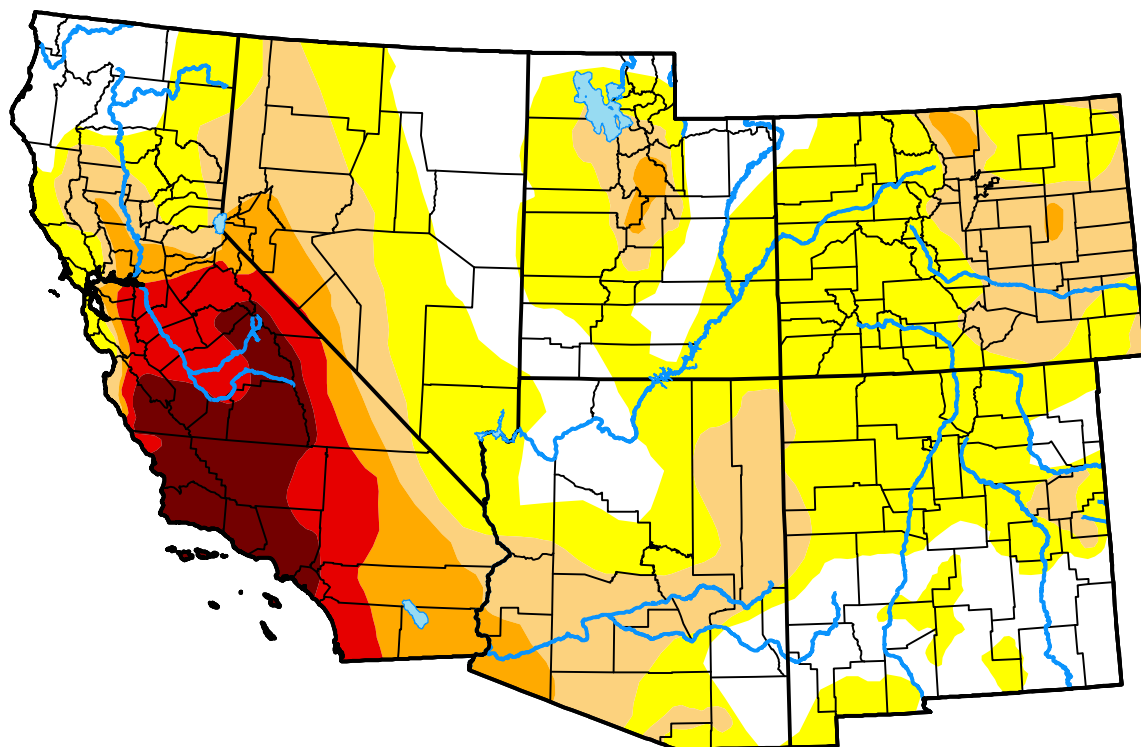


U.S. Drought Monitor Southwest

November 15, 2016
(Released Thursday, Nov. 17, 2016)
Valid 7 a.m. EST



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	21.91	40.74	21.11	6.45	5.00	4.80
Last Week <i>11-08-2016</i>	21.91	41.40	20.77	6.12	5.00	4.80
3 Months Ago <i>08-16-2016</i>	23.52	35.08	24.01	7.58	5.00	4.80
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	31.79	19.72	15.13	12.54	9.10	11.72
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	29.25	35.71	16.40	8.84	5.00	4.80
One Year Ago <i>11-17-2015</i>	30.33	18.23	16.34	13.91	9.47	11.72

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>

Author:

Richard Heim
NCEI/NOAA



droughtmonitor.unl.edu