

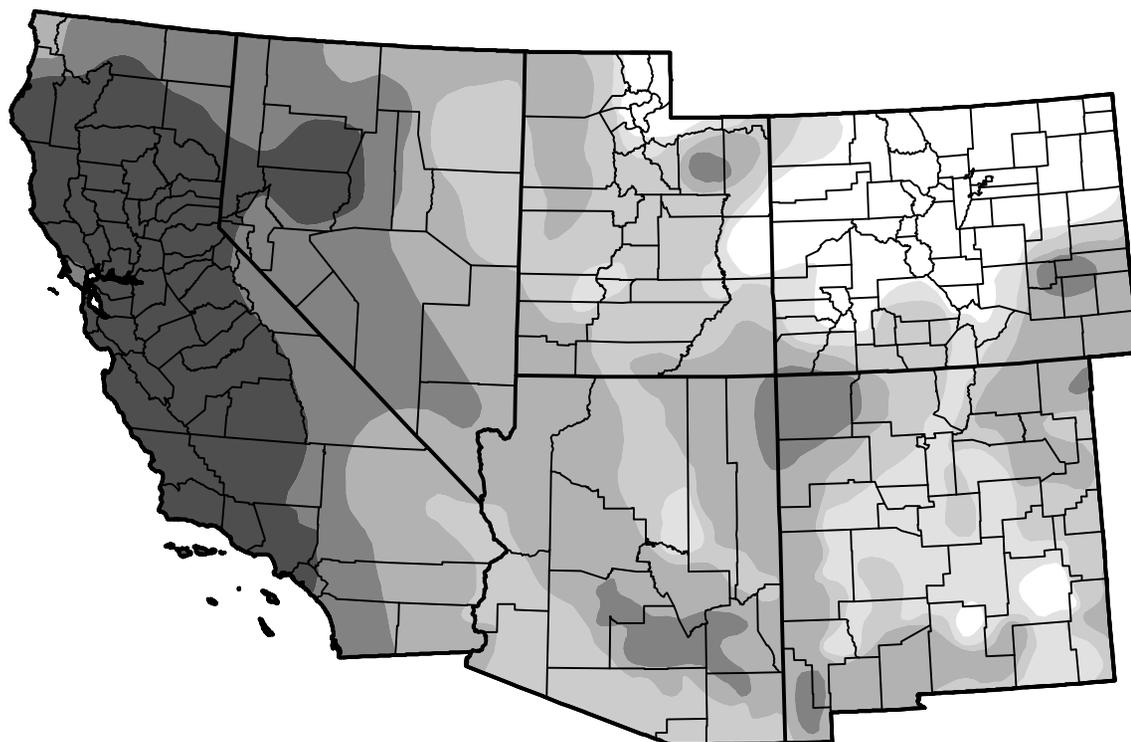
# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	10.59	8.86	20.52	29.12	15.68	15.22
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-12-2014</i>	10.48	8.15	19.98	29.90	16.26	15.22
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-20-2014</i>	7.84	6.37	15.71	36.75	25.10	8.24
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	8.95	21.63	25.16	32.12	11.06	1.08
<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>08-20-2013</i>	0.25	4.69	17.91	51.34	22.27	3.54



***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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