

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**September 7, 2004**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	3.98	96.02	87.57	70.30	35.59	1.83
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-31-2004</i>	4.00	96.00	87.57	71.05	38.27	1.99
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-08-2004</i>	0.00	100.00	94.68	79.81	41.13	0.47
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	91.02	81.33	41.49	8.07
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	92.75	76.49	42.78	3.95
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-09-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	94.49	80.51	46.31	4.81

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

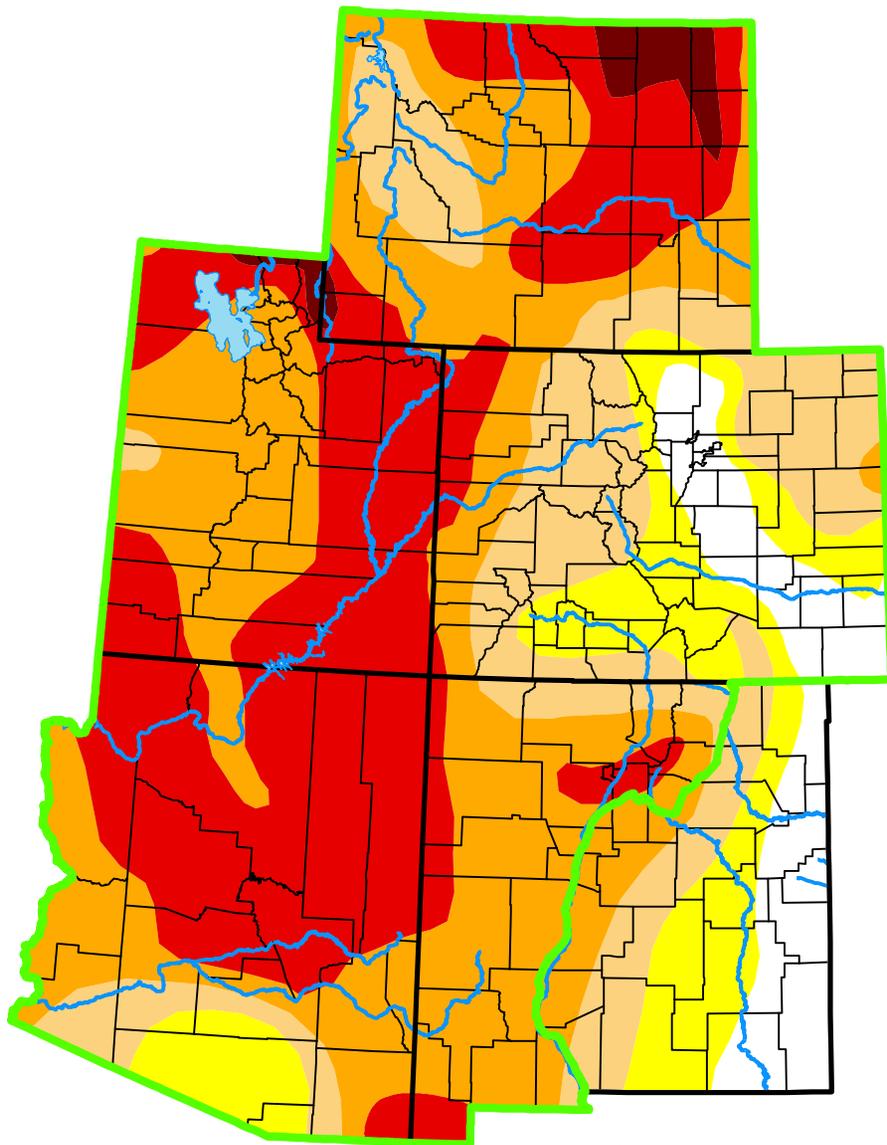
Intensity:

 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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