

U.S. Drought Monitor

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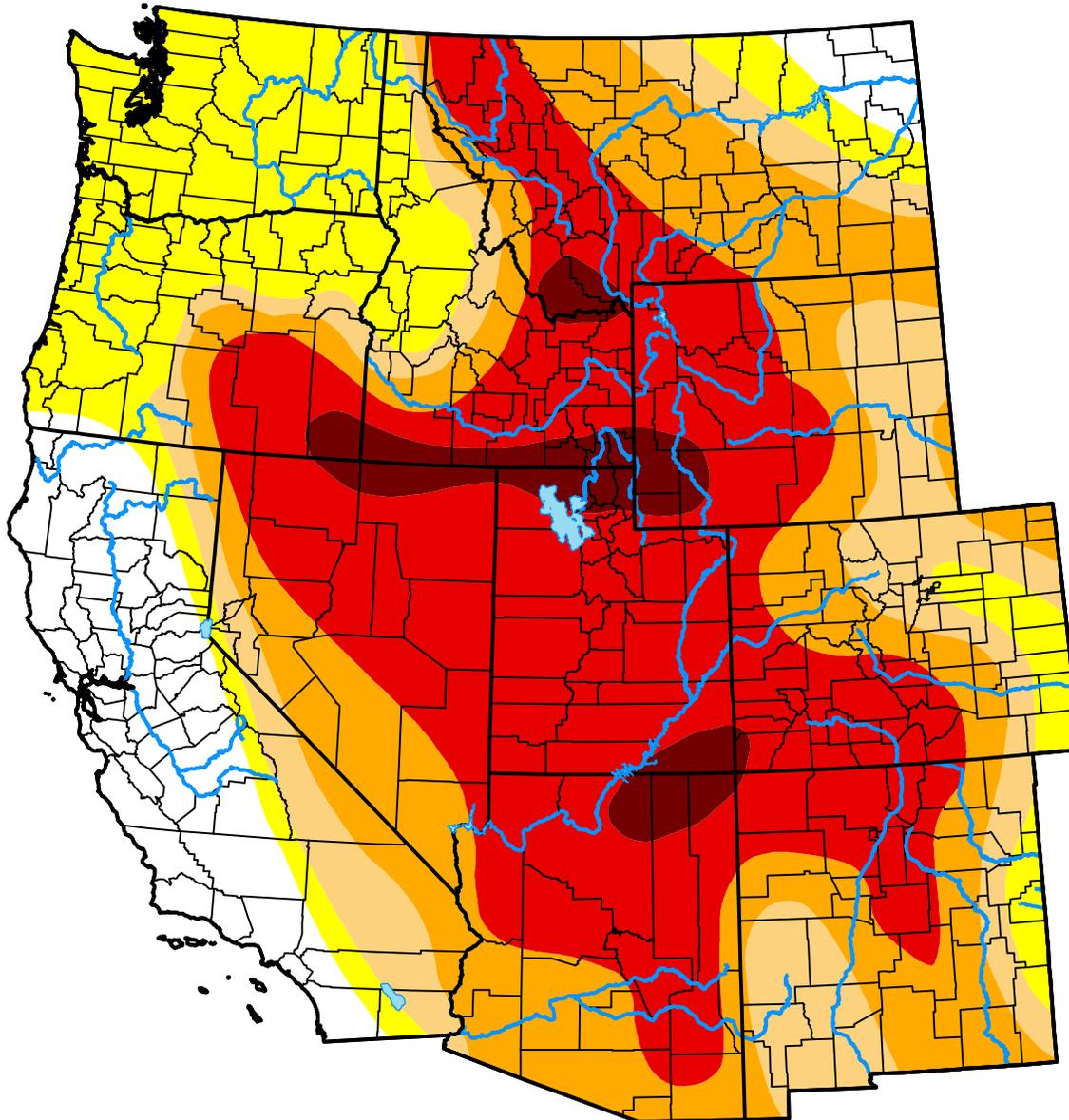
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	9.67	16.73	13.09	22.89	33.42	4.21
Last Week <i>07-15-2003</i>	10.38	18.47	14.33	25.10	29.66	2.06
3 Months Ago <i>04-22-2003</i>	19.41	7.64	20.15	20.75	31.39	0.66
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	12.62	11.05	13.43	33.40	26.57	2.93
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	5.18	17.07	17.94	24.43	29.15	6.23
One Year Ago <i>07-23-2002</i>	10.52	10.16	18.42	15.64	31.63	13.63



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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