

U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	75.92	4.00	4.51	7.52	6.64	1.40
Last Week <i>04-26-2011</i>	75.48	4.45	6.72	6.26	7.09	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-01-2011</i>	75.68	11.63	8.26	4.44	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	74.72	13.59	10.80	0.89	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	62.50	29.36	7.59	0.56	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-04-2010</i>	47.49	33.07	14.52	4.92	0.00	0.00

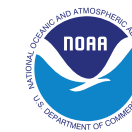
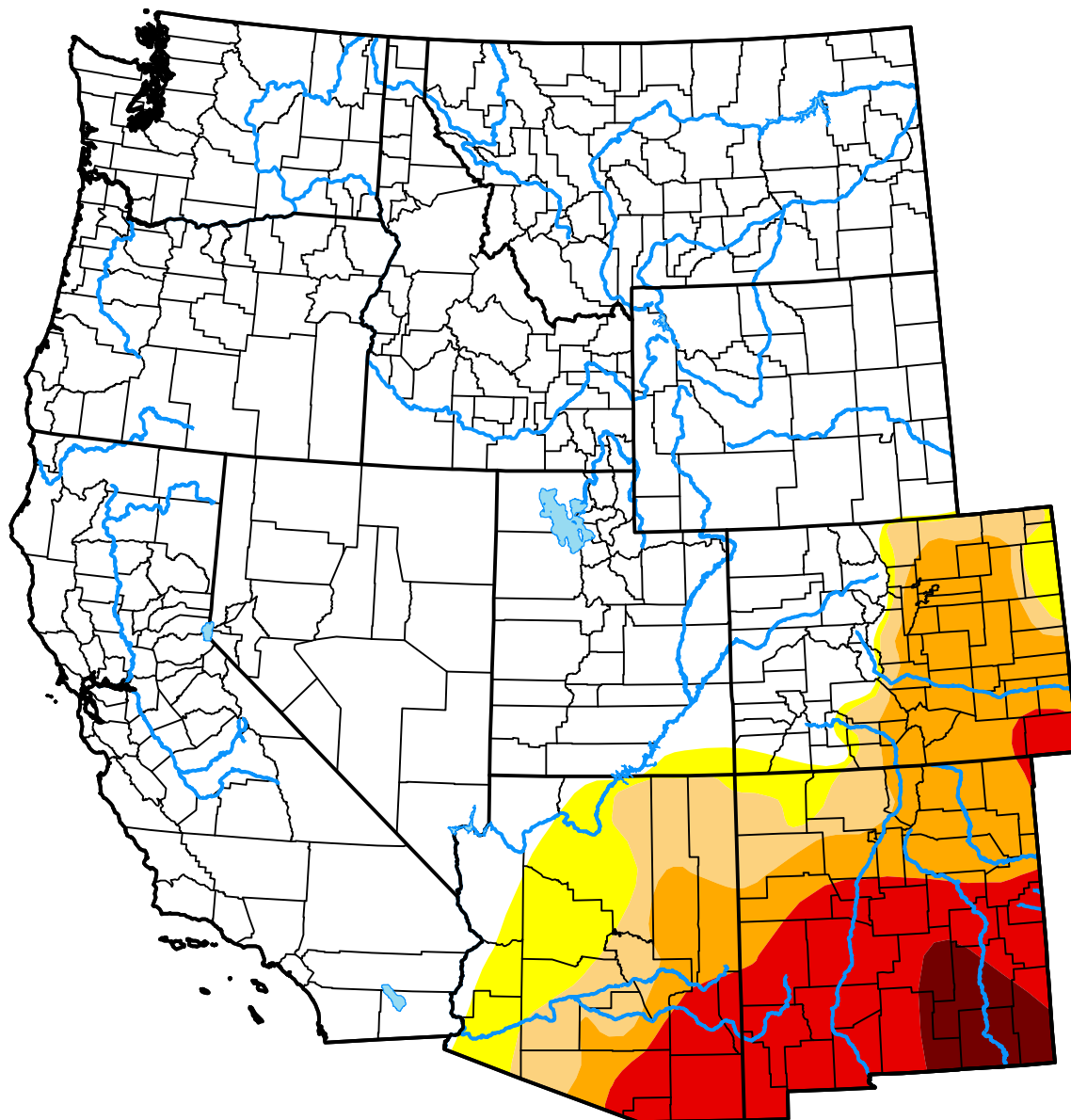
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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