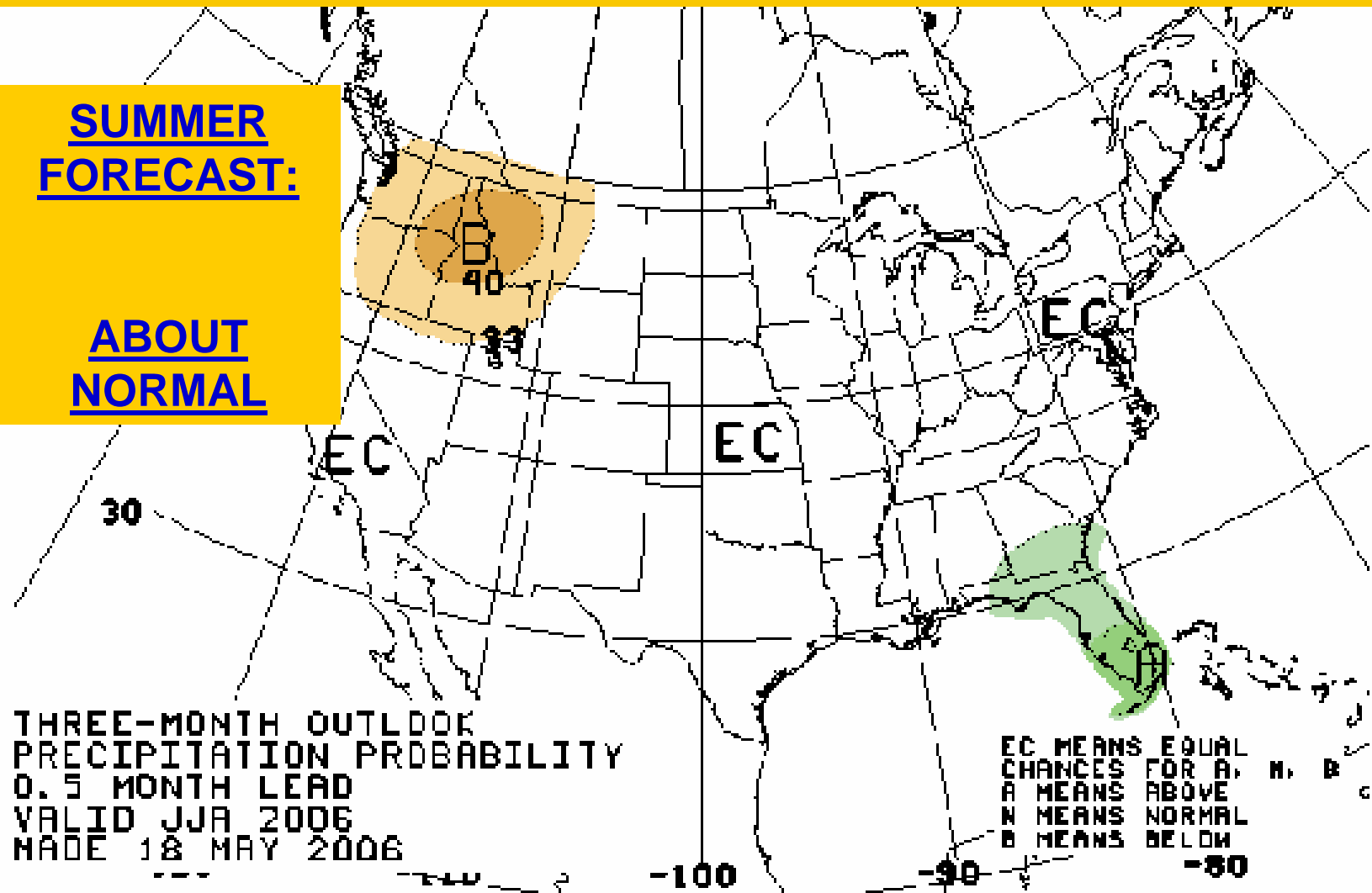


**Annual Rainfall History with 5-yr Weighted Trends**  
 Climate Division 10 (Statewide): 1895-2004

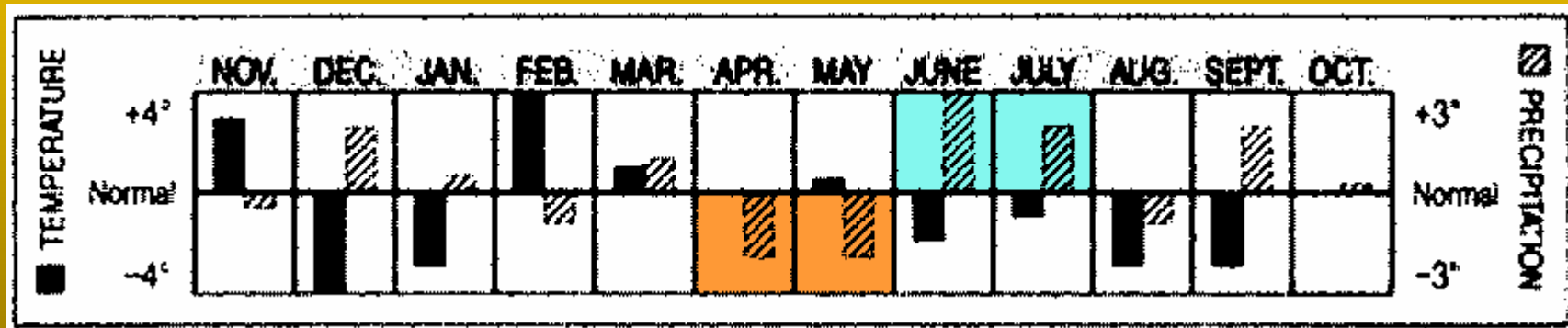
- Wetter historical periods
- Drier historical periods

SUMMER  
FORECAST:

ABOUT  
NORMAL



Farmer's Almanac predicts a wet summer after a dry spring. But they also predicted a wet December 2005....



**Water Year: Oct 1, 2005 through  
June 7, 2006**

Climate Division	Total Rainfall	Departure from Normal	Pct of Normal	Driest since	Wettest since	Rank since 1921 (85 periods)
Central	11.57"	-13.45"	46%	-	2004-2005 21.35"	1st driest
Southeast	22.91"	-13.41"	63%	1955-56 (20.20")	2004-05 (33.75")	4th driest

**Spring 2006: Mar 1, 2006 through  
June 7, 2006**

Climate Division	Total Rainfall	Departure from Normal	Pct of Normal	Driest since	Wettest since	Rank since 1921 (85 periods)
Central	8.76"	-4.55"	66%	2005 (4.63")	2004 (9.28")	15th driest
Southeast	15.87"	-0.40"	98%	2005 (9.16")	2002 (22.84")	43rd wettest

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[http://climate.ocs.ou.edu/rainfall\\_update.html](http://climate.ocs.ou.edu/rainfall_update.html)

## DROUGHT INDICES

Palmer Drought Severity Index <sup>1</sup>					Standardized Precipitation Index <sup>2</sup> Through April 2006			
