

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## West

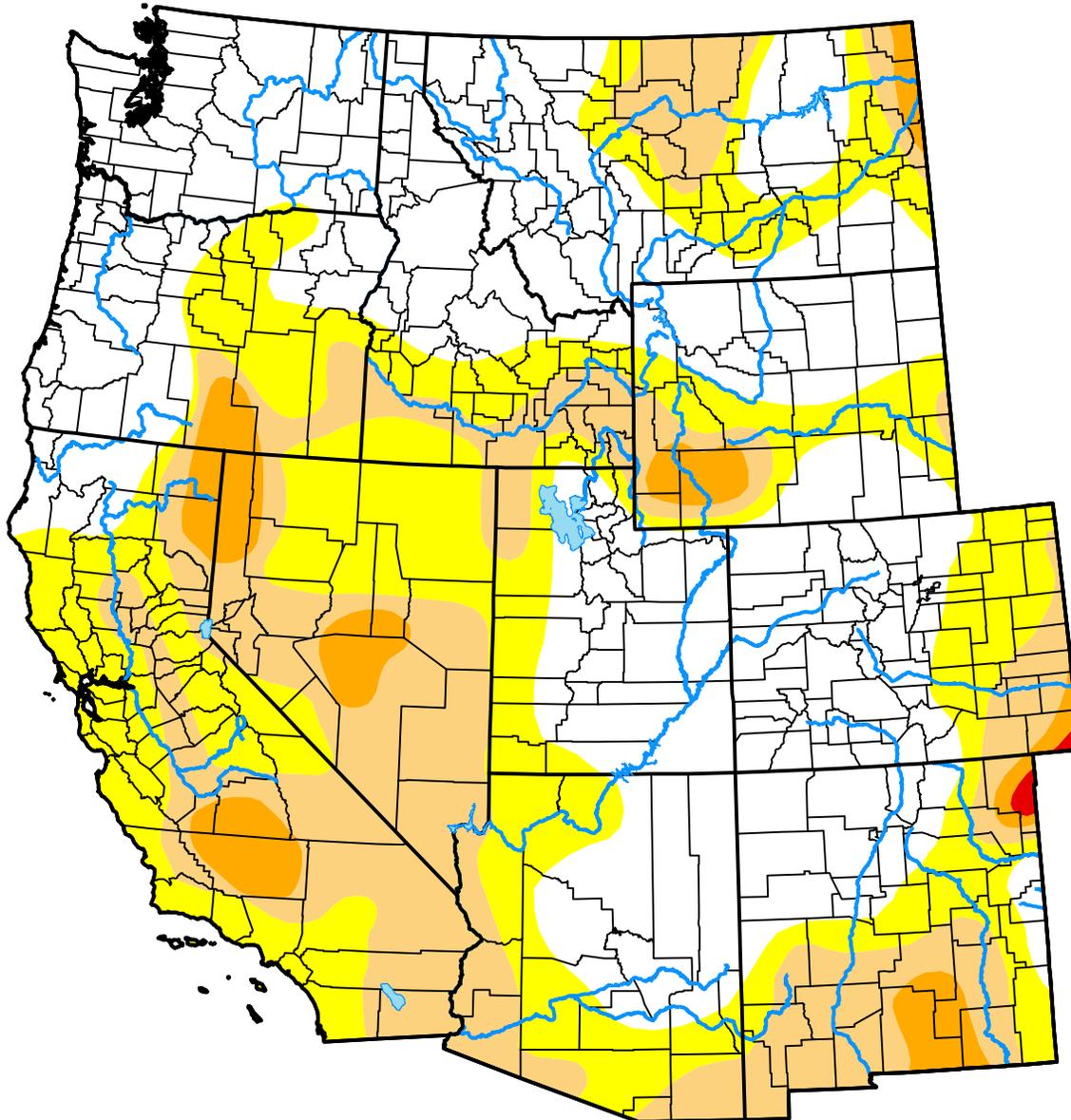
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	45.87	54.13	26.15	4.74	0.13	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-20-2008</i>	32.80	67.20	34.49	6.80	0.20	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-26-2008</i>	37.79	62.21	37.04	16.63	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	26.30	73.70	54.70	33.05	2.73	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2007</i>	20.33	79.67	63.00	45.42	12.36	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-29-2007</i>	31.39	68.61	49.61	25.56	7.84	0.00



**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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