

In addition to NCIS What's Happening, we are providing:

1. a weekly update of USDA's drought monitor for both corn and soybeans and
2. daily futures price movements for both corn and soybeans including crop revenue guarantee prices along with the PLC price.

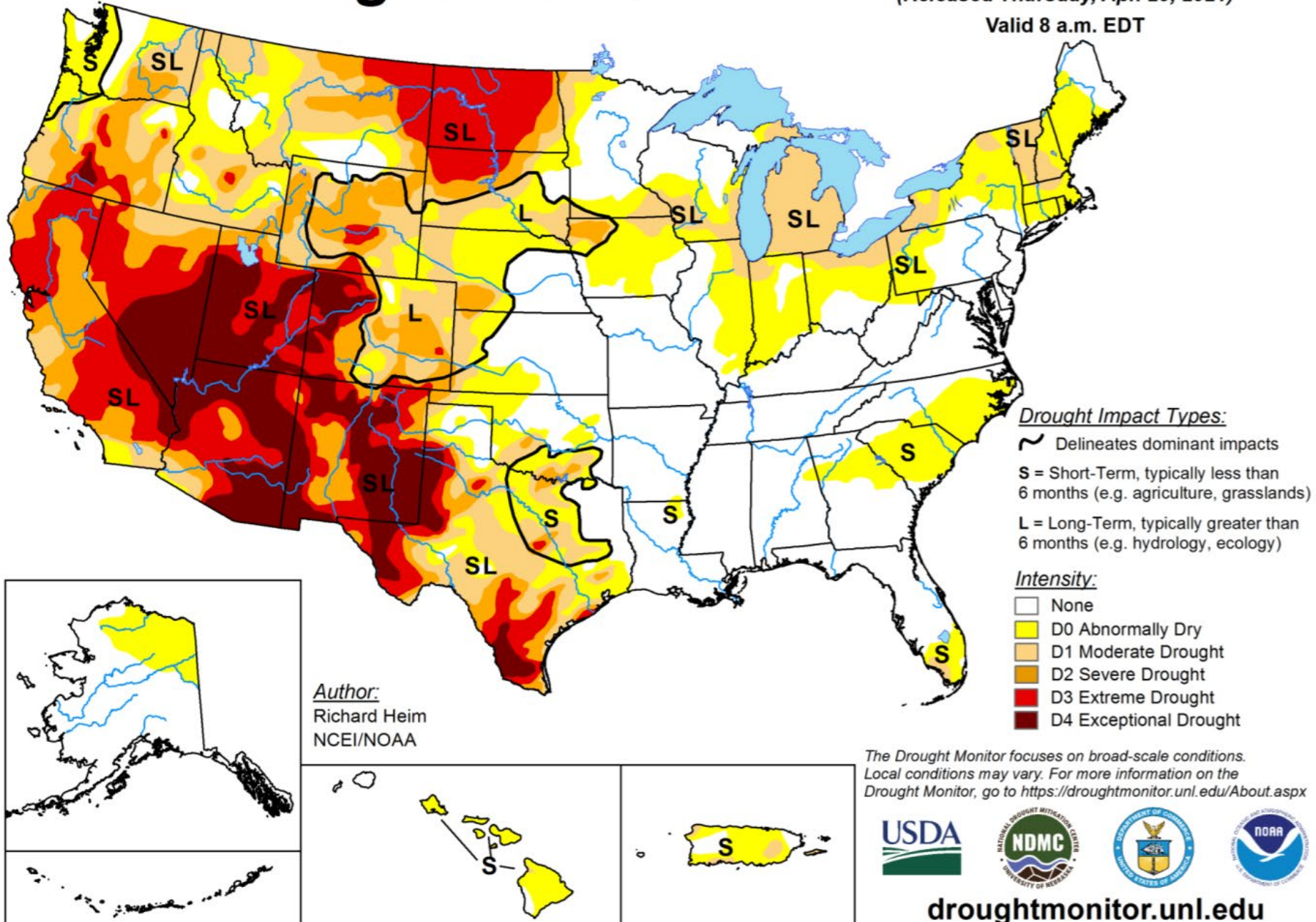
We hope you will find this a useful supplement to our weekly NCIS update.

