

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Utah

**May 16, 2006**

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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 76.30 | 23.70 | 2.76  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-11-2006</i>              | 76.30 | 23.70 | 2.76  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-16-2006</i>           | 77.70 | 22.30 | 0.41  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2006</i> | 83.43 | 16.57 | 0.78  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2005</i>    | 79.79 | 20.21 | 2.43  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-19-2005</i>           | 76.18 | 23.82 | 3.59  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

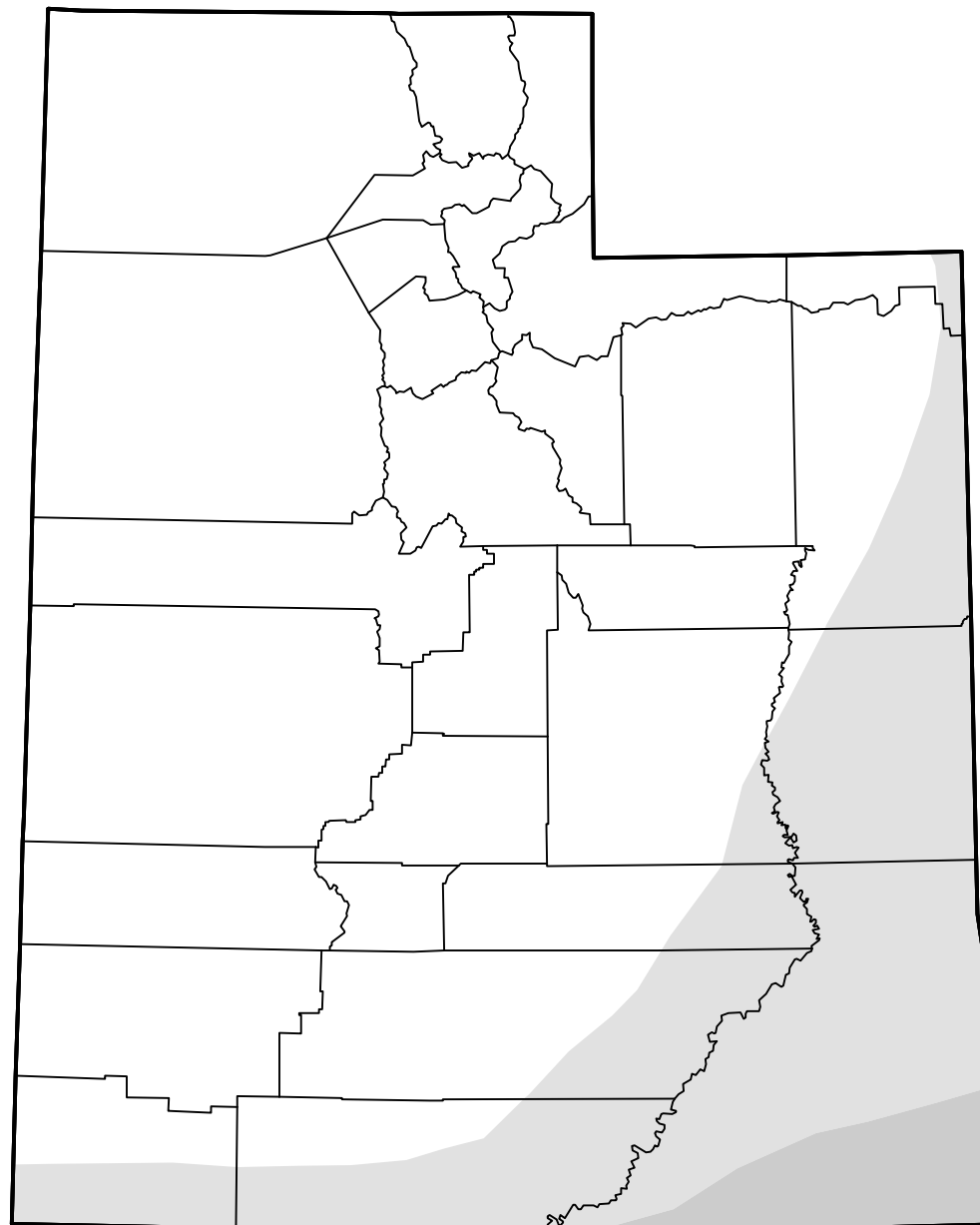
### Intensity:

|                                                                                                           |                                                                                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  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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