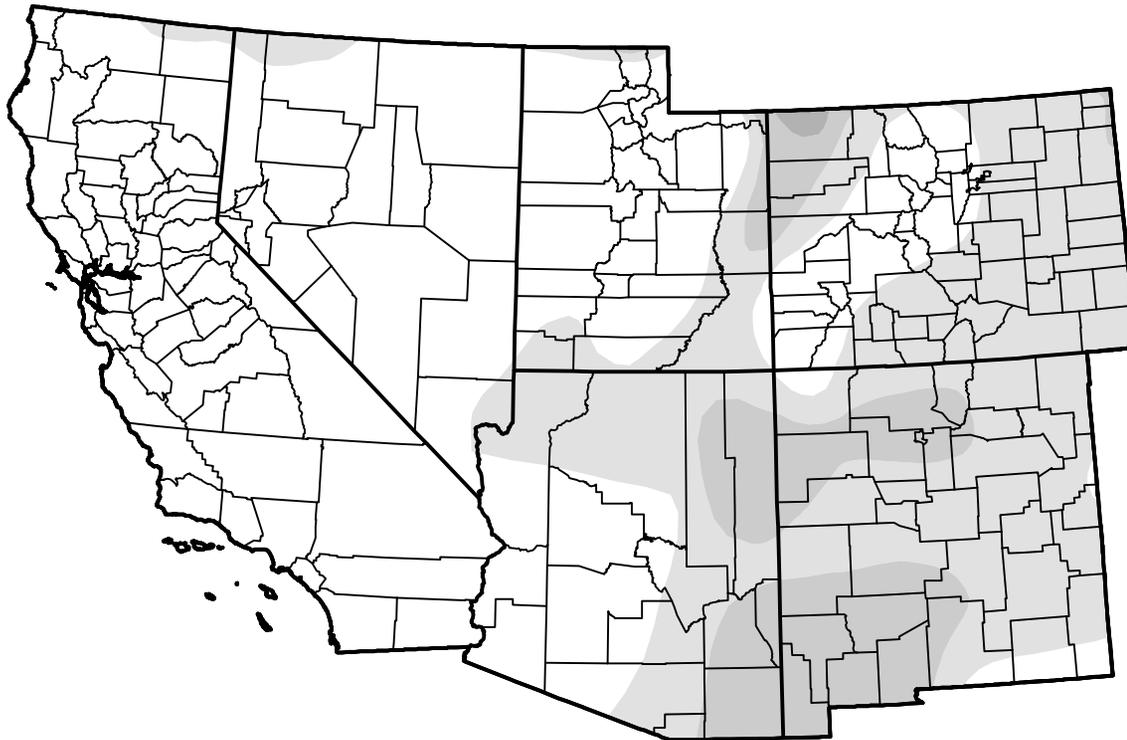


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	58.69	41.31	11.00	0.18	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-02-2005</i>	55.23	44.77	12.08	0.18	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-10-2005</i>	72.75	27.25	8.69	1.04	0.00	0.00
<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>08-10-2004</i>	4.70	95.30	80.46	57.73	25.72	0.24

***Intensity:***



*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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