

# U.S. Drought Monitor

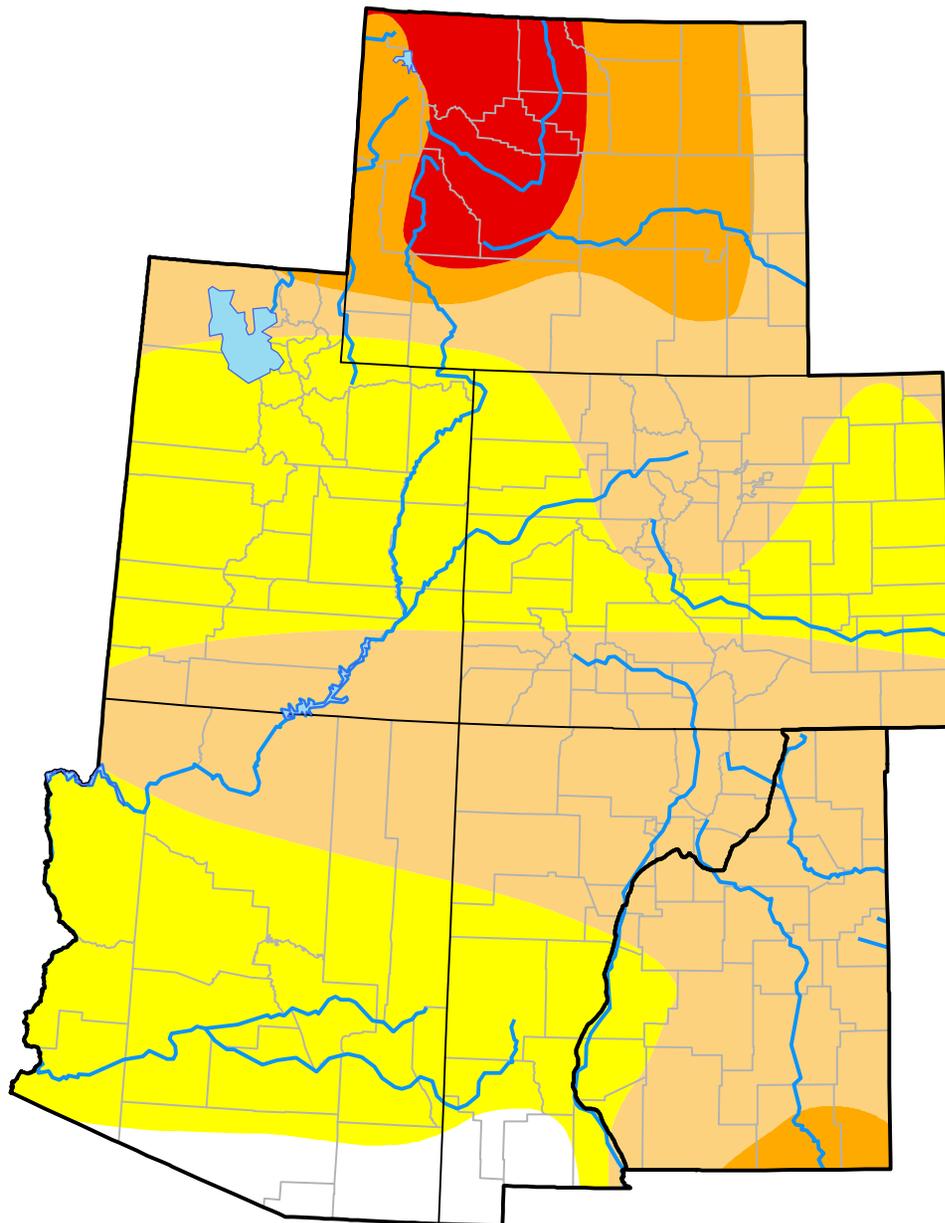
## Intermountain West RDEWS

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 3.76  | 40.85 | 41.53 | 9.24  | 4.63 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>02-07-2002</i>              | 13.85 | 41.68 | 28.59 | 11.01 | 4.87 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-15-2001</i>           | 35.58 | 30.91 | 17.20 | 6.81  | 9.50 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 35.30 | 30.57 | 20.01 | 8.40  | 5.71 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2001</i>    | 49.75 | 23.98 | 12.08 | 5.33  | 8.87 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-15-2001</i>           | 80.27 | 11.54 | 8.18  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |



***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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