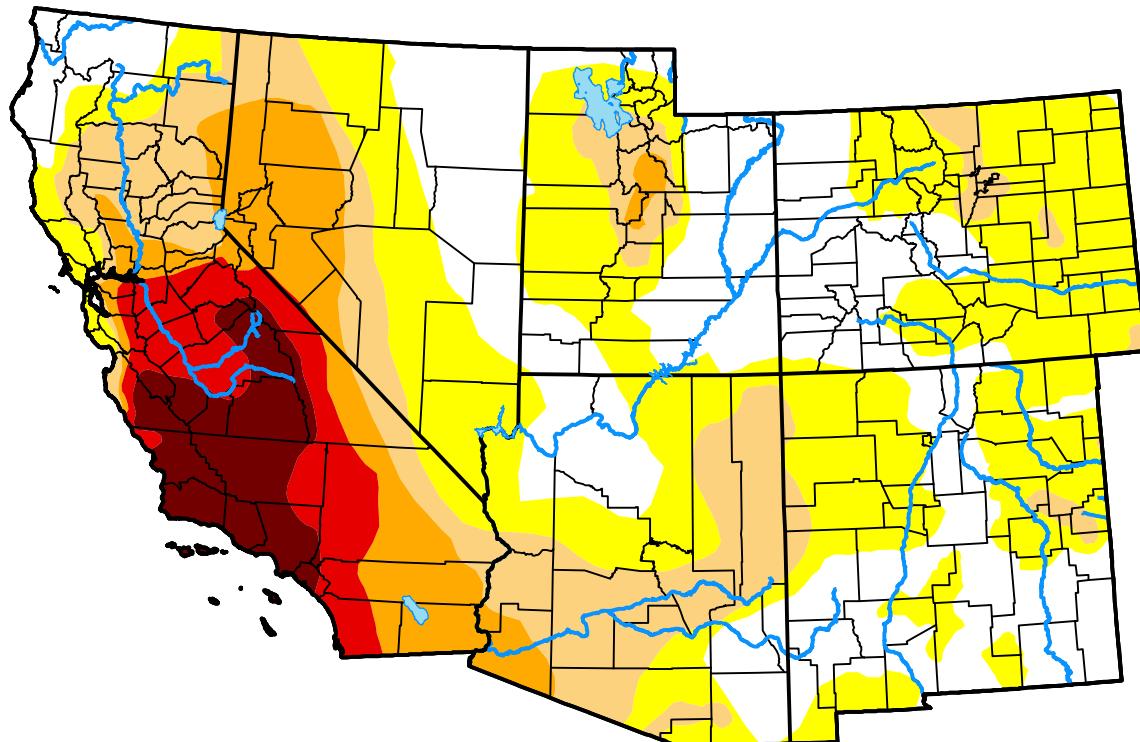


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southwest



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	29.45	70.55	35.00	18.54	9.80	4.80
Last Week 10-18-2016	31.65	68.35	34.65	18.54	9.80	4.80
3 Months Ago 07-26-2016	23.55	76.45	40.74	18.35	9.80	4.80
Start of Calendar Year 12-29-2015	31.79	68.21	48.49	33.36	20.81	11.72
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	29.25	70.75	35.05	18.65	9.80	4.80
One Year Ago 10-27-2015	28.06	71.94	53.76	36.27	21.83	13.03

### 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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