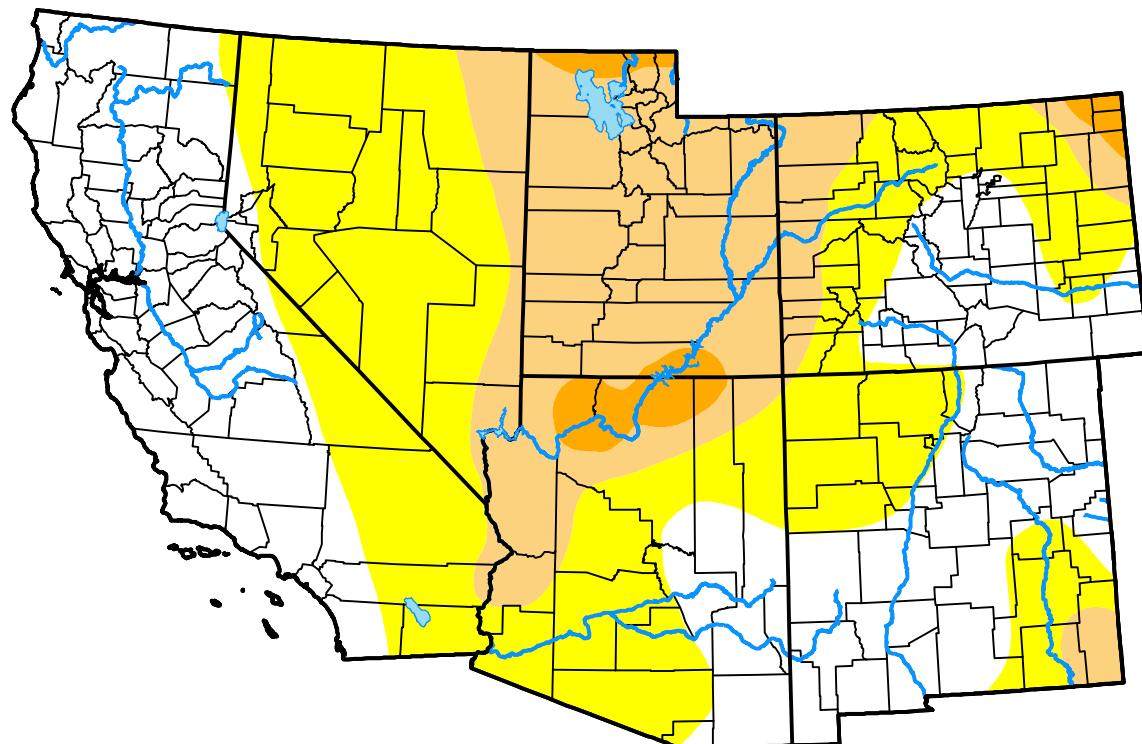


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southwest



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	38.13	61.87	23.89	2.51	0.01	0.00
Last Week 08-15-2000	31.19	68.81	23.01	2.68	0.01	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-23-2000	72.16	27.84	16.96	7.53	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2000	66.73	33.27	0.30	0.02	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-
One Year Ago 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-

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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