

# U.S. Drought Monitor

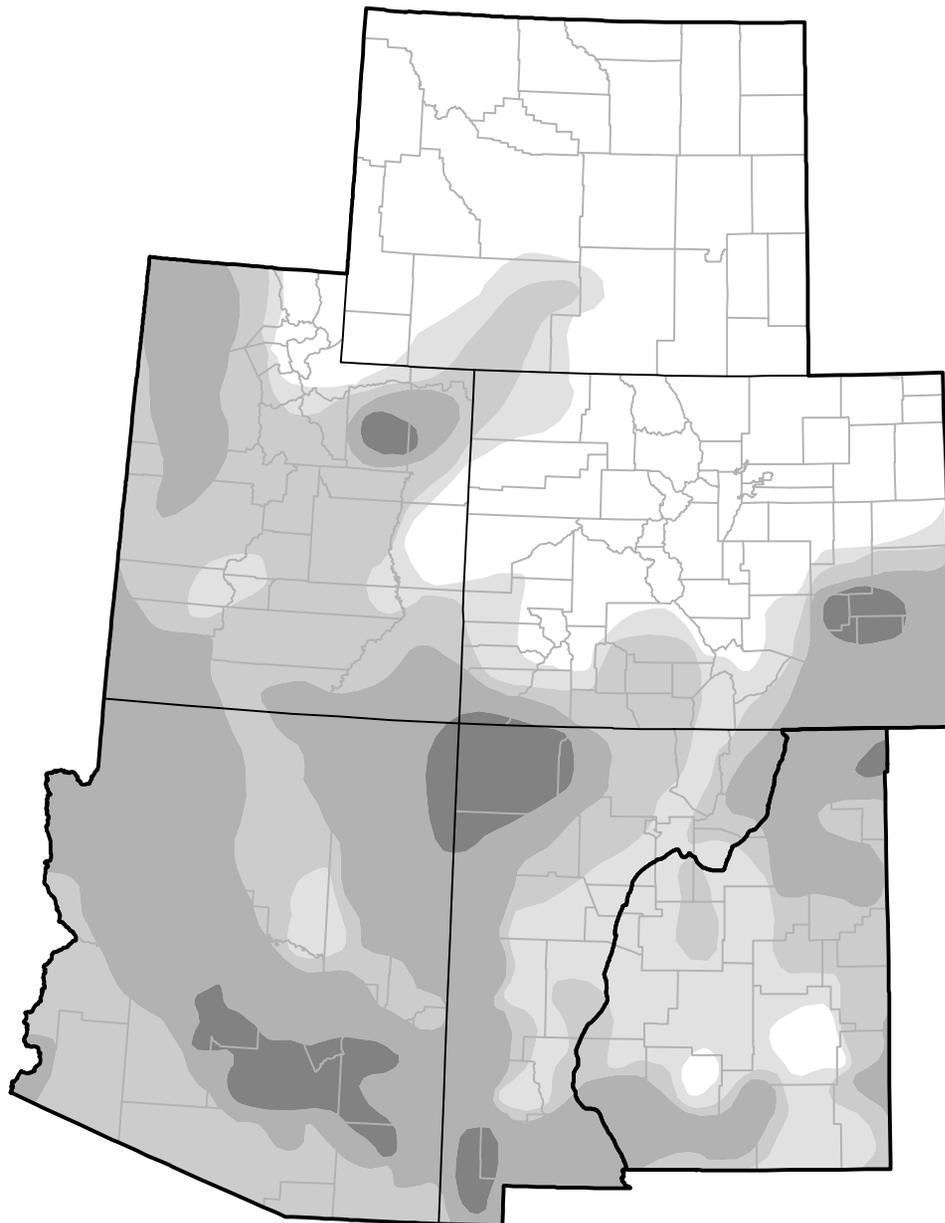
## Intermountain West RDEWS

**August 19, 2014**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	31.03	12.85	24.41	27.19	4.53	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-14-2014</i>	30.87	11.90	24.36	27.56	5.30	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-22-2014</i>	28.59	8.98	18.10	31.49	11.14	1.69
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	19.58	36.15	28.46	14.09	1.43	0.29
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2013</i>	11.53	25.18	39.78	21.39	1.83	0.29
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-22-2013</i>	1.54	7.25	26.80	39.50	21.36	3.56



***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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