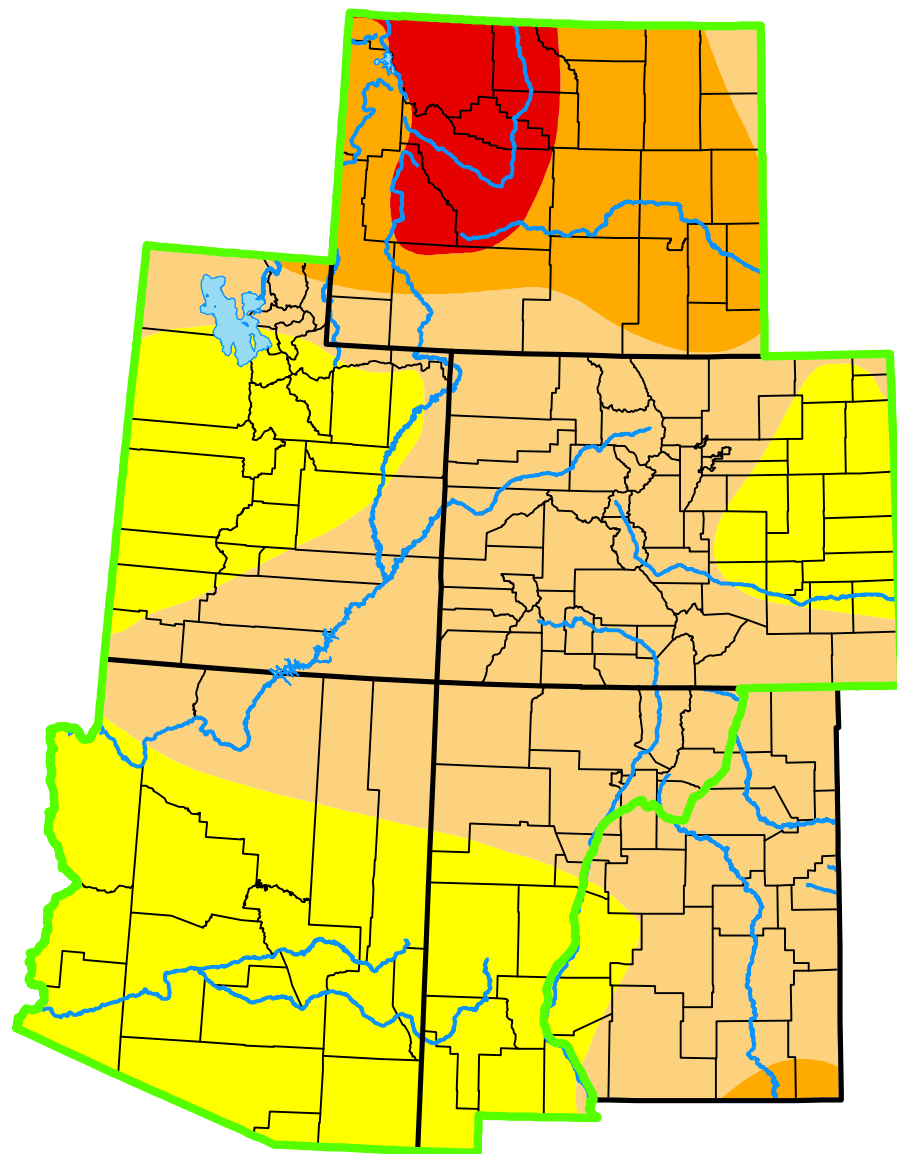


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



February 26, 2002

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	39.85	42.12	12.76	5.27	0.00
Last Week <i>02-19-2002</i>	4.53	35.50	45.34	9.46	5.16	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-27-2001</i>	41.48	37.04	7.56	3.99	9.94	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	40.16	34.59	13.18	6.01	6.06	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	55.93	21.39	8.67	3.93	10.09	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-27-2001</i>	82.37	8.24	9.39	0.00	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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