

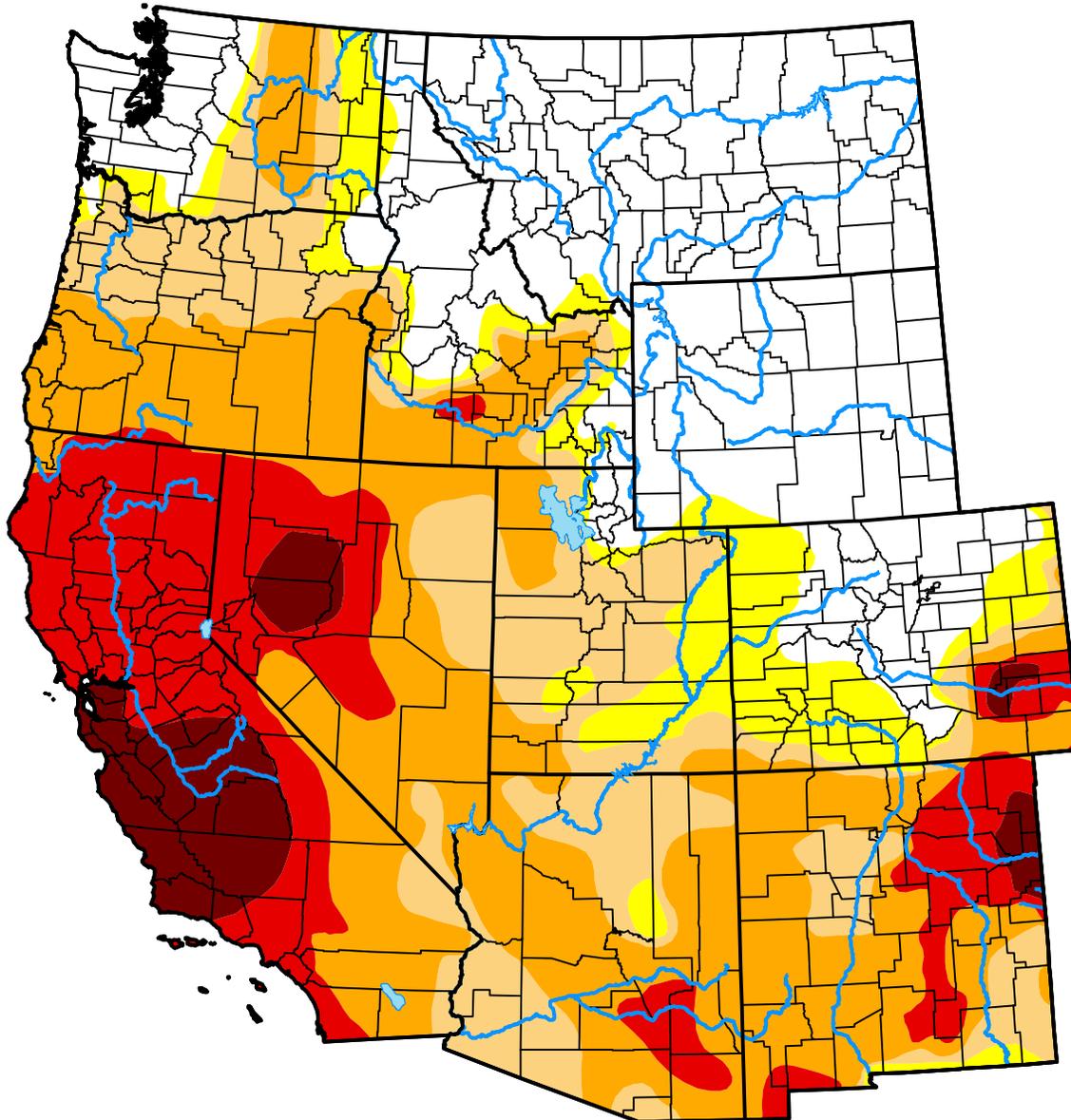
U.S. Drought Monitor

West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	30.11	8.27	16.52	27.16	13.32	4.61
Last Week <i>04-15-2014</i>	30.08	9.23	17.01	27.62	12.00	4.05
3 Months Ago <i>01-21-2014</i>	18.74	20.46	23.82	23.21	13.15	0.63
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	22.20	26.36	20.33	23.37	7.12	0.63
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>04-23-2013</i>	20.28	13.72	22.59	27.31	14.23	1.87



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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