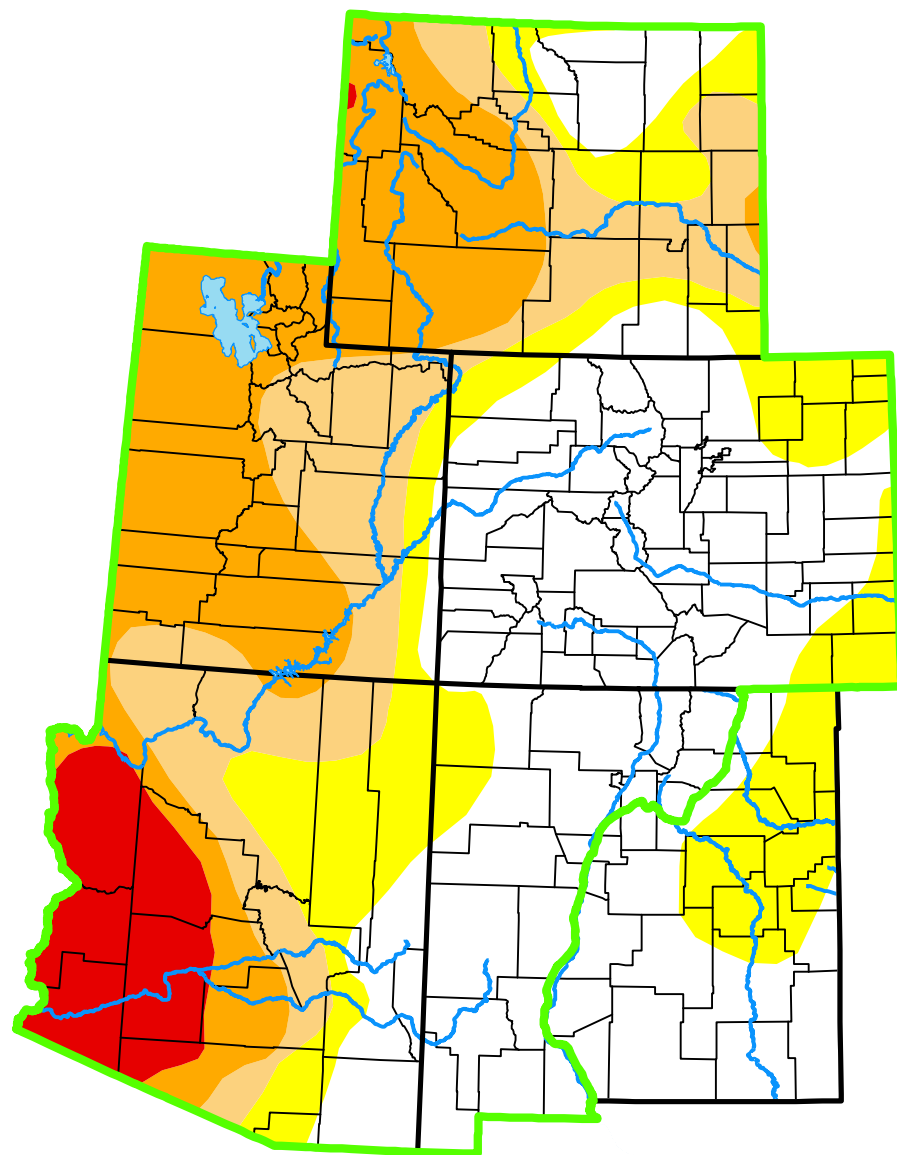


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



October 23, 2007

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	36.98	16.14	17.49	22.60	6.79	0.00
Last Week <i>10-16-2007</i>	36.98	16.12	17.48	22.51	6.91	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-24-2007</i>	19.52	17.90	14.00	38.60	9.99	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	35.83	20.02	22.69	11.99	9.47	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	30.77	20.27	19.05	22.31	7.61	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-24-2006</i>	31.49	22.44	23.68	10.96	11.42	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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