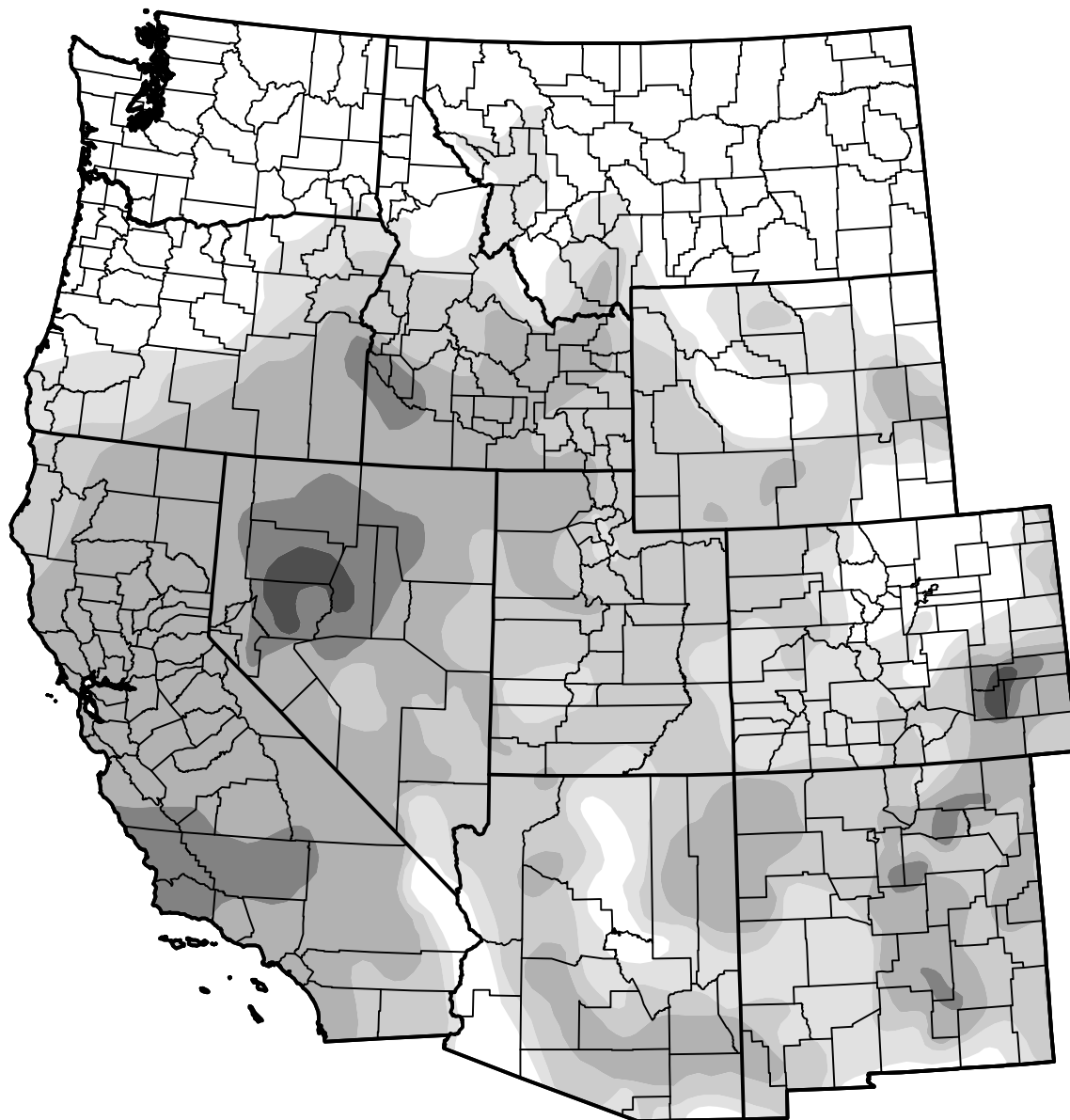


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	27.44	15.70	24.17	27.36	4.71	0.63
Last Week <i>10-01-2013</i>	25.25	15.79	24.77	28.61	4.94	0.63
3 Months Ago <i>07-09-2013</i>	15.20	8.39	19.31	37.10	13.32	6.68
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>10-01-2013</i>	25.25	15.79	24.77	28.61	4.94	0.63
One Year Ago <i>10-09-2012</i>	9.74	13.06	34.25	26.90	14.12	1.93

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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