

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

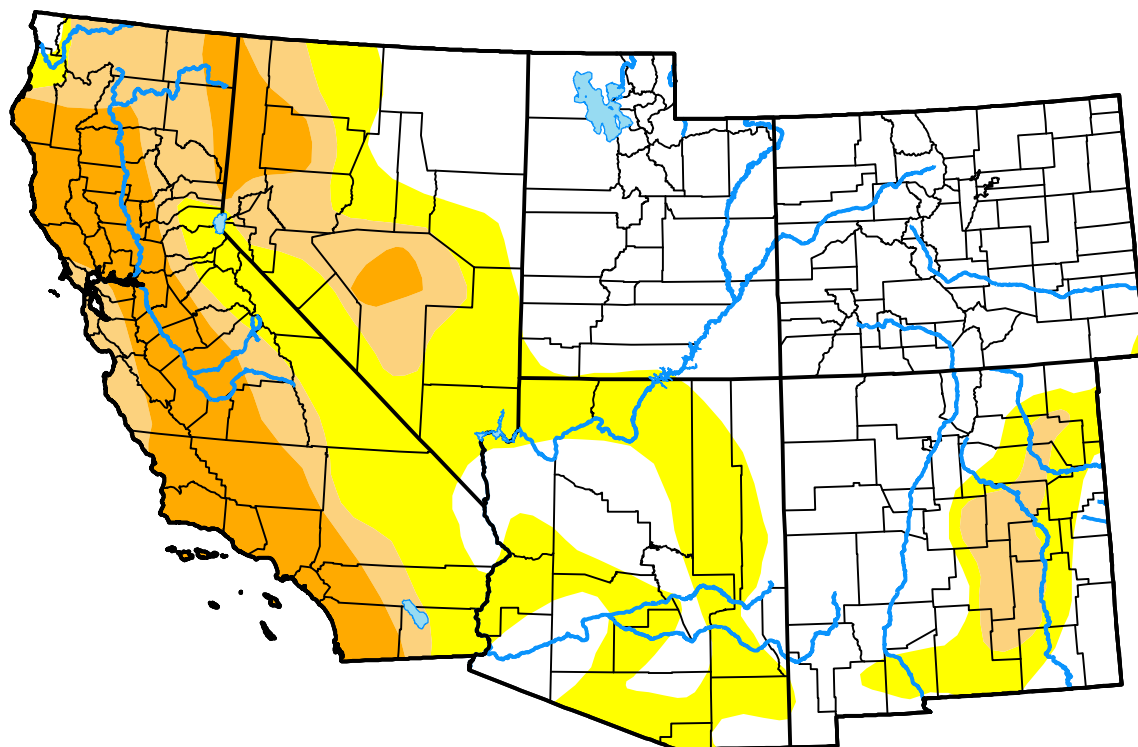
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	50.88	24.74	12.59	11.79	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-21-2009	47.67	26.36	13.51	12.46	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-28-2009	22.68	43.55	20.99	12.78	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2008	32.49	30.93	21.86	14.09	0.63	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2008	39.88	21.58	22.11	15.96	0.47	0.00
One Year Ago 07-29-2008	39.65	19.65	26.38	13.60	0.61	0.12



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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