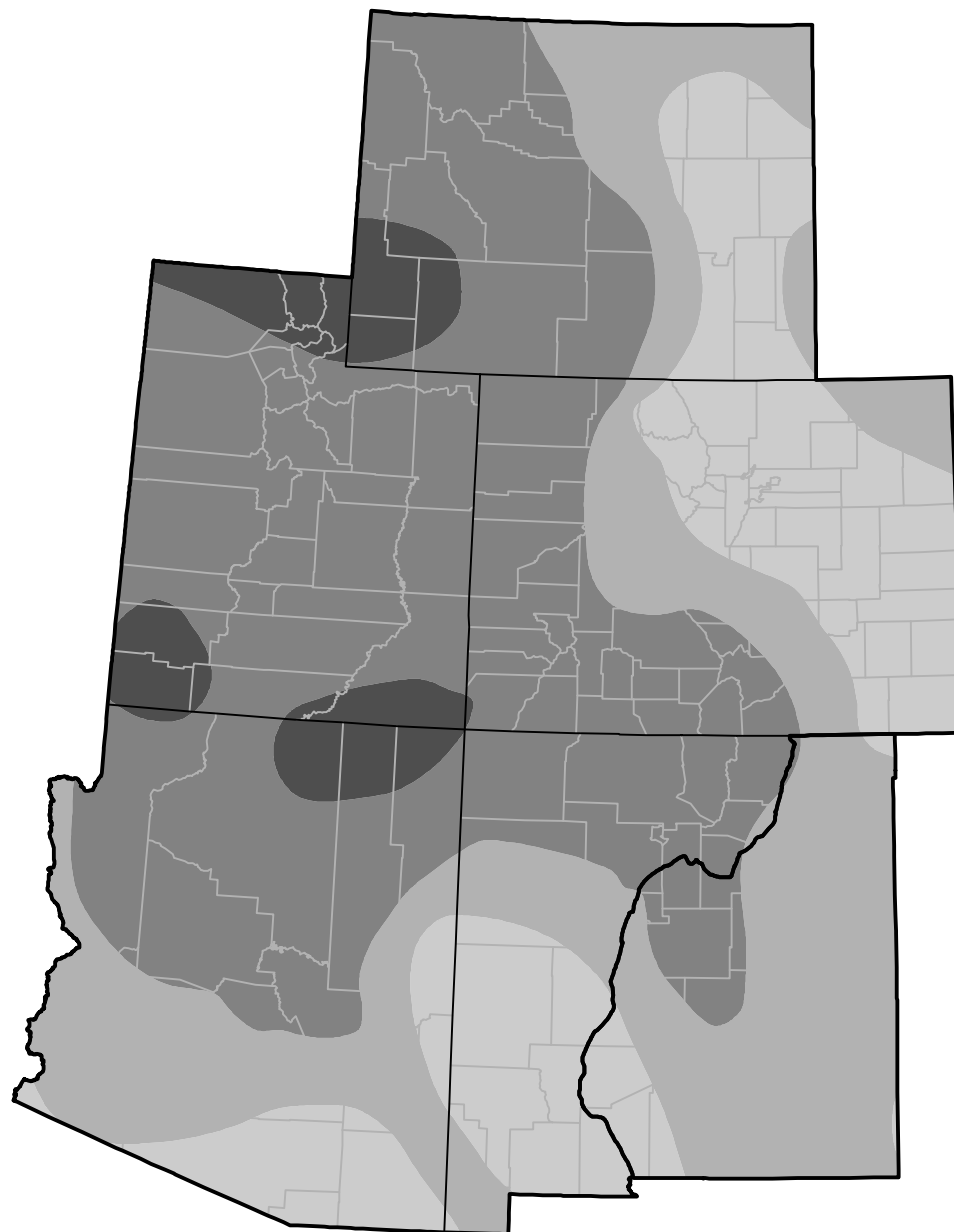


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West RDEWS



**August 5, 2003**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 7, 2003)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4    |
|---------------------------------------------|------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 79.17 | 51.08 | 5.95  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>07-31-2003              | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 79.23 | 51.86 | 6.87  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>05-08-2003           | 0.00 | 100.00 | 98.79  | 67.12 | 42.38 | 1.51  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-02-2003 | 2.14 | 97.86  | 93.18  | 77.88 | 47.91 | 6.65  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-03-2002    | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 82.26 | 58.81 | 14.16 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>08-08-2002           | 0.00 | 100.00 | 98.84  | 85.42 | 67.57 | 22.52 |

### 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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