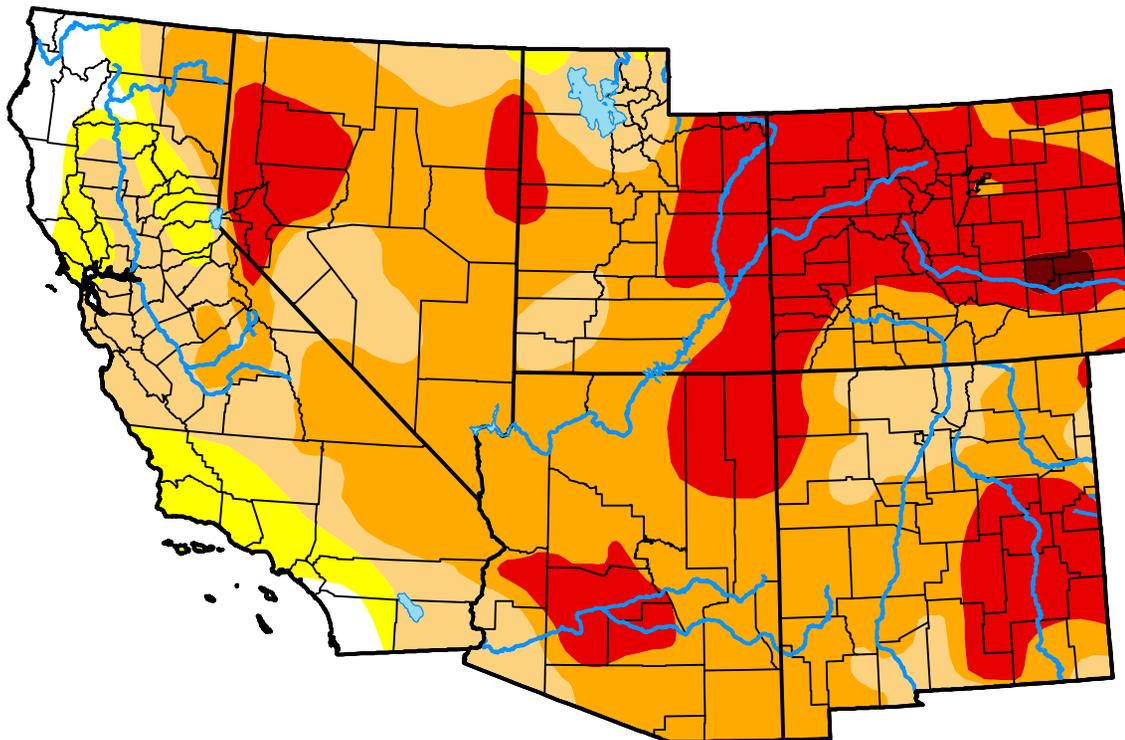


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

**July 24, 2012**  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	2.66	5.83	19.82	45.32	25.96	0.42
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-17-2012</i>	3.62	5.83	19.44	45.88	24.97	0.27
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-24-2012</i>	4.54	18.87	32.41	36.71	5.91	1.55
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2012</i>	34.66	20.43	24.65	15.69	3.23	1.33
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	55.16	12.27	6.93	9.73	9.39	6.52
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-26-2011</i>	56.74	10.74	6.07	7.45	9.51	9.50



**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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