

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**October 29, 2002**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	0.00	14.76	25.83	51.43	7.98
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-22-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	13.50	27.54	51.20	7.75
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-30-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	3.08	19.51	50.91	26.50
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	40.16	34.59	13.18	6.01	6.06	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	7.30	26.05	50.55	16.10
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-30-2001</i>	48.63	27.99	9.51	3.94	9.94	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

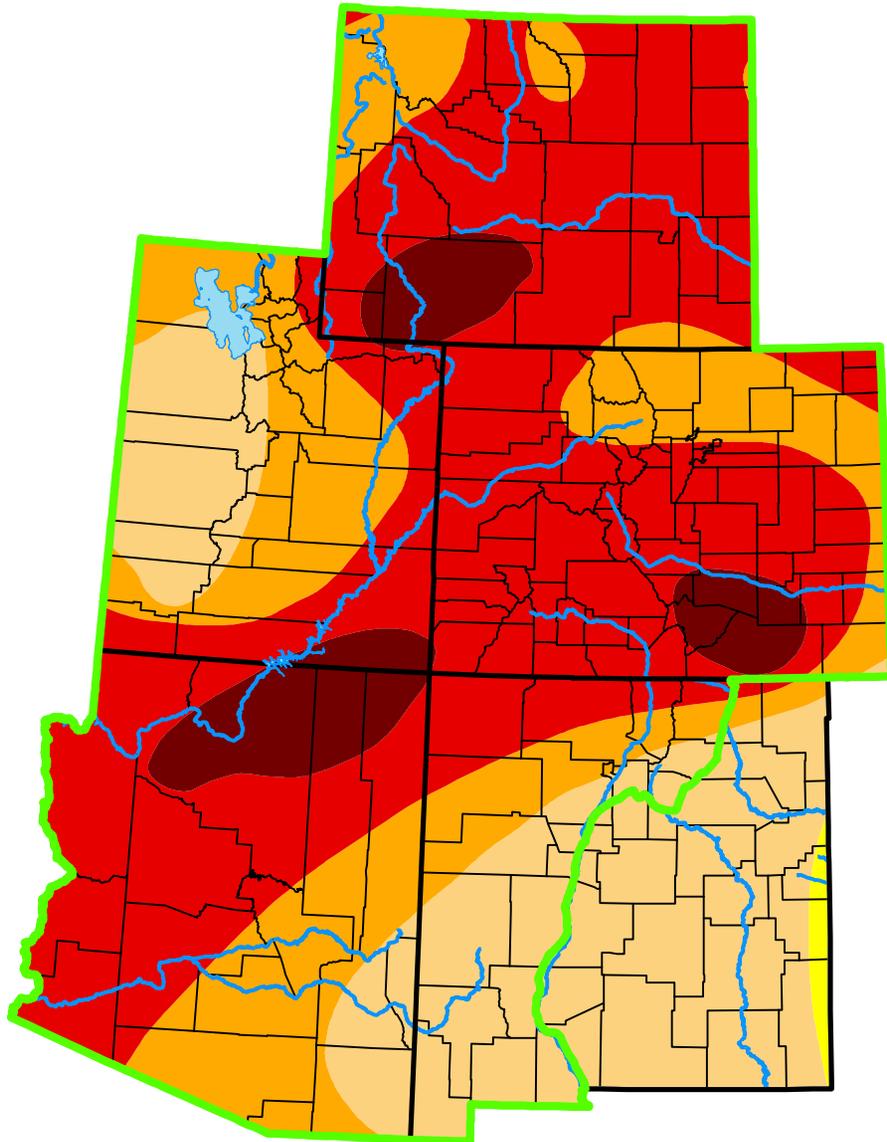
Intensity:

 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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