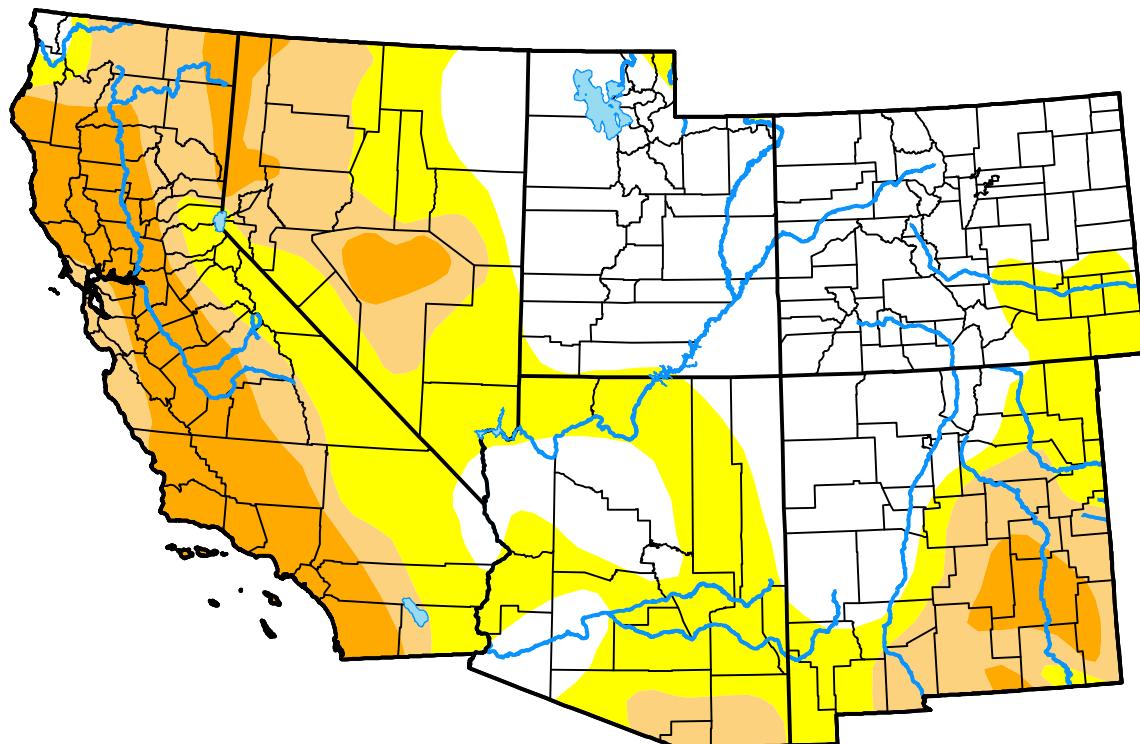


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southwest



June 16, 2009

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	40.03	59.97	31.20	13.49	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 06-09-2009	39.34	60.66	31.31	13.49	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 03-17-2009	31.49	68.51	32.32	6.99	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 12-30-2008	32.49	67.51	36.58	14.72	0.63	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-30-2008	39.88	60.12	38.53	16.42	0.47	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 06-17-2008	26.06	73.94	51.74	14.48	3.06	0.22

### 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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