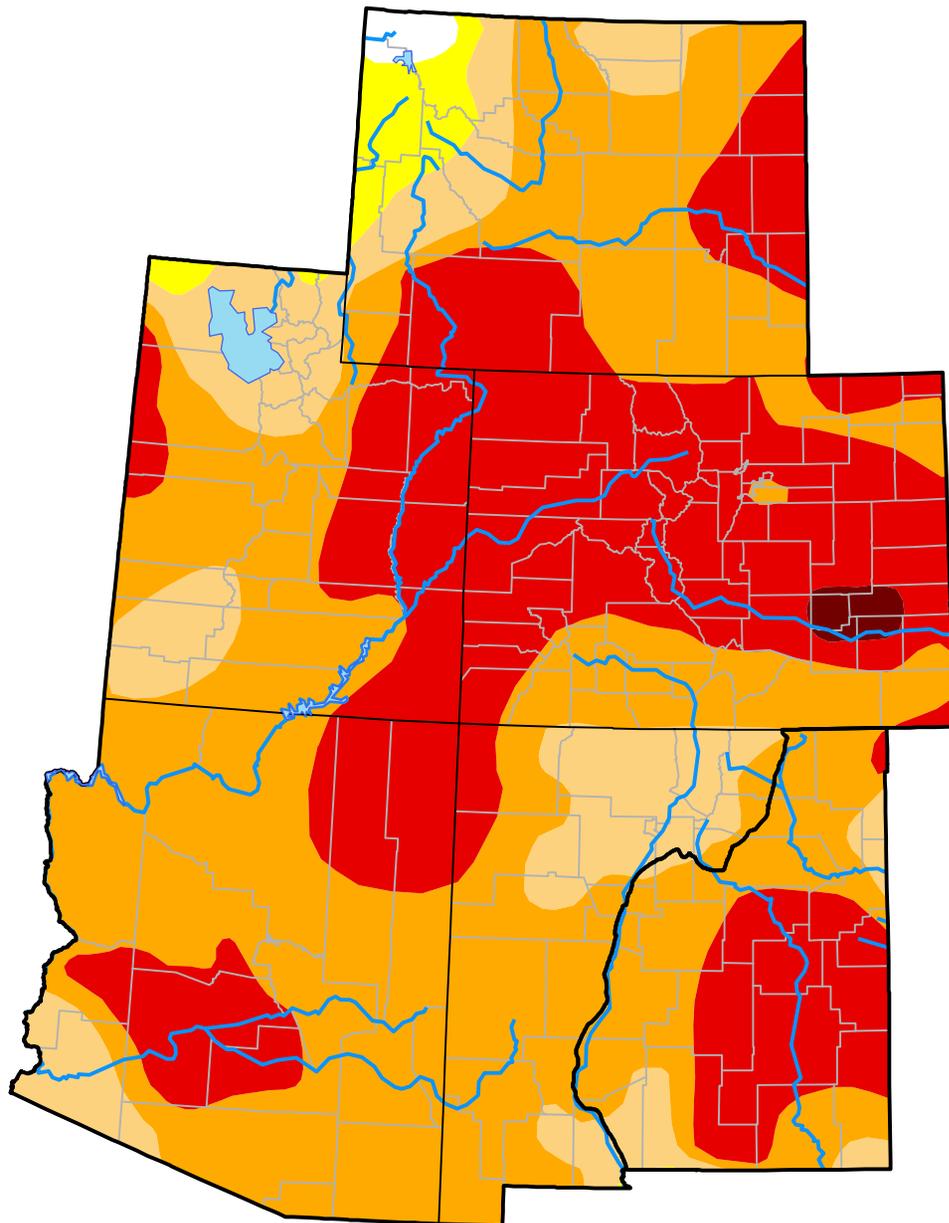


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West RDEWS

**July 24, 2012**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.51	2.08	13.36	48.43	35.05	0.56
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-19-2012</i>	0.51	2.12	14.70	49.16	33.15	0.35
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-26-2012</i>	12.66	22.29	24.55	30.60	7.84	2.06
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	51.79	9.62	11.71	20.83	4.29	1.76
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.58	11.18	9.19	12.92	12.47	8.65
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-28-2011</i>	47.47	9.37	8.06	9.88	12.62	12.60

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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