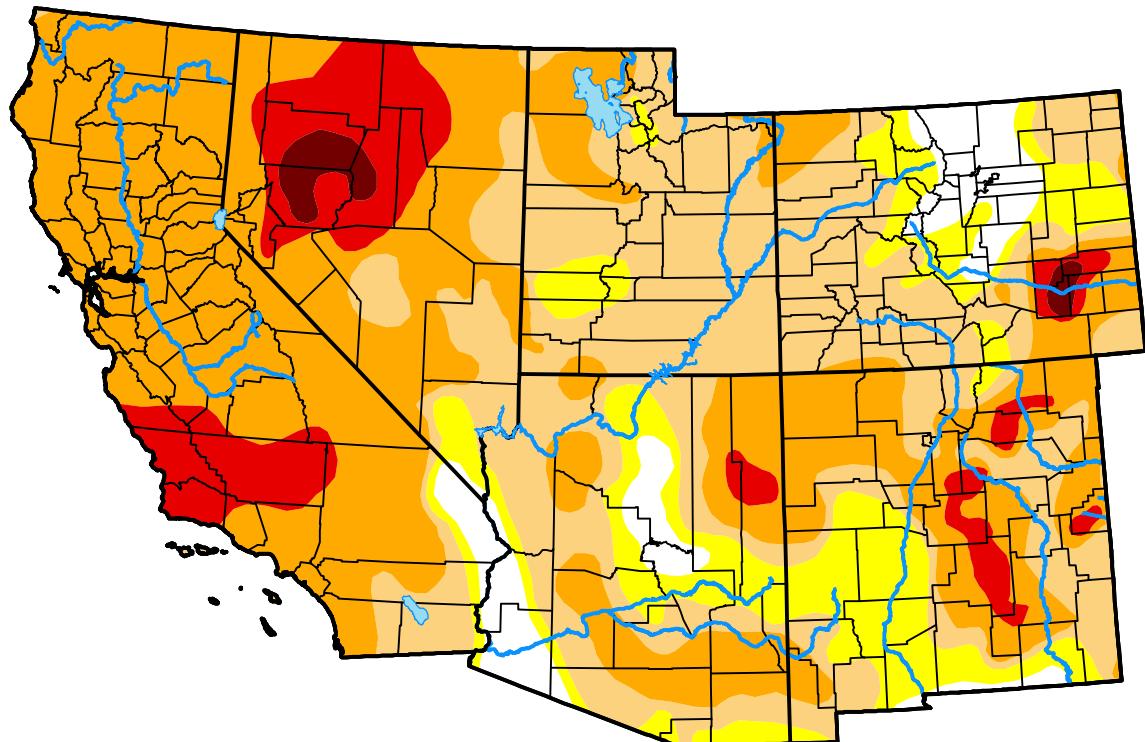


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southwest



September 17, 2013
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|---|------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Current | 5.43 | 94.57 | 82.53 | 50.88 | 9.60 | 1.08 |
| Last Week 09-10-2013 | 0.92 | 99.08 | 92.54 | 70.17 | 21.74 | 3.13 |
| 3 Months Ago 06-18-2013 | 0.00 | 100.00 | 98.29 | 74.04 | 29.98 | 10.37 |
| Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013 | 7.24 | 92.76 | 88.32 | 60.18 | 20.29 | 2.20 |
| Start of Water Year 09-25-2012 | 2.72 | 97.28 | 92.90 | 55.44 | 19.65 | 2.65 |
| One Year Ago 09-18-2012 | 2.72 | 97.28 | 92.91 | 55.44 | 19.65 | 2.65 |

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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