

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

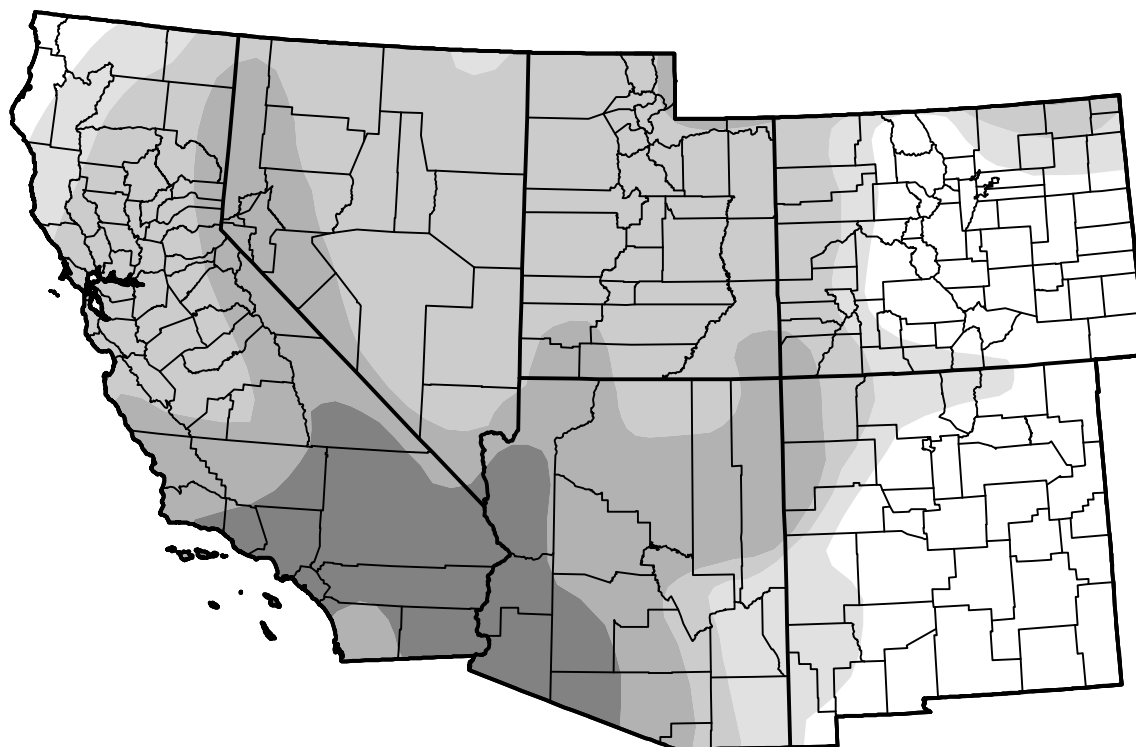
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	22.09	77.91	67.71	31.39	10.21	0.00
Last Week <i>04-10-2007</i>	22.04	77.96	66.30	24.47	8.44	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-16-2007</i>	49.57	50.43	22.84	6.59	0.50	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	50.28	49.72	22.84	4.12	0.50	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	57.23	42.77	20.14	6.21	1.20	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-18-2006</i>	50.32	49.68	40.26	28.66	9.95	0.00



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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