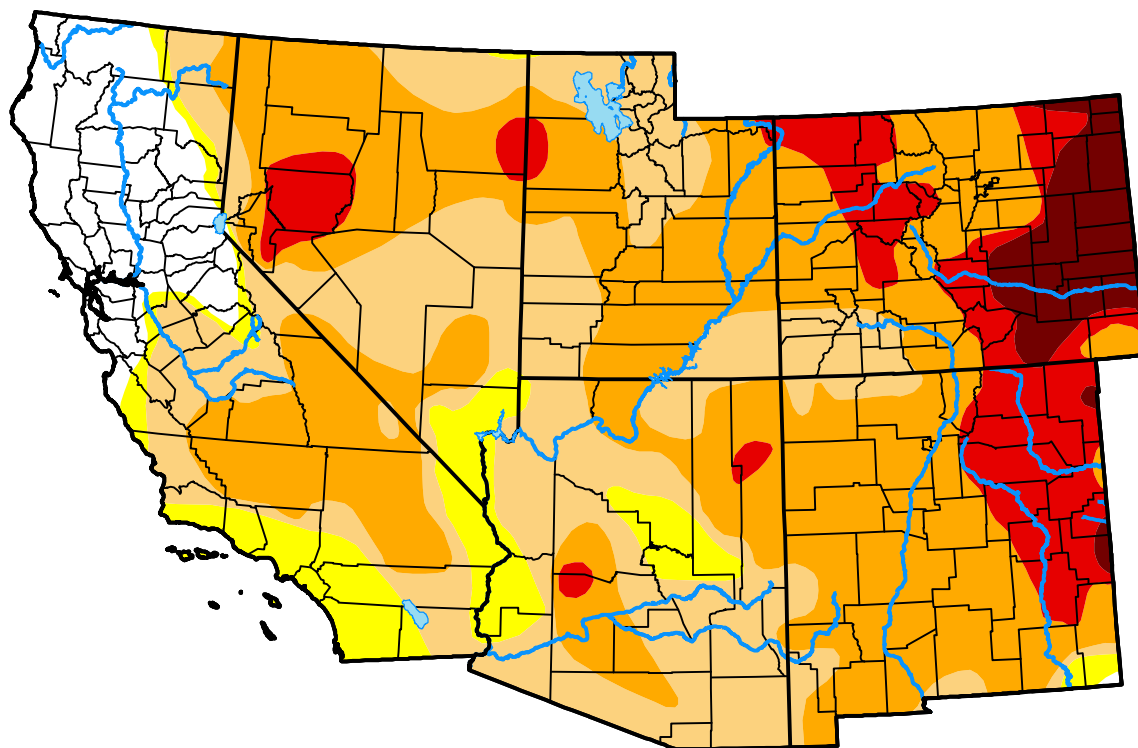


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	7.93	7.43	29.20	41.27	10.25	3.91
Last Week <i>02-05-2013</i>	7.85	7.33	26.43	42.02	12.45	3.91
3 Months Ago <i>11-13-2012</i>	1.65	7.37	37.15	34.82	17.02	2.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	7.24	4.44	28.14	39.89	18.09	2.20
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	2.72	4.37	37.46	35.79	16.99	2.65
One Year Ago <i>02-14-2012</i>	11.12	24.36	46.87	13.27	2.95	1.43

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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