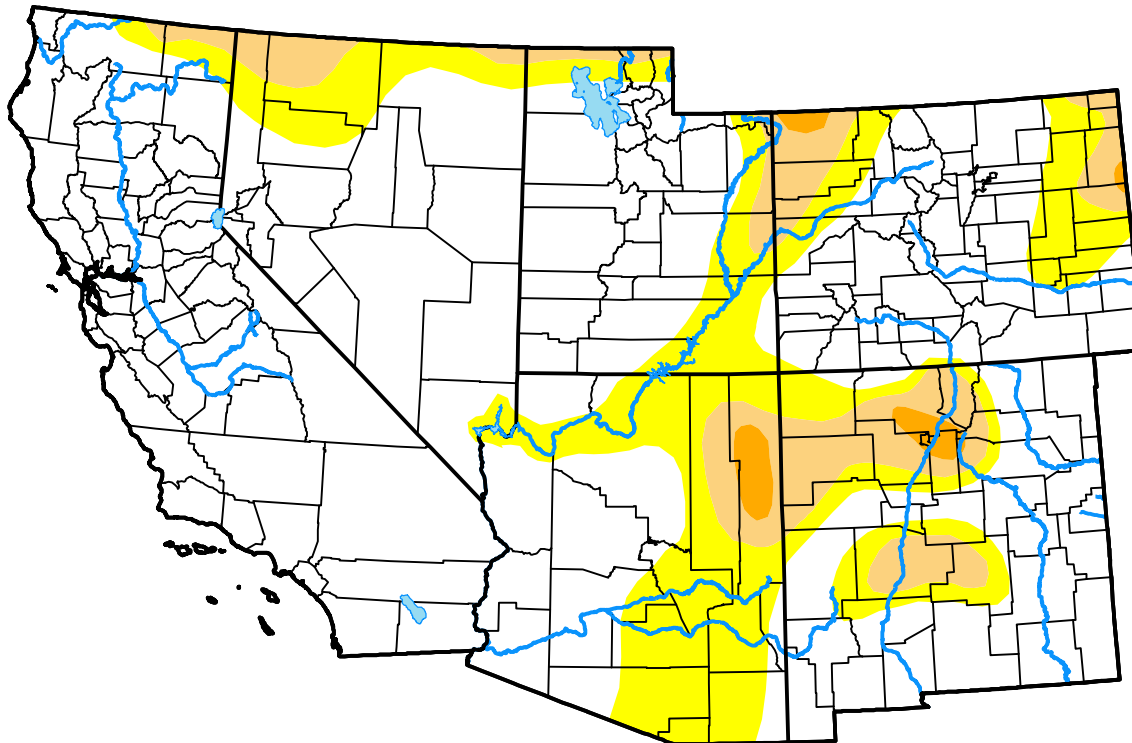


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	72.75	27.25	8.69	1.04	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-03-2005</i>	67.74	32.26	11.04	1.05	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-08-2005</i>	33.43	66.57	45.29	17.07	3.67	0.01
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	24.71	75.29	56.86	29.43	10.09	0.09
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	7.43	92.57	77.08	55.25	24.06	0.18
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-11-2004</i>	4.09	95.91	80.29	53.99	20.70	0.26



**Intensity:**

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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