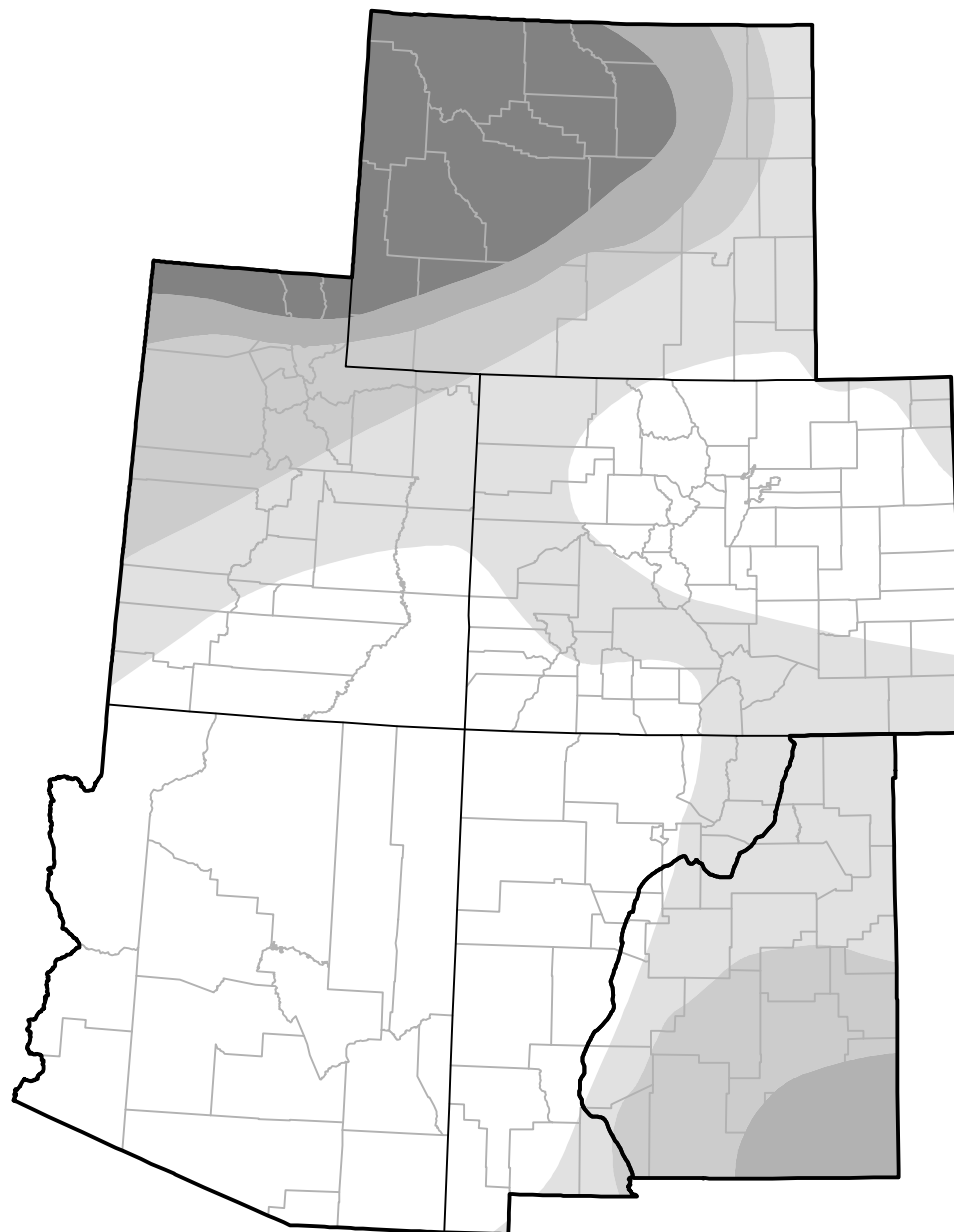


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	49.21	50.79	26.28	14.20	8.87	0.00
Last Week <i>09-13-2001</i>	49.74	50.26	25.88	14.20	8.87	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-21-2001</i>	53.19	46.81	9.82	2.11	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	79.37	20.63	1.43	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	13.66	86.34	36.28	8.60	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-21-2000</i>	18.39	81.61	35.31	9.42	0.05	0.00

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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