

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	0.00	100.00	100.00	76.74	51.75	6.79
Last Week 10-10-2002	0.00	100.00	100.00	77.00	51.11	6.83
3 Months Ago 07-18-2002	0.00	100.00	100.00	94.95	81.25	29.30
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	35.30	64.70	34.13	14.11	5.71	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2002	0.00	100.00	100.00	82.26	58.81	14.16
One Year Ago 10-18-2001	50.23	49.77	26.28	14.71	8.73	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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