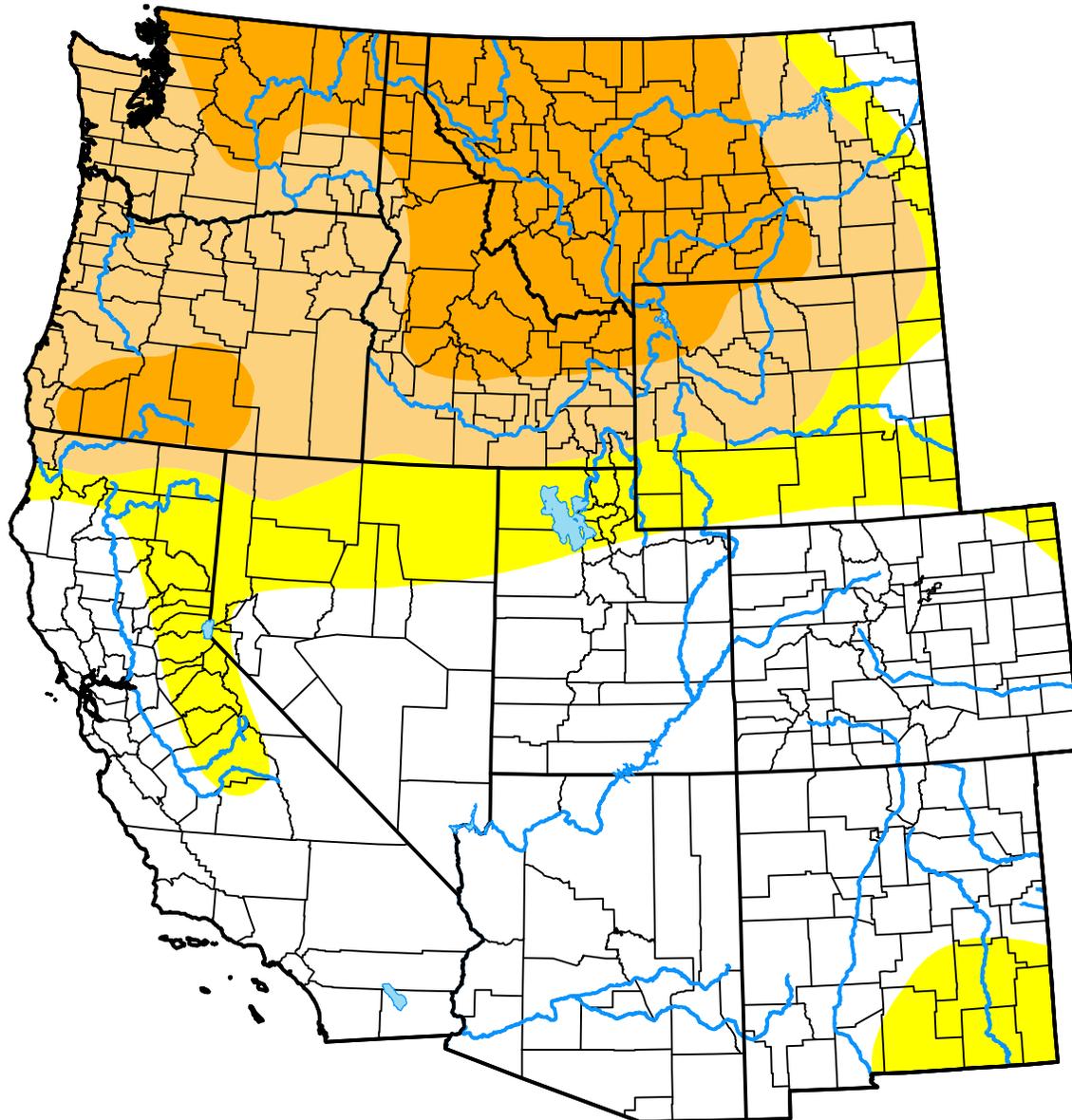


U.S. Drought Monitor

West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	48.88	51.12	36.40	17.12	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-13-2001</i>	49.86	50.14	34.63	15.44	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-19-2000</i>	80.33	19.67	7.64	2.60	0.20	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	78.09	21.91	7.09	2.72	0.20	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	38.65	61.35	28.96	10.79	1.30	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-21-2000</i>	83.16	16.84	5.98	1.45	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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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