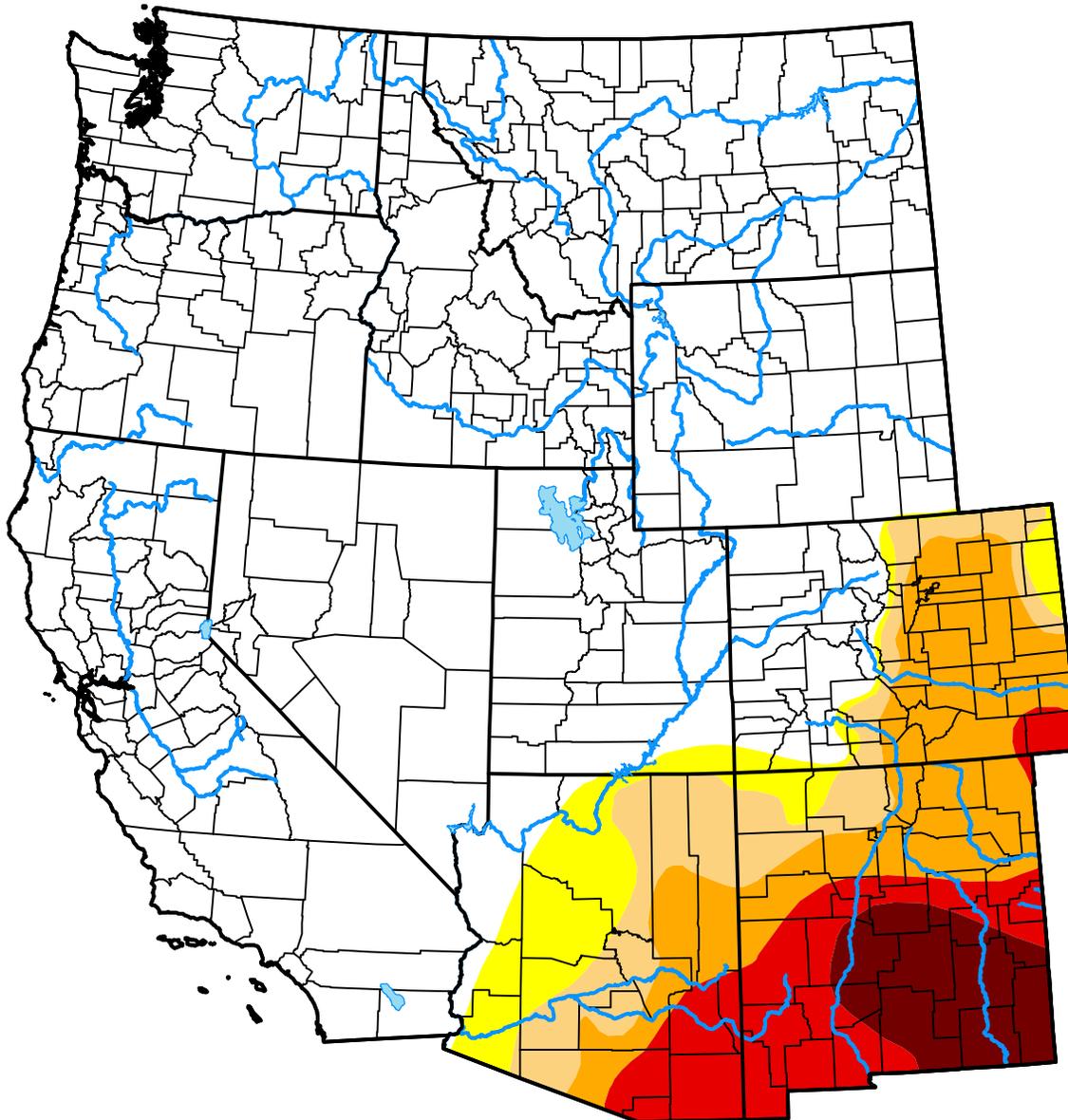


# U.S. Drought Monitor West

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 75.89 | 4.03  | 4.52  | 7.52 | 4.95 | 3.09 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-03-2011</i>              | 75.92 | 4.00  | 4.51  | 7.52 | 6.64 | 1.40 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-08-2011</i>           | 72.75 | 13.46 | 9.34  | 4.44 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2011</i> | 74.72 | 13.59 | 10.80 | 0.89 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2010</i>    | 62.50 | 29.36 | 7.59  | 0.56 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-11-2010</i>           | 50.68 | 30.75 | 13.66 | 4.91 | 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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