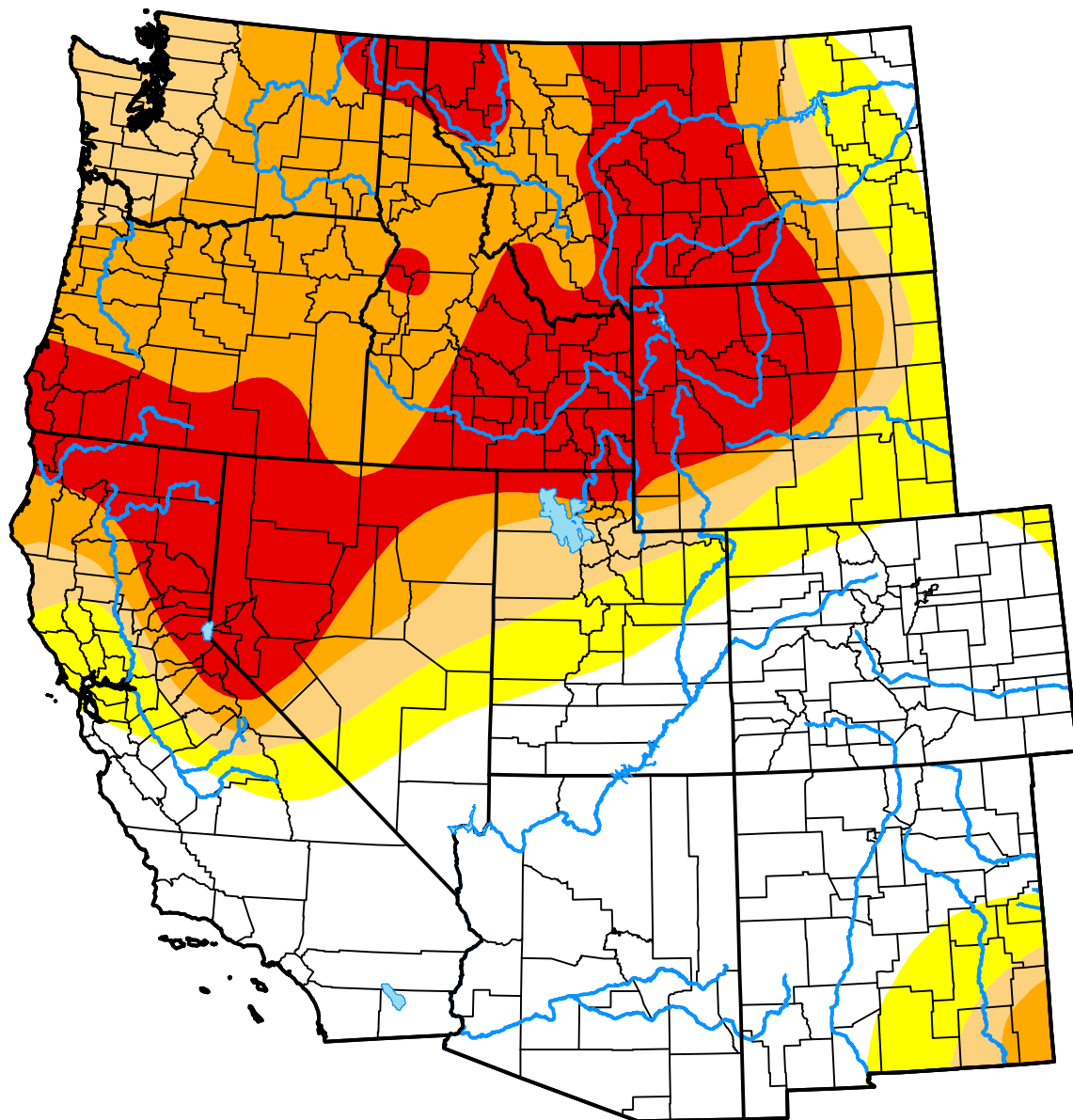


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	37.06	62.94	51.43	42.44	22.54	0.00
Last Week <i>08-28-2001</i>	38.66	61.34	50.69	41.78	21.31	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-05-2001</i>	45.44	54.56	42.07	22.74	1.95	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>09-05-2000</i>	37.65	62.35	26.35	7.72	0.43	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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