



Drought Information Statement for Tri-State Area

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- This product will be updated by the 5th of each month or sooner if drought conditions change significantly.
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 - Please visit <https://www.weather.gov/GLD/DroughtInformationStatement> for previous statements.
 - Please visit <https://www.drought.gov/drought-status-updates> for regional drought status updates.
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- Drought has worsened in southwest Nebraska and adjacent locations in northwest Kansas. Severe Drought (D2) now exists in Red Willow, Decatur and Norton counties.





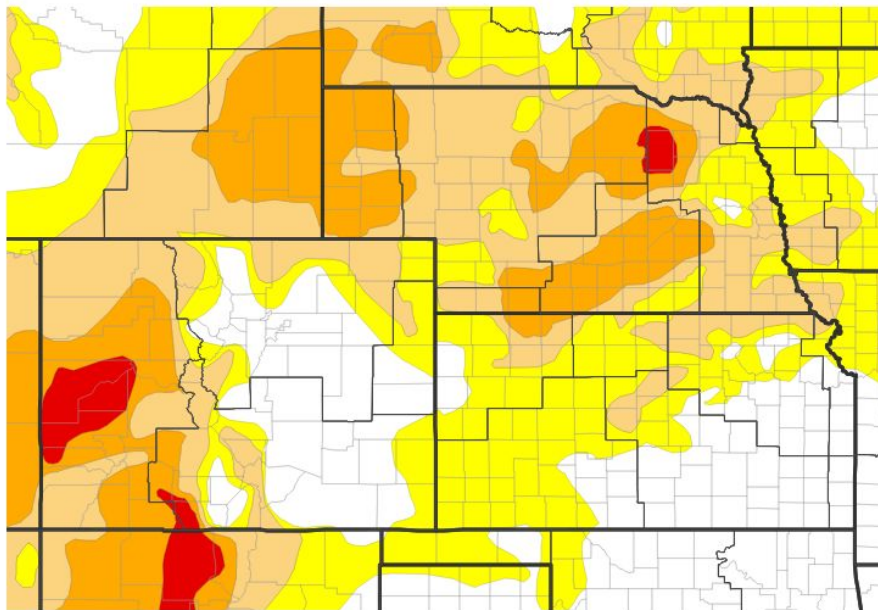
U.S. Drought Monitor

Link to the [latest U.S. Drought Monitor](#) for High Plains

Drought intensity and Extent by County

- D2 (Severe): Hitchcock, Red Willow, Rawlins, Decatur, Norton.
- D1 (Moderate): Yuma, Dundy, Thomas, Sheridan, Graham.
- D0 (Dry): Kit Carson, Sherman, Cheyenne KS, Logan, Gove, Greeley, Wichita.

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Source(s): NDMC, NOAA, USDA; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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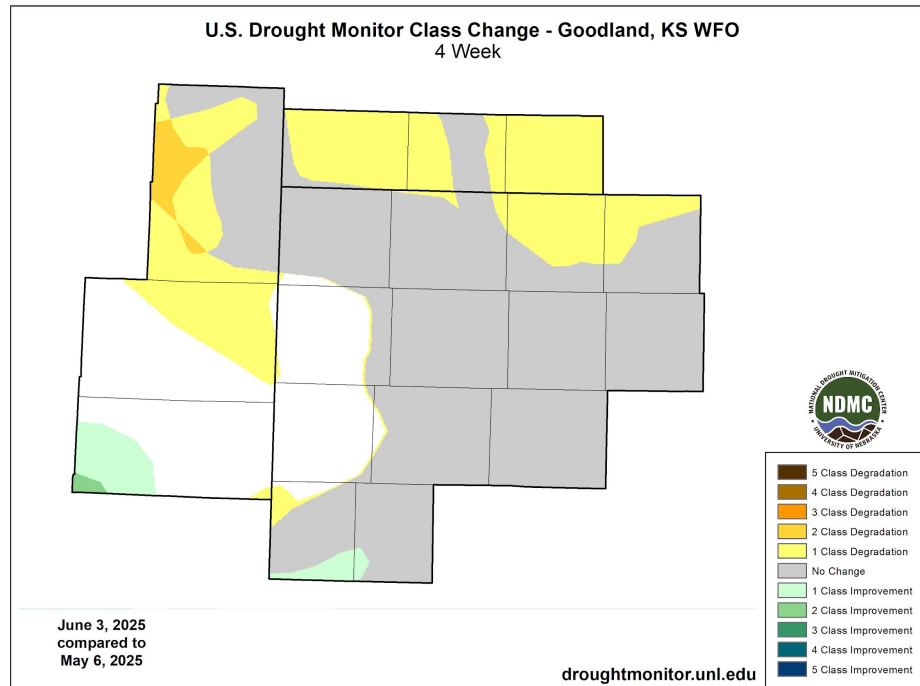


