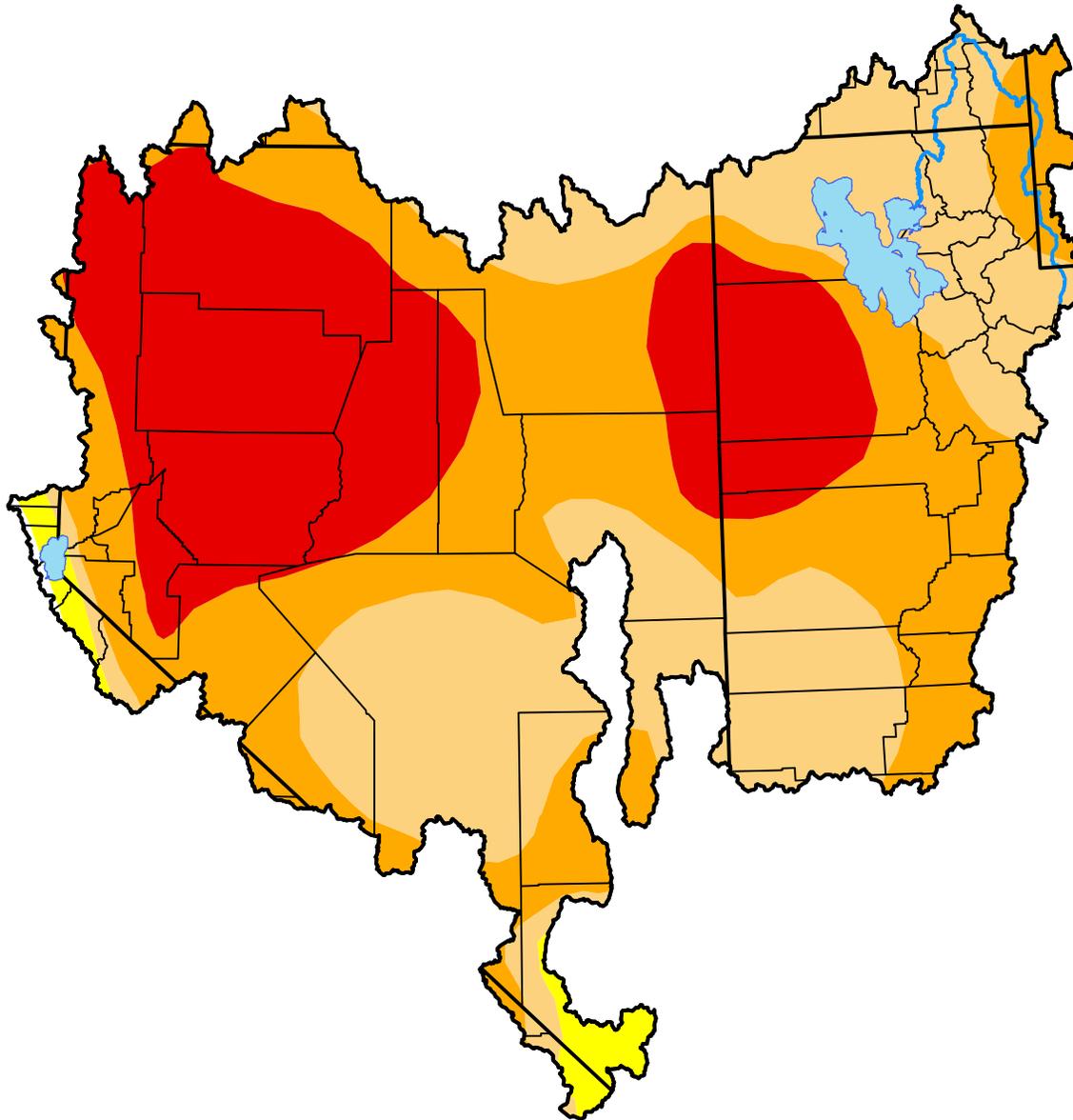


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Basin Watershed

**December 18, 2012**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 20, 2012)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.15	1.92	32.41	36.87	28.65	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-13-2012</i>	0.15	1.88	32.45	36.34	29.19	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-20-2012</i>	0.00	0.21	34.42	42.86	22.51	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	39.07	35.70	25.23	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.00	0.23	34.40	42.86	22.51	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-22-2011</i>	65.50	34.50	0.00	0.00	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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