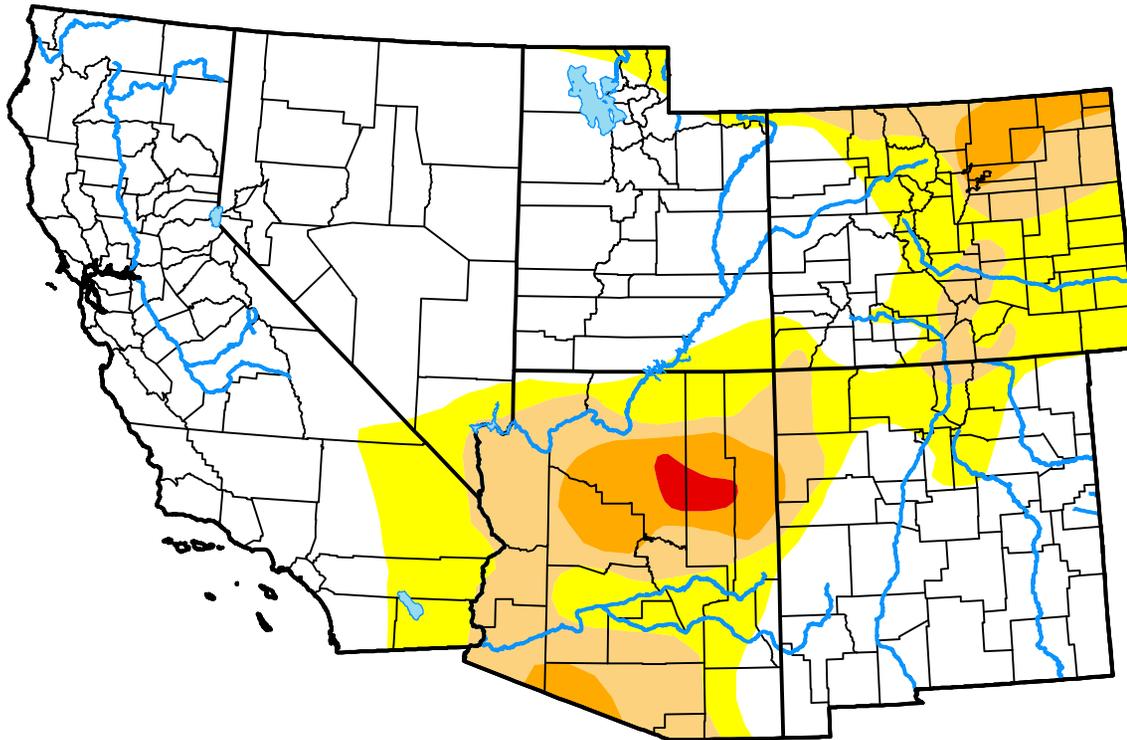


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	64.04	18.56	12.31	4.59	0.50	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-03-2006</i>	57.26	22.60	13.93	5.01	1.20	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-11-2006</i>	45.52	6.31	20.46	18.63	7.99	1.08
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2006</i>	57.97	30.48	11.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2006</i>	57.23	22.63	13.93	5.01	1.20	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-11-2005</i>	73.13	20.84	6.03	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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