

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Basin Watershed

**April 20, 2010**

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 20.63 | 79.37 | 34.32 | 7.32  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>04-15-2010              | 20.49 | 79.51 | 34.31 | 7.31  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>01-21-2010           | 10.24 | 89.76 | 40.38 | 12.84 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>12-31-2009 | 31.41 | 68.59 | 32.81 | 7.77  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-01-2009    | 44.83 | 55.17 | 26.88 | 6.68  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>04-23-2009           | 14.91 | 85.09 | 42.03 | 7.26  | 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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