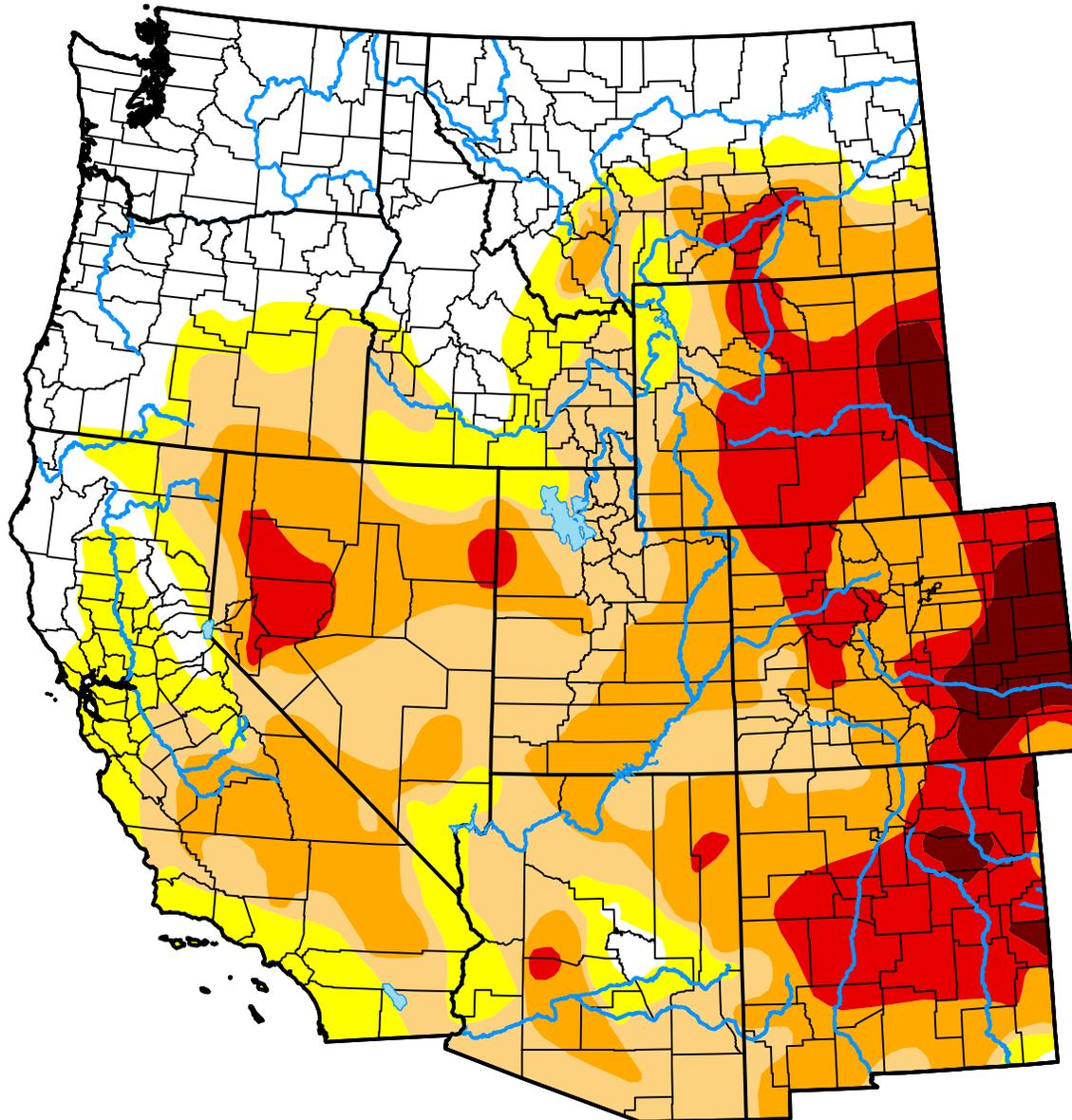


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West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.94	13.29	21.62	25.43	12.59	3.13
Last Week <i>03-05-2013</i>	21.50	15.35	21.38	26.05	12.59	3.13
3 Months Ago <i>12-11-2012</i>	24.41	6.06	23.54	28.13	15.74	2.12
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	24.39	6.31	24.27	27.03	15.86	2.15
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	15.12	7.73	33.50	26.79	15.08	1.77
One Year Ago <i>03-13-2012</i>	31.09	19.44	25.19	20.90	2.46	0.94

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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