

U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

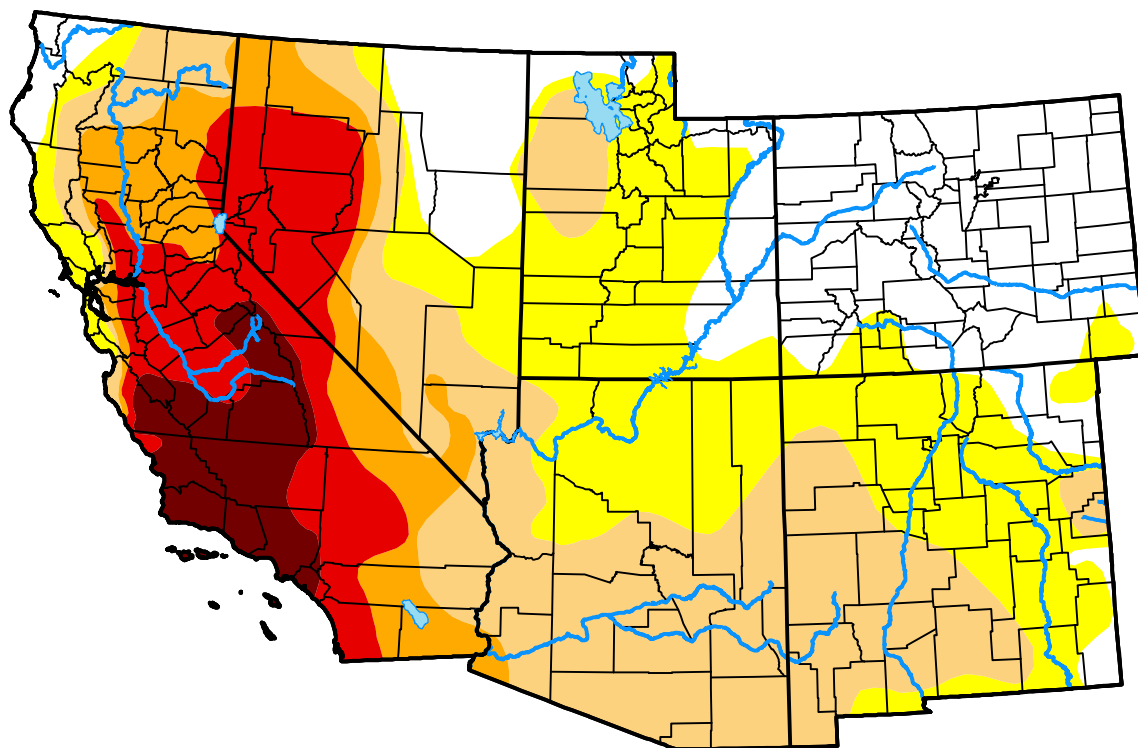
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	23.10	76.90	50.26	23.32	14.91	4.80
Last Week <i>04-26-2016</i>	14.29	85.71	53.18	24.91	14.91	4.80
3 Months Ago <i>02-02-2016</i>	41.26	58.74	39.51	27.71	18.64	9.75
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	31.79	68.21	48.49	33.36	20.81	11.72
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	23.90	76.10	56.71	37.02	22.19	13.03
One Year Ago <i>05-05-2015</i>	12.06	87.94	80.97	53.08	24.26	13.60



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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