

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

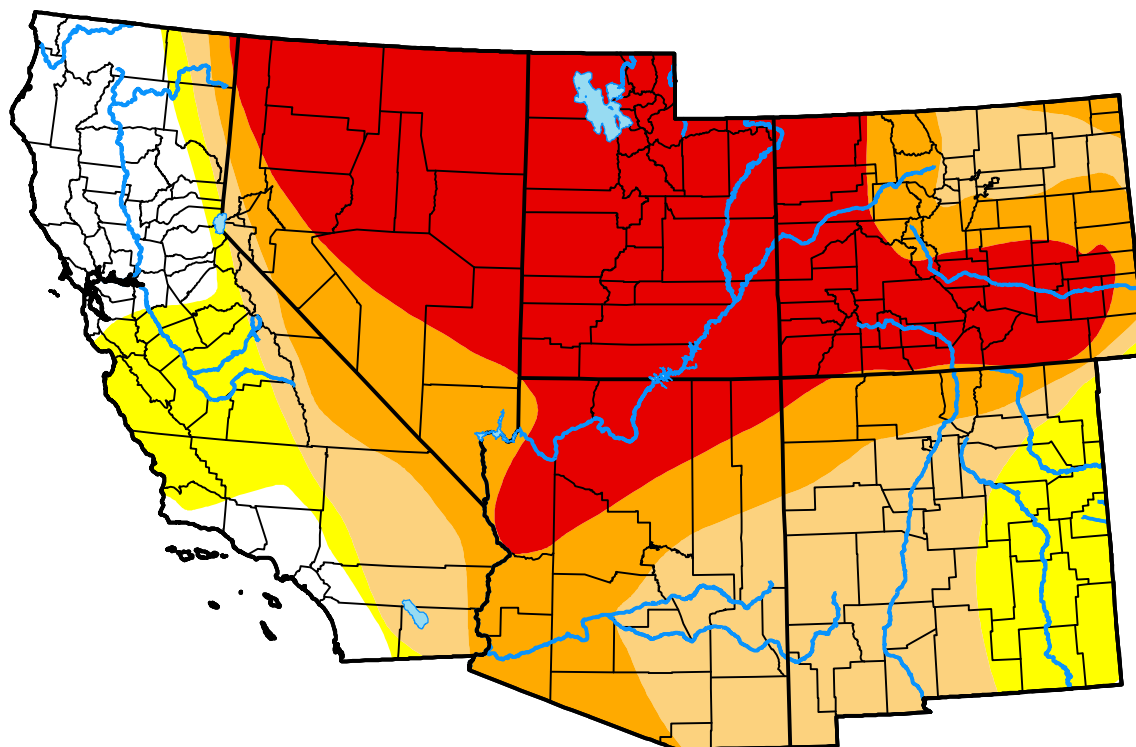
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	9.16	11.64	22.10	20.95	36.15	0.00
Last Week <i>04-01-2003</i>	9.04	11.88	21.48	21.17	35.87	0.56
3 Months Ago <i>01-07-2003</i>	14.82	6.06	14.38	30.74	30.92	3.08
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	14.98	6.37	13.73	35.31	26.51	3.10
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	1.40	9.81	21.62	27.23	32.28	7.67
One Year Ago <i>04-09-2002</i>	12.85	17.55	26.64	42.96	0.00	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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