

U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.91	46.09	30.36	14.37	3.62	0.00
Last Week <i>03-08-2011</i>	54.05	45.95	28.80	14.35	1.44	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-14-2010</i>	39.68	60.32	22.66	2.28	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	51.20	48.80	24.78	2.30	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	42.46	57.54	9.43	0.80	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-16-2010</i>	42.01	57.99	16.88	5.21	0.00	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

Intensity:



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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