

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
Current	25.43	74.57	47.77	26.82	9.70	0.00
Last Week <i>02-14-2006</i>	24.87	75.13	48.27	22.92	9.70	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-22-2005</i>	46.84	53.16	20.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	33.36	66.64	24.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
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>02-22-2005</i>	10.29	89.71	55.71	25.78	12.26	2.97

(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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