

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

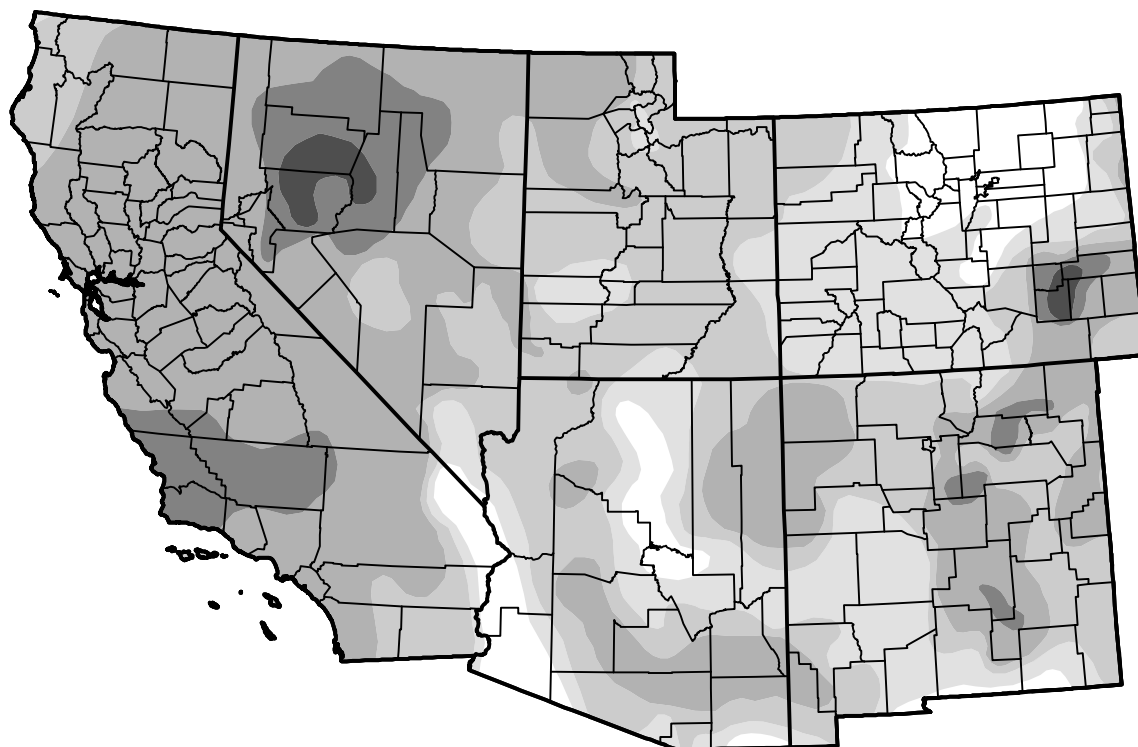
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	7.14	17.76	28.72	38.04	7.26	1.08
Last Week 10-15-2013	7.16	16.63	29.84	38.04	7.26	1.08
3 Months Ago 07-23-2013	0.00	3.42	15.89	52.77	17.89	10.03
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	7.24	4.44	28.14	39.89	18.09	2.20
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	7.13	15.94	30.54	38.06	7.26	1.08
One Year Ago 10-23-2012	1.55	6.98	38.00	34.25	16.99	2.22



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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