

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

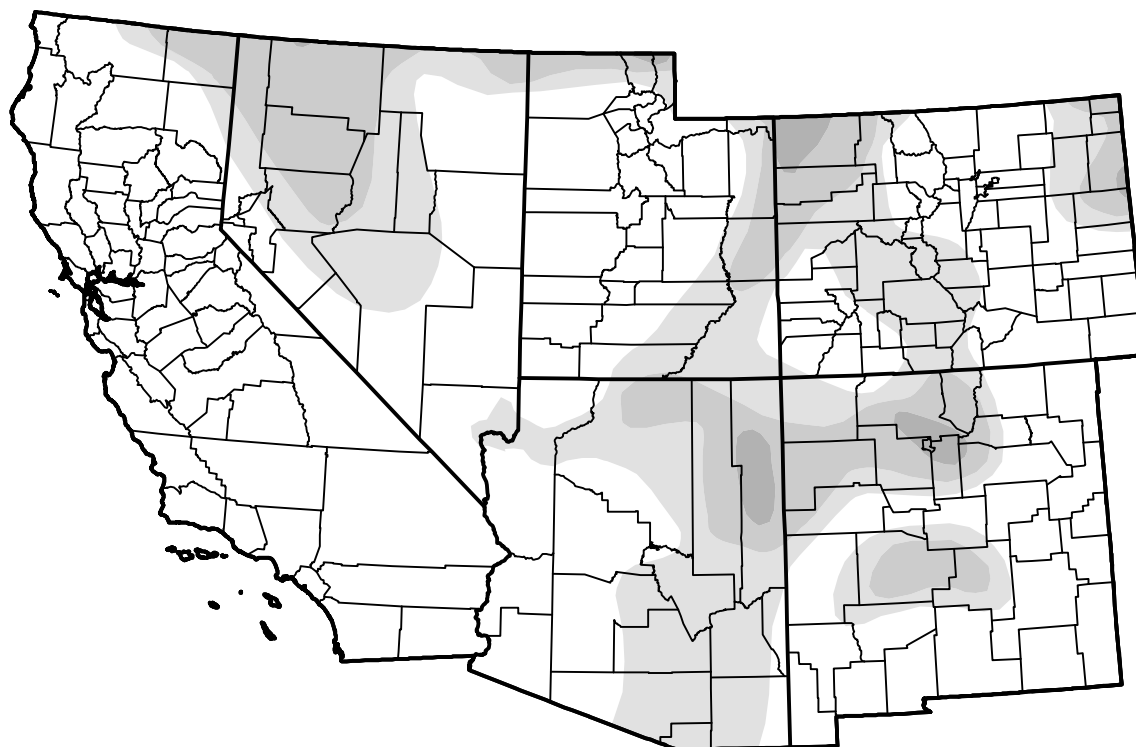
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	64.82	21.80	12.06	1.32	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-19-2005</i>	61.80	22.63	13.67	1.87	0.03	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-25-2005</i>	30.81	20.07	27.91	16.56	4.65	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	24.71	18.44	27.42	19.34	10.00	0.09
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	7.43	15.49	21.83	31.19	23.87	0.18
One Year Ago <i>04-27-2004</i>	6.90	18.15	21.36	32.57	20.77	0.24



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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