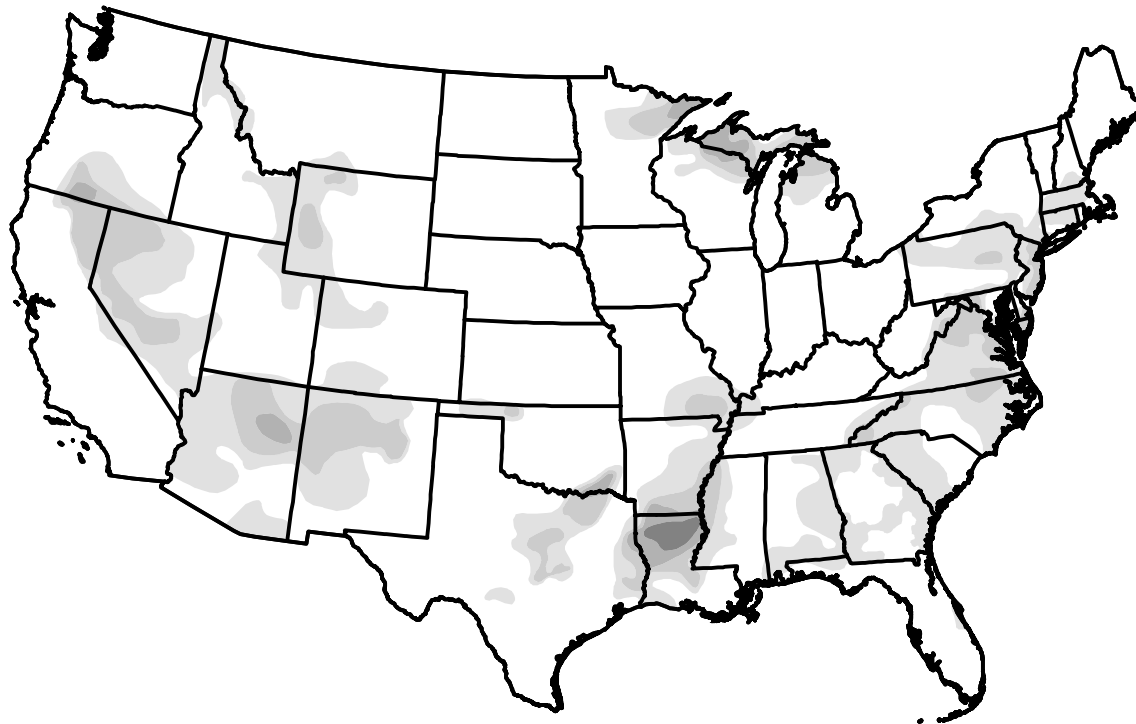


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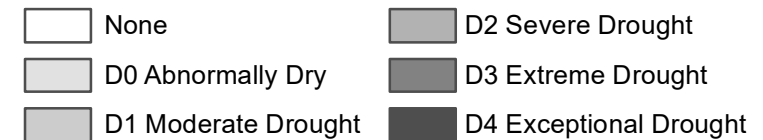
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| Current | 72.89 | 18.84 | 6.88 | 1.13 | 0.25 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>07-13-2010</i> | 74.83 | 17.33 | 6.50 | 1.08 | 0.25 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>04-20-2010</i> | 68.44 | 21.43 | 7.90 | 2.21 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i> | 72.07 | 15.52 | 8.16 | 4.05 | 0.19 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i> | 63.98 | 21.03 | 8.80 | 4.88 | 1.02 | 0.28 |
| One Year Ago <i>07-21-2009</i> | 62.34 | 23.14 | 7.69 | 4.65 | 0.72 | 1.45 |

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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