

U.S. Drought Monitor

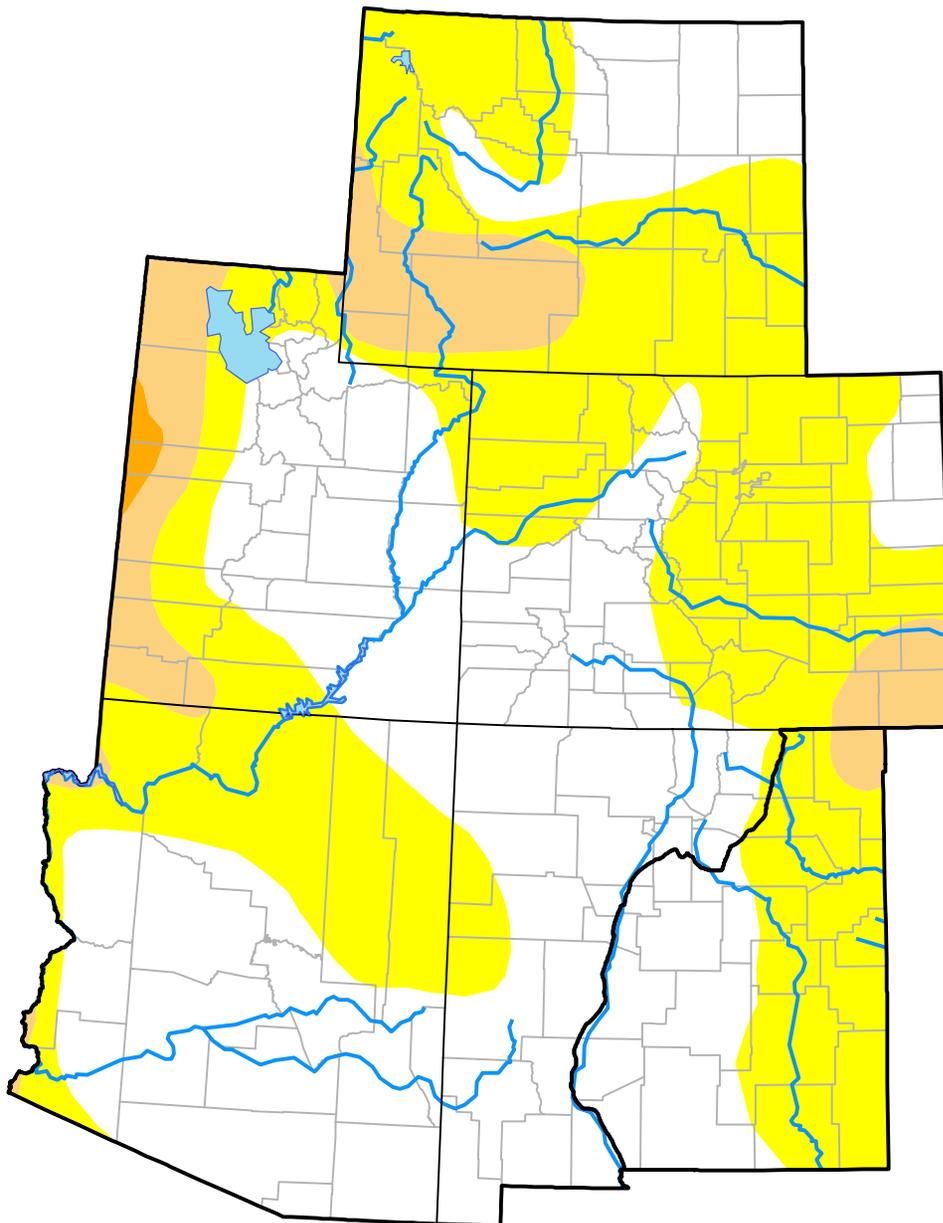
Intermountain West RDEWS

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	49.74	41.73	8.20	0.33	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-22-2009</i>	50.57	40.91	8.18	0.33	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-30-2008</i>	58.45	33.01	8.21	0.33	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	47.80	43.73	8.14	0.33	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	59.73	31.12	8.49	0.67	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-31-2008</i>	40.72	27.48	20.57	11.23	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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