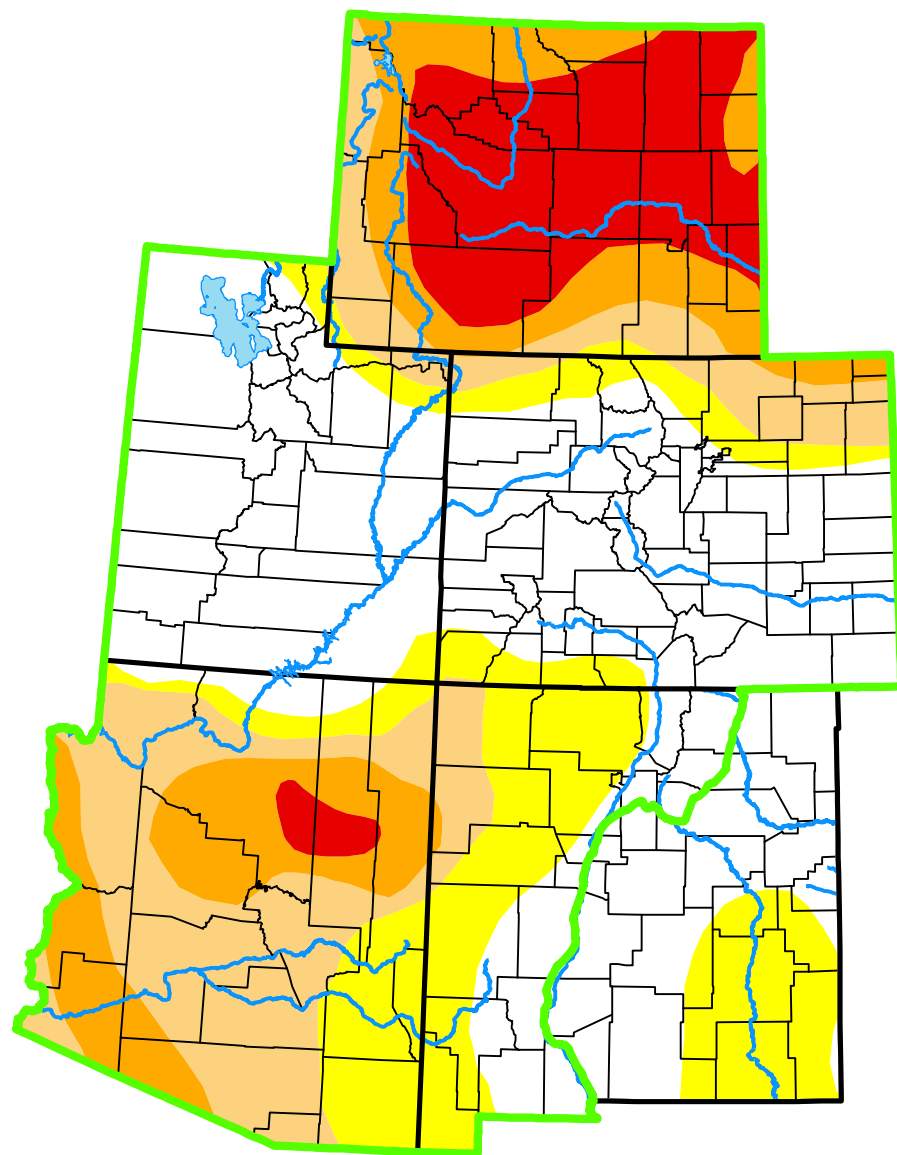


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



**January 16, 2007**

*(Released Thursday, Jan. 18, 2007)*

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                        | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                         | 39.84 | 15.22 | 18.36 | 14.30 | 12.27 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-09-2007</i>                  | 35.93 | 19.14 | 18.36 | 14.30 | 12.27 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>10-17-2006</i>               | 31.49 | 22.44 | 23.68 | 10.96 | 11.42 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2007</i> | 35.83 | 20.02 | 22.69 | 11.99 | 9.47  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br><i>09-26-2006</i>    | 21.59 | 29.52 | 25.99 | 11.42 | 11.49 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-17-2006</i>               | 32.78 | 27.16 | 34.38 | 5.67  | 0.00  | 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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