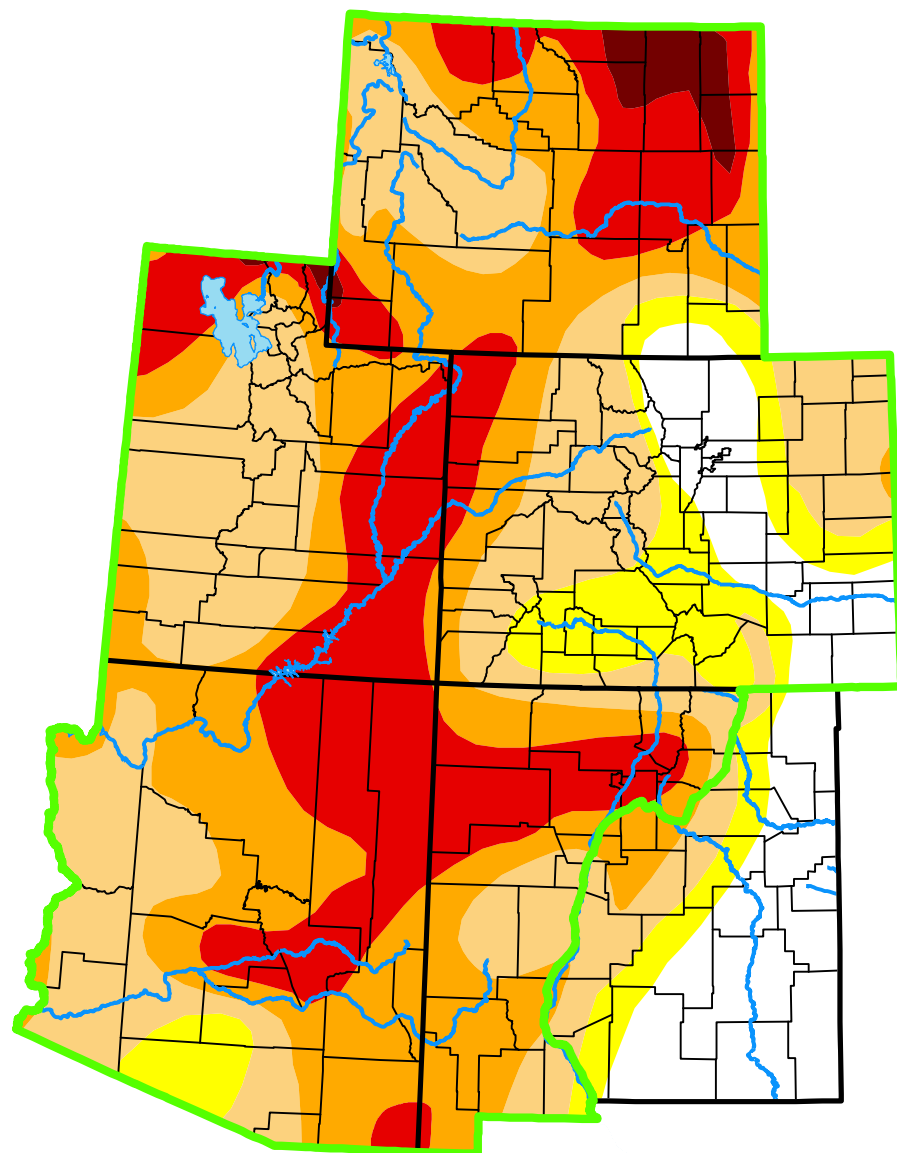


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



November 16, 2004
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	5.52	8.26	32.14	29.85	22.46	1.77
Last Week <i>11-09-2004</i>	5.52	8.90	30.22	30.81	22.79	1.77
3 Months Ago <i>08-17-2004</i>	0.70	9.56	15.87	34.16	37.67	2.04
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	0.00	8.98	9.69	39.84	33.43	8.07
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	4.67	8.58	16.52	38.34	29.92	1.98
One Year Ago <i>11-18-2003</i>	0.00	9.26	13.60	34.71	35.28	7.16

(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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