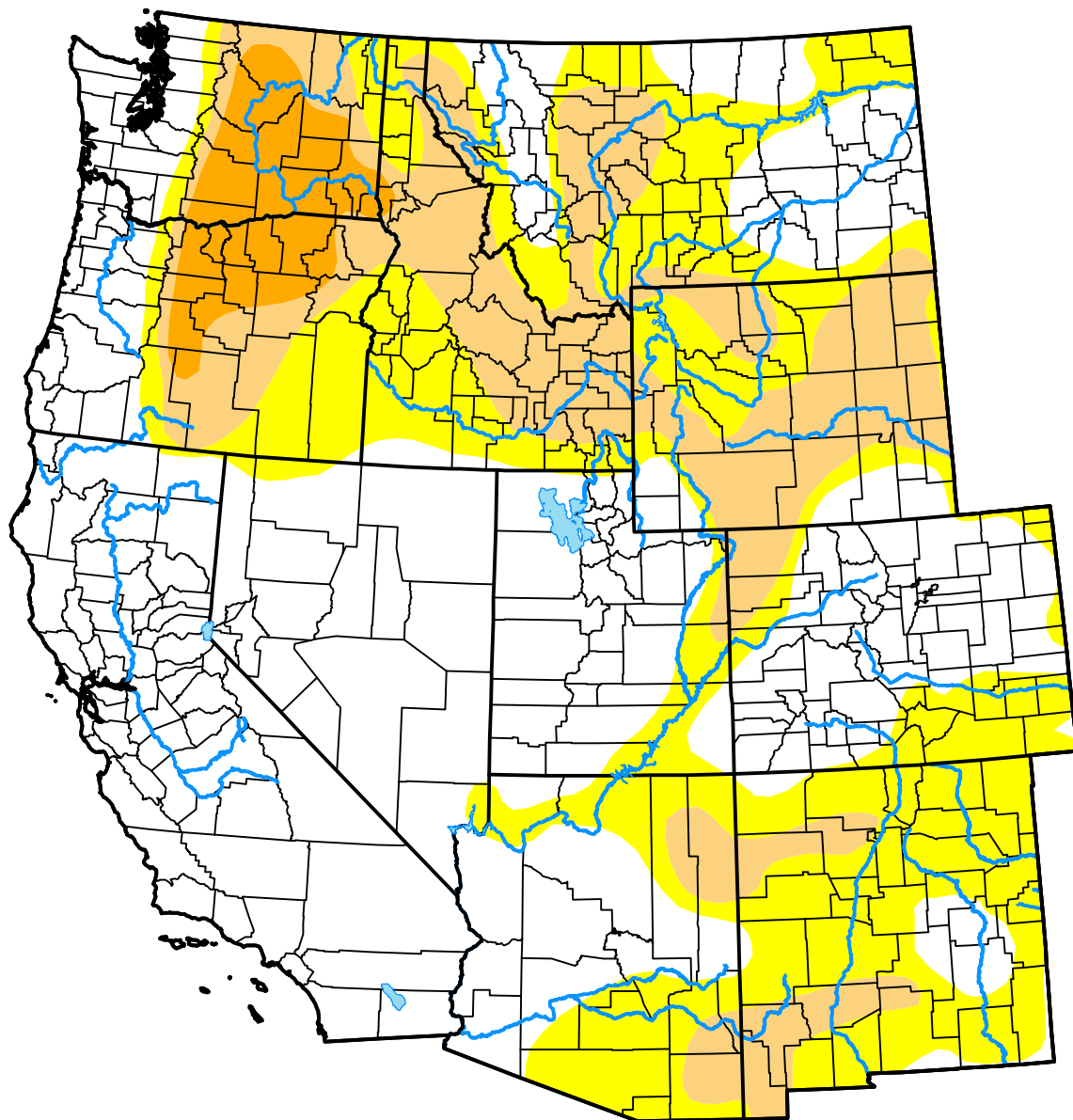


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	50.98	27.73	17.28	4.01	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-15-2005</i>	50.98	27.73	17.28	4.01	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-23-2005</i>	46.11	23.16	18.56	12.16	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	26.17	17.65	21.90	19.31	13.03	1.94
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	45.73	23.39	19.25	10.67	0.96	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-23-2004</i>	21.43	15.77	22.16	20.63	17.65	2.37

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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