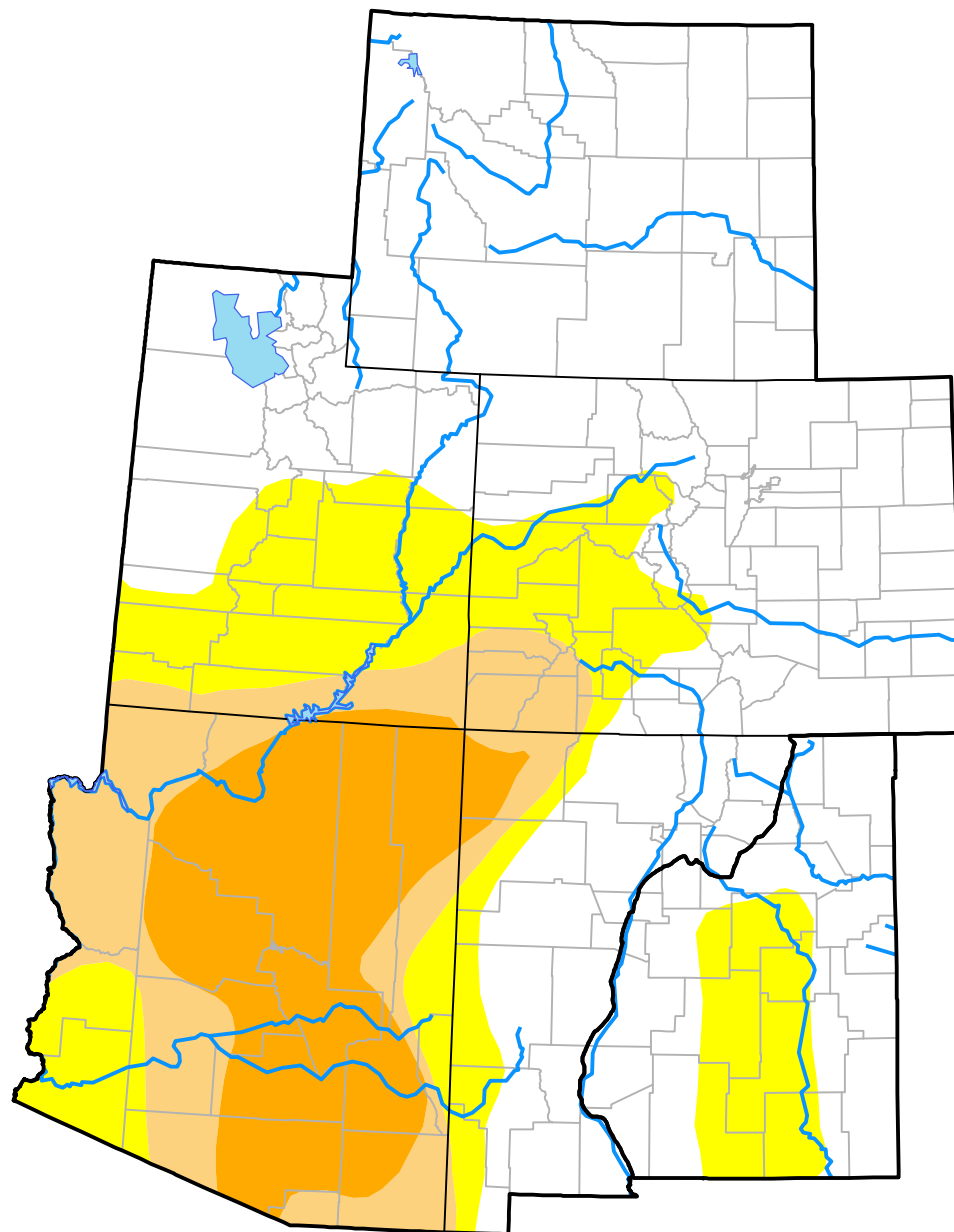


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West RDEWS

**November 10, 2009**  
*(Released Thursday, Nov. 12, 2009)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 58.28 | 41.72 | 23.23 | 12.75 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>11-05-2009</i>              | 63.40 | 36.60 | 22.50 | 12.37 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-13-2009</i>           | 70.13 | 29.87 | 2.01  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2009</i> | 47.80 | 52.20 | 8.47  | 0.33  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2009</i>    | 61.73 | 38.27 | 13.72 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-13-2008</i>           | 58.07 | 41.93 | 8.51  | 0.33  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

### 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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