Recent Change in Drought Intensity

Link to the latest [4-week change map](#) for CONUS

4 Week Drought Monitor Class Change.

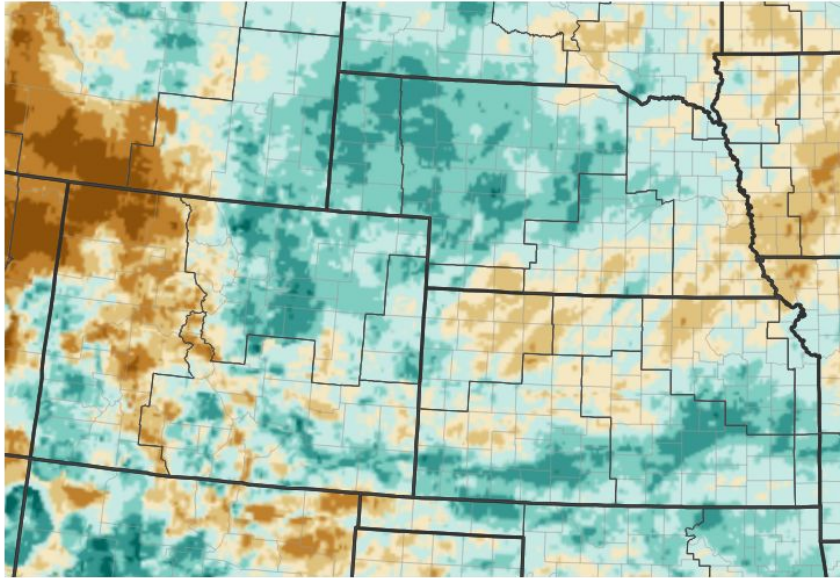
- Drought Worsened: southwest Nebraska, Yuma County, Colorado, Decatur, Norton.
- No Change: areas in gray.
- Drought Improved: small portions of Cheyenne CO, Greeley, Wichita.



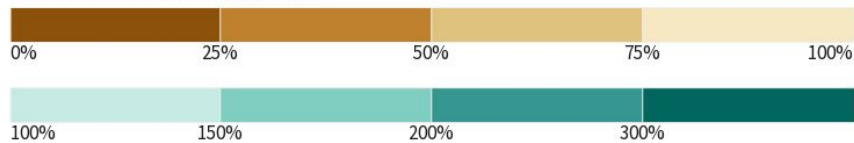


Precipitation

30-Day Precipitation: Percent of PRISM Normal

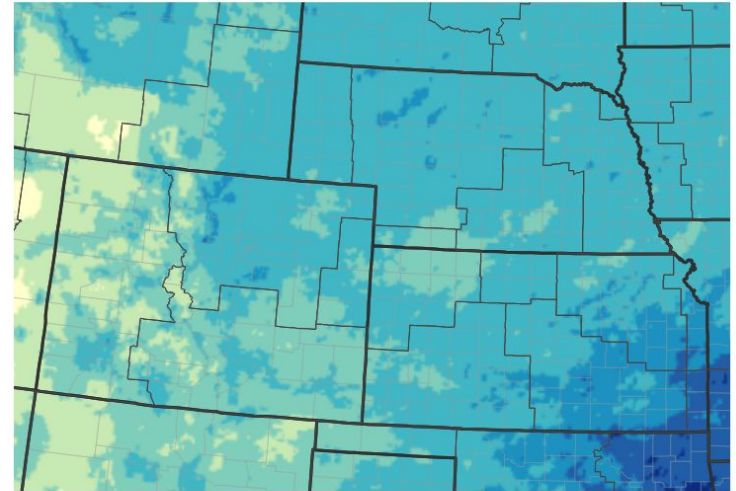


Percent of Normal Precipitation (%)

