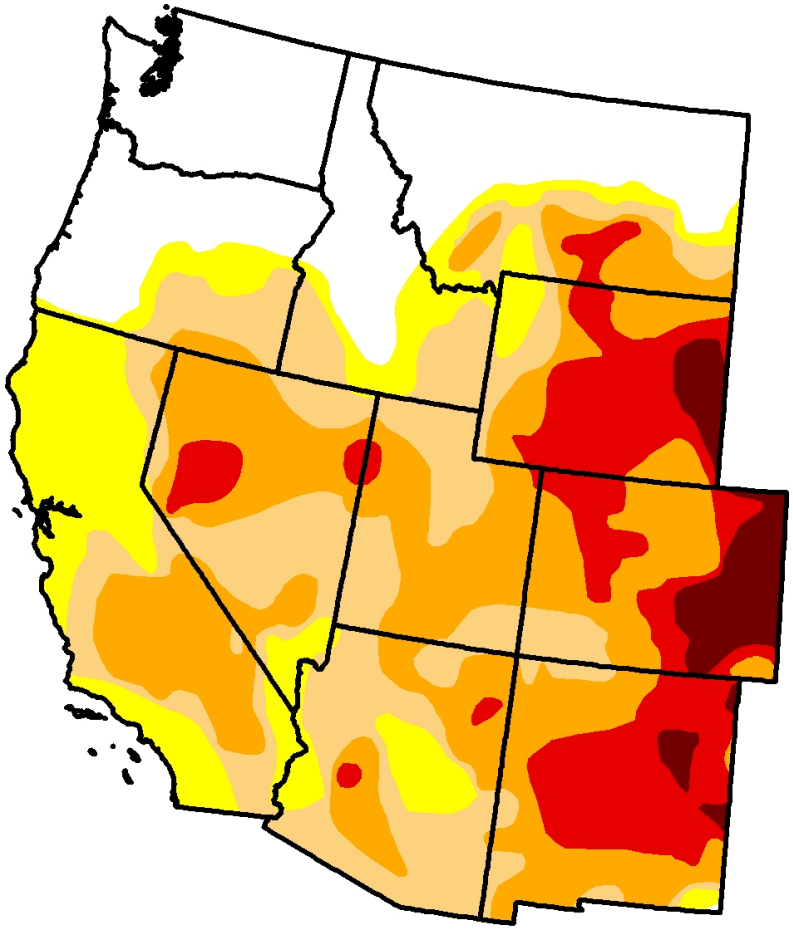
U.S. Drought Monitor

West

February 26, 2013
Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	21.53	78.47	64.32	42.23	15.92	3.47
Last Week (02/19/2013 map)	23.76	76.24	64.34	41.81	15.89	3.15
3 Months Ago (11/27/2012 map)	18.70	81.30	72.70	46.27	17.45	2.03
Start of Calendar Year (01/01/2013 map)	24.39	75.61	69.31	45.04	18.01	2.15
Start of Water Year (09/25/2012 map)	15.12	84.88	77.15	43.65	16.85	1.77
One Year Ago (02/21/2012 map)	32.32	67.68	42.87	11.59	2.56	0.83



Intensity:

- *D0 Abnormally Dry*
- *D1 Drought - Moderate*
- *D2 Drought - Severe*
- *D3 Drought - Extreme*
- *D4 Drought - Exceptional*

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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