

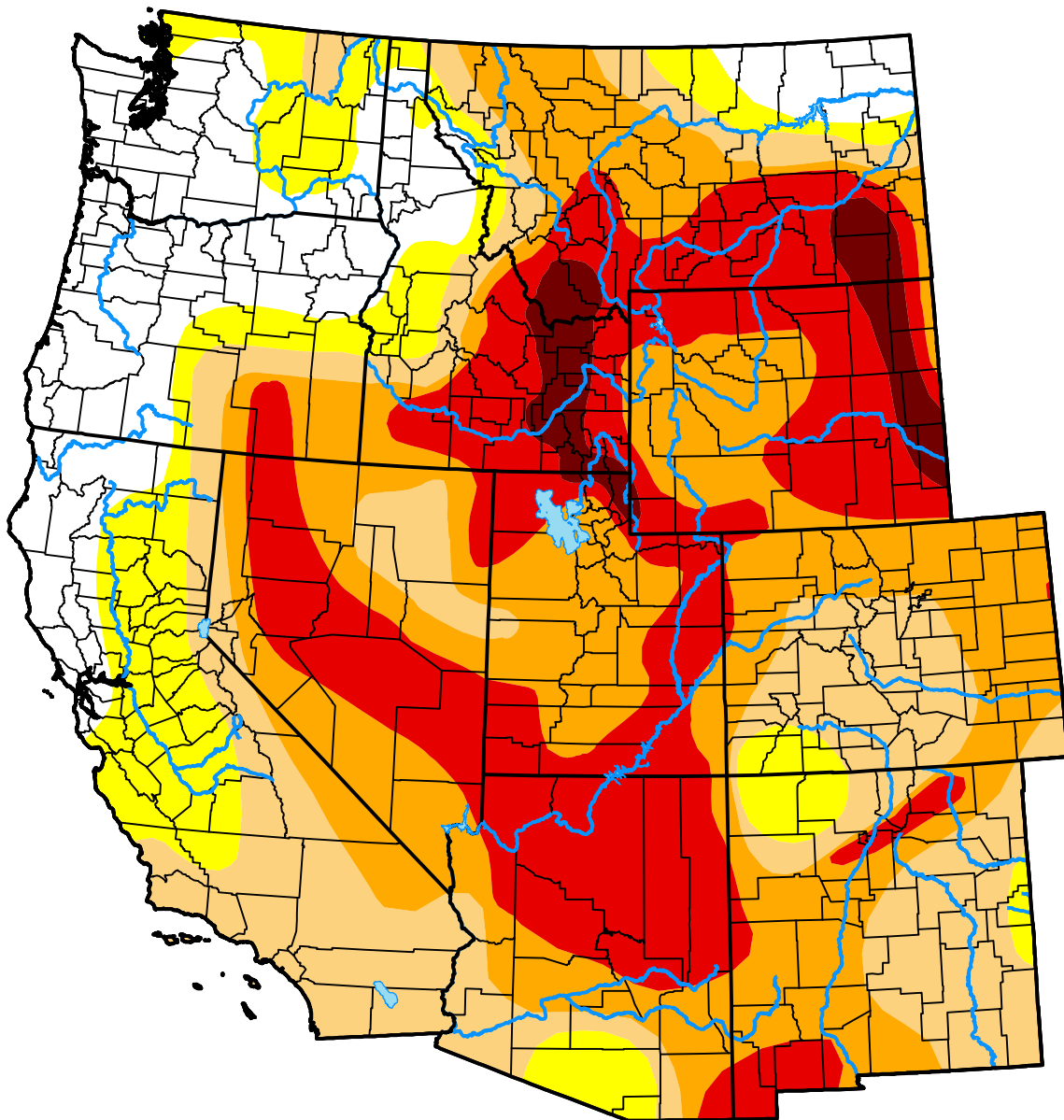
# U.S. Drought Monitor Western U.S.

**June 22, 2004**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 14.16 | 85.84 | 74.31 | 54.04 | 26.06 | 2.86 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>06-15-2004</i>              | 14.04 | 85.96 | 73.09 | 53.96 | 27.66 | 2.89 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>03-23-2004</i>           | 18.53 | 81.47 | 70.50 | 57.45 | 28.60 | 4.88 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-30-2003</i> | 14.51 | 85.49 | 78.10 | 64.14 | 32.80 | 8.62 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2003</i>    | 9.28  | 90.72 | 82.26 | 64.88 | 39.35 | 5.31 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>06-24-2003</i>           | 22.97 | 77.03 | 66.00 | 50.15 | 27.15 | 2.23 |



**Intensity:**

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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