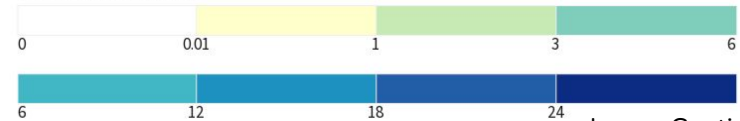


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Inches of Precipitation



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Image Captions:

Right - Monthly Precipitation Amount for Tri-State Area
Left - Percent of Normal Monthly Precipitation for Tri-State Area
Data Courtesy of National Water Prediction Center

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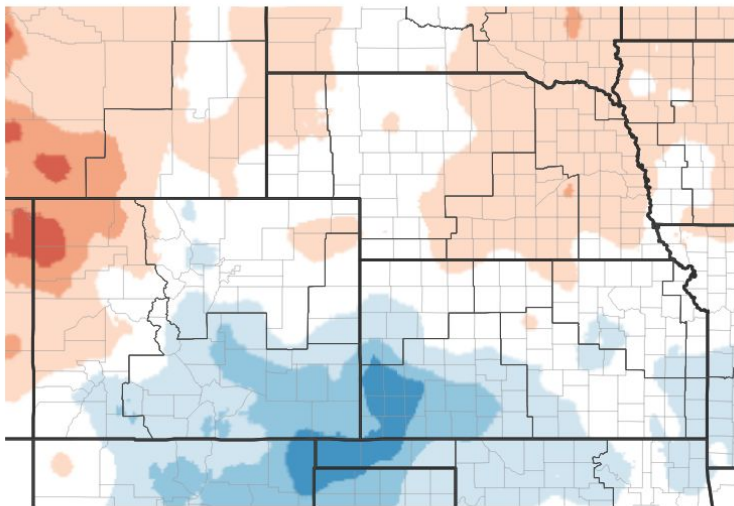
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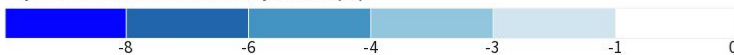
Temperature

- Mostly below normal due to clouds and precipitation, especially the past 7 days.

30-Day Temperature Anomaly



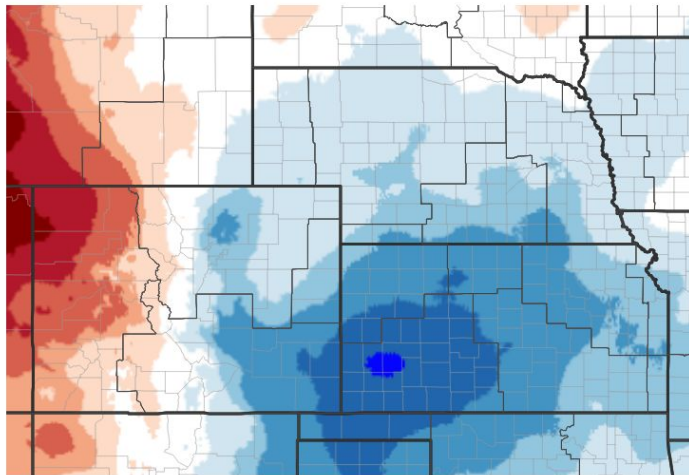
Departure from Normal Max Temperature (°F)



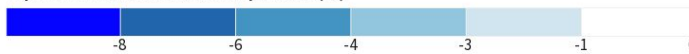
Source(s): NOAA's National Centers for Environmental Information; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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7-Day Temperature Anomaly



Departure from Normal Max Temperature (°F)



