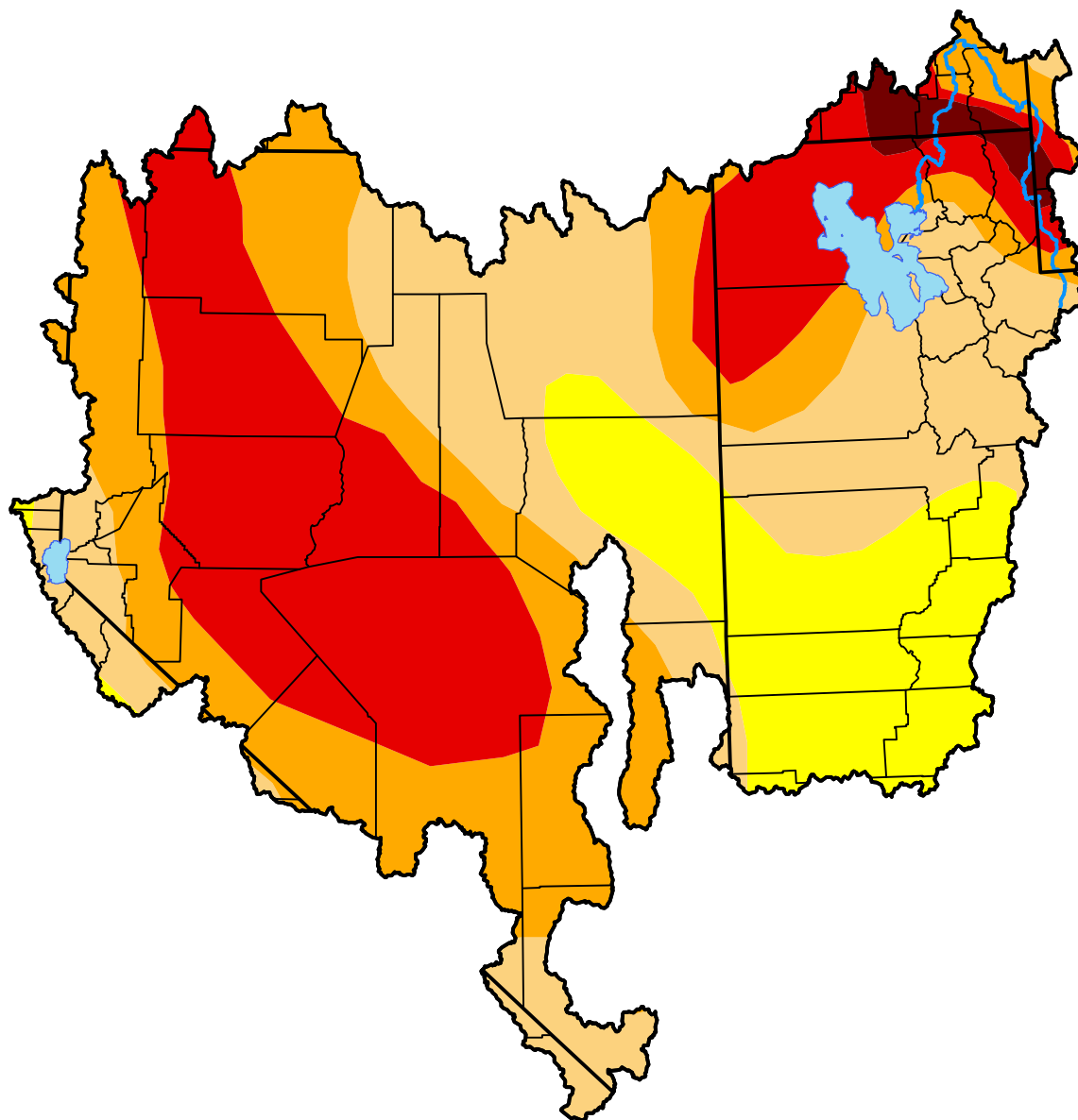


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Basin Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	85.02	56.76	29.98	1.56
Last Week 12-16-2004	0.00	100.00	85.54	56.66	30.07	1.56
3 Months Ago 09-23-2004	0.00	100.00	100.00	88.29	47.31	2.17
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2003	1.64	98.36	94.55	92.29	35.17	7.49
Start of Water Year 09-30-2004	0.00	100.00	100.00	88.29	47.31	2.17
One Year Ago 12-24-2003	0.20	99.80	98.66	94.29	74.16	9.98

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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