

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	57.04	31.25	8.21	3.51	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-13-2010</i>	56.33	31.95	8.21	3.51	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-19-2010</i>	18.76	35.01	23.52	21.13	1.58	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	29.34	24.65	29.84	15.34	0.83	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	36.21	30.96	21.00	11.82	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-21-2009</i>	21.52	43.71	21.99	12.77	0.00	0.00

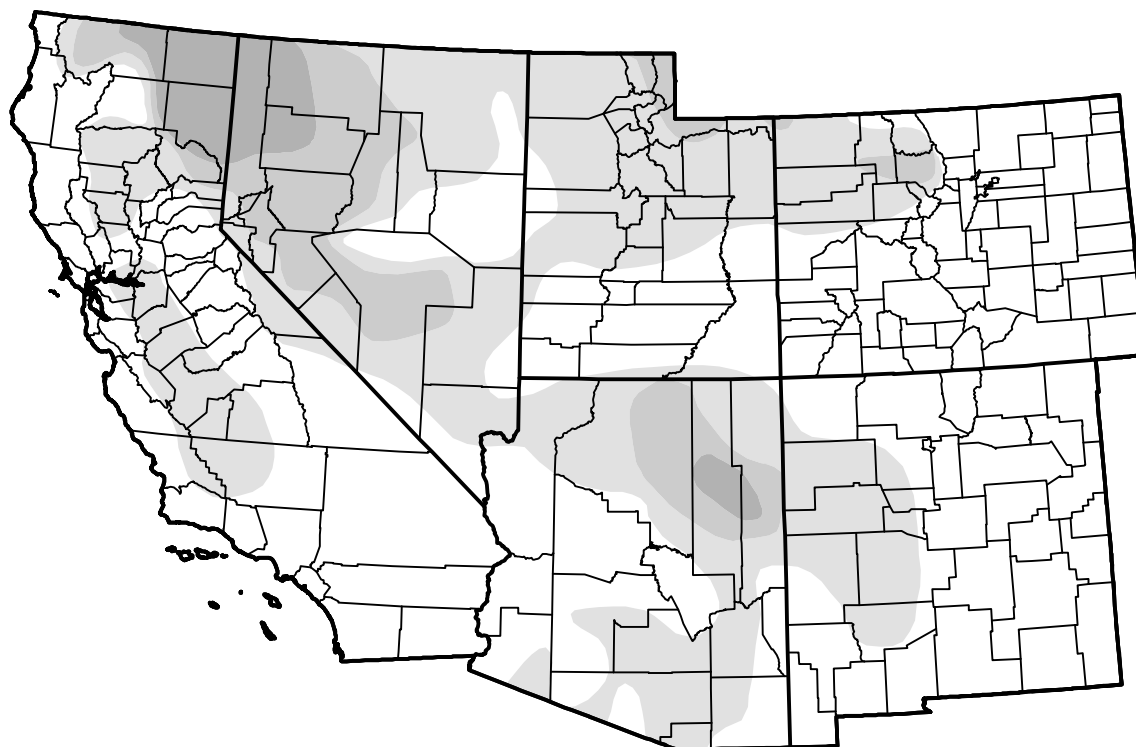
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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