

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

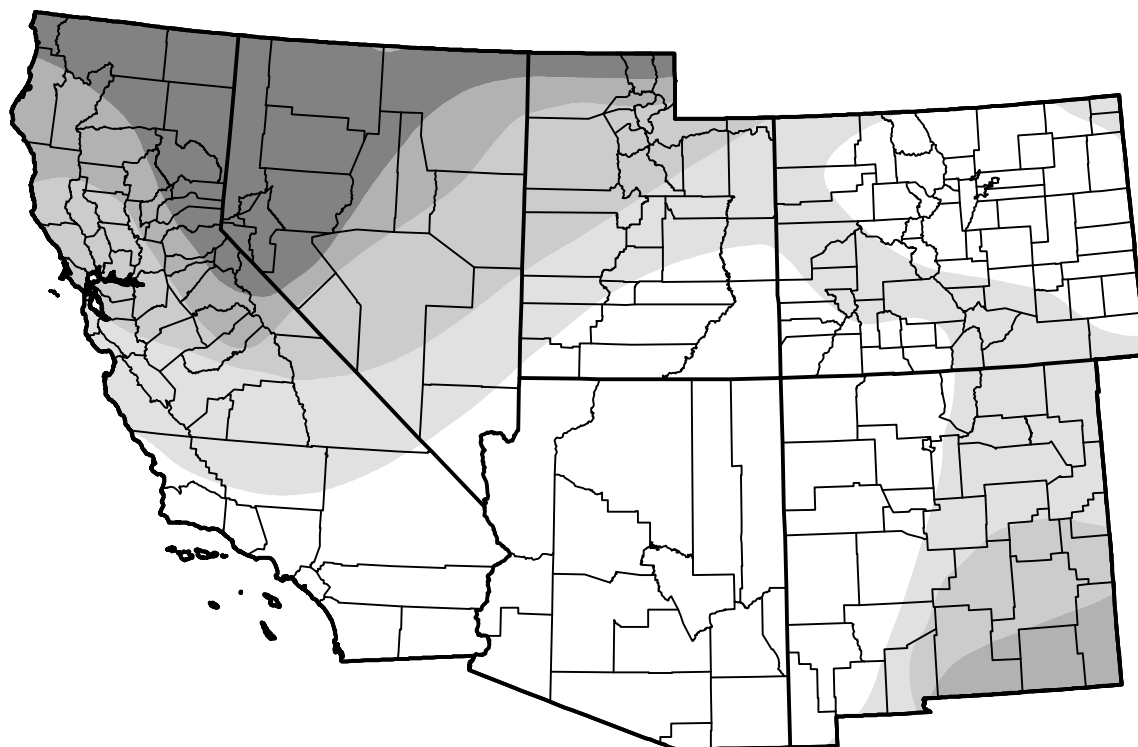
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

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



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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