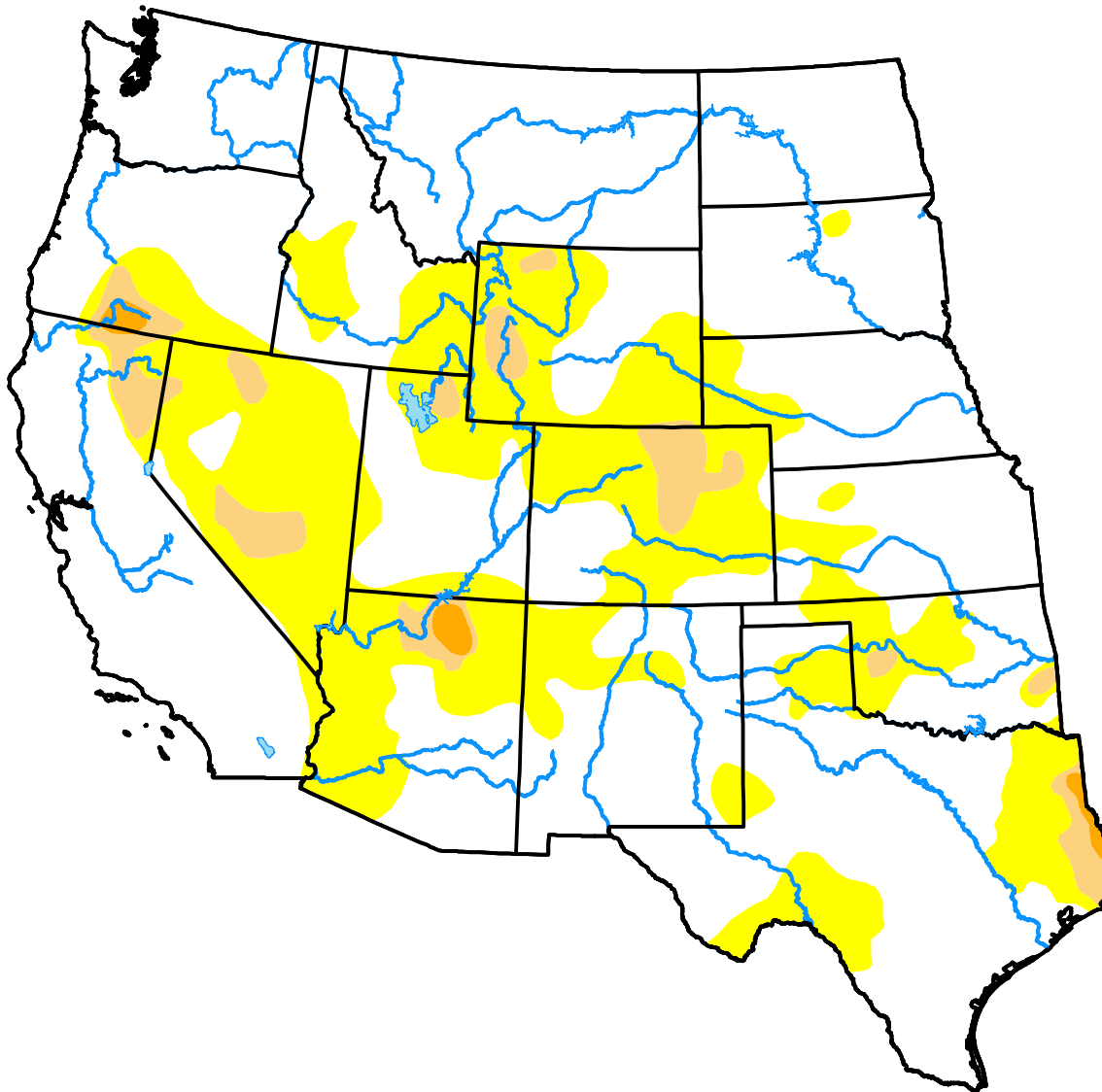


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	68.54	31.46	4.28	0.51	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-05-2010</i>	68.79	31.21	5.97	0.51	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-13-2010</i>	78.61	21.39	6.71	0.66	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	57.25	42.75	19.45	6.76	0.32	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	68.78	31.22	5.80	0.50	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-13-2009</i>	56.39	43.61	20.24	10.44	0.91	0.21

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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