

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	47.91	52.09	27.85	13.14	2.39	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-24-2005</i>	47.91	52.09	27.85	13.14	2.39	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>03-01-2005</i>	14.93	85.07	51.17	25.32	10.13	4.62
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	5.86	94.14	78.14	45.35	17.72	1.79
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	4.67	95.33	86.75	70.23	31.90	1.98
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>06-01-2004</i>	0.00	100.00	94.76	79.32	40.67	0.47

(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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