

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	56.87	43.13	33.57	22.43	11.16	0.41
Last Week <i>05-17-2011</i>	52.24	47.76	36.81	24.25	11.15	0.29
3 Months Ago <i>02-22-2011</i>	52.28	47.72	28.57	8.38	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>05-25-2010</i>	64.79	35.21	10.21	3.33	0.00	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

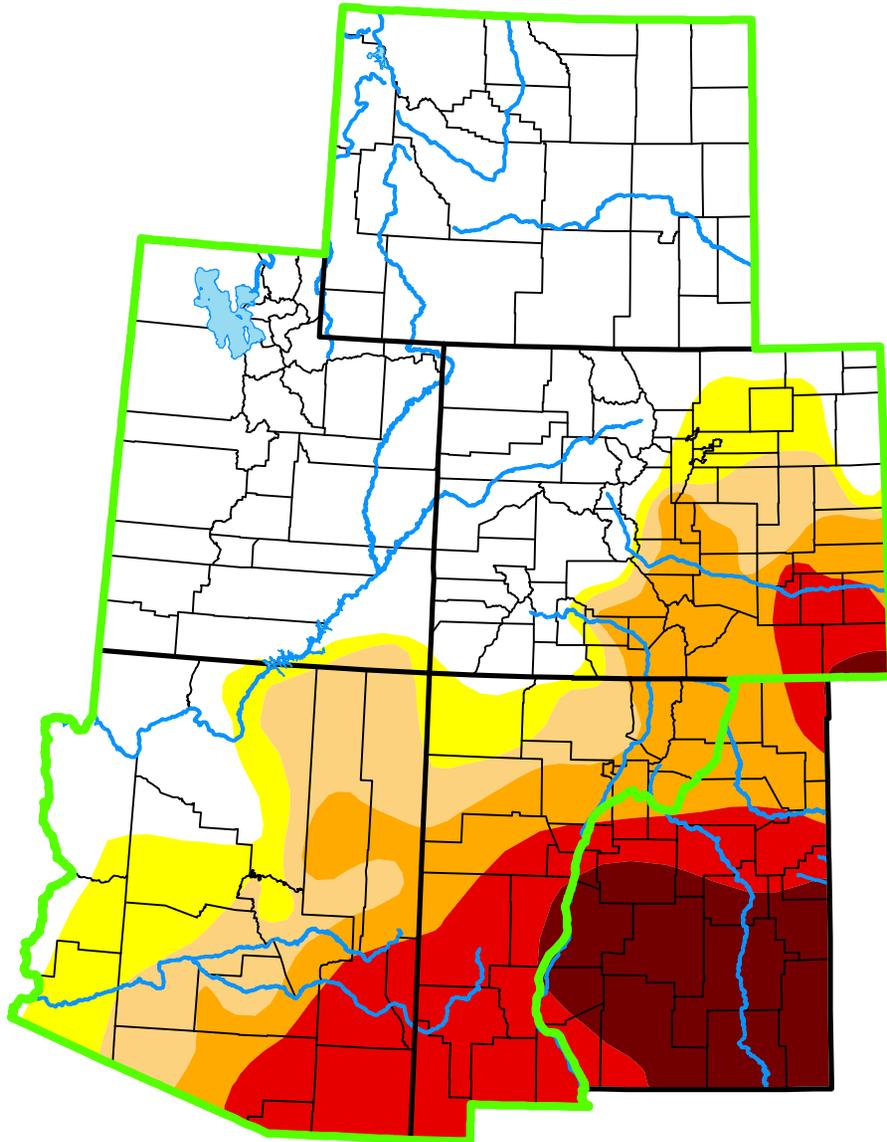
Intensity:

 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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