

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

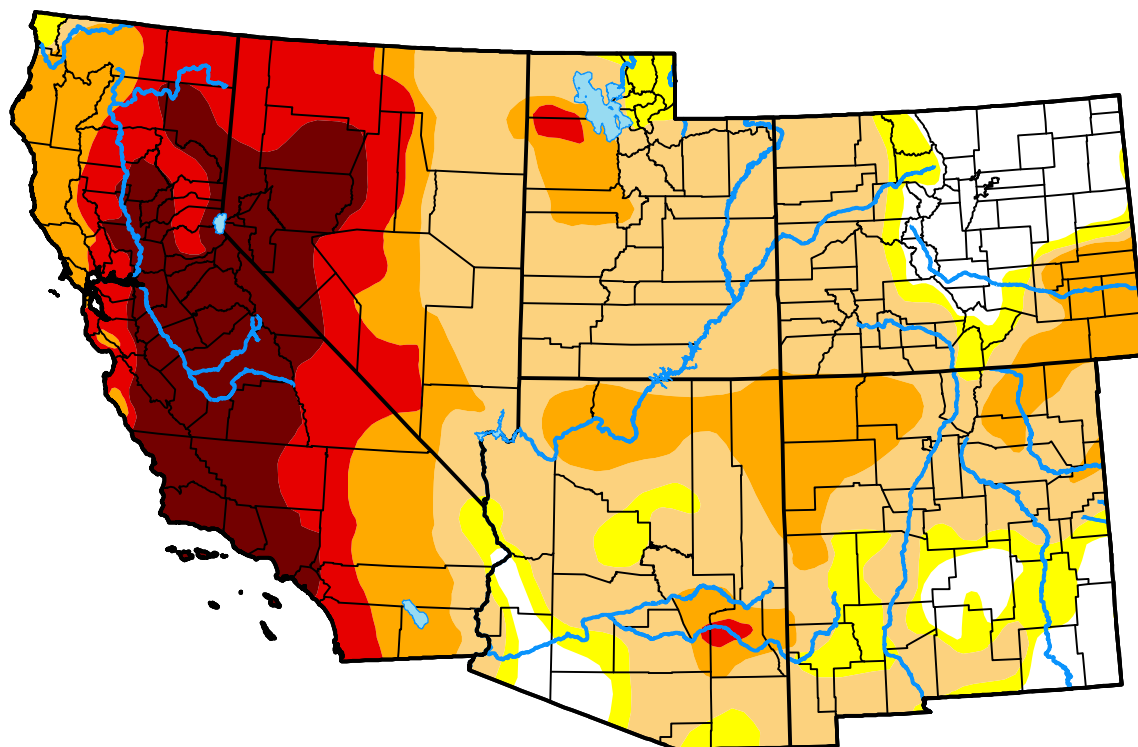
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	9.01	8.26	40.44	18.87	11.39	12.04
Last Week <i>02-24-2015</i>	9.19	7.83	38.35	19.91	12.69	12.04
3 Months Ago <i>12-02-2014</i>	14.92	11.09	27.22	19.59	12.71	14.46
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	14.92	11.70	26.64	19.97	17.53	9.24
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	15.60	10.53	25.88	19.21	13.56	15.22
One Year Ago <i>03-04-2014</i>	5.25	17.57	20.71	30.54	19.75	6.18



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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