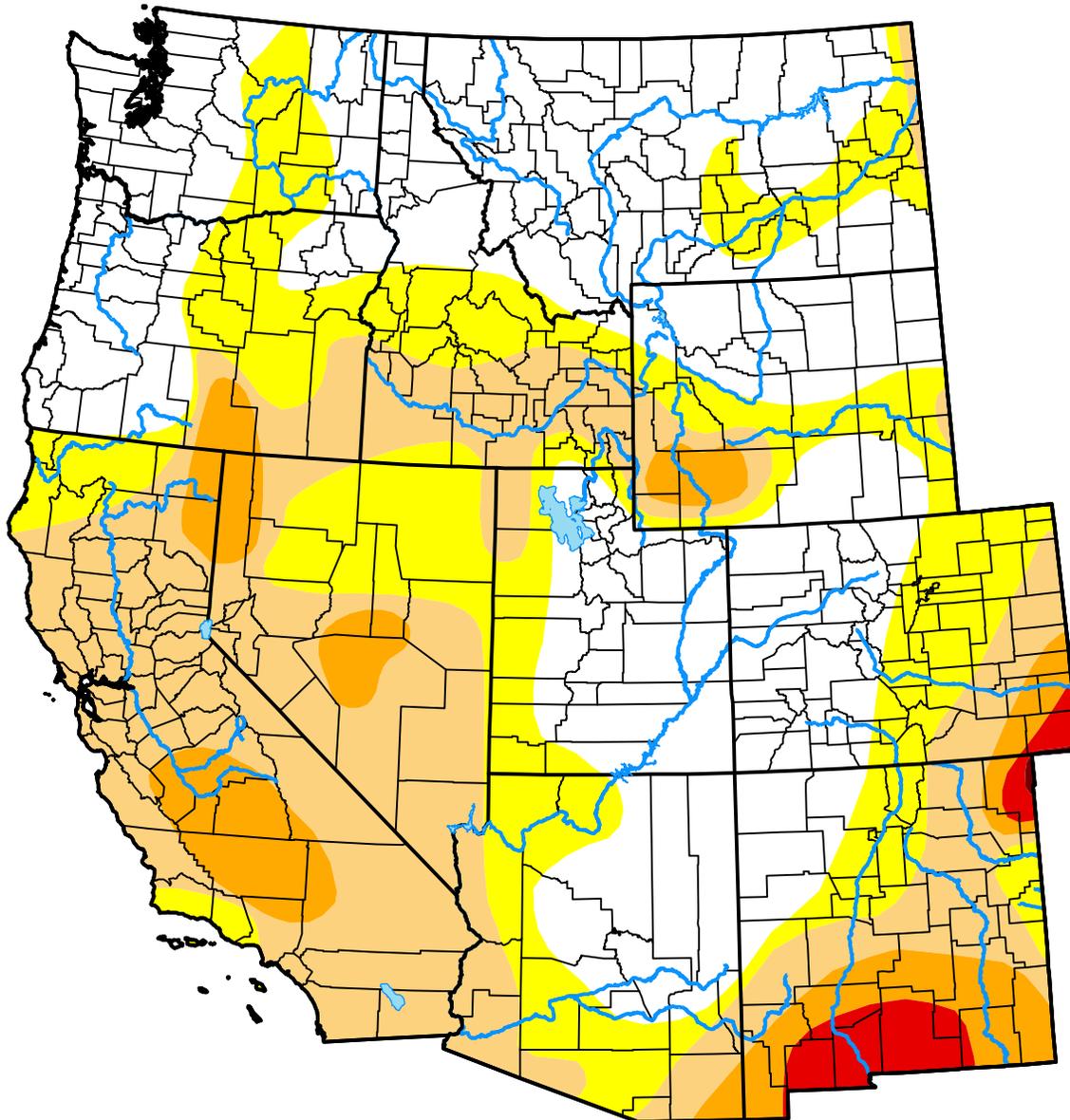


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	40.57	59.43	35.18	9.19	1.72	0.05
Last Week <i>06-24-2008</i>	40.17	59.83	36.45	9.42	1.79	0.05
3 Months Ago <i>04-01-2008</i>	40.64	59.36	36.31	7.51	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	26.30	73.70	54.70	33.05	2.73	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	20.33	79.67	63.00	45.42	12.36	0.00
One Year Ago <i>07-03-2007</i>	32.65	67.35	50.51	28.58	8.68	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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