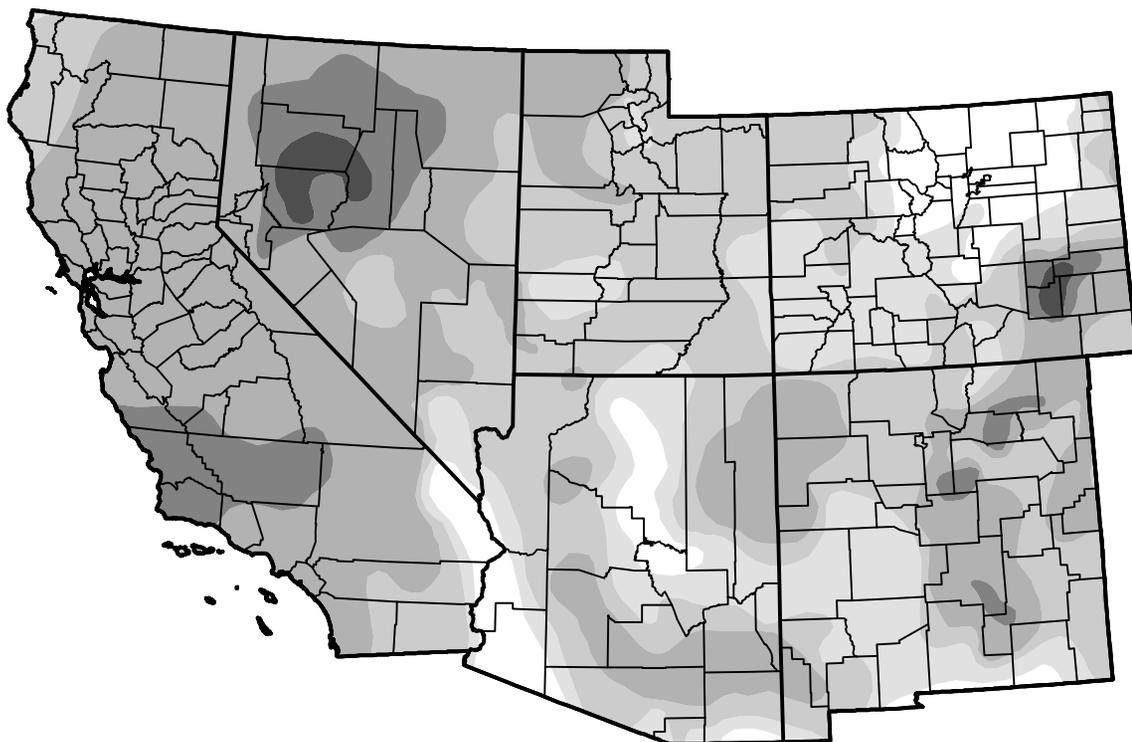


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	7.13	15.94	30.54	38.06	7.26	1.08
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-24-2013</i>	6.39	16.30	28.95	39.62	7.66	1.08
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-02-2013</i>	0.00	1.71	15.41	50.81	20.58	11.49
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	7.24	4.44	28.14	39.89	18.09	2.20
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	7.13	15.94	30.54	38.06	7.26	1.08
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-02-2012</i>	2.72	4.42	37.92	36.22	16.13	2.58

***Intensity:***



*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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