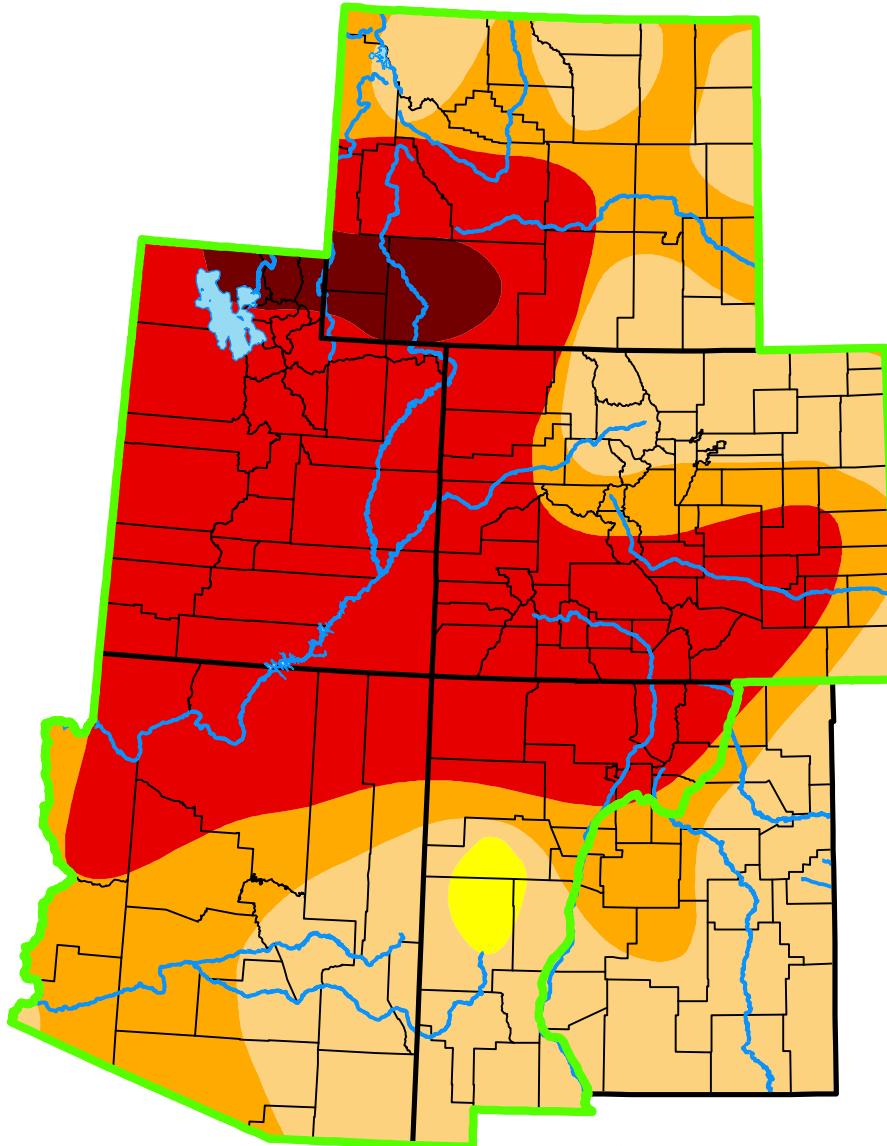


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



May 13, 2003

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	98.98	73.90	51.11	3.39
Last Week 05-06-2003	0.00	100.00	98.62	74.85	48.21	1.72
3 Months Ago 02-11-2003	0.00	100.00	99.90	90.37	72.80	12.60
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2002	0.00	100.00	99.92	88.09	54.39	7.57
Start of Water Year 10-01-2002	0.00	100.00	100.00	92.70	66.65	16.10
One Year Ago 05-14-2002	0.00	100.00	97.50	92.75	68.32	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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