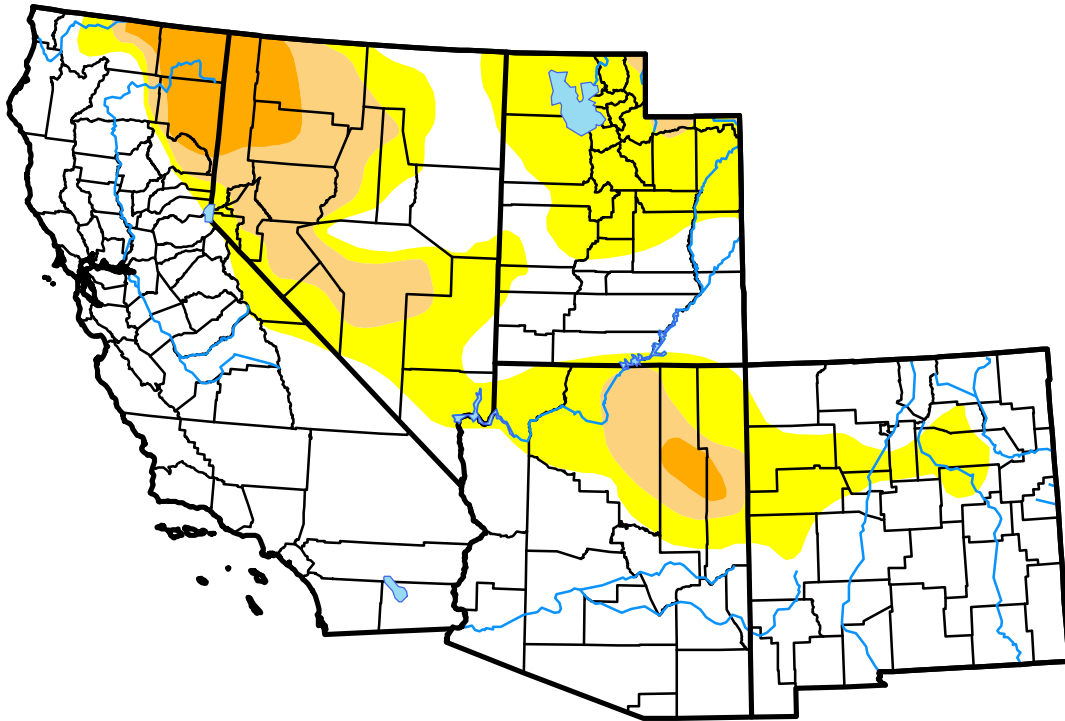


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| Current | 63.42 | 23.63 | 8.70 | 3.96 | 0.25 | 0.03 |
| Last Week <i>05-25-2010</i> | 63.65 | 23.40 | 8.70 | 3.97 | 0.24 | 0.03 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>03-02-2010</i> | 36.18 | 39.61 | 17.26 | 6.76 | 0.11 | 0.07 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i> | 22.38 | 24.80 | 33.68 | 18.12 | 1.02 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i> | 30.31 | 31.53 | 24.04 | 14.04 | 0.07 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>06-02-2009</i> | 30.58 | 32.33 | 21.37 | 15.73 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

Intensity:

- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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