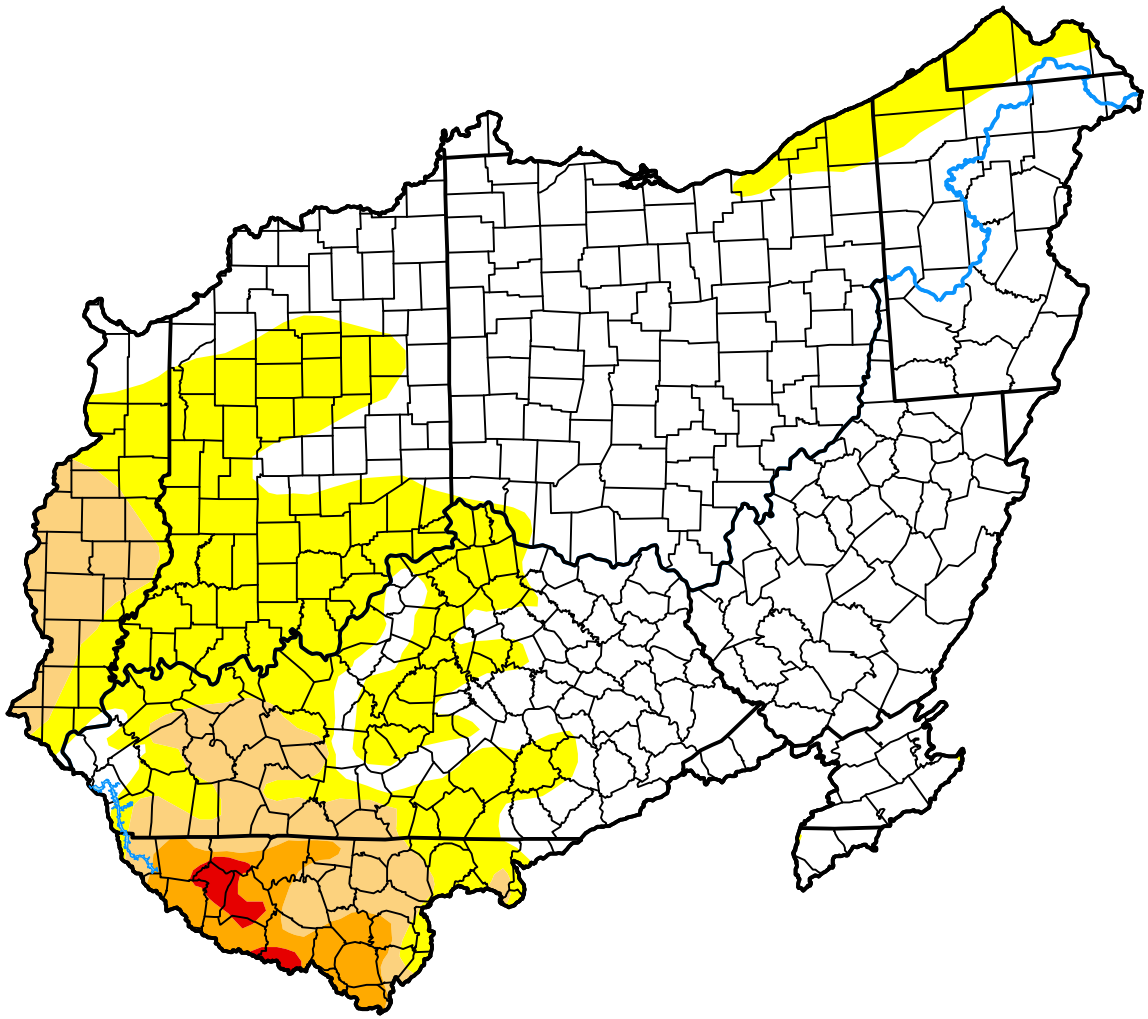
U.S. Drought Monitor

Ohio RFC



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	63.67	25.18	8.14	2.49	0.52	0.00
Last Week *10-13-2026*	68.51	21.19	8.43	1.55	0.31	0.00
3 Months Ago *07-21-2026*	84.13	11.19	2.50	2.18	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	48.97	28.23	13.26	4.95	4.60	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	73.51	18.26	6.65	1.58	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago *10-21-2025*	37.62	27.15	20.42	11.00	3.81	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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