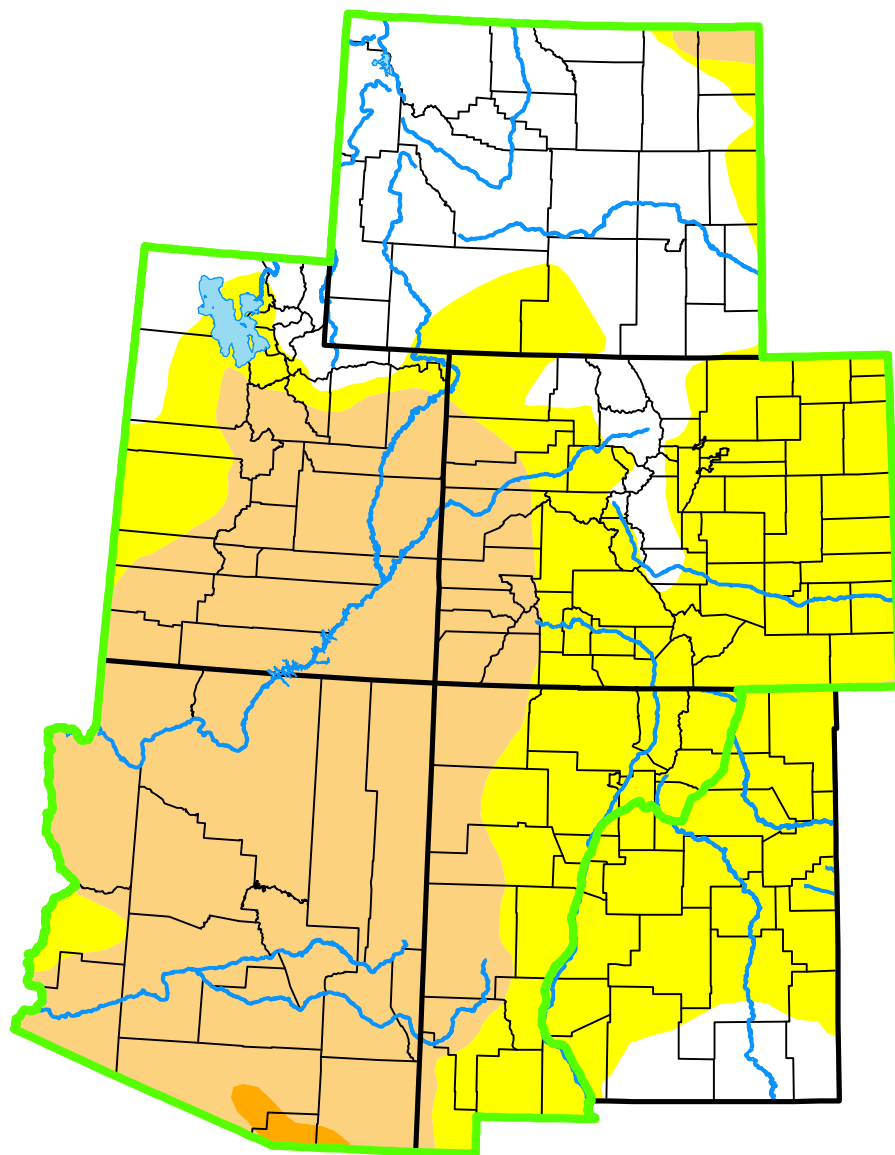


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



December 12, 2017

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	23.55	76.45	43.85	0.51	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-05-2017</i>	37.19	62.81	42.36	0.51	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-12-2017</i>	66.76	33.24	5.41	0.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	47.82	52.18	20.83	1.71	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	61.94	38.06	5.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-13-2016</i>	28.19	71.81	26.35	2.68	0.00	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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