U.S. Drought Monitor

April 27, 2021

(Released Thursday, Apr. 29, 2021)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT



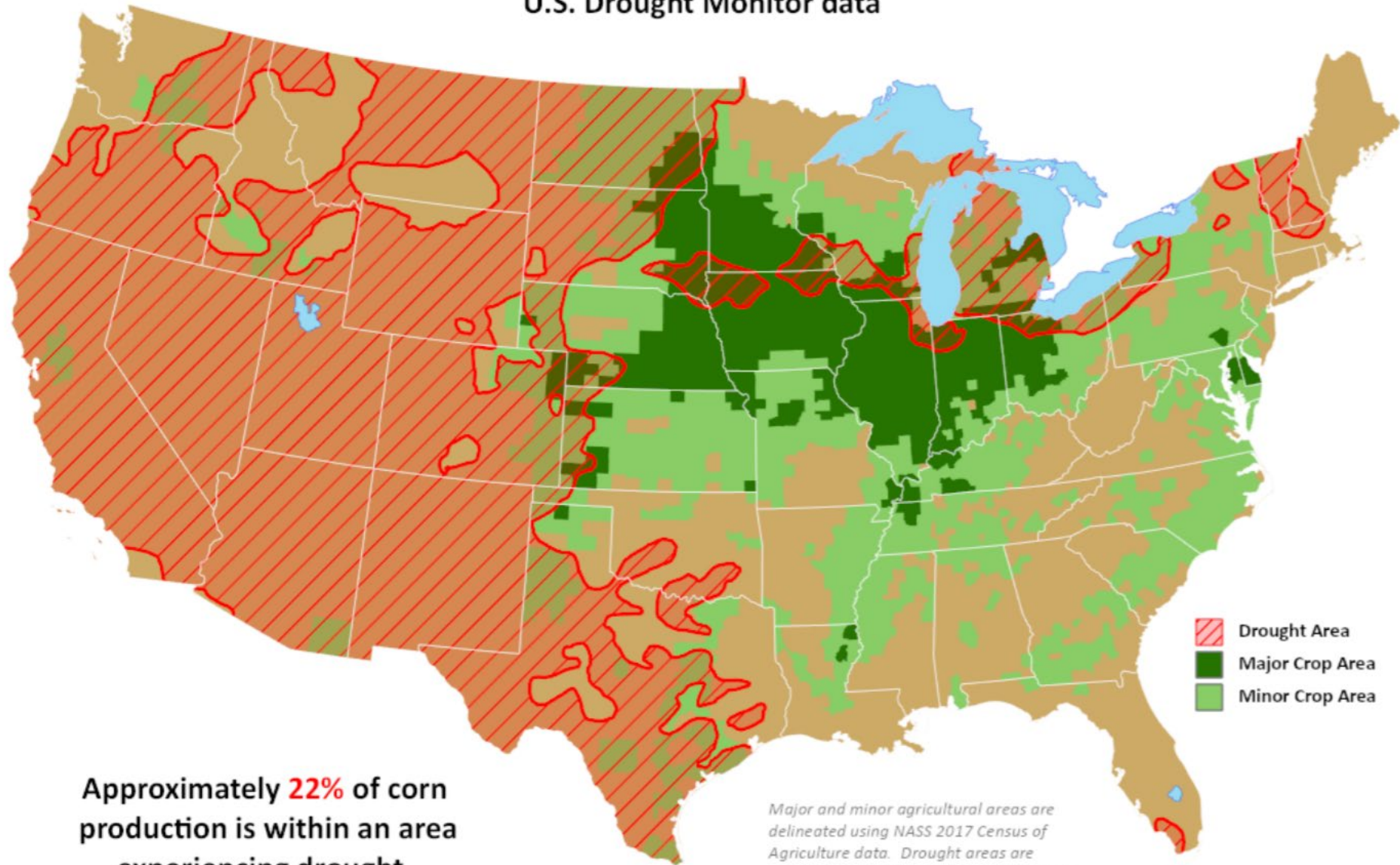


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Corn Areas in Drought

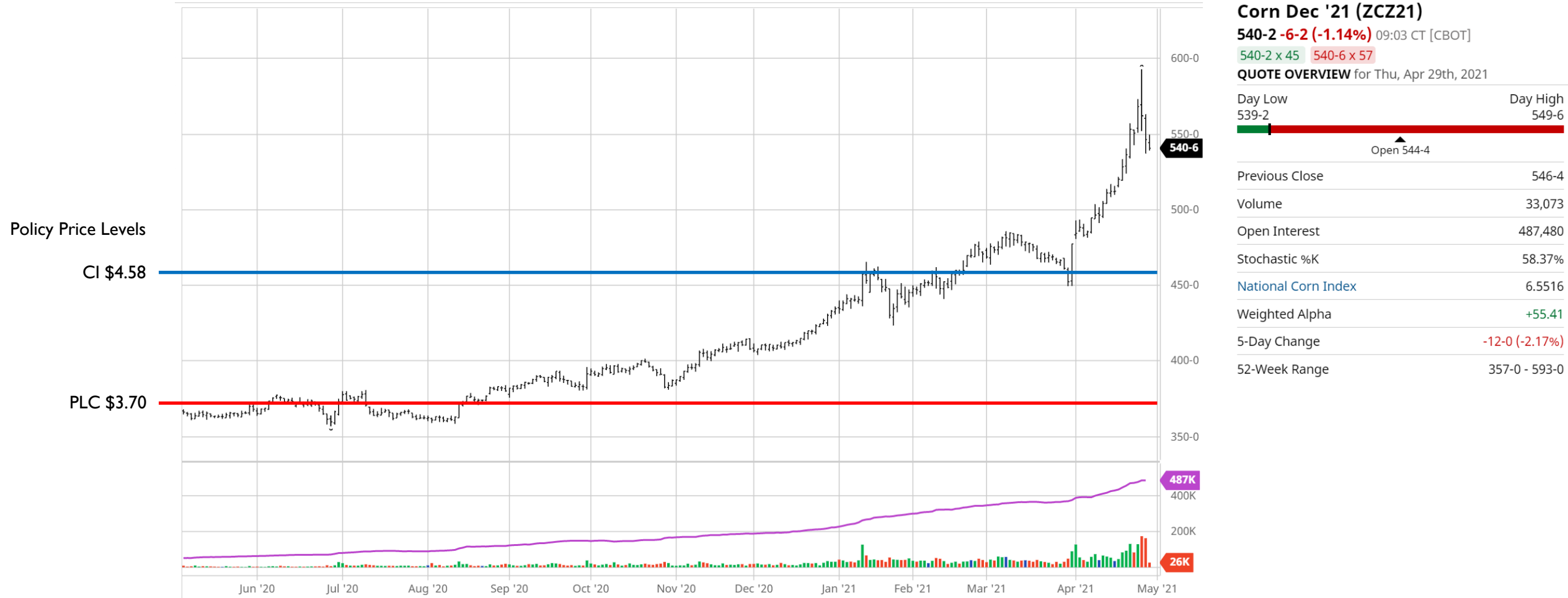
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Approximately **22%** of corn
production is within an area
experiencing drought.

*Major and minor agricultural areas are
