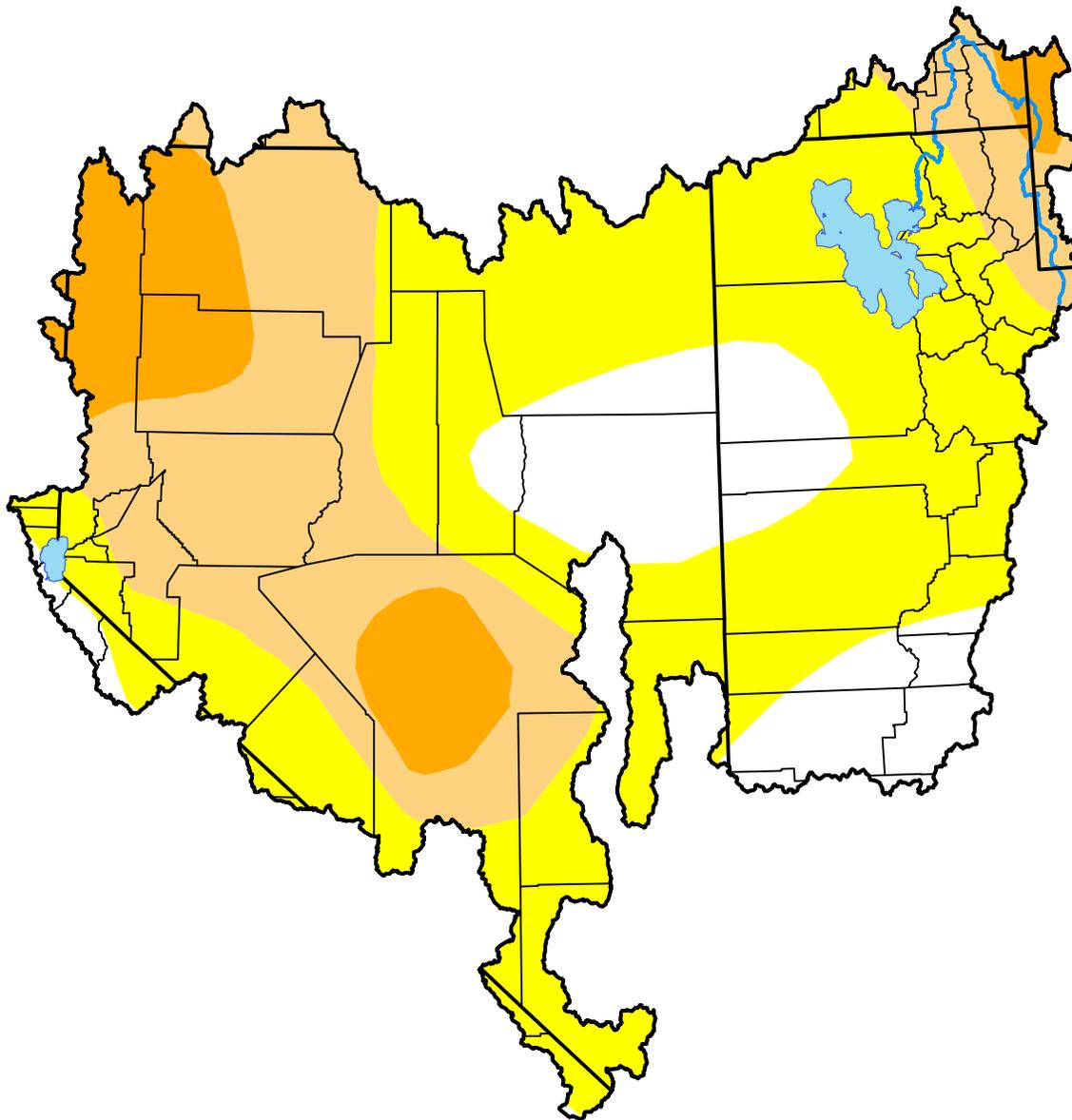


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Basin Watershed

**March 23, 2010**  
 (Released Thursday, Mar. 25, 2010)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 15.18 | 84.82 | 36.51 | 10.75 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>03-18-2010</i>              | 11.71 | 88.29 | 36.47 | 10.75 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>12-24-2009</i>           | 33.83 | 66.17 | 32.81 | 7.77  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2009</i> | 31.41 | 68.59 | 32.81 | 7.77  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2009</i>    | 44.83 | 55.17 | 26.88 | 6.68  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>03-26-2009</i>           | 12.94 | 87.06 | 57.37 | 9.17  | 0.00  | 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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