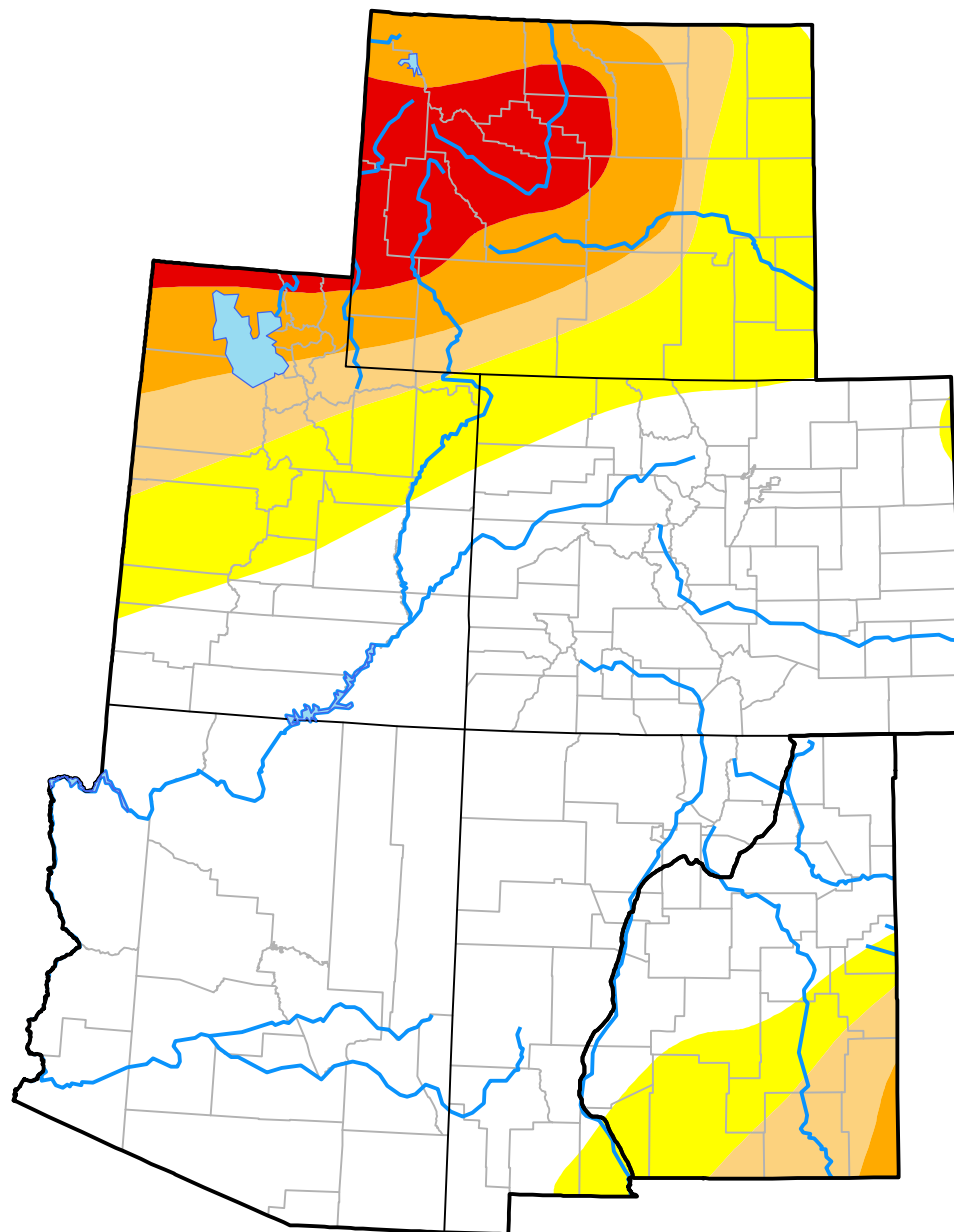


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West RDEWS

**August 14, 2001**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 16, 2001)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 64.76 | 15.61 | 6.83  | 7.68 | 5.11 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-09-2001</i>              | 62.96 | 17.18 | 7.32  | 7.33 | 5.20 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-17-2001</i>           | 81.44 | 10.36 | 6.46  | 1.74 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2001</i> | 79.37 | 19.19 | 1.43  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2000</i>    | 13.66 | 50.06 | 27.68 | 8.60 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-17-2000</i>           | 22.21 | 44.70 | 29.41 | 3.66 | 0.01 | 0.00 |

### 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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