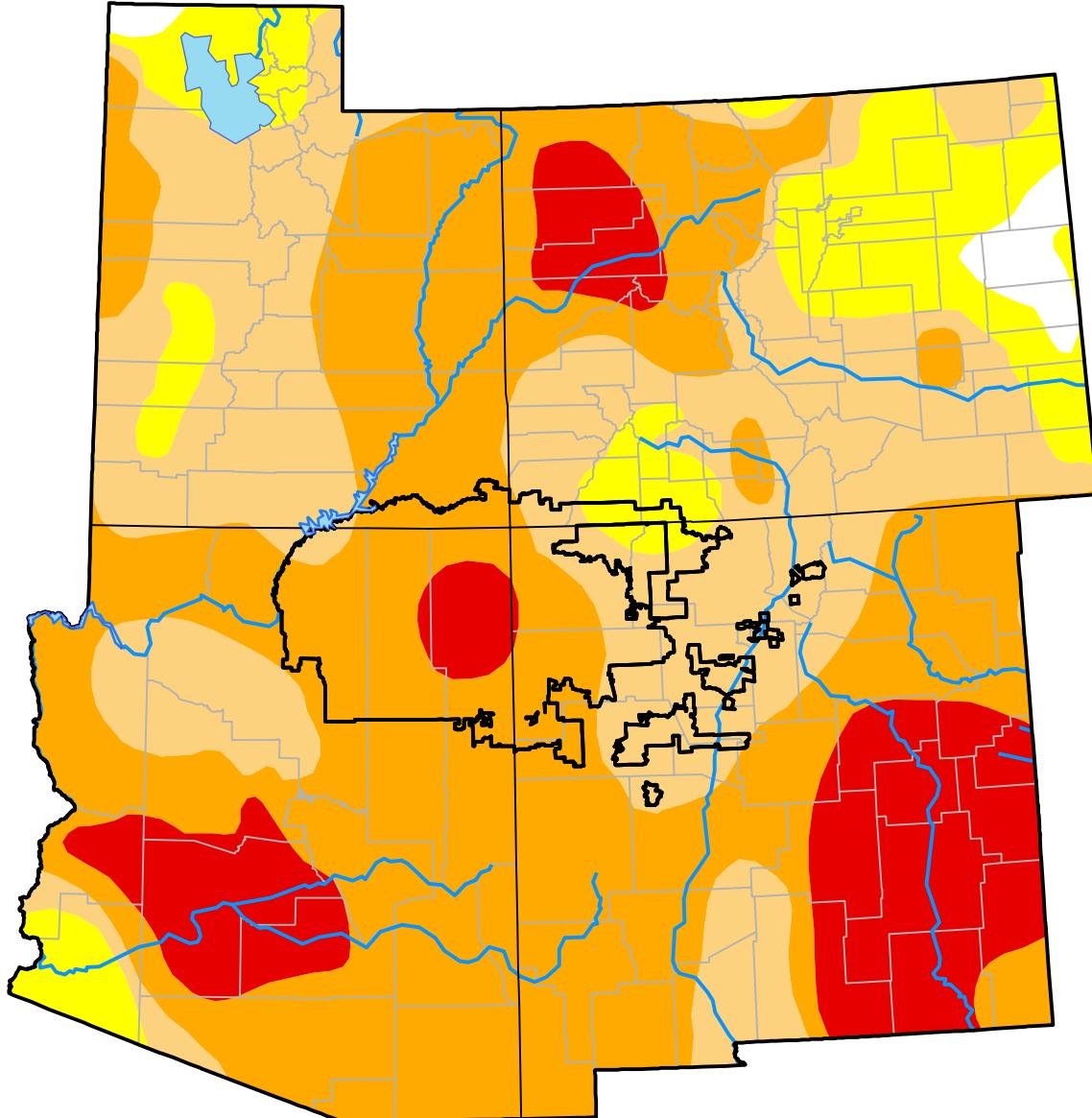


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Four Corners RDEWS



May 22, 2012

(Released Thursday, May. 24, 2012)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|   | None  | D0-D4  | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current                                 | 0.00  | 100.00 | 96.91 | 73.10 | 11.77 | 0.00 |
| Last Week<br>05-17-2012                 | 0.00  | 100.00 | 91.80 | 50.66 | 11.77 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago<br>02-23-2012              | 35.45 | 64.55  | 45.90 | 21.26 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| Start of<br>Calendar Year<br>01-05-2012 | 30.62 | 69.38  | 54.44 | 34.96 | 8.85  | 0.00 |
| Start of<br>Water Year<br>09-29-2011    | 0.23  | 99.77  | 75.40 | 42.82 | 12.30 | 0.57 |
| One Year Ago<br>05-26-2011              | 5.07  | 94.93  | 70.23 | 16.95 | 3.77  | 0.00 |

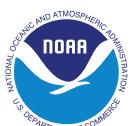
### Intensity:

|                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| 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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