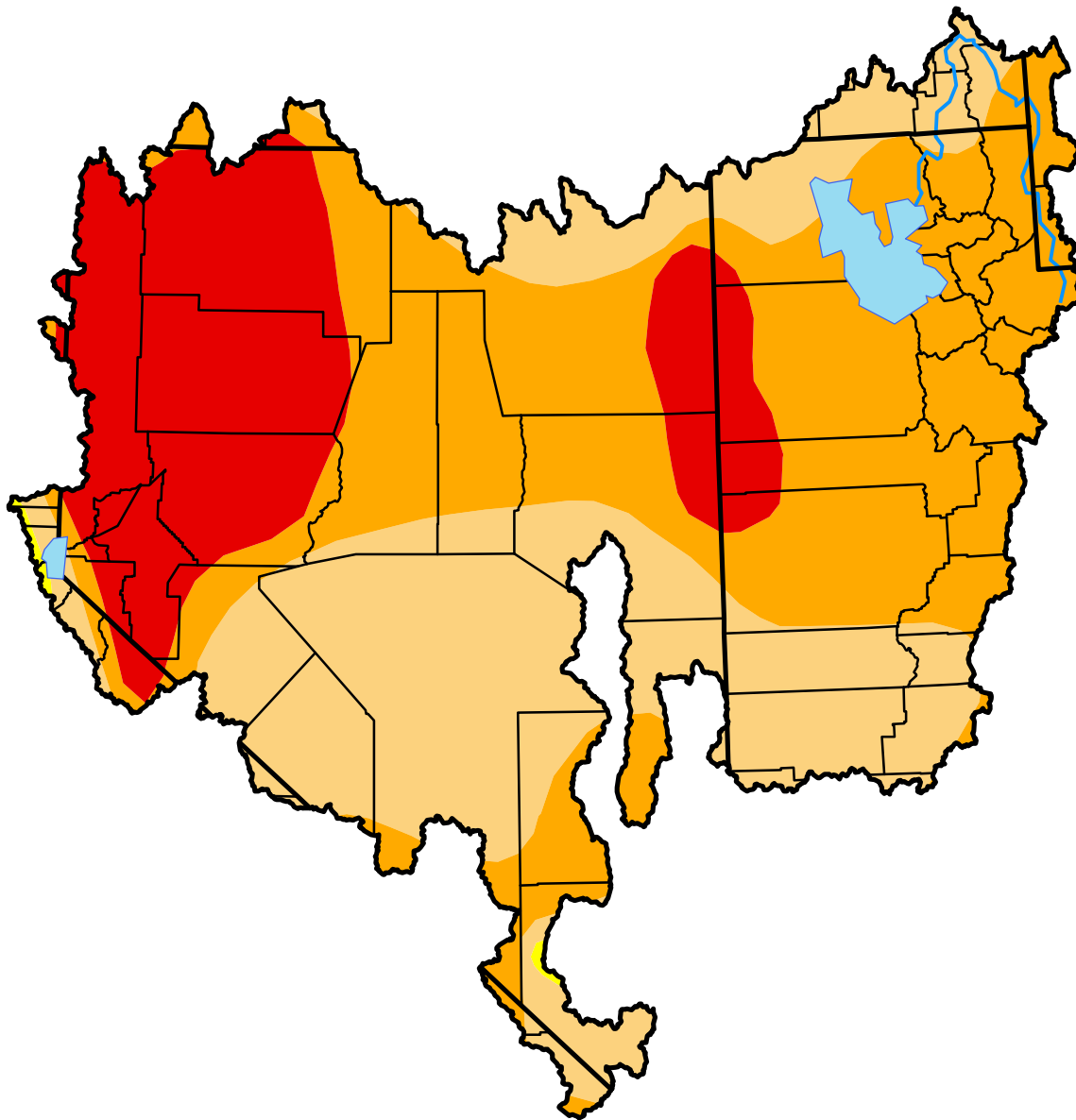


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Basin Watershed

**October 2, 2012**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	100.00	99.76	65.71	22.47	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	99.76	65.42	22.47	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-03-2012</i>	0.02	99.98	90.10	66.64	11.16	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2012</i>	39.21	60.79	25.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	99.76	65.42	22.47	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-04-2011</i>	93.49	6.51	0.00	0.00	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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