delineated using NASS 2017 Census of
Agriculture data. Drought areas are
identified using the U.S. Drought Monitor
product.*

PRICE CHART – CORN: 4-29-2021



Life of Contract Futures Prices for the year as of Thursday; CBOT, December 2021 Corn, High/Low/Close. Compared to Policy Benchmarks, the USDA, Price Loss Coverage Reference Price and the Crop Insurance Price Guarantee.

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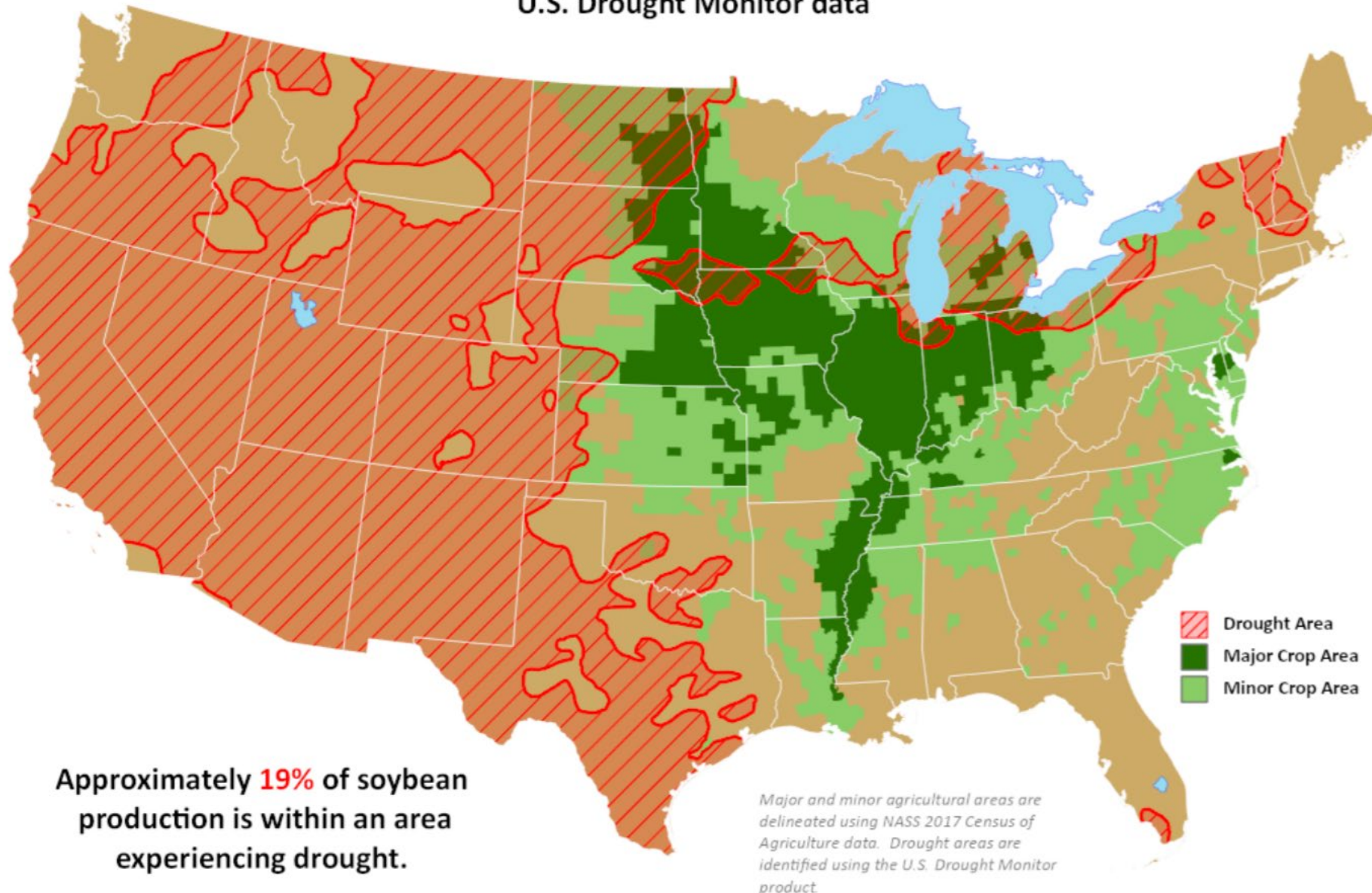


