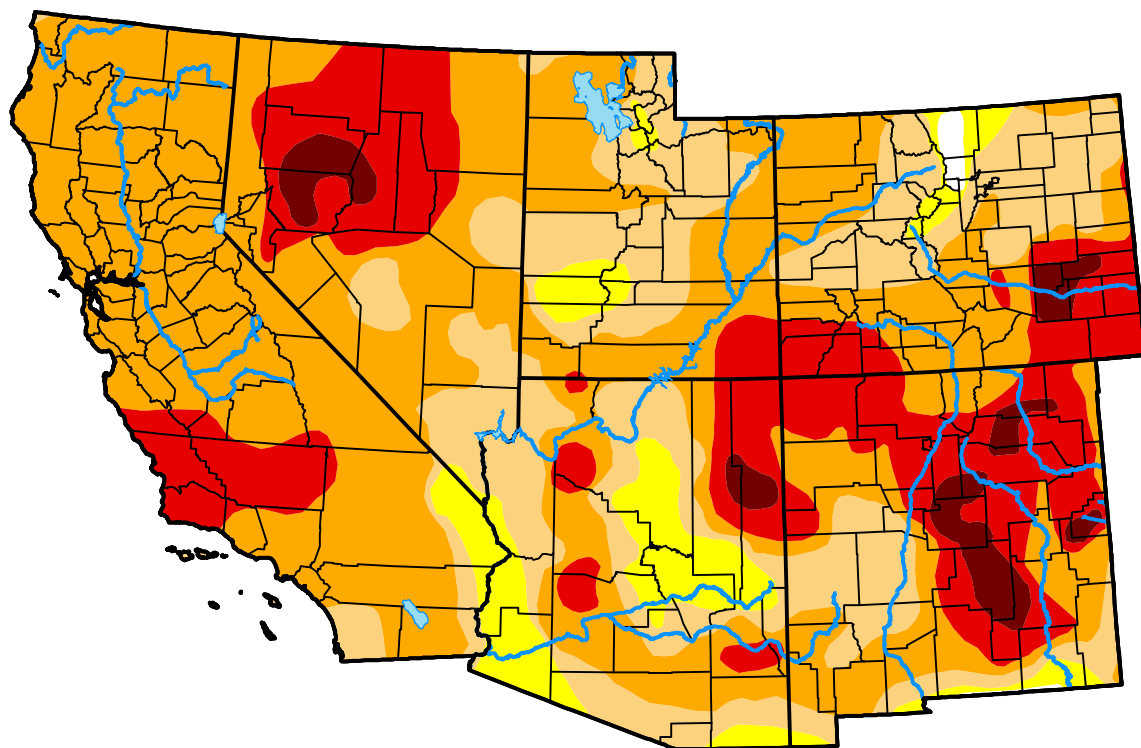


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.35	6.64	22.49	47.85	19.54	3.13
Last Week <i>08-27-2013</i>	0.31	4.64	19.48	50.39	21.72	3.47
3 Months Ago <i>06-04-2013</i>	0.00	2.94	27.92	45.71	13.20	10.23
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>09-04-2012</i>	2.68	4.33	33.10	39.57	18.14	2.18

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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