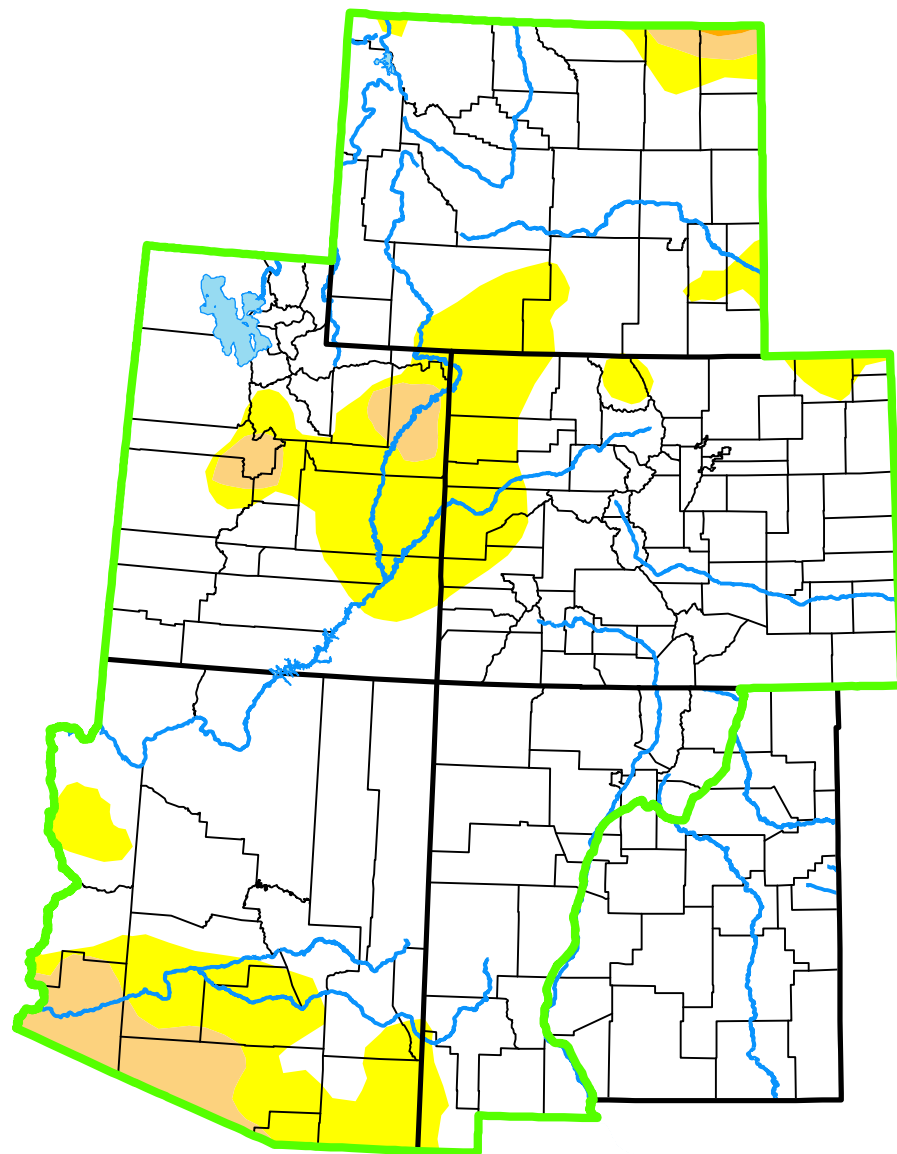


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



August 15, 2017

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	79.54	16.21	4.17	0.07	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-08-2017</i>	75.49	20.26	4.15	0.10	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-16-2017</i>	75.51	15.73	8.71	0.06	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	47.82	31.35	19.11	1.71	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	38.61	41.31	16.47	3.61	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-16-2016</i>	34.74	38.14	24.51	1.83	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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