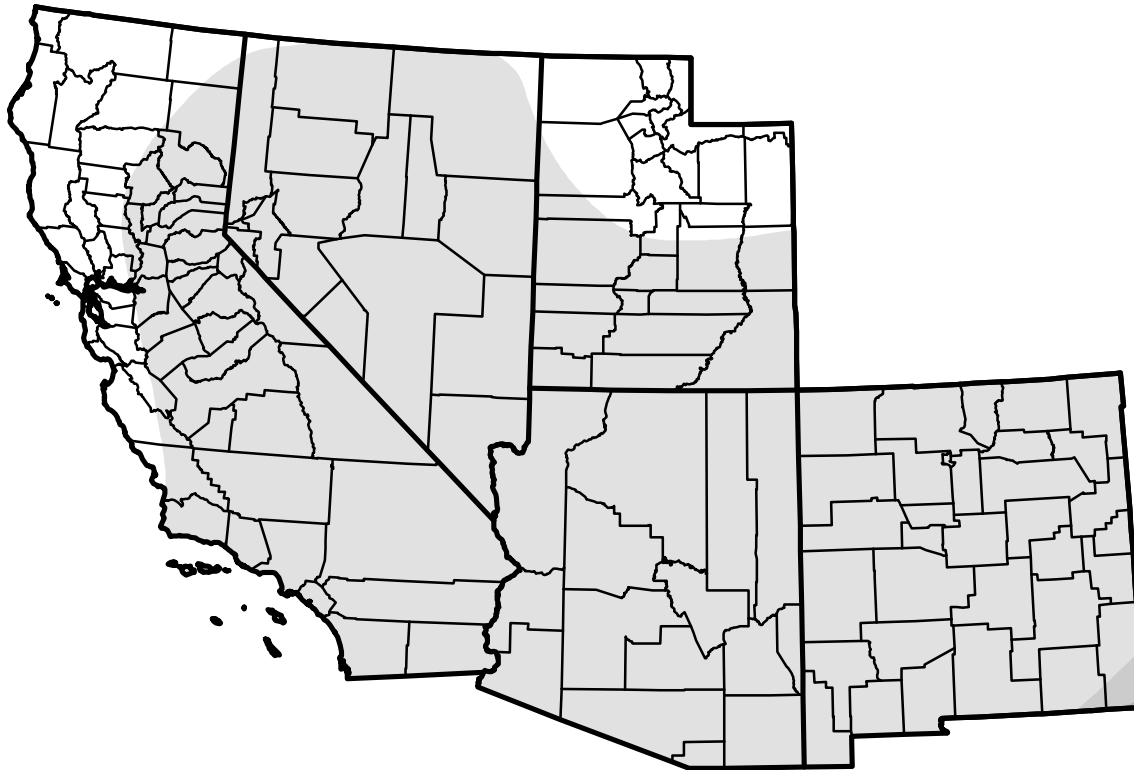


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	14.15	85.85	0.34	0.02	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-11-2000</i>	17.83	82.17	0.34	0.02	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2000</i>	61.41	38.59	0.35	0.02	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>One Year Ago</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-

***Intensity:***

- 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. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.*

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