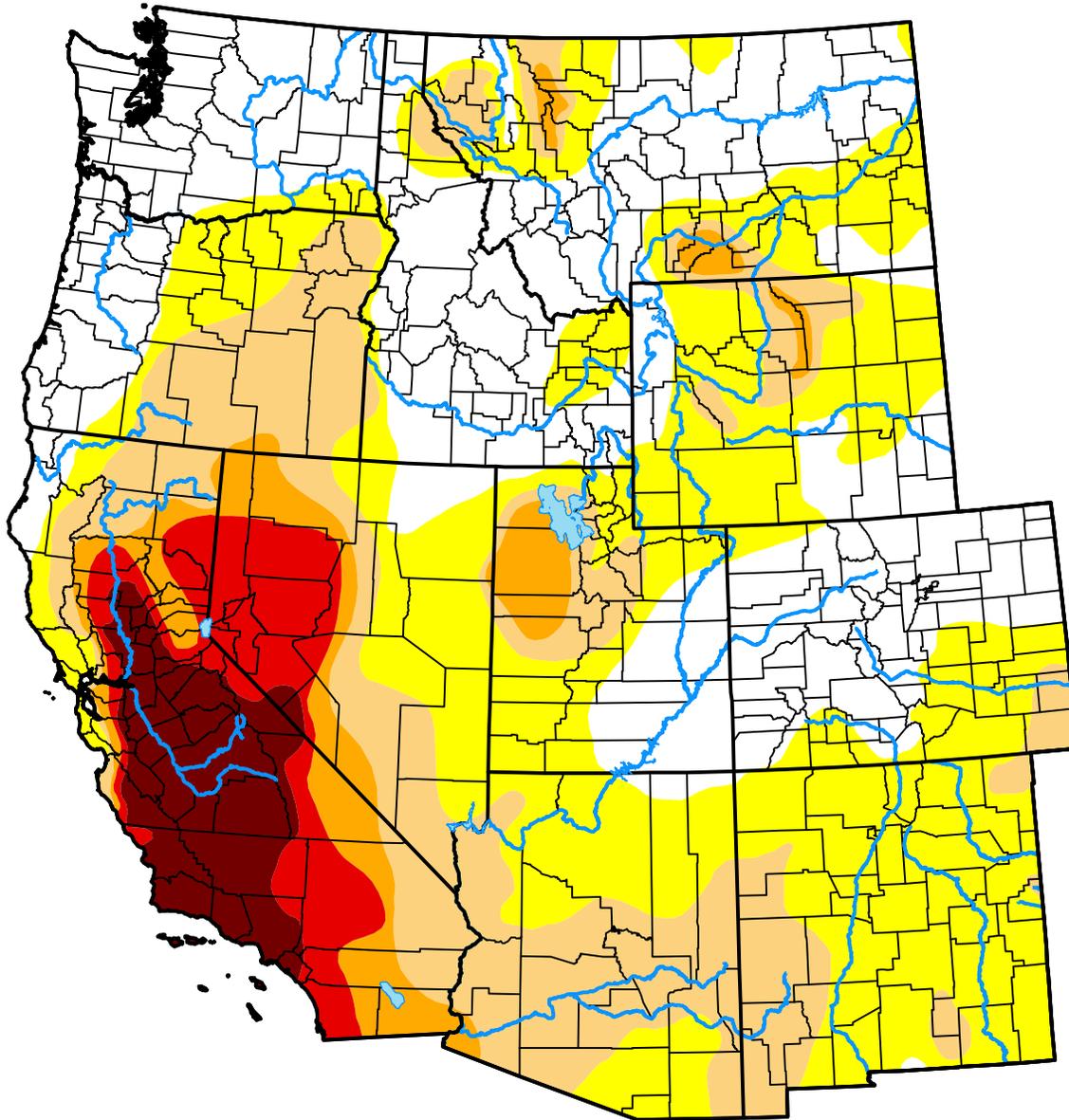


U.S. Drought Monitor

West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 32.63 | 67.37 | 34.24 | 14.82 | 9.53 | 4.74 |
| Last Week <i>03-22-2016</i> | 32.38 | 67.62 | 34.09 | 15.39 | 9.54 | 4.74 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-29-2015</i> | 33.17 | 66.83 | 45.07 | 29.30 | 15.92 | 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>03-31-2015</i> | 28.49 | 71.51 | 59.80 | 36.89 | 17.04 | 7.23 |

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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