

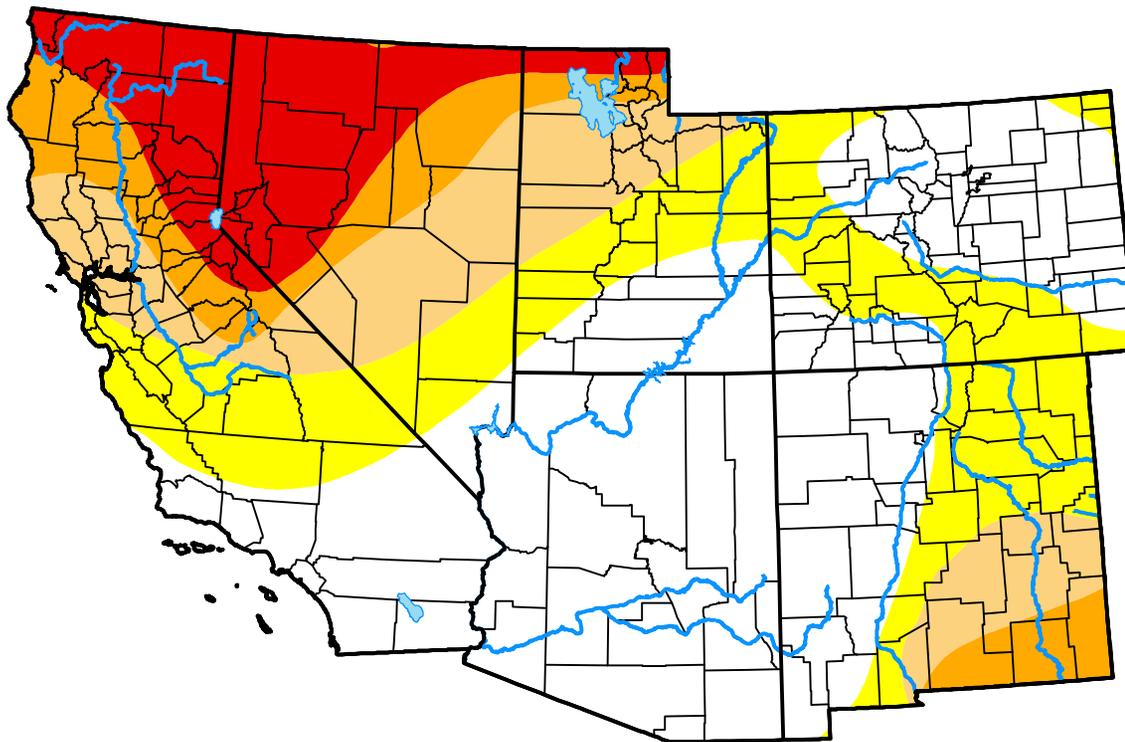
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southwest

**October 16, 2001**  
*(Released Thursday, Oct. 18, 2001)*  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	45.15	21.50	13.84	8.18	11.32	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-09-2001</i>	45.93	20.72	14.23	7.79	11.32	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-17-2001</i>	63.99	13.76	7.04	7.27	7.95	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	85.70	13.22	1.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	45.89	20.76	14.23	7.71	11.41	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-17-2000</i>	43.34	36.18	14.80	5.61	0.07	0.00



### Intensity:



*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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