

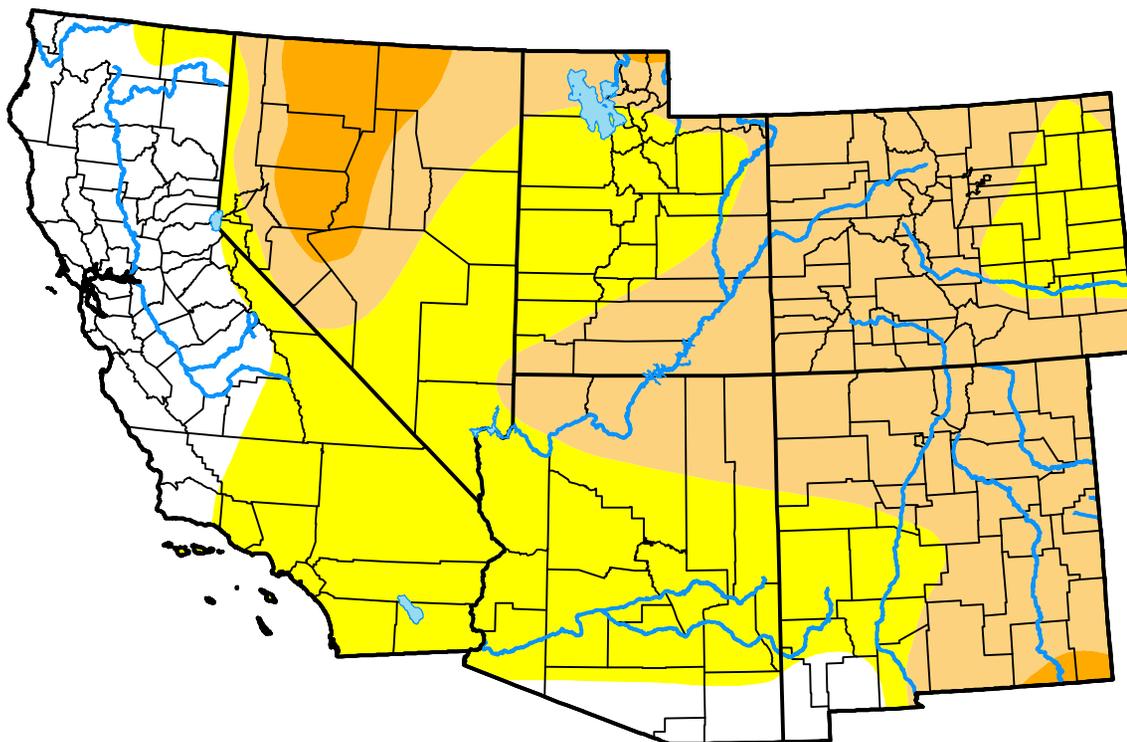
# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	15.50	84.50	43.34	4.40	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-12-2002</i>	15.14	84.86	37.72	4.61	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-20-2001</i>	34.41	65.59	38.65	19.51	11.59	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	45.05	54.95	29.45	11.89	4.04	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	45.89	54.11	33.35	19.12	11.41	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-20-2001</i>	84.32	15.68	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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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