

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

March 21, 2006

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	26.98	73.02	49.76	29.37	11.38	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-14-2006</i>	26.98	73.02	49.76	29.37	11.38	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-20-2005</i>	40.11	59.89	20.16	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2006</i>	33.36	66.64	24.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2005</i>	45.89	54.11	27.37	7.52	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-22-2005</i>	16.80	83.20	51.16	24.85	9.62	4.68

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

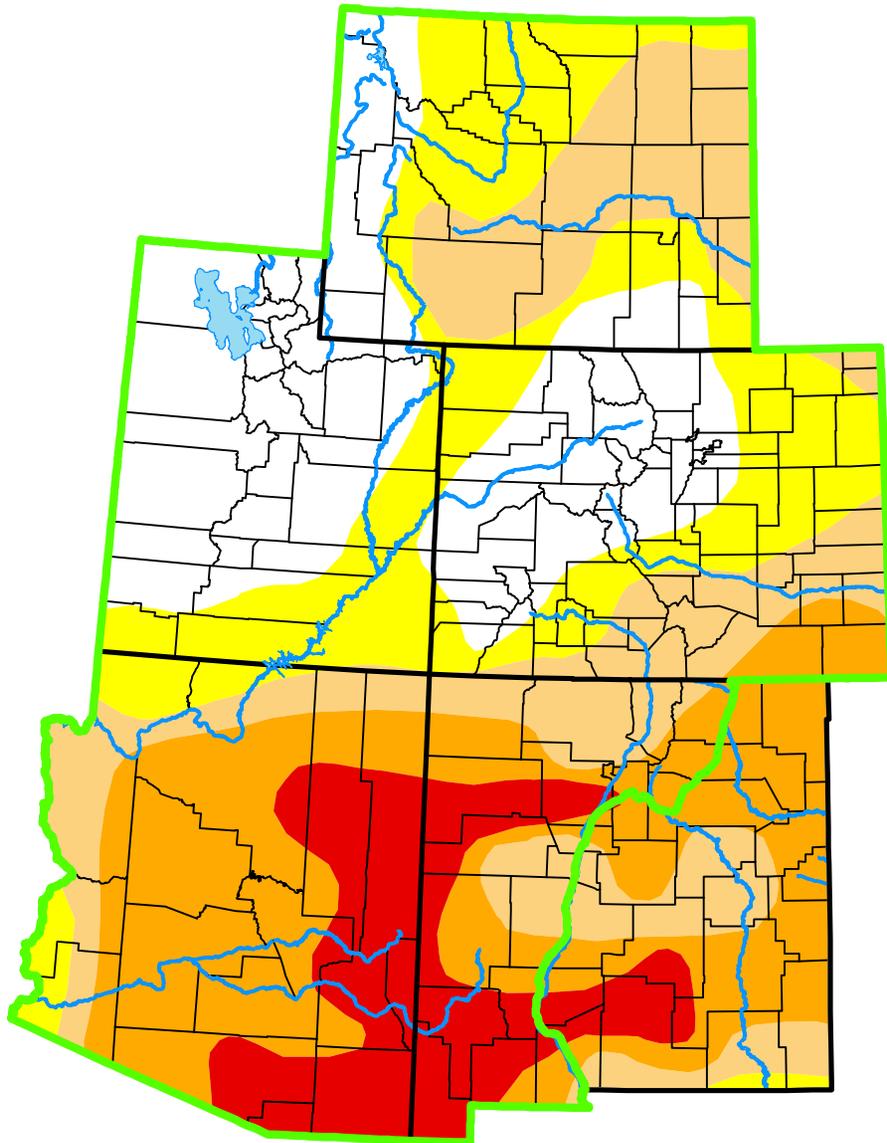
Intensity:



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