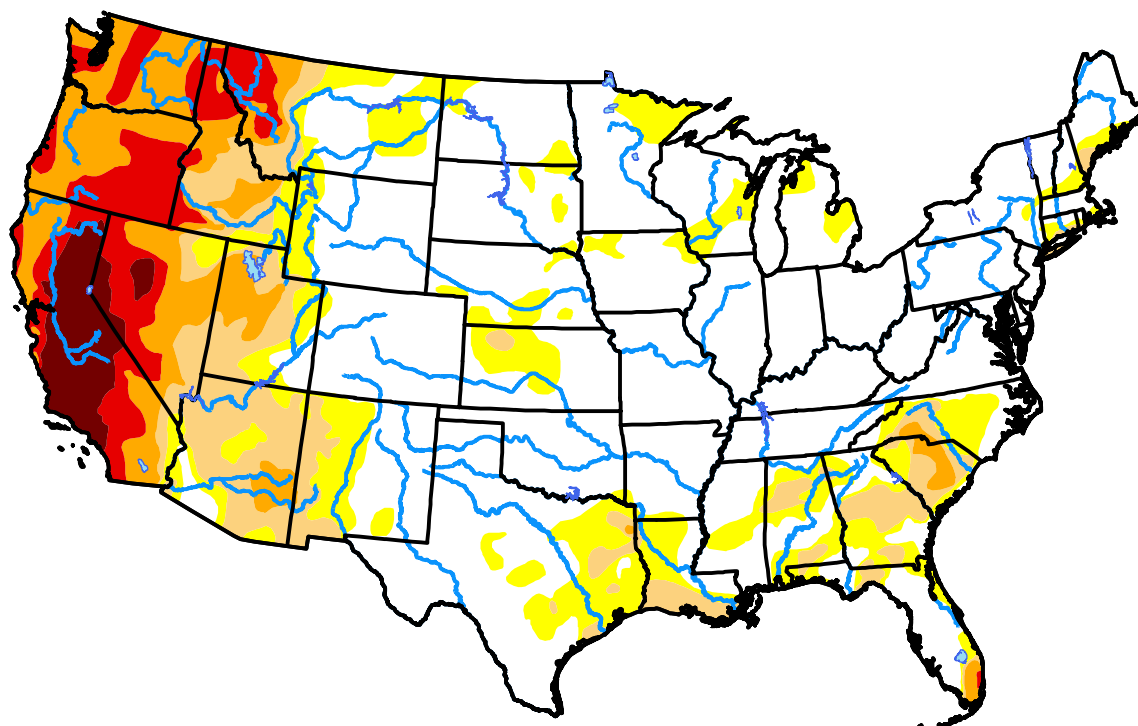
August 4, 2015

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	57.71	15.15	9.69	8.64	5.97	2.83
Last Week <i>07-28-2015</i>	61.10	13.18	8.54	8.37	5.97	2.83
3 Months Ago <i>05-05-2015</i>	44.23	17.97	17.42	12.50	4.47	3.39
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	53.20	18.12	11.75	7.96	6.42	2.54
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	52.22	17.21	11.90	9.25	5.56	3.85
One Year Ago <i>08-05-2014</i>	52.44	13.62	11.75	12.00	6.35	3.84



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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