

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

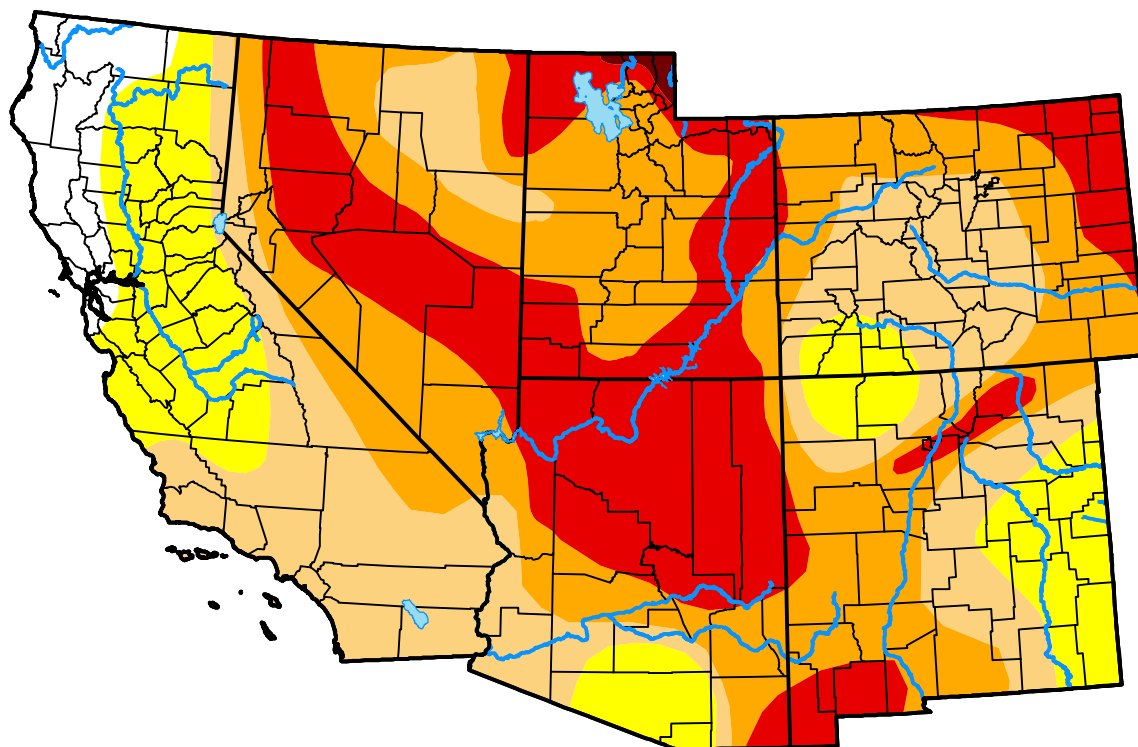
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	3.85	96.15	80.80	55.59	24.52	0.24
Last Week <i>05-18-2004</i>	4.09	95.91	80.29	53.99	20.70	0.29
3 Months Ago <i>02-24-2004</i>	16.31	83.69	74.79	65.21	37.80	8.44
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	15.48	84.52	75.05	66.28	36.72	6.84
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	15.51	84.49	77.83	65.78	40.36	3.02
One Year Ago <i>05-27-2003</i>	14.84	85.16	79.53	65.56	35.03	0.62



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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