

U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

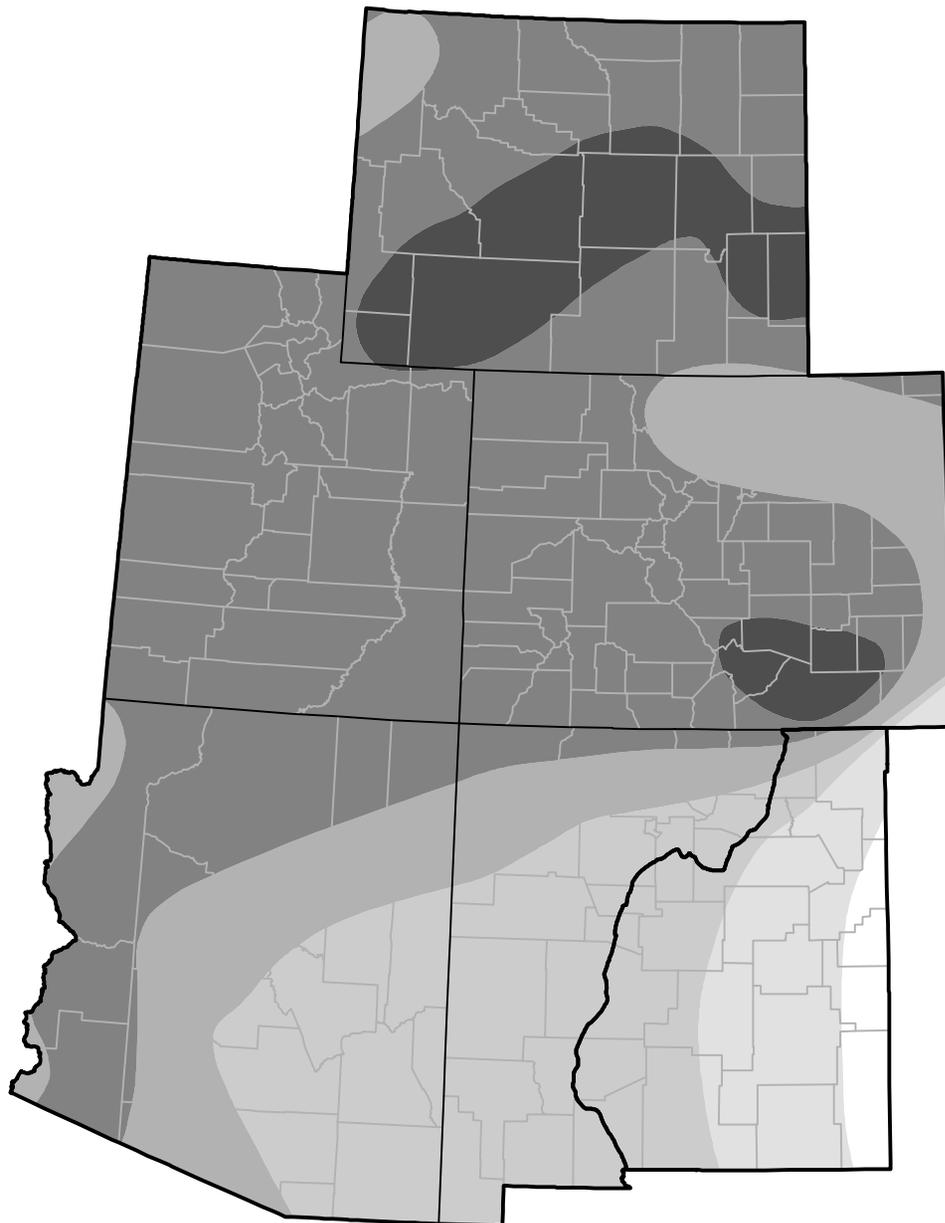
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Current | 1.61 | 98.39 | 92.41 | 73.60 | 58.16 | 8.41 |
| Last Week <i>02-27-2003</i> | 1.58 | 98.42 | 92.56 | 78.60 | 63.23 | 9.81 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-05-2002</i> | 0.00 | 100.00 | 94.53 | 74.86 | 46.68 | 5.64 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i> | 2.14 | 97.86 | 93.18 | 77.88 | 47.91 | 6.65 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i> | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 82.26 | 58.81 | 14.16 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-07-2002</i> | 0.47 | 99.53 | 63.40 | 16.18 | 4.48 | 0.00 |



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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