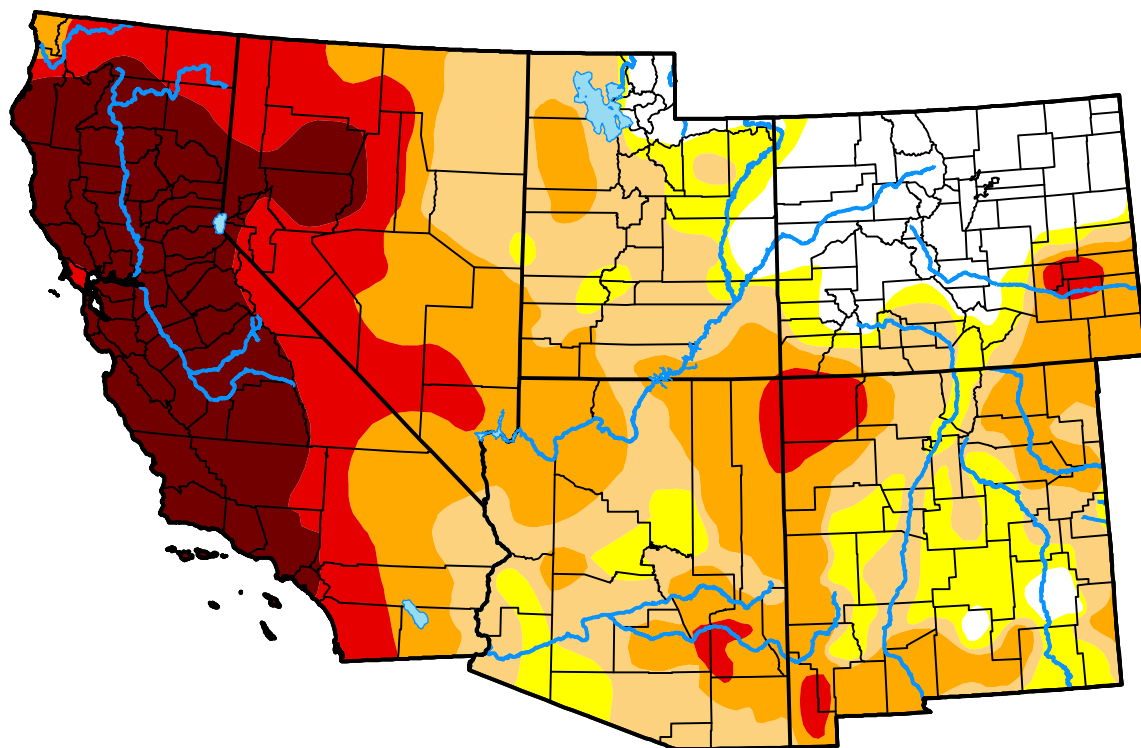


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	11.36	88.64	77.70	54.35	28.95	15.22
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-02-2014</i>	11.36	88.64	78.32	55.68	29.51	15.22
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-10-2014</i>	8.75	91.25	84.33	69.22	33.30	7.32
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	8.95	91.05	69.42	44.26	12.14	1.08
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	7.13	92.87	76.93	46.39	8.34	1.08
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-10-2013</i>	0.92	99.08	92.54	70.17	21.74	3.13

**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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