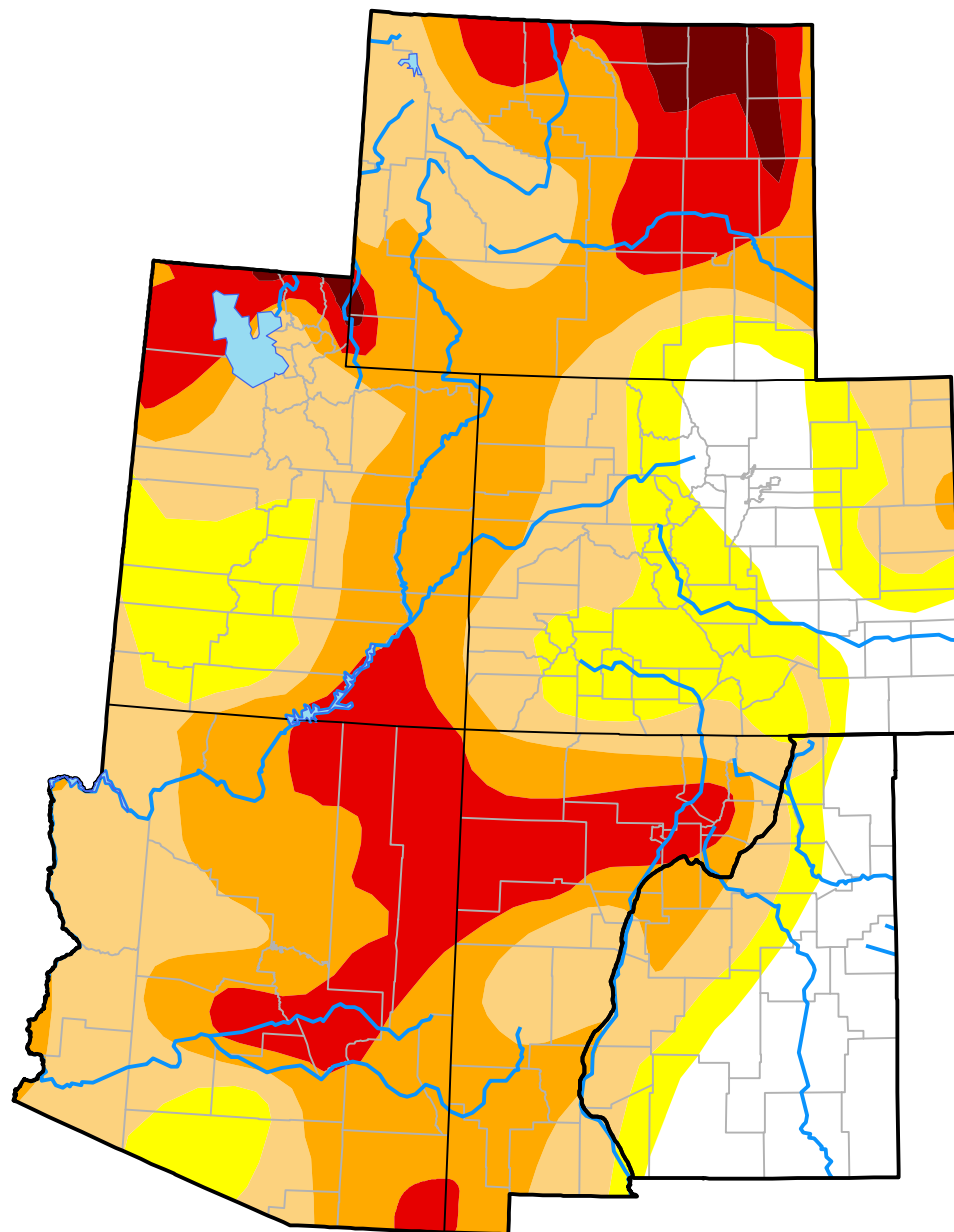


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	12.27	87.73	72.89	44.30	16.40	1.55
Last Week <i>11-24-2004</i>	12.13	87.87	77.93	48.04	20.64	1.55
3 Months Ago <i>09-02-2004</i>	7.36	92.64	81.73	64.32	33.64	1.75
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	92.11	83.59	44.97	8.87
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	8.24	91.76	80.76	63.60	28.04	1.74
One Year Ago <i>12-04-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	91.73	78.78	44.70	6.86

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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