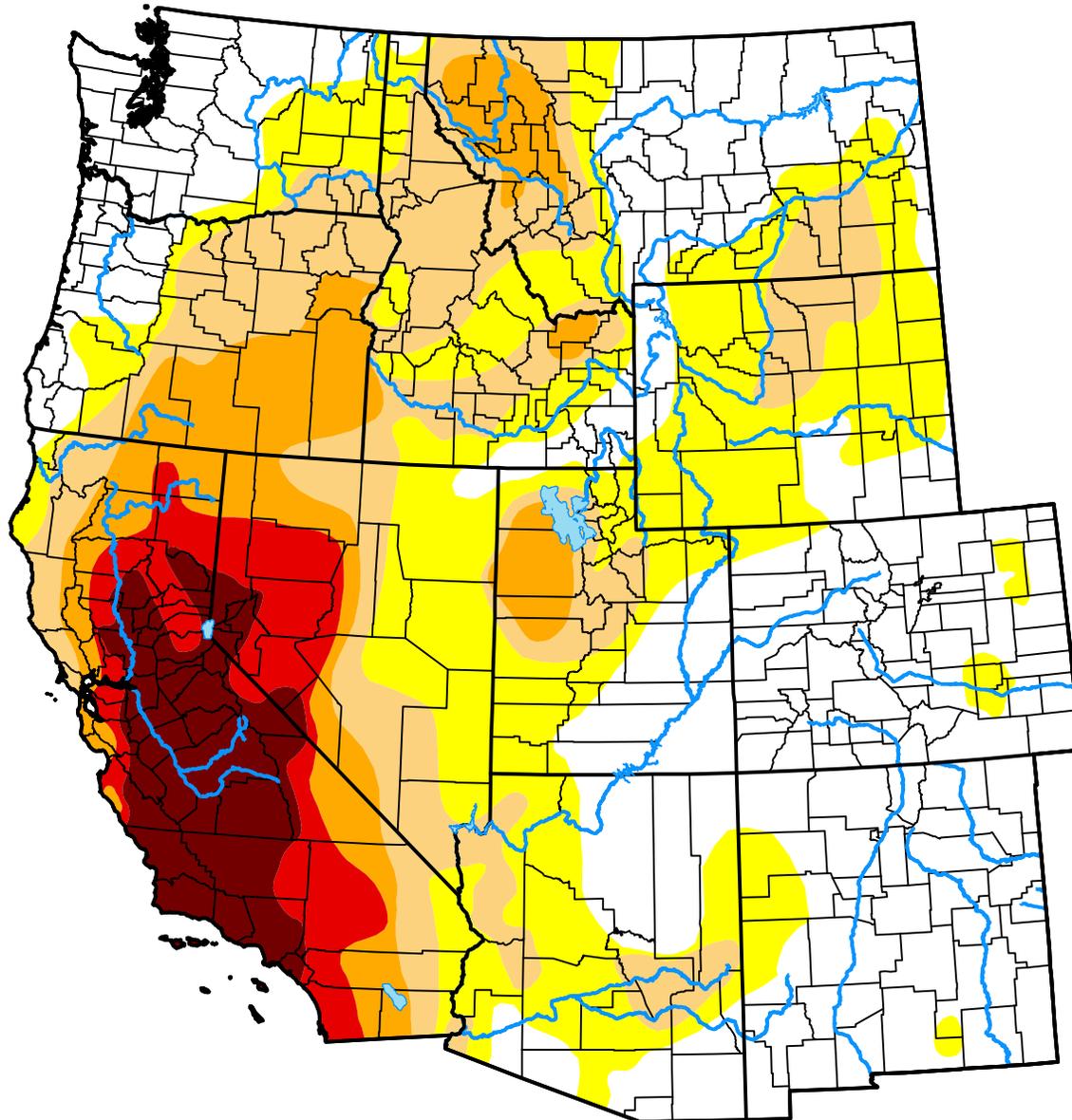


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	38.68	61.32	36.57	19.60	10.35	5.55
Last Week <i>02-09-2016</i>	38.22	61.78	37.15	19.90	10.79	5.55
3 Months Ago <i>11-17-2015</i>	26.63	73.37	51.19	37.73	21.46	6.85
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	33.17	66.83	45.07	29.30	15.92	6.85
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	22.77	77.23	57.81	42.42	26.50	7.62
One Year Ago <i>02-17-2015</i>	31.20	68.80	58.53	30.61	17.23	7.21

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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