

# 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
<b>Current</b>	28.16	71.84	61.46	15.84	0.59	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-03-2015</i>	28.16	71.84	61.46	15.49	0.59	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-09-2014</i>	40.12	59.88	47.75	19.18	1.93	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	40.12	59.88	47.28	19.18	1.93	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2014</i>	39.91	60.09	47.49	20.78	3.60	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-11-2014</i>	25.77	74.23	46.90	26.88	3.46	0.33

(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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