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Data Valid: 06/04/25

Image Captions:

Right - 7 Day Temperature Anomaly

Left - 30 Day Temperature Anomaly

Data Courtesy High Plains Regional Climate Center. Date Valid:
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Summary of Impacts

Links: See/submit [Condition Monitoring Observer Reports \(CMOR\)](#) and view the [Drought Impacts Reporter](#)

Hydrologic Impacts

- There are no known impacts at this time

Agricultural Impacts

- USDA Nebraska Crop Progress and Condition Reports can be found [here](#)
- USDA Kansas Crop Progress and Condition Reports can be found [here](#)

Fire Hazard Impacts

- Recent rainfall has helped (at least temporary) fire concerns across the area.
- **Other Impacts** : There are no known impacts at this time

Mitigation Actions

- Please refer to your municipality and/or water provider for mitigation information.





Hydrologic Conditions and Impacts

- No known impacts at this time, but much of the Tri-State Area remains below normal.

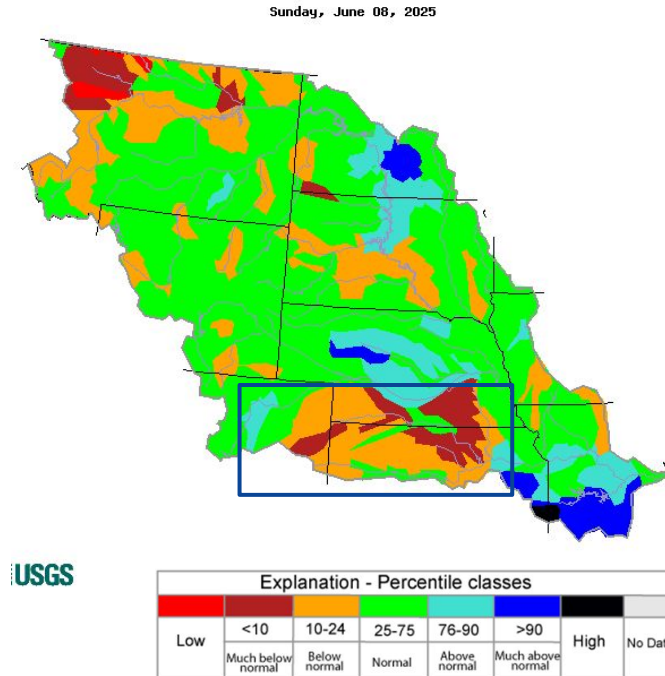
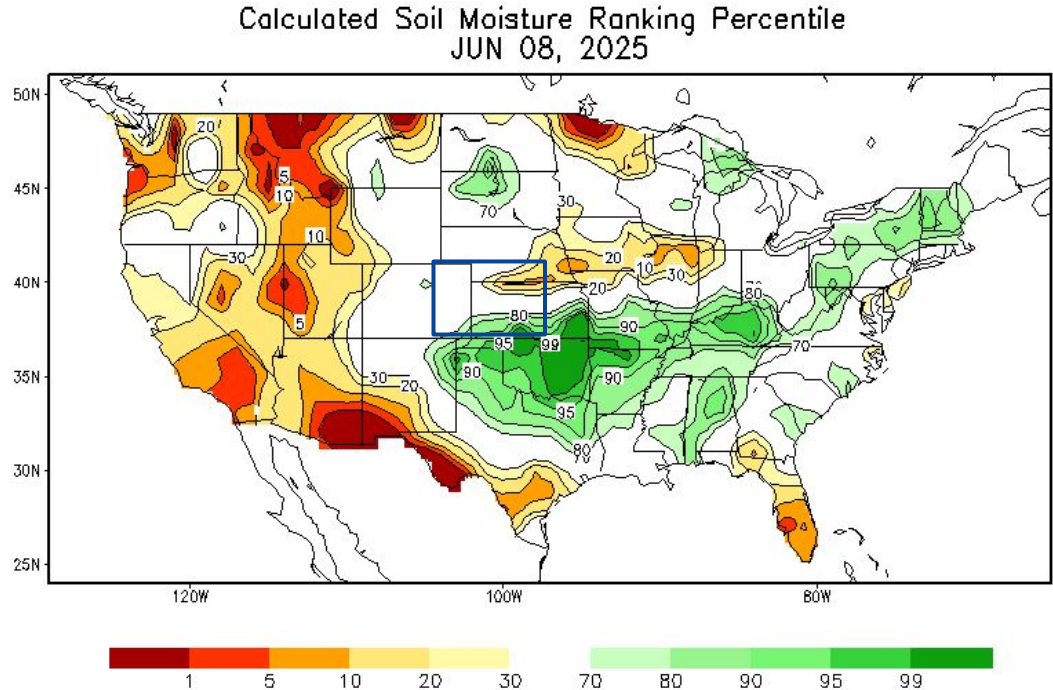


