

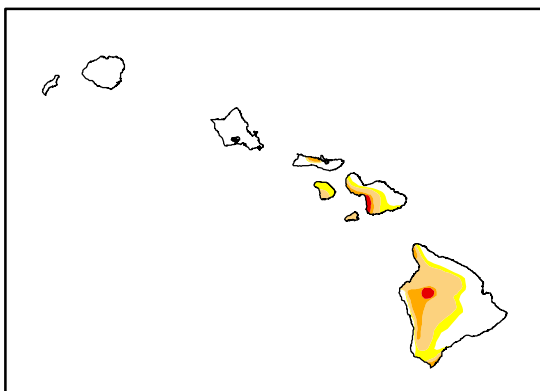
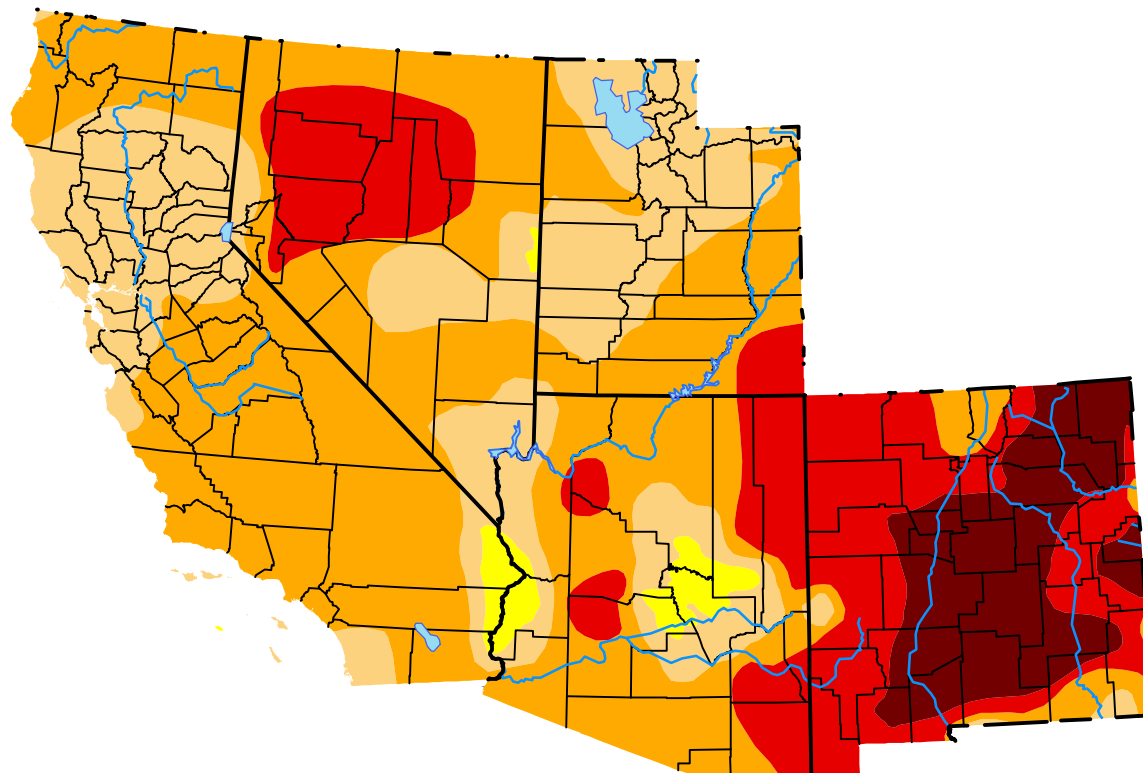
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub

June 18, 2013

(Released Thursday, Jun. 20, 2013)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.56	99.44	97.32	73.13	28.71	9.01
Last Week <i>06-13-2013</i>	0.56	99.44	97.30	67.83	22.65	9.13
3 Months Ago <i>03-21-2013</i>	4.40	95.60	79.00	47.68	13.13	0.87
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	8.61	91.39	86.03	53.71	14.38	0.20
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	3.42	96.58	91.28	47.35	12.19	0.13
One Year Ago <i>06-21-2012</i>	4.61	95.39	86.41	61.45	10.48	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

Author:

Mark Svoboda
National Drought Mitigation Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu