

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West RDEWS

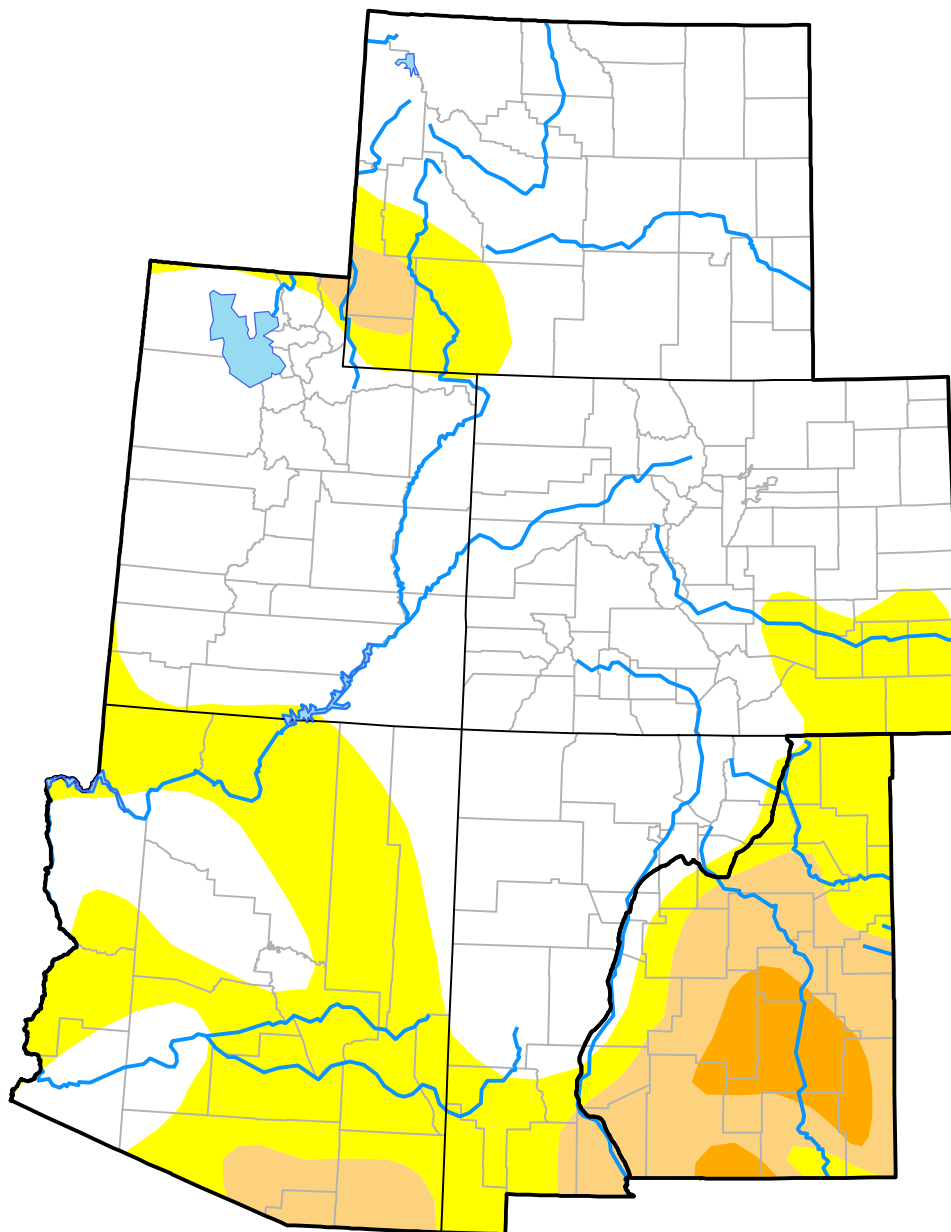
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.05	34.95	10.88	2.39	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-21-2009</i>	47.26	52.74	21.26	6.15	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-26-2009</i>	50.37	49.63	6.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	47.80	52.20	8.47	0.33	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	59.73	40.27	9.16	0.67	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-29-2008</i>	53.14	46.86	20.40	3.91	0.28	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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