Image Caption: USGS 7 day average streamflow HUC map valid
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Agricultural Impacts

- Soil moisture remains dry in the Nebraska and Kansas border area.
- Soil moisture improves further south in southwest Kansas.





Fire Hazard Impacts

Link to [Wildfire Potential Outlooks from the National Interagency Coordination Center](#).

- No concern for significant wildland fire potential at this time.

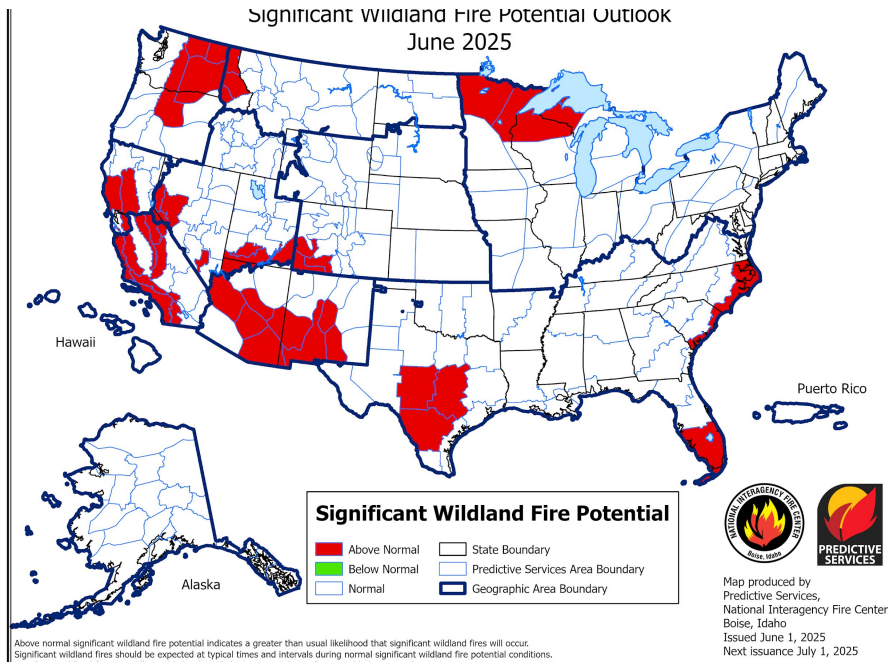


Image Caption: [Significant Wildland Fire Potential Monthly Outlook](#) for June 2025



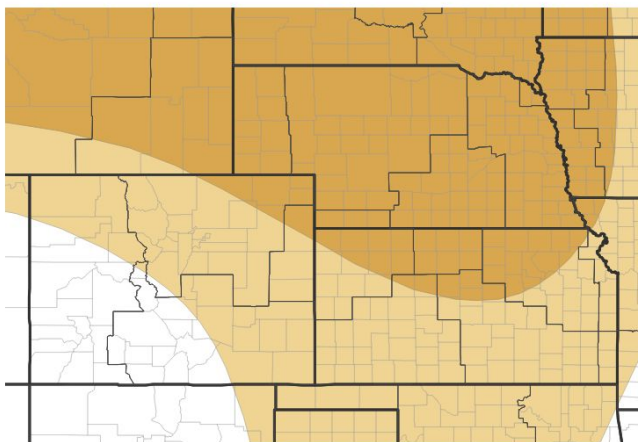


Long-Range Outlooks

The latest monthly and seasonal outlooks can be found on the [CPC homepage](#)

- For the month of June, below normal precipitation and above normal temperatures are currently favored.