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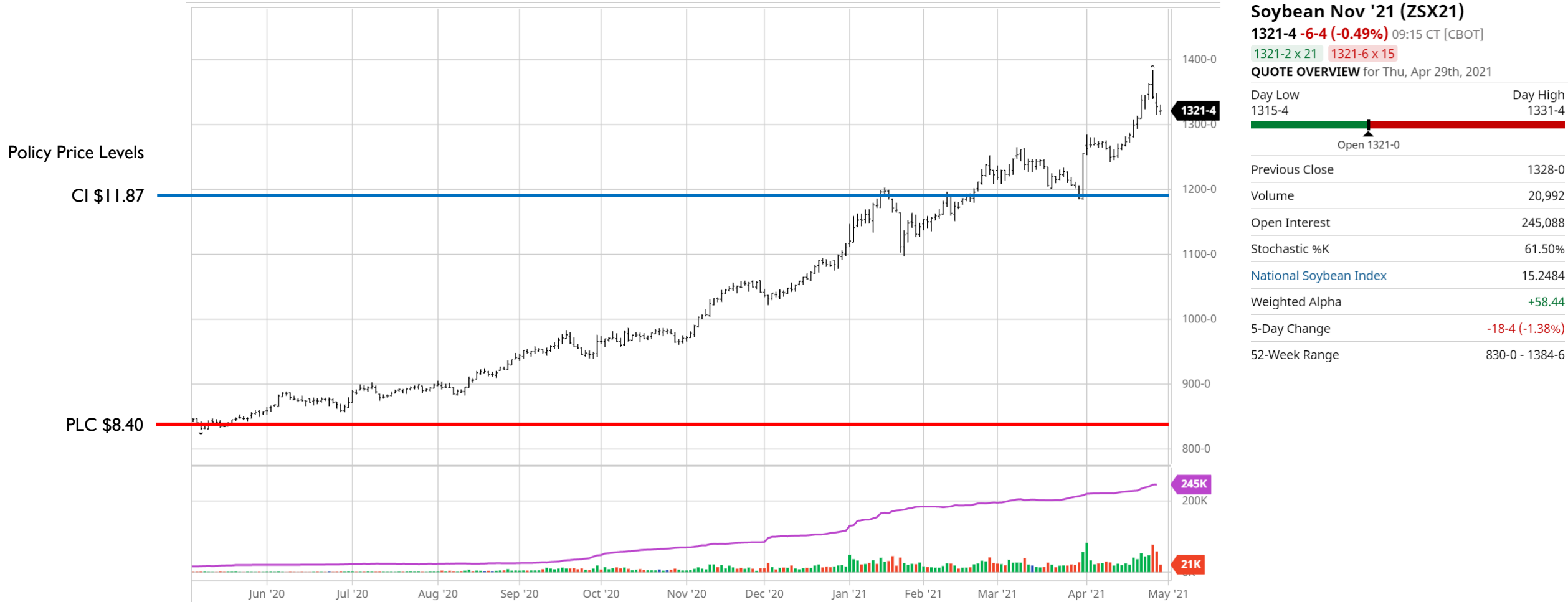
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Soybean Areas in Drought

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PRICE CHART – SOYBEANS: 4-29-2021



Life of Contract Futures Prices for the year as of Thursday; CBOT, November 2021, Soybeans, High/Low/Close. Compared to Policy Benchmarks, the USDA, Price Loss Coverage Reference Price and the Crop Insurance Price Guarantee.

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