

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**August 1, 2017**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	71.50	23.66	4.53	0.31	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-25-2017</i>	54.12	39.43	6.14	0.31	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-02-2017</i>	78.36	17.45	4.13	0.06	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2017</i>	47.82	31.35	19.11	1.71	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2016</i>	38.61	41.31	16.47	3.61	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-02-2016</i>	36.09	36.60	24.54	1.98	0.78	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

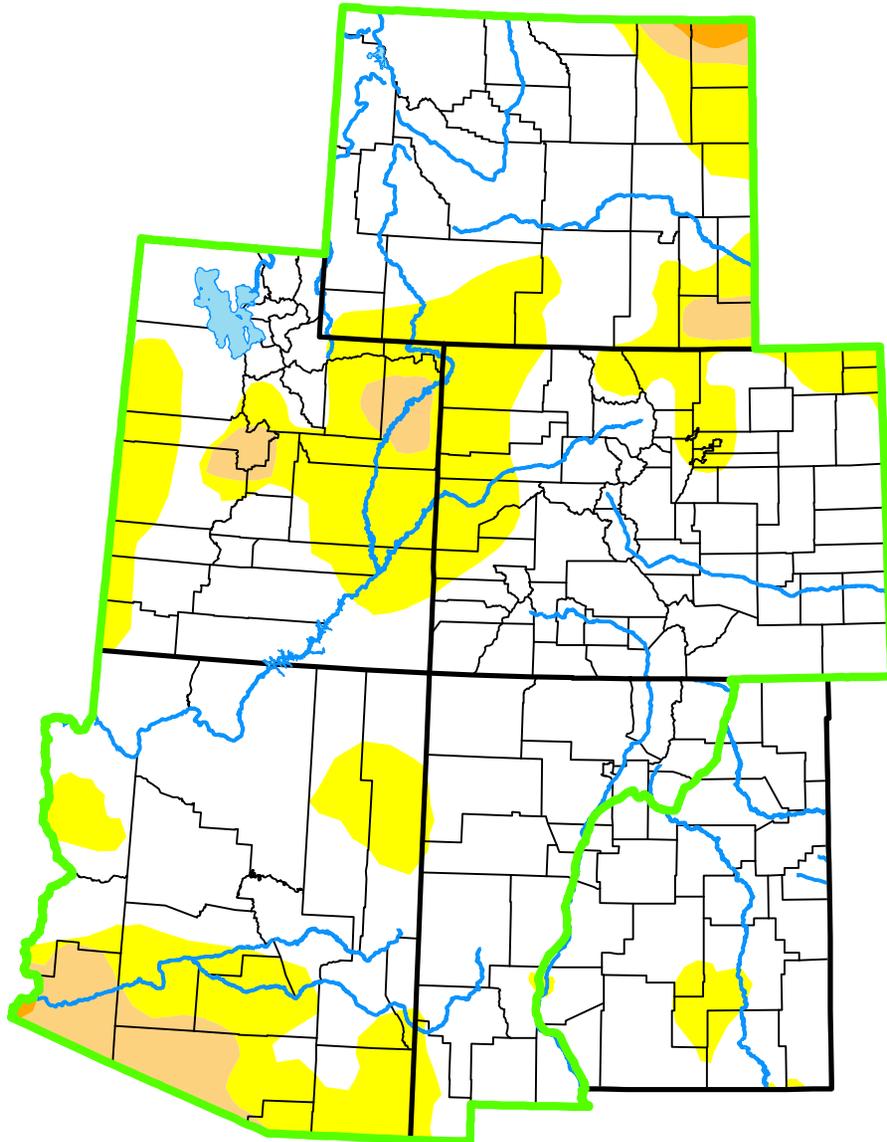
Intensity:

 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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