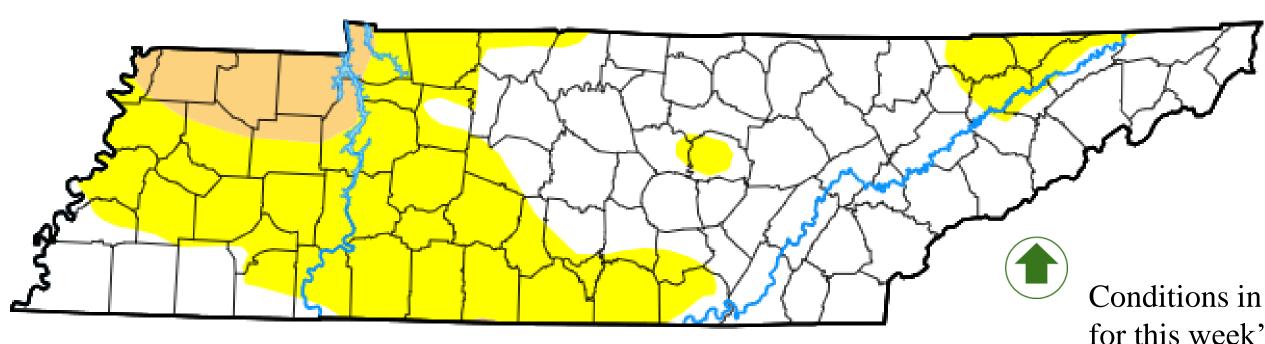
# **Tennessee Drought Update**

## For the assessment period ending July 11, 2023

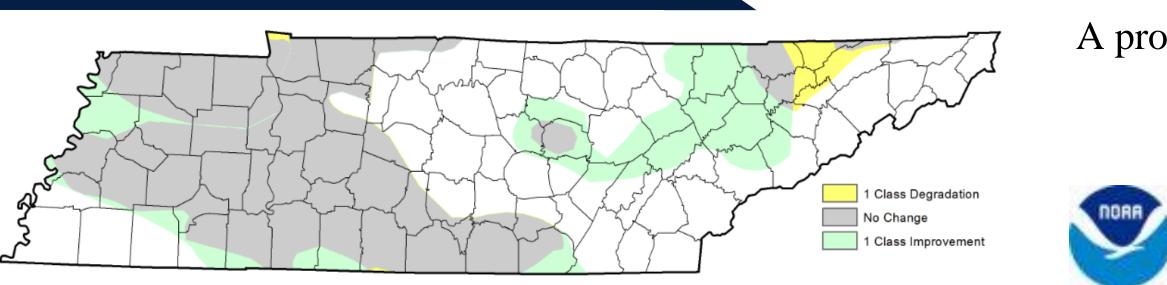
# This Week's Drought Monitor of Tennessee Map

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With rain in some areas in Middle and West Tennessee we see some 1 class improvements.

### Change Since Last Week



## **Statewide Condition Summary**

What's Changed? With good precipitation in most of the eastern part of the state over the last drought monitoring period (Tuesday to Tuesday), conditions have improved, although a small area of D0 was introduced in northeast **Tennessee.** 

**What's New?** With rain in East Tennessee, we see a 1 class improvement across multiple counties. Little rainfall in West Tennessee has caused conditions to remain steady with very little change in drought conditions, except a few small areas of improvement.

What's Next? With rain in the forecast for this week's drought monitoring period (Tuesday to Tuesday), conditions may improve.

Conditions in East Tennessee have improved for this week's drought monitoring period (Tuesday to Tuesday).

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Statewide Coverage By Category		
Category	<b>Coverage This Week</b>	Change Since Last Week
D0: Abnormally Dry	43.57%	-10.88%
D1: Moderate Drought	6.51%	-2.18%
D2: Severe Drought	0.00%	0.00%
D3: Extreme Drought	0.00%	0.00%
D4: Exceptional Drought	0.00%	0.00%

# **Icon Library**



No Precipitation



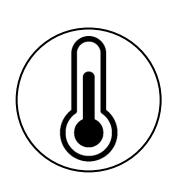
Increasing drought conditions



**Rivers and Streams** 



Precipitation



Temperatures



## Improvement



A mixture of improving and worsening conditions





Worsening conditions

Hurricane/Tropical storm