

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

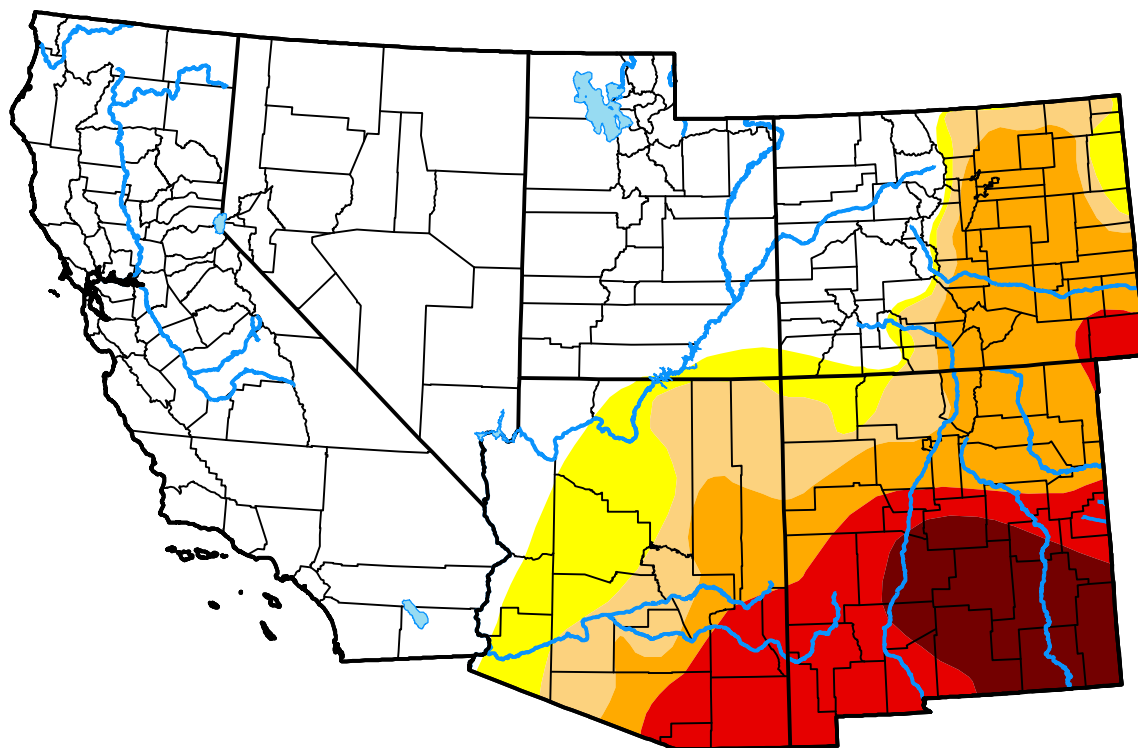
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	58.79	41.21	34.36	26.62	13.75	5.28
Last Week <i>05-03-2011</i>	58.86	41.14	34.34	26.62	13.75	2.39
3 Months Ago <i>02-08-2011</i>	57.73	42.27	23.44	7.60	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	61.96	38.04	19.86	1.52	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	51.98	48.02	11.54	0.59	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-11-2010</i>	58.22	41.78	11.54	3.51	0.00	0.00



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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