

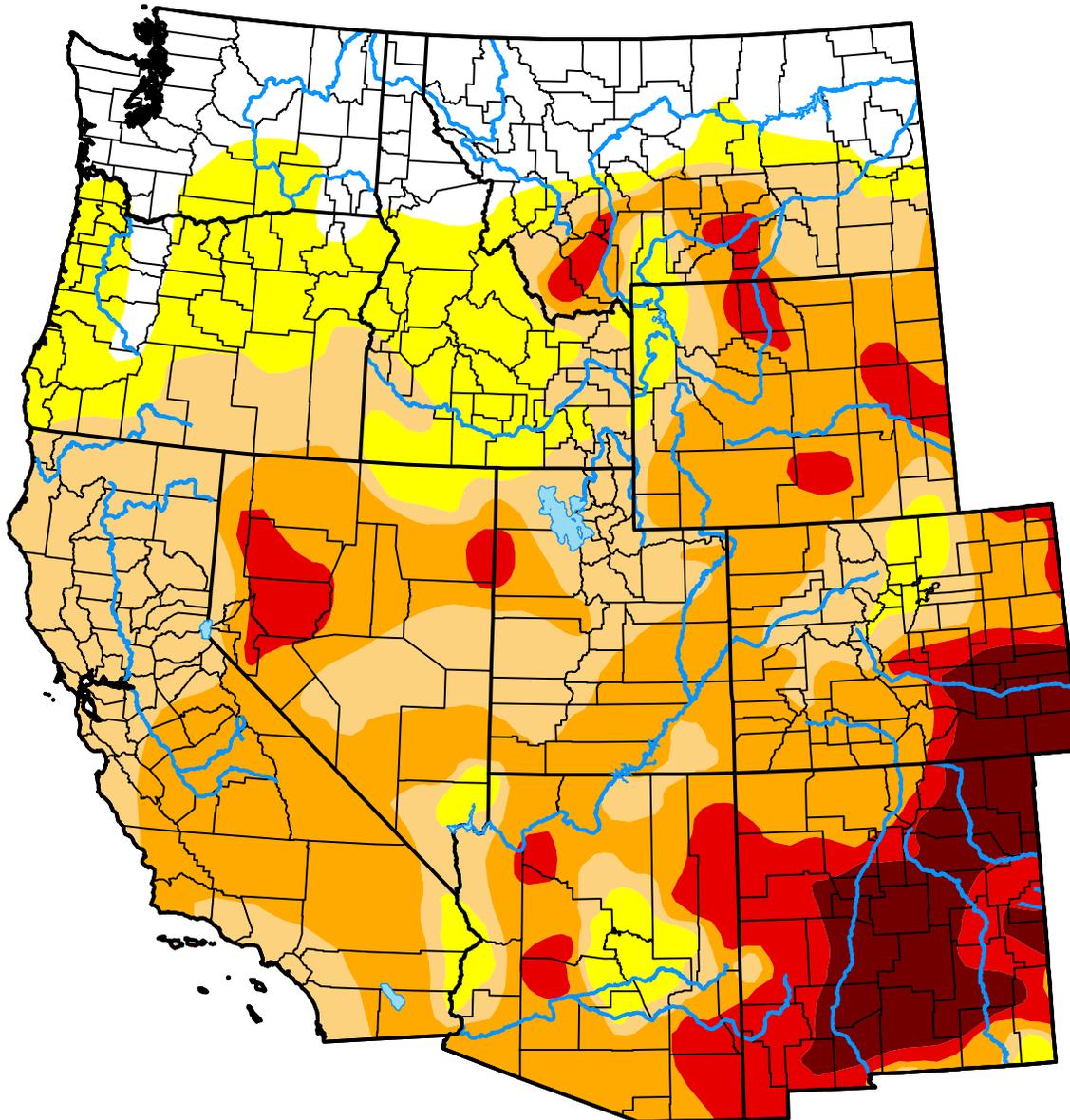
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## West

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	13.09	86.91	71.39	46.93	15.33	5.91
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-07-2013</i>	13.46	86.54	71.04	47.26	15.25	5.66
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-12-2013</i>	26.33	73.67	64.77	41.81	13.38	3.15
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	24.39	75.61	69.31	45.04	18.01	2.15
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	15.12	84.88	77.15	43.65	16.85	1.77
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-15-2012</i>	31.27	68.73	50.07	27.34	4.02	0.07



**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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