CLIMATE DIVISION (#)	CURRENT STATUS 6/3/2006	VALUE		CHANGE IN VALUE	3-MONTH	6-MONTH	9-MONTH	12-MONTH
		6/3	5/20					
Northwest (1)	SEVERE DROUGHT	-3.12	-2.53	-0.59	MODERATELY DRY	VERY DRY	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL
North Central (2)	MODERATE DROUGHT	-2.46	-1.94	-0.52	NEAR NORMAL	MODERATELY DRY	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL
Northeast (3)	MILD DROUGHT	-1.99	-0.97	-1.02	NEAR NORMAL	MODERATELY DRY	MODERATELY DRY	MODERATELY DRY
West Central (4)	MODERATE DROUGHT	-2.42	-1.96	-0.46	NEAR NORMAL	MODERATELY DRY	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL
Central (5)	SEVERE DROUGHT	-3.40	-2.43	-0.97	NEAR NORMAL	VERY DRY	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL
East Central (6)	SEVERE DROUGHT	-3.41	-2.18	-1.23	NEAR NORMAL	VERY DRY	VERY DRY	EXTREMELY DRY
Southwest (7)	SEVERE DROUGHT	-3.28	-2.60	-0.68	NEAR NORMAL	VERY DRY	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL
South Central (8)	MODERATE DROUGHT	-2.56	-1.12	-1.44	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL	NEAR NORMAL
Southeast (9)	SEVERE DROUGHT	-3.54	-2.68	-0.86	NEAR NORMAL	MODERATELY DRY	VERY DRY	EXTREMELY DRY

