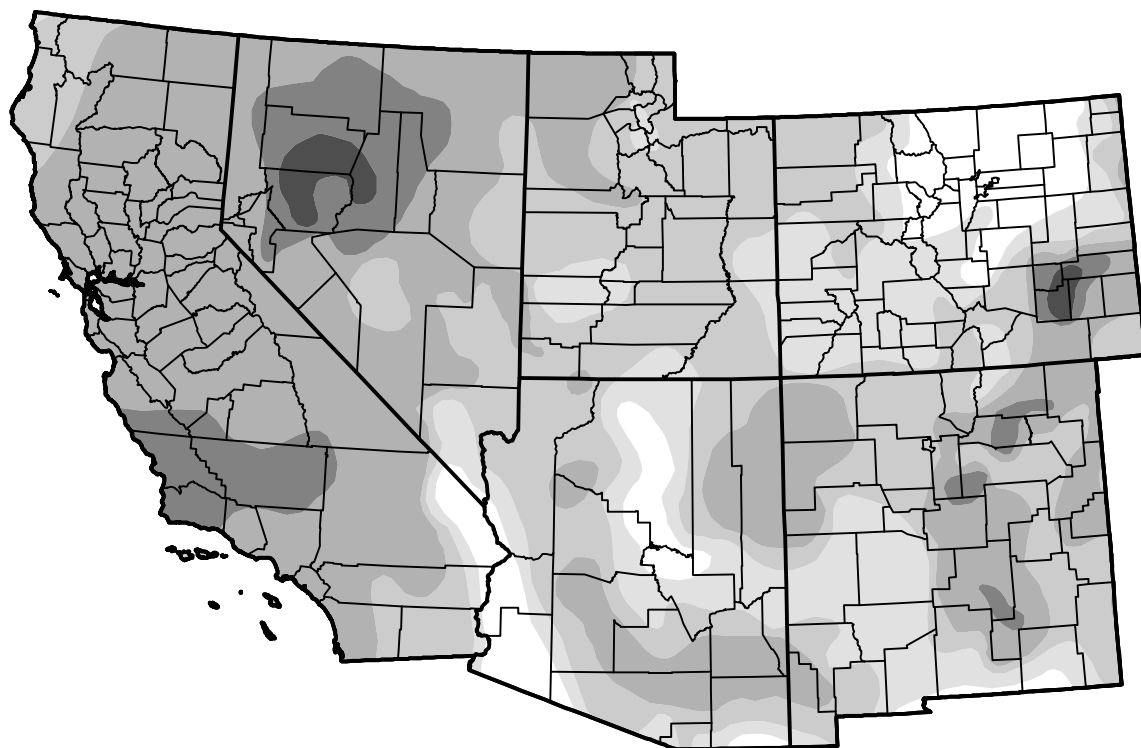


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	7.14	15.86	30.61	38.06	7.26	1.08
Last Week <i>10-01-2013</i>	7.13	15.94	30.54	38.06	7.26	1.08
3 Months Ago <i>07-09-2013</i>	0.00	1.76	15.62	50.85	20.34	11.43
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	7.24	4.44	28.14	39.89	18.09	2.20
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	7.13	15.94	30.54	38.06	7.26	1.08
One Year Ago <i>10-09-2012</i>	1.52	5.57	38.88	35.58	16.23	2.23

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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