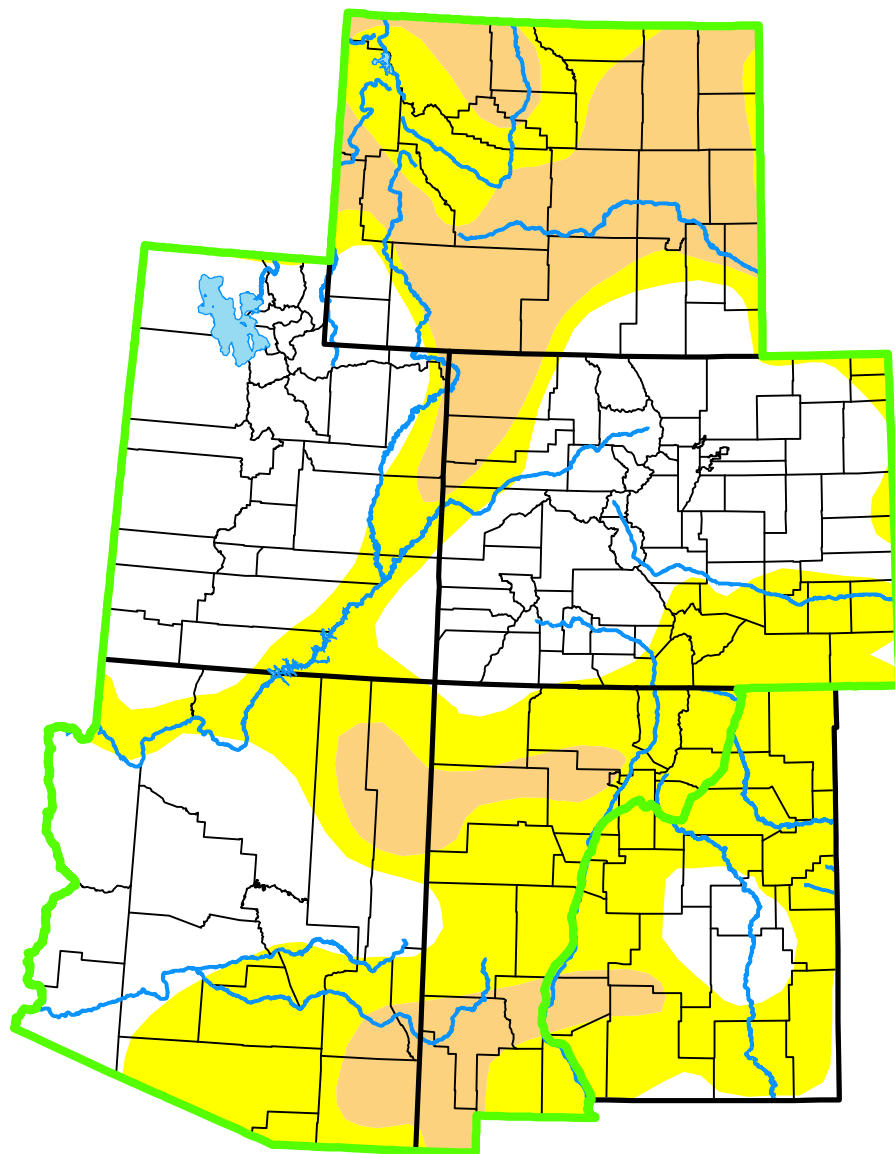


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



November 15, 2005
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	46.84	53.16	20.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-08-2005</i>	46.84	53.16	20.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-16-2005</i>	43.17	56.83	30.24	10.01	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	5.86	94.14	78.14	45.35	17.72	1.79
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	45.89	54.11	27.37	7.52	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-16-2004</i>	5.52	94.48	86.23	54.08	24.23	1.77

(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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