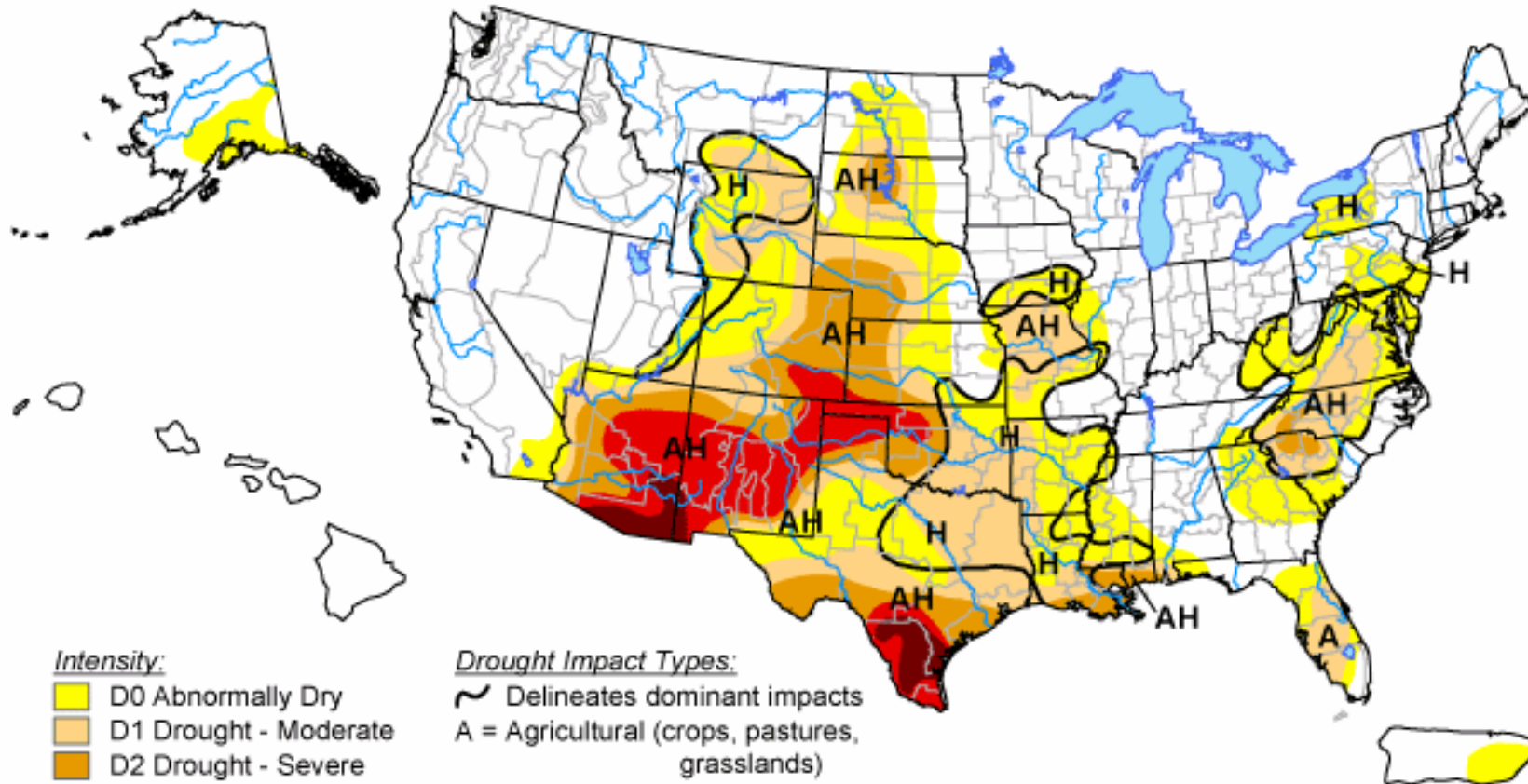
- All nine climate divisions are currently experiencing drought conditions.
- All of Oklahoma's nine climate divisions have undergone PDSI moisture decreases since May 20.








