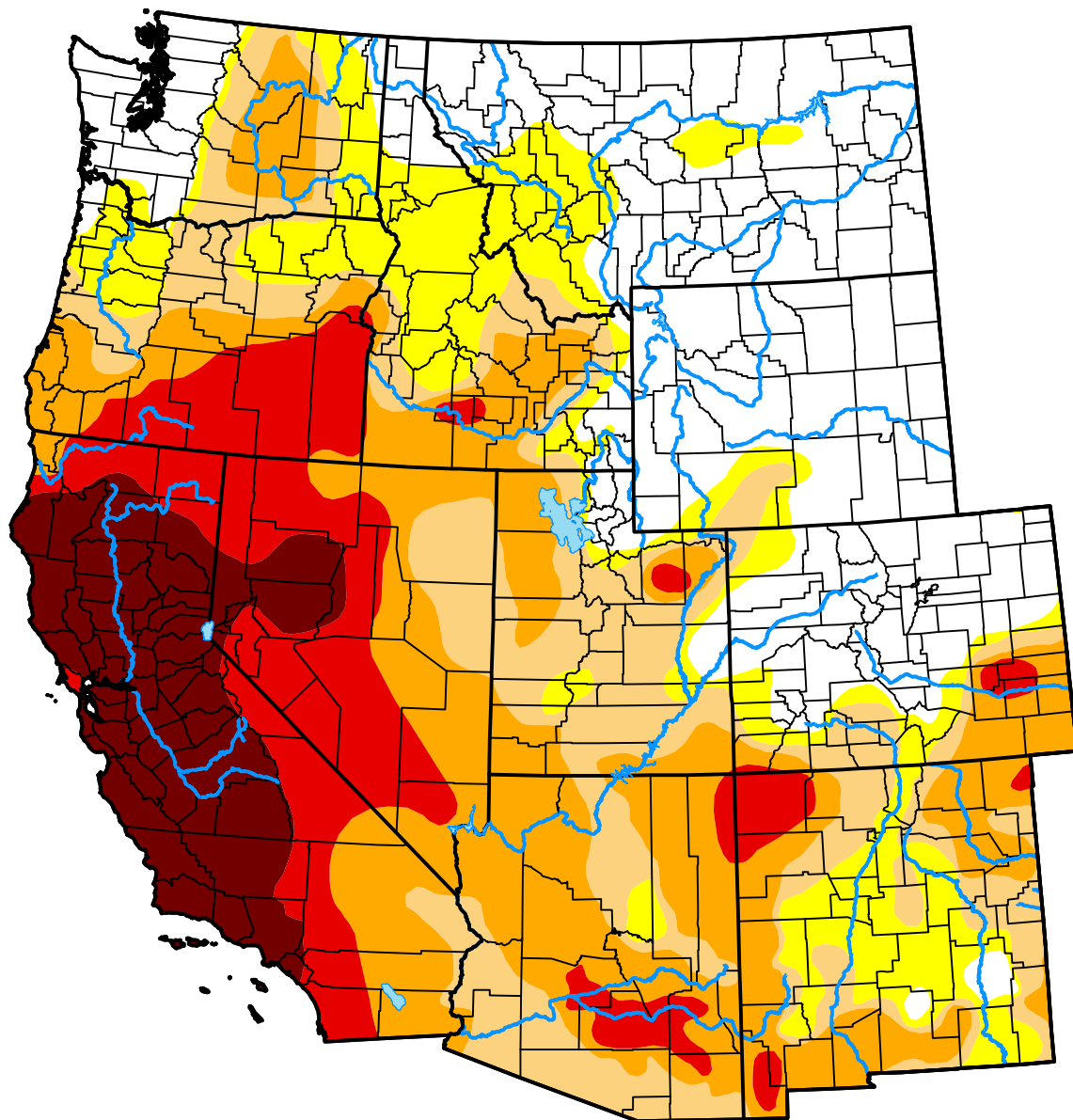


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	27.21	72.79	59.27	42.84	20.97	8.90
Last Week <i>08-12-2014</i>	27.11	72.89	59.80	43.63	21.43	8.90
3 Months Ago <i>05-20-2014</i>	31.18	68.82	60.82	47.50	20.37	4.81
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	22.20	77.80	51.44	31.11	7.75	0.63
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	25.25	74.75	58.96	34.18	5.57	0.63
One Year Ago <i>08-20-2013</i>	13.36	86.64	77.69	58.05	18.31	2.07

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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