Seasonal (3-Month) Precipitation Outlook for June 1, 2025–August 31, 2025



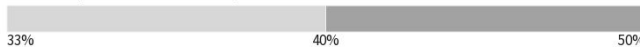
Probability of Below-Normal Precipitation



Probability of Above-Normal Precipitation



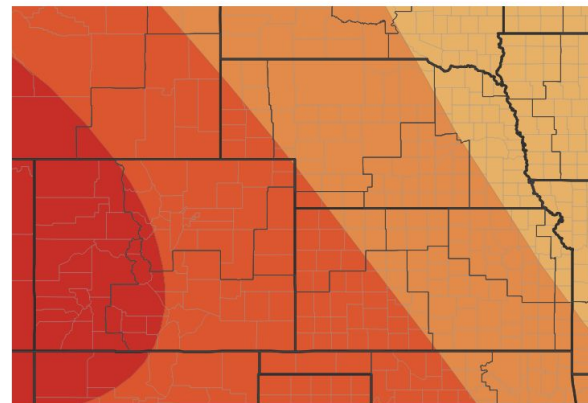
Probability of Near-Normal Precipitation



Source(s): Climate Prediction Center; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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Seasonal (3-Month) Temperature Outlook for June 1, 2025–August 31, 2025



Probability of Below-Normal Temperatures



Probability of Above-Normal Temperatures



Probability of Near-Normal Temperatures



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Image Captions:

Left - [Climate Prediction Center Monthly Temperature Outlook](#).

Right - [Climate Prediction Center Monthly Precipitation Outlook](#).

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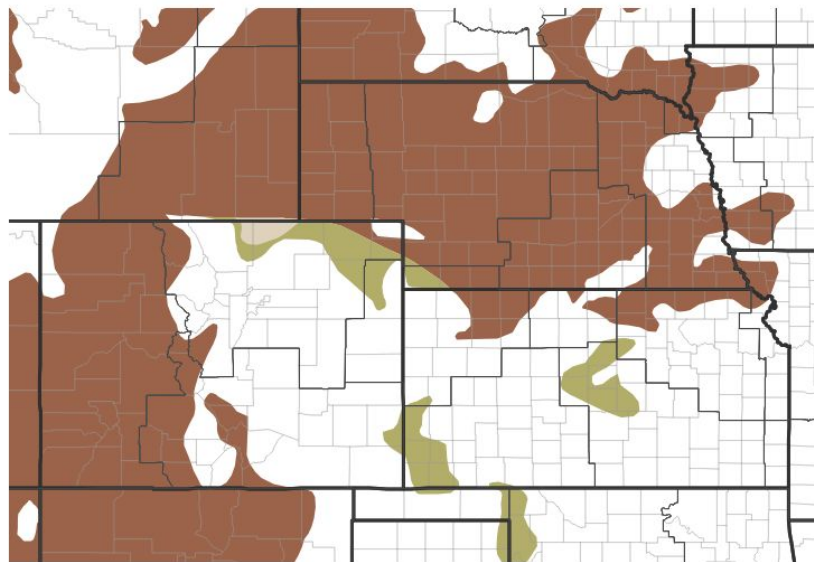


Drought Outlook

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- Drought forecast to persist in Nebraska, adjacent locations in Kansas.
- Some improvement possible further west in Colorado.

1-Month Drought Outlook for June 1, 2025–June 30, 2025



Drought Is Predicted To...



Source(s): Climate Prediction Center; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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Image Caption:

Climate Prediction Center Monthly Drought Outlook Released **May 31, 2024**

Valid: **June 2025**

Links to the latest:

[Climate Prediction Center Monthly Drought Outlook](#)

[Climate Prediction Center Seasonal Drought Outlook](#)



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