<http://www.owrb.state.ok.us/supply/drought/bulletin.php>

# U.S. Drought Monitor


May 30, 2006  
Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Intensity:

-  D0 Abnormally Dry
-  D1 Drought - Moderate
-  D2 Drought - Severe
-  D3 Drought - Extreme
-  D4 Drought - Exceptional

Drought Impact Types:

-  Delineates dominant impacts
- A = Agricultural (crops, pastures, grasslands)
- H = Hydrological (water)

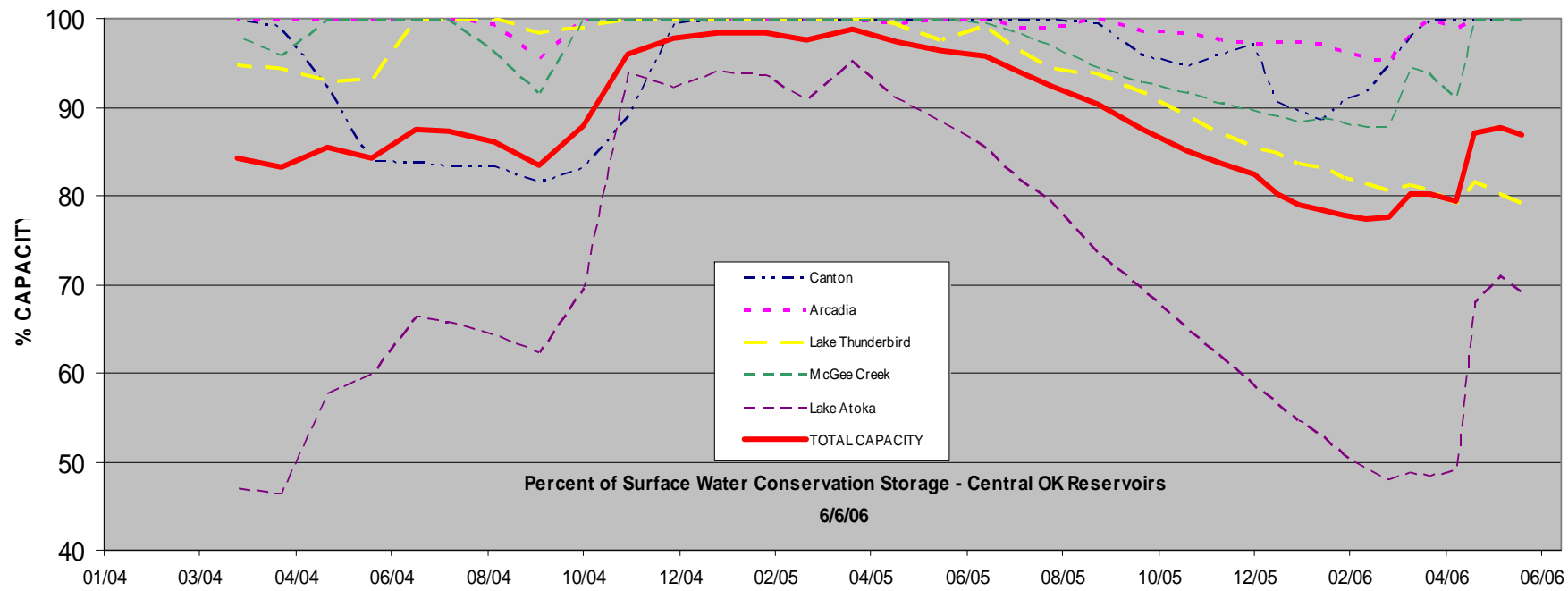
*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.*

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Lake Hefner and Lake Overholser are terminal storage for Canton Lake. Lake Draper is terminal storage for Canton and Atoka Lakes.

