

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

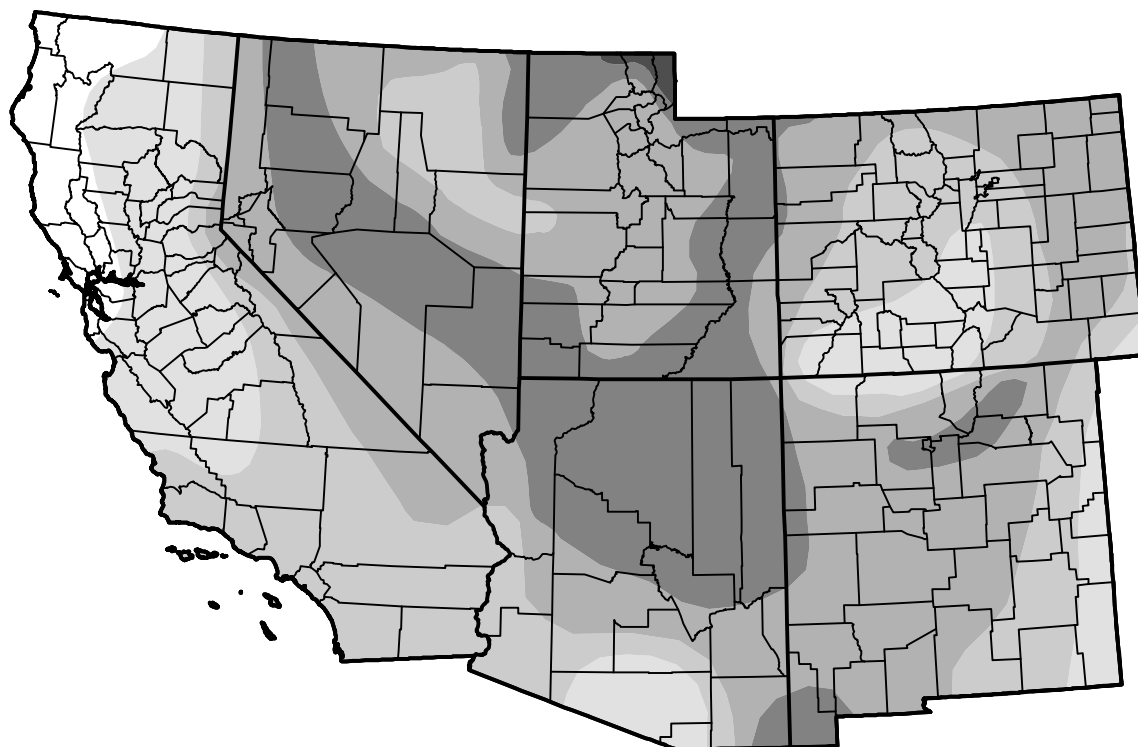
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	3.38	13.61	23.88	36.57	22.32	0.24
Last Week 07-13-2004	3.38	13.68	24.40	35.98	22.32	0.24
3 Months Ago 04-20-2004	7.26	18.02	20.41	31.79	22.28	0.24
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2003	15.48	9.47	8.77	29.56	29.89	6.84
Start of Water Year 09-30-2003	15.51	6.66	12.05	25.42	37.34	3.02
One Year Ago 07-22-2003	14.36	5.57	13.52	24.08	38.87	3.60



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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