

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

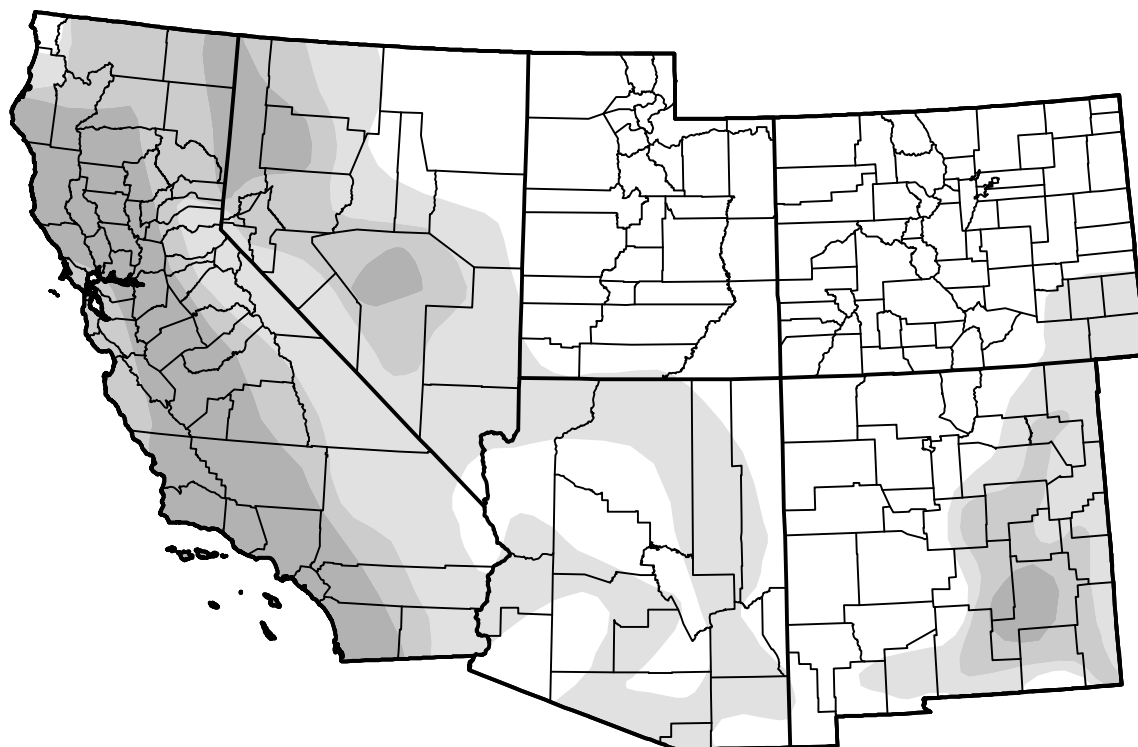
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 47.67 | 52.33 | 25.97 | 12.46 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>07-07-2009</i> | 47.88 | 52.12 | 25.97 | 12.46 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>04-14-2009</i> | 25.13 | 74.87 | 33.19 | 11.74 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i> | 32.49 | 67.51 | 36.58 | 14.72 | 0.63 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i> | 39.88 | 60.12 | 38.53 | 16.42 | 0.47 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>07-15-2008</i> | 28.47 | 71.53 | 45.99 | 10.67 | 0.69 | 0.18 |



Intensity:

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|  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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