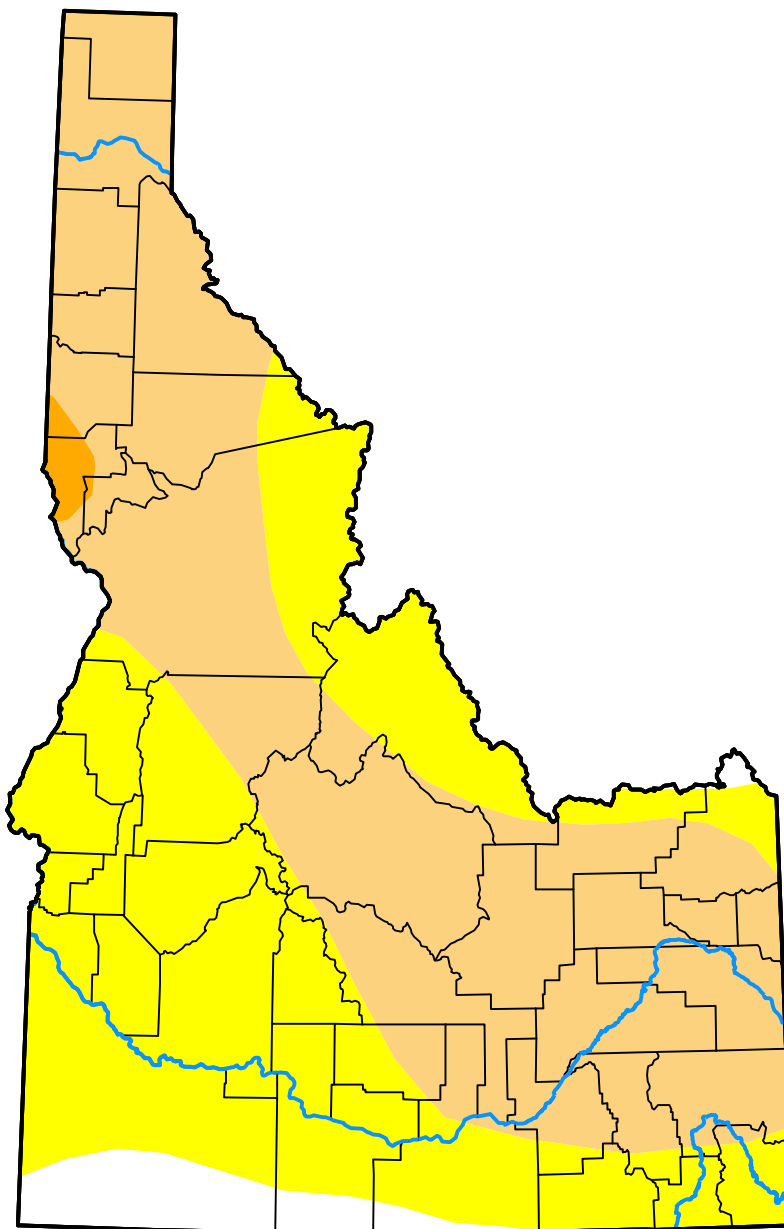


U.S. Drought Monitor Idaho



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.62	44.00	50.60	0.78	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-15-2005</i>	4.62	55.07	39.53	0.78	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-22-2005</i>	3.83	7.94	61.35	26.87	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	32.51	6.71	9.17	21.01	26.21	4.38
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	4.39	8.11	61.44	26.06	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-23-2004</i>	32.51	6.71	9.23	18.29	23.24	10.01

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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