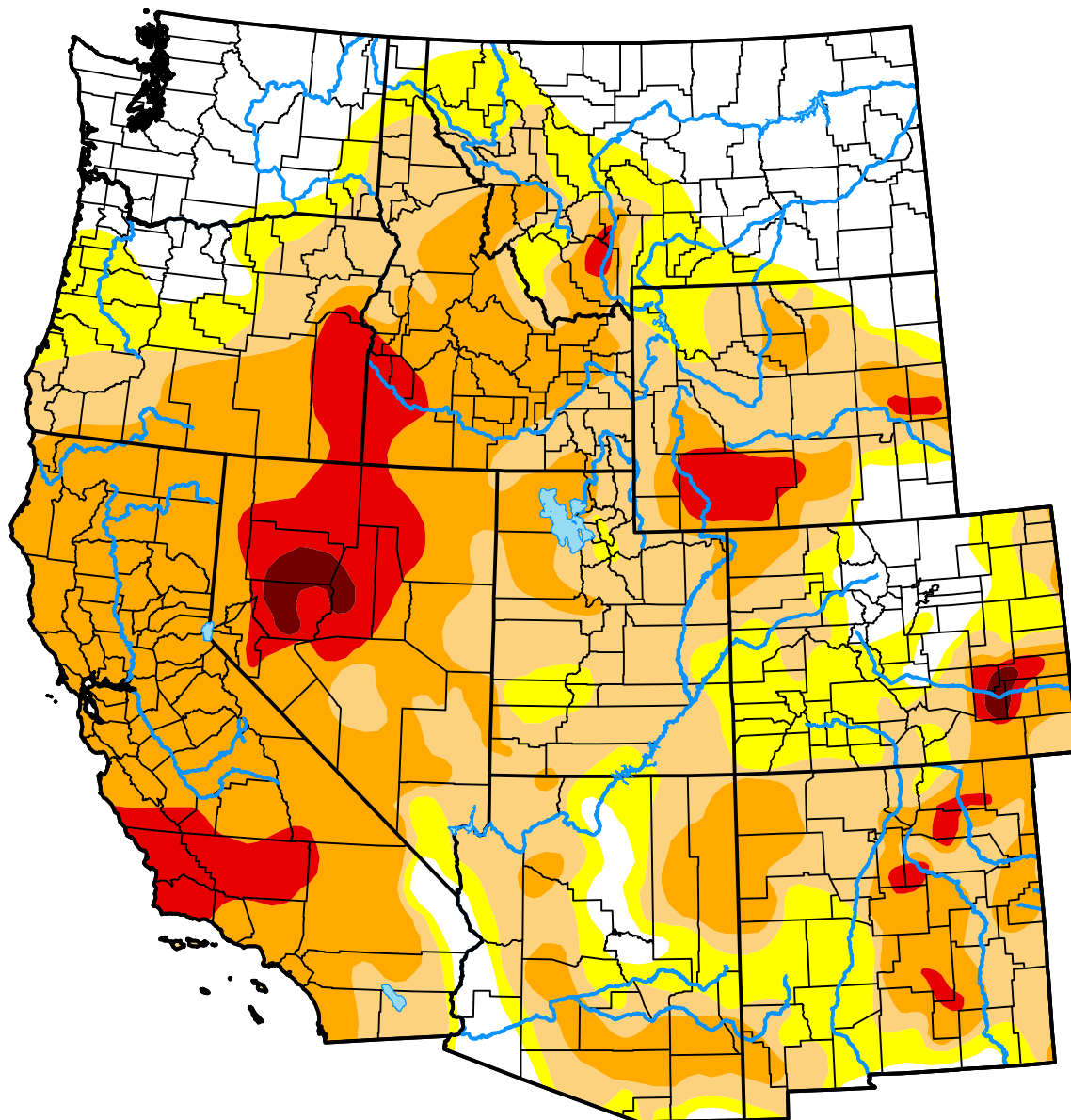


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	18.70	81.30	65.30	38.58	7.47	0.63
Last Week <i>09-17-2013</i>	18.13	81.87	68.36	40.05	8.00	0.63
3 Months Ago <i>06-25-2013</i>	14.76	85.24	76.67	56.71	19.66	6.13
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	24.39	75.61	69.31	45.04	18.01	2.15
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	15.12	84.88	77.15	43.65	16.85	1.77
One Year Ago <i>09-25-2012</i>	15.12	84.88	77.15	43.65	16.85	1.77

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. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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