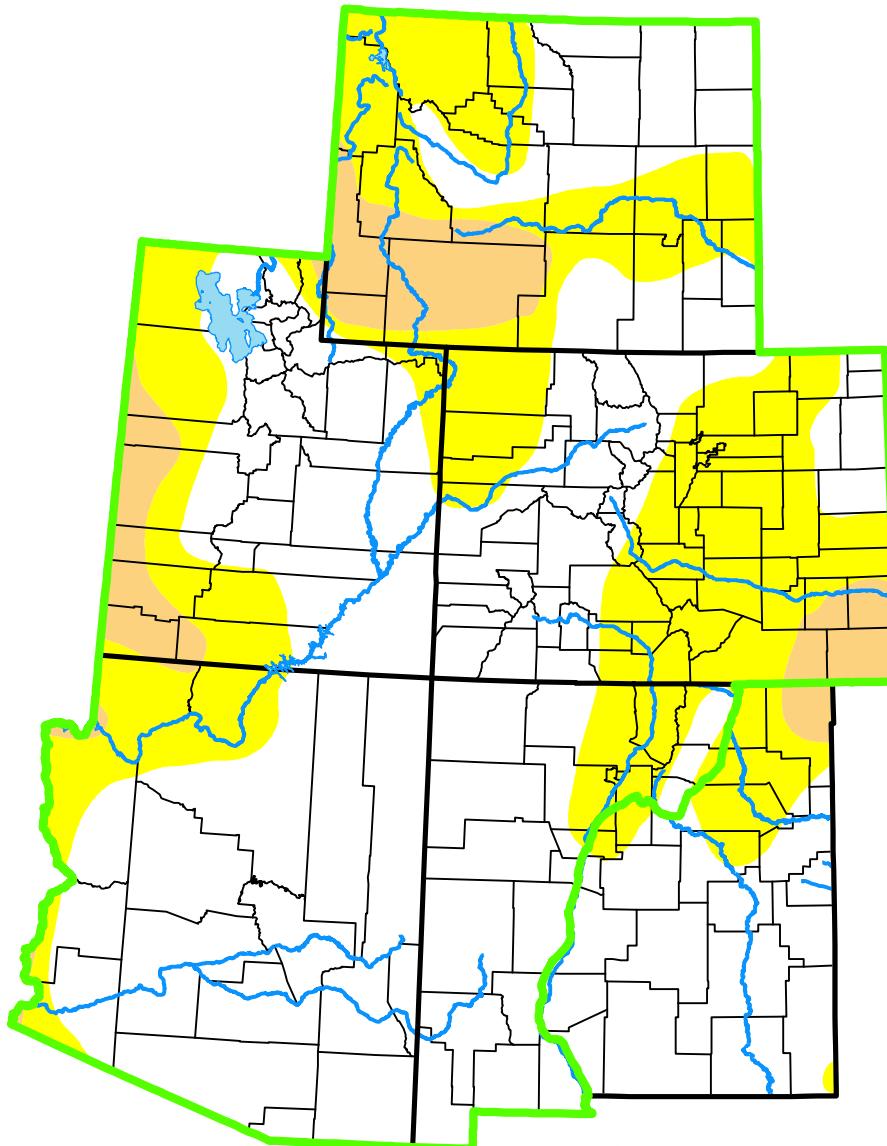


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	60.73	31.61	7.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-07-2008	59.28	31.43	8.53	0.76	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-15-2008	54.43	27.90	12.43	4.67	0.39	0.17
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2008	34.57	22.10	17.50	25.83	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2008	59.28	30.71	9.25	0.76	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-16-2007	36.98	16.12	17.48	22.51	6.91	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

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