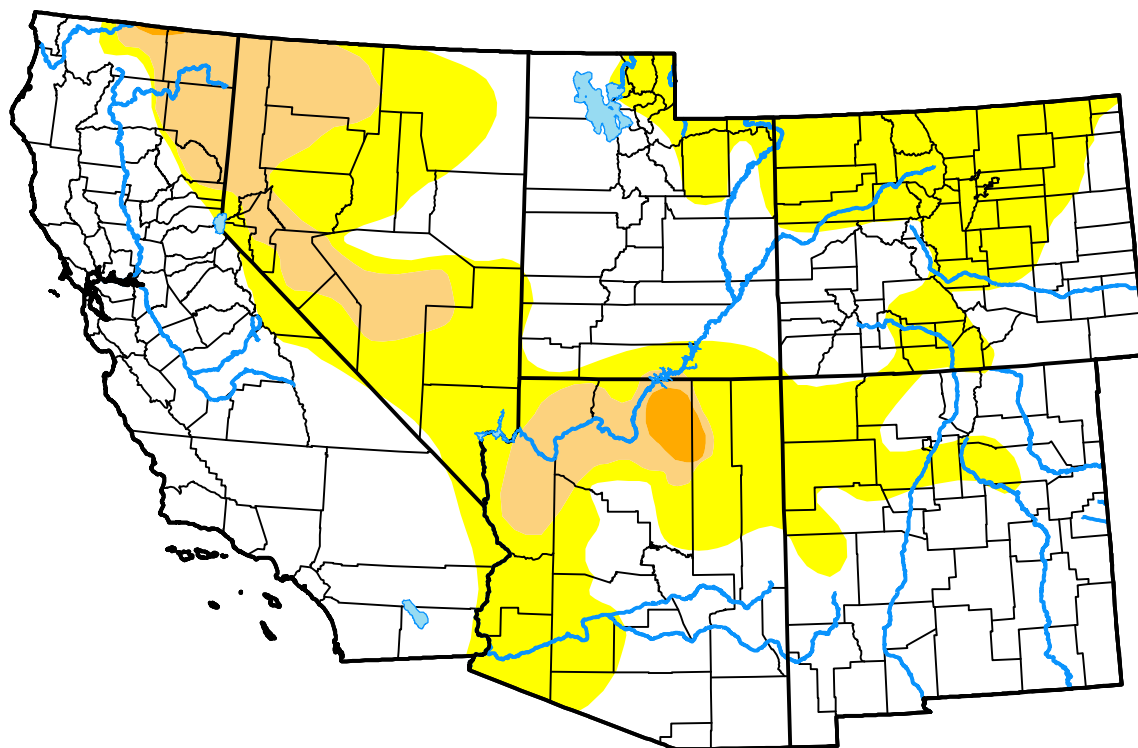


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	59.36	31.10	8.96	0.59	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-14-2010</i>	62.23	28.22	8.96	0.59	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-22-2010</i>	63.31	24.69	11.51	0.49	0.00	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>09-22-2009</i>	36.21	31.68	20.28	11.82	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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