

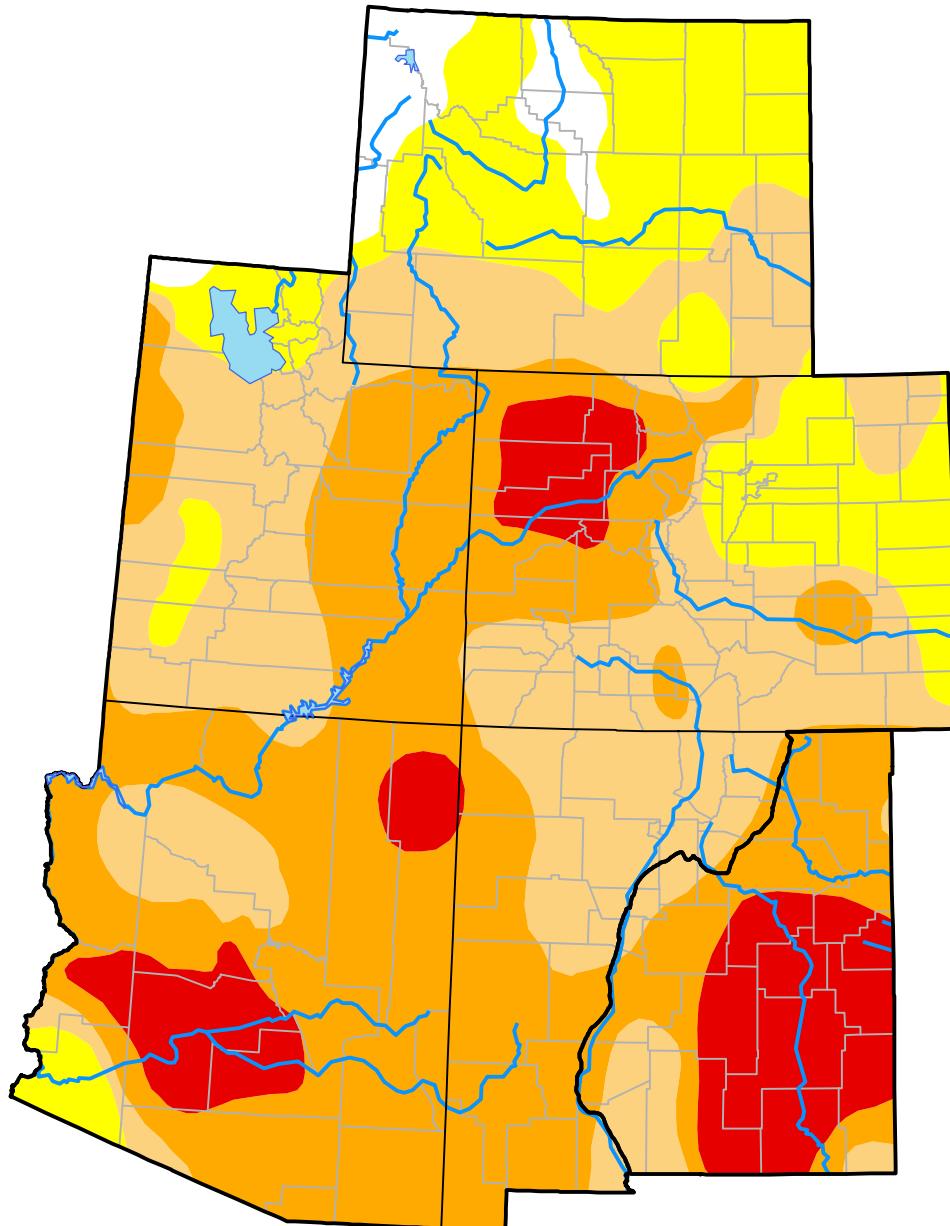
U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	2.96	97.04	79.04	48.14	11.04	0.00
Last Week 05-24-2012	5.14	94.86	77.99	47.37	10.59	0.00
3 Months Ago 03-01-2012	27.29	72.71	54.22	24.75	5.81	1.89
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	51.79	48.21	38.59	26.88	6.05	1.76
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	45.58	54.42	43.23	34.04	21.12	8.65
One Year Ago 06-02-2011	51.42	48.58	40.72	31.61	20.48	7.62

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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