

U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

December 19, 2017
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	19.42	80.58	47.04	4.06	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-12-2017</i>	23.55	76.45	43.85	0.51	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-19-2017</i>	67.85	32.15	5.39	0.00	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>12-20-2016</i>	28.42	71.58	26.35	2.63	0.00	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

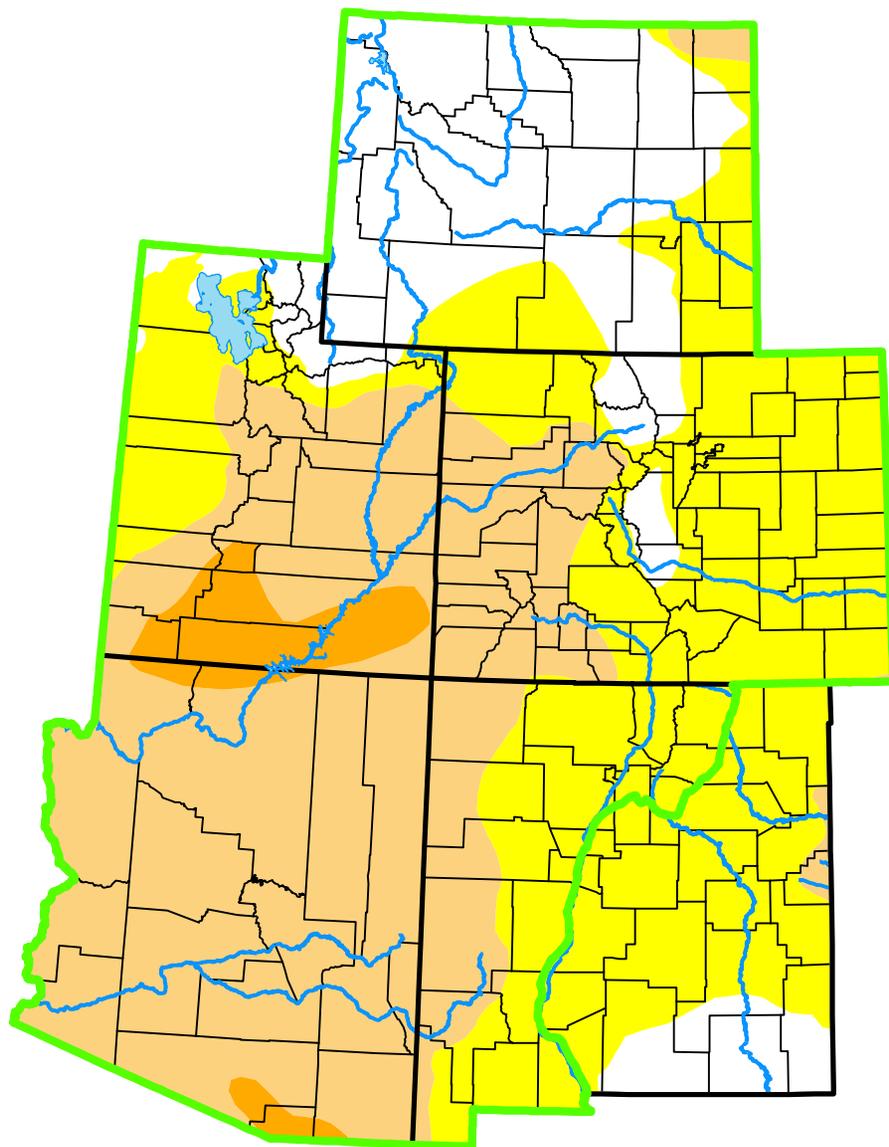
Intensity:

 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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