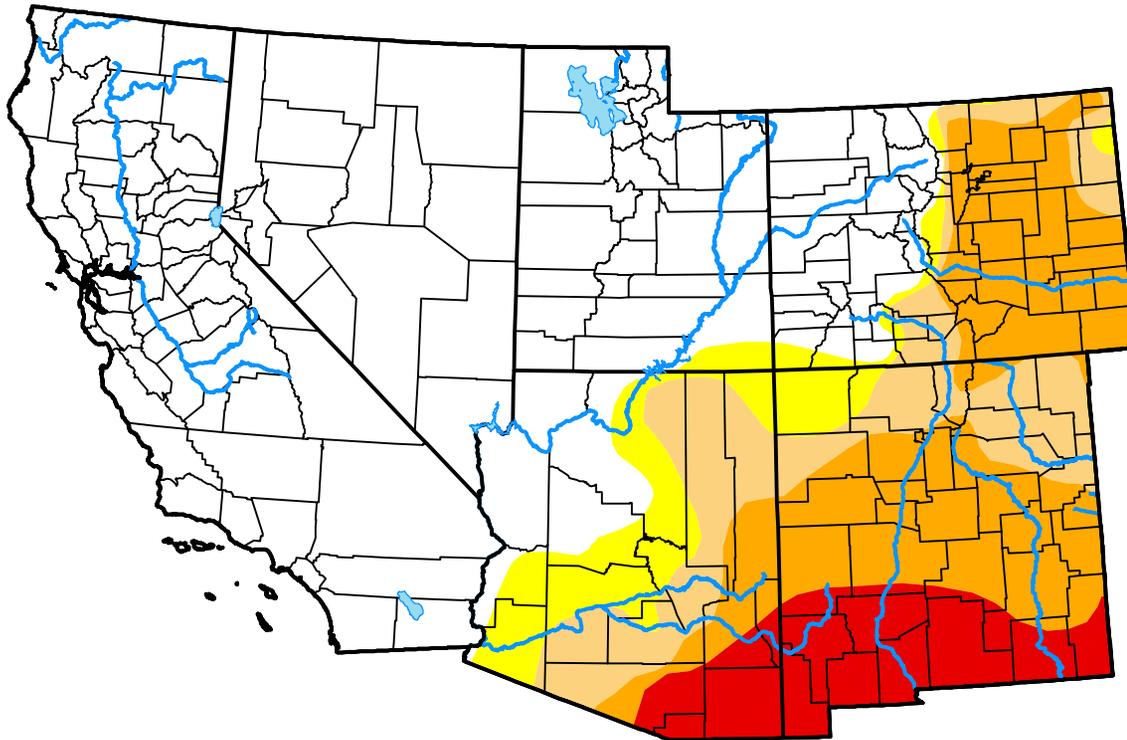


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	60.87	39.13	32.81	22.90	7.12	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-29-2011</i>	61.68	38.32	31.76	22.45	3.63	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	61.96	38.04	19.86	1.52	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	61.96	38.04	19.86	1.52	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	51.98	48.02	11.54	0.59	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-06-2010</i>	52.40	47.60	12.05	4.21	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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