

# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

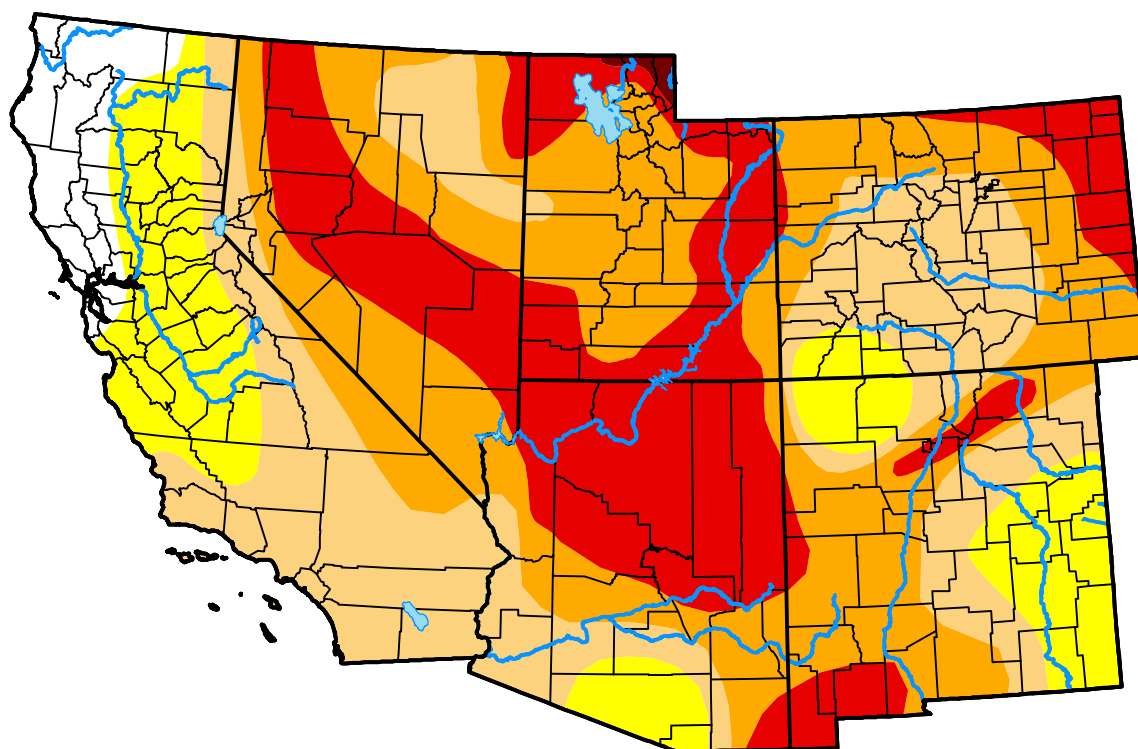
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 4.20  | 14.34 | 26.09 | 30.86 | 24.28 | 0.24 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-25-2004</i>              | 3.85  | 15.34 | 25.22 | 31.07 | 24.28 | 0.24 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>03-02-2004</i>           | 17.09 | 8.93  | 13.46 | 28.37 | 25.80 | 6.33 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-30-2003</i> | 15.48 | 9.47  | 8.77  | 29.56 | 29.89 | 6.84 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2003</i>    | 15.51 | 6.66  | 12.05 | 25.42 | 37.34 | 3.02 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>06-03-2003</i>           | 14.55 | 6.18  | 15.54 | 28.99 | 34.08 | 0.66 |



## 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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